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1. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cea47e.183657498@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149921

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 21:39:58 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>K4CC wrote:
>> <drumming fingers on desk> Still waiting.
>> That offer was posted on July 26. It's now
>> August 1. STILL no post. I guess laughing
>
>You didn't say WHEN you wanted it!
>
>I'll get it in the next few days. The hard drive that the
>info is on is currently down, so I gotta get the computer running
>first.
>
>hang it there!

You should get to work on a cryogenic system to preserve your body if
you are going to wait, it could be a while!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

2. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123295400.TAA11649@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149922

>From: KA0SSF

The filthy liar sputtered:

>Obviously, Bill's constant refusal to stop flaming demonstrates his true intentions.

The only person who has been flaming around here for the past 72 hours is you, sucm bag.

3. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123320200.TAA11876@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149923

>From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>Except for half the people on this NG & the 700 on the scanning mail
>list
>that just kicked him off!

Of course, you aren't permitted to join the list either. For that, you would have to contribute something other than flames, and you have ably demonstrated that all you know how to do is electronically stalk, forge, mailbomb, abuse the rights of legitimate users and a variety of other sordid activities.

4. Re: Computer Controlled 1000 channel trunked scanner??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123333900.TAA09614@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149924

>Computer Controlled 1000 channel trunked scanner??????
>From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>

>I was not aware the Pro-2042 was a Trunk Tracker. Am I correct that with
>the added components you have listed it will have Trnk Tracking
>capabilities.

It is not a Trunktracker. Opto has a new add-on for TT with 2042 equipped with the Opto OS535 interface.

5. Savannah Georgia Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Mendsen <marty.mendsen@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <35C3A2EA.3266@lmco.com>
Source record: 149925

Iim working in Savannah for a few weeks and would like to know the local freqs. The usual is fine: police, medical, paging, or anything else you may know. I appreciate the info.
Mart

6. Re: MacKay vs Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123360500.TAA09867@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149926

>MacKay vs Cheek
>From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>Do you think a childish antic like your Bill Cheek ass-kissing will
>help?

More flames. Mackerel, there have been many questions today related to trunk tracking, computer-controlled scanning, antennas, and many others. While you have posted a dozen off-topic messages today, you have not helped a single person. Why not?

7. Re: **** Freqs for Halifax, NS ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123392300.TAA10236@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149927
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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>
Subject: **** Freqs for Halifax, NS ****
>From: "Mike Bishop"
>Date: Sat, Aug 1, 1998 18:27 EDT
>Message-id: <902010467.604329@caffreys>
>
>I'm a serviceman who has been recently posted to Halifax, NS and would like
>it if someone could sent along some freqs for this city.

Why not ask John Mackey?
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8. Re: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123394600.TAA12730@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149928
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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Subject: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??
>From: "Matthew H. Fogle"
>Date: Sat, Aug 1, 1998 15:58 EDT
>Message-id: <35C37382.40406601@cec2.aps.edu>
>
>Hi; I don't know if this is a old topic but I found that in my area I
>get a lot of what appear to be cordless phones in the 450-470mHz range;
>does anyone know what these are?

Ask John Mackey.

9. Re: Savannah Georgia Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123403700.TAA10382@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149929
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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Subject: Savannah Georgia Freqs
>From: Marty Mendsen
>Date: Sat, Aug 1, 1998 19:21 EDT
>Message-id: <35C3A2EA.3266@lmco.com>
>
>Iim working in Savannah for a few weeks and would like to know the local
>freqs. The usual is fine: police, medical, paging, or anything else you
>may know. I appreciate the info.
>Mart

Well, I sent you 122 freqs for police, fire and public safety, but you really
should ask John Mackey to help you.

10. Ask John Mackey!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123431300.TAA10650@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149930

Got a question about whiich Trunk Tracker to buy? Need to know the freqs for Albany, NY? Want to know what to monitor when the president comes to town? Need an opinion on the best freq CD-ROM?

Ask John Mackey! He has lots of information about scanning and he'll be happy to obilge you! John Mackey, he's the guy. He'll help you like no one else can!

11. Re: FS: RS Discone Base Scanner Antenna ($30)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123433600.TAA13146@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149931

PLEASEE-MAIL pdoddy@aol.com

12. Re: Pro 2005 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cfa921.184845043@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149932

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 16:31:01 GMT, tglunz@cybernw.com (Terry Glunz)
wrote:

>A Pro 2005 base set, 400 channels, good shape, full capabilities, only
>problem is the back light is very dim. I don't use it any more, I've
>got enough radios already so $250 or best offer takes it. low ball
>offers will be ignored, if you know what this is you know what it's
>worth. I also have a friends pro 60 now, he'd like $150 and its in
>good shape.
> I would prefer a local sale to avoid all the hassles of
>shipping and so you'll actually see before you buy.
> By the way I have the radio shack service manual
>I'll throw in with the deal, and I have the original box and packing
>too if that excites any one. I had the owners manual but it's been
>swallowed in the house some where.
>
>Terry tglunz@cnnw.net
>Portland Oregon
>To reply remove the # from my address

John Mackey,
You should take this opportunity to try the fine hobby of scanning! It
beats the hell out of spending your days thinking of some way to
humiliate Bill Cheek!
So call this guy and get your first scanner, you won't be sorry!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

13. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10541-35C3A391-59@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149933

what state are you in
email me justmrzor@webtv.net and i could email the freqs back to you in
your area

14. Re: Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10543-35C3A3FE-21@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149934

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i (think) about $125-150
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15. Re: how many scanners + SOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven T. Shapiro" <shapi16@banet.net>
Message-ID: <35C3B4F8.8686F963@banet.net>
Source record: 149935

Oceans1@ibm.net wrote:

> I have:
> BC895XLT
> BC9000XLT
> BC235XLT
> BC3000XLT
> Icom RC-10
> Alinco DJ-X10(T)
> AR 8000B

of all the bearcats whats your favorite?
of the icom/aor/alinco what's your fave?
i have been looking at the alinco&bc3000, thinking of ordering from
durham radio (http://www.durhamradio.ca/) or some other foreign shop so
i can get full coverage
only about $40U.S. difference at durham. it kinda surprised me that they
were close in price, i always thought that the bc was a good radio, but
not in the class of the icom\aor\alinco 's
any input is appreciated, thanks in advance

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16. Re: **** Freqs for Halifax, NS ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10542-35C3A5A6-37@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149936

what kind of freqs do you want air,police
fire,or other

17. Rocky Mtn Natl Park

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray <kb8tpw@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6q0dov$dt9$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149937

Anyone /with a quick source for frequencies around RMNP?. Thanks
kb8tpw@hotmail.com

18. invert, needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: erics <estouch@goes.com>
Message-ID: <01bdbdb8$6dcb15e0$8ef7c3d0@default>
Source record: 149938

please i need invert.....where do i get it, and or can you post it.....

19. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: M_Man54@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35c3ab80.16412252@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149939
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

Stop by a local rental place, ask for a Post Driver, they are used to
install tempoary fencing metal post. It's a 24" long Pipe closed on
one end with Handels, Weight about 20lbs. You just Lift and Drop it
will drive that ground rod in the ground in a couple of minutes. We
use them all the time for driving ground rods a cellular sites.

Roger
On Wed, 22 Jul 1998 03:44:37 GMT, mr-hankey@mailcity.com wrote:

>Hi all...
>
>I need to drive a 10' grounding rod into the soil, and haven't a clue how to
>go about it, other than to wet the soil first. I tend to think this will be
>a very difficult thing to do in any case.
>
>The only thing I can think of is to saturate the ground as much as possible
>(which won't make much of a dent anyway), and then get up on a ladder and
>start pounding away with a hammer.
>
>There MUST be an easier way!!!! (isn't there??? :(..) I'm in upstate NY with
>lots of clay-ish soil. Let alone any rocks I may hit along the way. Argh!!
>
>Help!!!!
>
>Thanks.
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

20. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C3DC61.1B16@juno.com>
Source record: 149940

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > Dave don't hold your breath waiting for his proof , he is constantly
> > saying he has proof about things and when asked to show it,
> SNIP
> > Like the one I am waiting for the San Diego Court to sned the proof
> > about the warrant.
>
> I have NEVER said there was a warrant. Infact, *I* am the one who asked
> for anyone stating there was such a warrant to present proof.

Your a bold face liar bozo mackey

21. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C3DCFC.375A@juno.com>
Source record: 149941

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> MAlexder wrote:
> > Of course, you aren't permitted to join the list either.
>
> hehehehehehehe, what a fool you are!
>
> I've been subscribed to it before & later dropped it because I
> had "to many irons in the fire". Now I am only on 4 mailing lists
> to stay focused on my favorite areas, repeater building & operations.

Another bold face lie by bozo mackey

22. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C3DD93.1299@juno.com>
Source record: 149942

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> MAlexder wrote:
> > The only person who has been flaming around here for the past 72 hours is you,
>
> Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> on this NG?

Your just upset because they are stories about you and most likely have
some truth to them bozo mzckey .

23. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1453-35C3D4C0-104@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149943

Yeah but in order to get a Comtel don't you have to import one from the UK? Wouldn't one worry about it getting held at Customs?Scanner would be paid but you wouldn't have one the gov. would.Read the notice to U.S. residents on Javiation's website.That's what scared me off.I would rather use the money at a casino:)

24. Re: where to find a cell modified scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Padgett <jpad@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <35C397A6.D7577DFC@crosslink.net>
Source record: 149944

http://www.osha.igs.net/~durhamradio/

25. Re: VHF Aviation Frequencies-Tulsa, OK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Padgett <jpad@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <35C396E1.84C1A9EA@crosslink.net>
Source record: 149945

Scan from 120 to 132 mhz and you will find the majority of the
frequencies used at that faciltiy.

26. MACKY IS SMART

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <d51_9808020500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149946

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> No, I said that OTHER people said there was a warrant.

You asked if anyone knew of a warrant for Cheek's arrest.

YOU, and YOU alone, implied that there was such a warrant for Cheek.

You did ___NOT___ say you had heard about it from anyone else.

Stuff THAT up your tailpipe, jackass.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

27. CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <d52_9808020500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149947

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>> His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
>> his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30
>> days to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

> John, this is another lie.
> Would you care to provide your source of misinformation? Know,
> though, that I will verify.

Ka> Obviously you ARE NOT sure if this is mis-information or you
Ka> wouldn't be asking for the other data.

What other data? You have yet to produce ONE speck of data
to back up your lies.

I had breakfast with the new R10C Brenda Donovan, the former NC
of NET202, Saturday morning, and she said you're a liar.

Since Cheek announced his decision to leave 3 months in advance,
there is no way that your statement of a 30 day notice could
hold water.

He never committed a P4 violation that would warrant having
his links cut.

You are nothing but a bold-faced liar, a disgrace to the amateur
radio fraternity (which the ARRL is going to hear about), and the
scum of the face of the earth.

Ka> Try contacting REC for that area at that time if you want more.

And your total ignorance is showing. The REC has no say in
the matter of P4 violations and link cuts. That is up to the
RC's and NC's

Now, why don't you go crawl back into the ground from where
you came, scumbag?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

28. Keyboard Tricks for Pro-62?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioCollector <Antique_Radio_Collector@usa.net/NoSpam>
Message-ID: <6q2qgf$nh8$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149948
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,nl.radio.scanners,rec.radio.scanner

Hello All,

Does anybody have/know any Keyboard tricks for the Pro-62??

Hope somebody can help!

I would really appreciate it!

Don't forget to reamove the/NoSpam

Thanks,

Rian

Antique_Radio_Collector@usa.net/NoSpam

29. Re: q7a mod- cellular restoration

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35C3450E.C3C4667C@navix.net>
Source record: 149971

Pro43 wrote:

> Whats a Q7?
>

Check here:

iCOM IC-Q7A

30. Re: Pro-90 and Air/Mil. Freqs. in Norfolk/Va, Beach area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c84746.159790460@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149972
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 11:44:54 -0400, "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
wrote:

>Just purchased a Pro-90 and am beginning to question if it has all the
>freqs. I need. It is of course a TrunkTracker which I needed as all the
>local Services are on a Trunked System. However, being surrounded by
>military bases I was hoping to also be able to monitor some of these
>frequencies. (Mainly the USN Aircraft bands and any freqs that may be used
>on the USN ships that move in and out of port all the time. Does anyone
>know what freq. range these would be in. I have found a couple Web pages
>and many of the Military Freqs. listed are not useable on this unit. Also
>will this unit receive regular air bands for commercial airlines? The
>manual lists 960.000 - 1000.000 as Auronautical but these are outside the
>range of the scanner.

The mil freq range you are looking for is 225.-400.mhz AM which the
current trunktrackers do not receive, You might also find coms in the
138.-144.mhz AM range, but I don't know if it get's that either..

>I enjoy listening to Police calls but, with Va.. Beach having the lowest
>crime rate in the US per Capita for 4 years running it can get kind of
>boring sometimes.....:)

>The Mil. Freqs. are what I am really after.

Another scanner is in order here! I use a PRO-2006, a PRO-60 and a
PRO-43 for uhf mil air, these are the only one's I know that receive
that range, I'm sure there are more. I would actually like to know of
others capable of this freq range..so if anyone knows post the info!
Another alternative is a cheap shortwave receiver, I just got one and
it's awesome, tons of mil coms to be had!

31. FS: Relm HS200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Rollman <DanR@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <35C34CE4.506B1966@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 149973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Relm HS200 200-channel handheld with build in CTCSS. Includes scanner, manual, charger, box, antenna. All in like new condition. Asking $165 including shipping. E-mail danr@azstarnet.com if interested.

Dan

32. Re: Scanner newbie needs signal mode help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <O0yqrAXv9GA.194@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149974

ttp328@bellsouth.net (T.Phillips) wrote:
> ... how to determine whether I use AM, NFM,WFM with the freq.

AM Citizens Band 26.965 - 27.405
Aero 118.000 - 136.975
Military Aero 225 - 328 & 335 - 400

Wide FM TV audio 54-72, 76-88, 174-216 & 470-806
FM broadcast 88-108
Multi Addr. Syst 928-929 & 952-960 (when used for Muzak)
Broadcast Aux. 944-952

All other listenable scanner frequencies will be narrow FM.
. /* barry /&

33. Re: Who makes scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <u5PfoKXv9GA.135@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149975

wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:
> Here are the various models that are listed for Radio Shack:
> UNKNOWN MAKES (16) : Pro- ... 26* ...

The circuit board for the xtal PRO-26 is marked GE85..., indicating it
was from GRE.
. /* barry /&

34. Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Burke <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <6pvn16$g9h$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149976

Whats it worth?I have a Pro 43 complete with mods already done.Has box
,manual,cube charger,extra antenna,all is in mint condition.....

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Thanks
n1rsp@qsl.net
ICQ#423512
Tel.978-281-3359

35. Re: Pro-90 and Air/Mil. Freqs. in Norfolk/Va, Beach area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6pvnic$a9v@netaxs.com>
Source record: 149977
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hope you don't mind my emailing.

The only radio so far I have found that supports TrunkTracking "and" the freqs. you mention (225.-400) is the Uniden BC895XLT. Have spent most the morning looking into this and so far this is the only one. You can also find more info here. I had hoped to stay with the Handheld unit but have not been able to find one that does both.
I had considered the option of more than one scanner. But having just purchased the Pro-90 if the combined price of the other with the Mil. Air Freqs would push it much over the BC895 I may just return it and go with the base unit. I have checked to see if the local RS had any handhelds of this nature in stock and they do not. I used to have a Pro60 and could kick myself for letting it go now.

Anyways, being new to this if you could give your impressions on the BC895XLT from the site I listed above or on the RS Pro-2042 it would be appreciated. The 2042 does not have Trunktracking but it is available for $239. The 895XLT has Trunktracking and Mil. Freqs. and also an RS-232 port for the PC. but not able to find locally to check out.

TIA
Bryan

Jack wrote in message <35c84746.159790460@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
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>
>>Just purchased a Pro-90 and am beginning to question if it has all the
>>freqs. I need. It is of course a TrunkTracker which I needed as all the
>>local Services are on a Trunked System. However, being surrounded by
>>military bases I was hoping to also be able to monitor some of these
>>frequencies. (Mainly the USN Aircraft bands and any freqs that may be used
>>on the USN ships that move in and out of port all the time. Does anyone
>>know what freq. range these would be in. I have found a couple Web pages
>>and many of the Military Freqs. listed are not useable on this unit. Also
>>will this unit receive regular air bands for commercial airlines? The
>>manual lists 960.000 - 1000.000 as Auronautical but these are outside the
>>range of the scanner.
>
>
>The mil freq range you are looking for is 225.-400.mhz AM which the
>current trunktrackers do not receive, You might also find coms in the
>138.-144.mhz AM range, but I don't know if it get's that either..
>

>>I enjoy listening to Police calls but, with Va.. Beach having the lowest
>>crime rate in the US per Capita for 4 years running it can get kind of
>>boring sometimes.....:)
>
>>The Mil. Freqs. are what I am really after.
>
>Another scanner is in order here! I use a PRO-2006, a PRO-60 and a
>PRO-43 for uhf mil air, these are the only one's I know that receive
>that range, I'm sure there are more. I would actually like to know of
>others capable of this freq range..so if anyone knows post the info!
>Another alternative is a cheap shortwave receiver, I just got one and
>it's awesome, tons of mil coms to be had!
>

36. Re: WiNRADiO - unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tracey-Levin." <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35C361F3.2269@swbell.net>
Source record: 149978

Brad Cuppy wrote:
>
> I agree about the statement of giving more fuel to
> the anti-scanner people. Also, in the suppposed
> "Land fo the Free", why in the hell are certain radios
> illegal ? These kind of laws are like Nazi Germany and
> the old USSR and shouldn't be on the US Law books.
>
> This crap by people like Macky in Congress and Thomas
> Wheeler in the CTIA is stupid and deserves to be
> stopped. Remember, it was Wheeler that said that
> scanners should be banned since they have no purpose
> in society.
>
> Just my few dollars worth.
>
> Brad

Brad, thanks for the comments, but if you dont tell this to your two senate members and your one house member, you will just be blowing in the wind.
Heres the rule: GOVERNMENT ALWAYS SEEKS TO FIND WAYS TO CONTROL YOU MORE WITH EACH PASSING DAY. UNLESS CONSTITUTIONAL LIMITS ARE FORCED ON THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, ALL FREEDOM and LIBERTY WILL BE SLOWLY REMOVED.

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The Past: Man oppressed by government.

The Present: America-a wonderful country where man controls his government.

The Future: Man oppressed by government.

Liberalism Loves Government, Not Liberty!

37. Re: cb freq scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <582-35C3543D-49@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149979

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you could go to a hamfest and find a
icom r1 handheld it's no longer made
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38. Re: Computer controlled scanner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-HEoILzdNflOM@localhost>
Source record: 149980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jack,

Can the Opto computer interface cards like the OS535 do the same thing as the PROgramit board? I'm still trying to differentiate the capabilities of each.

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

39. Re: WiNRADiO - unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080119052500.PAA11237@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149981

In article <35C361F3.2269@swbell.net>, "Tracey-Levin." <tracey12@swbell.net>
writes:

>The Present: America-a wonderful country where man controls his
>government.

You're about 40 years too late.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

40. Re: Computer controlled scanner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980801190719000.PAA11448@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149982

>From: chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)

>Can the Opto computer interface cards like the OS535 do the same thing
>as the PROgramit board? I'm still trying to differentiate the
>capabilities of each.

This topic has been covered pretty well in the past few days. Wiggie posted a thorough response that I'm sure a dejanews search will turn up.

Bottom line is the Opto cotnrols the scanner; the Programit programs the scanner. They are completely two different animals.

41. Re: Help with attic antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: levys@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35c35722.2090161@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149983

Hi, Steve.....I have used an attic-mounted Diamond discone connected to my Pro-2006 by about 25 feet of RS Rg-8 cable for many years now. It seems to work great...I'll answer your questions below.....

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 02:11:18 GMT, shirsh@bellsouth.net (Steve Hirsh) wrote:

>Any advice on the following would be appreciated:
>
>1.What kind of reception to be expected using an antenna in the attic?

The roof construction does not attenuate the signals very much at all. This is especially true if you have a wood shingle roof and no large areas of metal, such as aluminium siding, etc.

>
>2.Will this work well with a handheld scanner? (Yupiteru MVT-9000)

Sure...I hook up my BC-200 XLT to it sometimes and it works fine. A couple of things to keep in mind:

1. Handheld scanners seem to get overloaded by spurious signals(intermod, pager crap, etc.) more than desktop units. Triple-conversion rigs, like the old RS Pro-43, for example, do better with this configuration.

2. When I do use the 200-XLT on the attic antenna, I use a short jumper of Rg-58 cable to connect to the bnc on the radio. This is to lessen the chances that the thicker Rg-8 cable will torque and break the solder joint that connects the bnc to the radio's circuit board.
>
>3.Do I need to amplify the signal? (I will be using RG-6, approximately 30 ft.)

I wouldn't. Pre-amps usually cause more trouble than they are worth, especially in large metropolitan areas....overloads the radio's front end.

>
>4.Which antenna would you reccommend?

As I mentioned, I use the Diamond discone, but I probably would have opted for the less expensive (though not as well built) RS discone had it been available at the time. I have also heard many people have great success with the Scantenna or its new clone that is available at RS.

Hope that helps,

-Larry

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>
>I know these are very broad questions, but your expertise or any input
>would help.
>
>
>thanks,
>
>
>Steve

42. Re: how many scanners + SOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080119194800.PAA10609@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149984

I bet you do not have a SHINWA001 SCANNER FULL COVERAGE. THEY DONT MAKE THEM ANY MORE.

43. Re: Scanner vs. Shortwave in Emergencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dogbert@mindless.com
Message-ID: <35c26f45.333940@nntp.netgate.net>
Source record: 149985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 29 Jul 1998 16:09:20 GMT, catz@netrox.net (Catz) wrote:

>
>A general question.....
>
>What do you think is more valuable to have during an emergency
>(hurricane, civil unrest, riots, etc).....a scanner or a
>shortwave....and why? What can I monitor on one that I can't monitor
>on the other?
>
>Comments appreciated! Thank you...
>
>Catz

Neither, actually, if your intent is gathering information and not being part of an organized rescue operation. The scanner becomes useful if you're planning to actually assist in rescue operations (more on that later.)

The best thing to have under these sorts of cicumstances is a plain old AM/FM radio with lots of spare batteries. Unless a disaster is remarkably total (in which case, perhaps this whole discussion would be moot ;) at least some local AM stations would remain on the air with backup generators and will be transmitting crucial information on location of shelters, safety of water supplies, etc.

That's not to say that a good shortwave portable with AM/FM wouldn't be even better, as you could get news coverage even in the event that local coverage is completely knocked out, but the odds that BBC will have specific information of use to you is relatively low.

The scanner would be even less useful. Most of what you would hear on the scanner is specific details of specific rescue operations. What you won't hear is information of general interest, because the scanner bands aren't set up for broadcast use, and not enough people have scanners to make it an effective way to disseminate information.

ON THE OTHER HAND, if you're interested in being trained and ready to assist in rescue efforts or shelter setup, etc., a scanner would be very useful. Even more useful is to get a ham licence (which no longer requires Morse code and can be gotten with only a few hours of study) and a compact two-way transceiver, and attend ARES meetings in your area. With a two-way radio, you can do more than listen to rescue operations -- you can participate in them as well, and radio

back status. To do that, obviously, you need training in procedures so that everyone doesn't just jump on the air and talk at once. ARES runs practice "nets" where you can learn the procedures needed to pass information back and forth and co-ordinate activities, and best of all, the training is totally free. So if you're thinking of being a trained "para-rescue" sort of person, then definitely you need more than a receiver.
Just ask a local amateur ("ham") radio club, and they should be able to point you to a nearby ARES group. AFAIK, they are found all throughout the USA, and similar organizations of hams exist all around the world.

Just my $0.02

44. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samson <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>
Message-ID: <097e082b78415d88df1c1b43db7ce50a@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 149986

FUCK MACKEY!

Hes just a damn yankee who never got enough attention at home.
Ignore the cock sucker and he will, at first, put up quite a lot of
noise, but then soon, he will realize that no one gives a fuck.

You have to be determined to ignore his shit.
DO NOT ALLOW HIM TO BAIT YOU WITH IGNORANT ATTACKS OR COMMENTS!
SAY "FUCK OFF JOHN MACKEY...YOU YANKEE, MOTHER FUCKING, EMOTIONALLY
RETARDED, PRODUCT OF INCEST!"

45. Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6pvrou$rqk@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149987

I just bought a handheld and am interested in listening to air-ground com
when flying commercial (Delta).
What freqs are typically used when airborne? Any tips on scanning at
30,000+ feet?

Thanks

Rick

46. PRO-2006 Beep Delete

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980801202212200.QAA19949@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149988

Just bought a used 2006. Seem to remember awhile back a mod to delete the beep by cutting a grey color wire on the main board. Can anyone help?

Frank

47. Re: PRO-2006 Beep Delete

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080120325200.QAA18829@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149989

>From: fbals@aol.com (Fbals)
>Date: Sat, Aug 1, 1998 16:22 EDT
>Message-id: <1998080120221200.QAA19949@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>Just bought a used 2006. Seem to remember awhile back a mod to delete the
>beep
>by cutting a grey color wire on the main board. Can anyone help?

Got all of the following 2006 mods from AOL's scanning forum library... You should take a look there some time.

From: rats@ihlpm.UUCP

PRO-2006 Modifications

NOTE: The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 makes it unlawful to monitor mobile telephones, including cellular. The following modification is intended only to restore continuous 760-1300 MHz coverage as originally provided by the design of the PRO-2006 microprocessor.

BE SURE TO TEST YOUR PRO-2006 FULLY BEFORE ATTEMPTING THIS MODIFICATION. ANY MODIFICATION MAY VOID YOUR WARRENTY.

824-851, 869-896 MHz Frequency Restoration

Tools Required: small Phillips screwdriver, small wire cutters.

Procedure: With the power cord unplugged, remove the two rear cabinet screws holding the upper cover. Lift off the upper cover, being careful not to stretch the speaker leads. Examine the inner, right-hand-corner of the front panel to find two glass diodes, labelled D503 (upper diode) and D502 (lower diode).

Using the clippers, very carefully snip the visible lead of the lower diode (D502) at its bend and slightly separate the cut ends. If it is ever necessary to send the radio back for warrenty repair, the diode leads should be carefully resoldered.

Reassemble, plug in AC cord, turn on scanner, and press RESET.

Keyboard Beep Delete

With the top cover removed as described above, locate connector CN3, a 15-pin connector with colored wires at the front of the main circuit board. There are two precedures which will stop the beep tone from being heard through the speaker; read both to decide which procedure you want to follow.

(1) Find the center grey wire coming from CN3 and cut it midway to
disable the beep tone. You may wish to solder a resistor in series
to reduce the beep volume, a trimpot to vary the volume of the beep
tone, or a minature switch to choose between beep and no beep.

(or)

(2) Using a pair of needle-nose pliers, CAREFULLY pry the plug from CN3,
revealing a row of pins. Locate the center pin (#8) which corresponds
to the grey wire and bend it down flat, disabling the beep circuit.
Reinsert the plug. The pin may be erected again later to restore the
beep tone if desired.

This completes the restoration procedure. Reattach the cover and replace
the screws.

WARRANTY REPAIR

Should it be necessary during the first year of ownership of your new
PRO-2006 to exercise your warrenty, it should be carefully double-boxed
(as you received it) and returned to Grove Enterprises. Be sure to
include a copy of the original bill to establish warranty
privileges.

You must prepay only shipping and insurance; return shipping and
insurance to you will be paid by the dealer.

Grove Enterprises, P.O. Box 98, 140 Dogbranch Road
Brasstown, NC; 1-704-837-9200
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pas@jupitercmc.ca (Peter Stokes)
Date: Tue, 27 Oct 1992 18:38:46 GMT
Reply-To: pas@jupiter.ic.cmc.ca
Sender: usenet@venus.ic.cmc.ca (News Administrator)

nguyen@aladdin.eng.hou.compaq.com (Nghia Nguyen) writes:
|>
|> Has anyone tried the Scanning Speed Mod on the PRO-2006.
|> Any side-effect? A guy from Marymac told me the mod
|> increases scanning speed significantly.
|> nvn

There are two diodes behind the "3" key on the keypad.
Clipping one restores cellular, clipping the other
increases scan speed by about 13%. I did this to my
Pro-2006 after the warranty expired and did indeed measure
a 13% scan and search speed increase. I don't think
this has had any adverse effects on the radio although
its theoretically possible that the increased scan speed
might cause the radio to miss some carriers - but this
is purly speculation on my part.

Cheers,
Peter

Peter A. Stokes ~~~~~~~~ pas@jupiter.ic.cmc.ca ~~~~~~~ (613) 545-2923 ~~~~~
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From: thieleke@icaen.uiowa.edu (Jeffrey Ray Thieleke)
Date: Wed, 28 Oct 1992 01:23:09 GMT

horak@convex.com (David Horak) writes:

>pas@jupitercmc.ca (Peter Stokes) writes:

>>There are two diodes behind the "3" key on the keypad.
>>Clipping one restores cellular, clipping the other
>>increases scan speed by about 13%. I did this to my

>What about the crystal mod. The Pro-2004 and Pro-2005 could be revved up
>with a faster crystal. According to the Scanner Mod Handbook #2 (by Bill
>Cheek), it is theoretically possible to increase the Pro-2006 in the same
>manner, although he warns that he hasn't personally tried it. Since it
>already scans *much* faster than the 2004/5 (Hyperscan) with a 12 MHz
>crystal, he cautions that it may or may not work. HAS ANYONE TRIED A
>CRYSTAL FASTER THAN 12 MHZ IN THE PRO-2006?

Yes, I have done the Crystal mod. I used a 16.630 MHz crystal from an old
cordless phone (no bull), and I got a big speed increase (approx. 46 channels
per second). I tried several different crystals, ranging from 16MHz to 39MHz,
and my results seem to indicate that the highest crystal freq. should be about
18 MHz. If the crystal is too fast, the 2006 just uses the 3rd harmonic (ie
a 39MHz crystal operates like a 13Mhz.)

From: ross@novax.llnl.gov

>>The Scanner Mod Handbook #2 says to replace the 12 MHz crystal with something
>>faster; however, the author, Bill Cheek, says he hasn't actually tried it. I
>>haven't either, although I'd be interested in knowing if it is a successful
>>mod.
>

Well gang, right after I got my Mod handbook 2, I tore into my 2006. At first
I
tried a 20 MHz xtal, the processor locked up and not all the LCD display
segments were happy (I had already done the diode clip speed mod). So I tried
an 18 MHz xtal, same problems. I contacted Cheek (the author) and he reported
that 16 MHz was the safe upper limit as he had seen no lockups at that speed
and higher speeds had produced lockups on SOME units.

So I changed xtals again. The 16 MHz runs fine without any loss of sensitivity
and I find enough delay left to still be able to use it (a faster
microprocessor xtal shortens delay time).

My favorite 2006 mod is a wired remote control (Monitoring Times Aug 91 - Bill
Cheek). I added a few extra parts and can control the following functions from
a six foot detachable cord: Scan, Manual, Search up, and Search down. Searching
is a snap when you can't reach the keyboard or it is dark.
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Gary

From: IN%"horak@eugene.convex.com" 7-NOV-1992 11:49:43.95
From: horak@eugene.convex.com (David Horak)
Subject: RE: PRO-2006 Scanning Speed Mod.

Well, I changed the crystal in my Pro34, which is the same type of crystal and harder to get to than the 2006; however, I haven't changed the 2006 crystal yet. Some of the following instructions come from the Scanner Mod Handbook Vol. 2 on removing the logic board. Please read it all before doing anything. If you royally screw up your scanner, IT IS NOT MY FAULT!!!!!

Before you start anything, make sure you are at a static safe workstation. Unplug the A/C power cord. Remove the top and bottom covers. Remove the 4 countersunk machine screws from thesides of the front panel, then gently pull the panel away from the main chassis. All wires and cables will have to be disconnected from the top and bottom of the logic board (the board that the crystal is on). This will cause your memory channels to be lost and you will have to reprogram them :-((If you can work around it, you could leave CN-3, a 15 wire connector, connected to save your memories). At this point you may have to desolder a ground wire from the chasses going to the bottom of the logic board metal shield. Next, remove 6 small screws that secure the logic board to the front panel. Then, face the inside of the front panel placed in an upright position and locate the white 13-pin connector (CN-501) at the upper left corner of the board. This connector doesn't have any wires, just metal pins going into it. Gently pry this connector apart with a small flat blade screwdriver and the board should slip away from the plastic front panel and come loose in your hand. Also, you may need to remove the volume and squelch knobs. Desolder the metal shield at six places around the logic board and lift it up and off the board. This is fairly easy to do with a low wattage soldering iron. Apply pressure with your fingers while the shield is heated at each leg. As the solder melts, that leg of the shield will slip upward and pop free. Now there are two choices. If you have an air sucking soldering iron, you can procede to desolder each of the three leads. If you have a normal iron, this will be impossible. The remaining choice is to crush the crystal with a pair of needle-nose pliars until only three leads remain sticking up off the board. Then you can heat and remove each of the three leads. The center lead is ground. You will only use the outer two leads when installing the new crystal. It would be a good idea to insulate the body of the crystal with shrink tubing (whatever you do, don't use electrical tape!) to avoid it shorting out to another component. The crystal will have to be bent over so that the metal shield can fit back on top of the logic board. Before you completely hook everything back together, get the scanner in a usable state and make sure it works. It would be a real bummer to tear it all apart because something is wrong.

Hope this helps,

David

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alt.radio.scanner
Subject: Pro2005/6 SSB MOD HERE!
From: horak@convex.com (David Horak)
Date: Mon, 31 May 1993 18:04:59 GMT

I had a few requests for this mod so I thought everyone would benefit...

This is the mod for adding SSB capability to your Pro2005/2006. It is taken in part from Bill Cheek's Scanner Mod Handbook Volume 1. As long as you have a shortwave receiver with an external antenna jack and capability to tune to 455 KHz, you can interface it to the Pro2006 with this mod. It is best if you use a static safe work environment to perform this mod and you should have some technical knowledge. Also, a schematic would be helpful but is not necessary.

You will need the following parts:

Output jack (I use a 1/8 mini earphone jack but some like a BNC. The 1/8 mono jack is easier to install because you don't have to drill as big a hole in the back of the unit)

.01 uF capacitor

5 Kohm resistor (1/4 watt)

6 inches of mini coax or other shielded cable

A cable to run from the 2006 to your shortwave. I use the shielded cable that has the 1/8 plug on one end and a phono plug on the other end (1992 catalog Radio Shack P/N 42-2444 works for me). The phono plug is perfect for the antenna input of my DX440 shortwave receiver.

The first step is to remove the cover of the unit and drill a hole in the back of the 2006 for your 1/8 or BNC plug. (You will want to wrap some tape around the drill bit about an inch from the end to keep it from cruising right on into the electronics once it punches through the metal!) Solder the 5K resister to one end of the .01 uF cap. Solder the other end of the cap to the shielded coax wire. Solder the other end of the coax to your 1/8 phono plug (or BNC) and ground the cable at this end. Now that the cable is in place you are ready to connect it to the 455 KHz source which is D33. It is on the top circuit board near the middle left, not too far from a huge capacitor. Solder the end of the resistor to the cathode of D33. (This should be the top of the standup part) Now you can test it out before you put the cover back on to make sure you did everything correct. You should be able to tune to some local airport or CB frequency on your 2006 and receive the same thing on your shortwave (with it tuned to 455 KHz and hooked up to the 2006 of course). If you tune something on your scanner that is SSB, you should be able to switch your shortwave to SSB and tune in the signal just fine. Beware of one thing, since the 2005/6 only tunes in 5 KHz increments minimum, you may notice from time to time that the

signal on your shortwave isn't real clear. It may be that you will need to tune the shortwave anywhere from 451 to 459 KHz to tune in the signal well!

If you don't succeed or this description has you baffled you probably shouldn't be doing the mod in the first place. I assume no responsibility for screwups. Good luck

David

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48. Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew H. Fogle" <foglem@cec2.aps.edu>
Message-ID: <35C37382.40406601@cec2.aps.edu>
Source record: 149990

Hi; I don't know if this is a old topic but I found that in my area I
get a lot of what appear to be cordless phones in the 450-470mHz range;
does anyone know what these are? My only guess was I am receiving a half
wave of the 900mHz phones. If anyone knows please email... Thanks,
-Matt
foglem@cec2.aps.edu

49. Re: MACKY IS SMART, having one of his buddies mail bombing.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35c37039.2677209@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 149991

On Thu, 30 Jul 1998 21:16:07 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

<snip>
>
>You must be STUPID! Just because my PO Box is in Beaverton! HOW THE
>HELL COULD I LIVE IN A PO BOX?

Well, you *are* a mental midget. Heh, Heh, Heh!

--

George "Hollywood" Vetterle
geovet@thevision.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

50. PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-0RCGS14kYJEf@localhost>
Source record: 149992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Is there any difference at all between these two radios?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

51. Re: best antenna for yupi 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6q02gj$990@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 149993
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35C336DE.40EB5466@accessone.com>,
orwer <orwer@accessone.com> wrote:
>looking to upgrade from the stock 7100 antenna. interested in better
>reception using
>either an indoor antenna or a longer telescoping antenna. any
>sugesstions from yupi users.

For VHF-lo use the Radio Shack telescopic whip.

For best all-around try the Austin Condor - it's rather fat though.

Best compromise for all-around sensitivity and size: GRE all-band (Radio
Shack PRO-34 [THIRTY FOUR] replacement stock antenna).

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Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

52. Re: MacKay vs Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C389F9.5FE1@parg.org>
Source record: 149994

copper@bis.on.ca wrote:
> Really i dont give a shit about the childish antics that occurr on
> this newsgroup but I can honestly say that Bill Cheek has always been

Do you think a childish antic like your Bill Cheek ass-kissing will
help?

53. OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38AF5.7718@parg.org>
Source record: 149995

OK, so WHERE is the admission of wrong doing you
claim was in your post?

54. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38B71.2E2F@parg.org>
Source record: 149996

K4CC wrote:
> <drumming fingers on desk> Still waiting.
> That offer was posted on July 26. It's now
> August 1. STILL no post. I guess laughing

You didn't say WHEN you wanted it!

I'll get it in the next few days. The hard drive that the
info is on is currently down, so I gotta get the computer running
first.

hang it there!

55. Re: BAN CHEEK/MACKEY FROM NG's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38C96.1A61@parg.org>
Source record: 149997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

scantech@concentric.net wrote:

> Newbie wrote:
> > Iff we could get cheeks off here that would solve the problem. Look
> > at how much better the scanning mail list is after they
> > kicked cheek off!
>
> Yeah right Glen, what ever you say

I don't think Glen wrote that. He has NEVER been afraid to use his real ID when addressing Cheek about his problems, so I doubt he would now.

Besides, the point made by "Newbie" is correct regardless of the author! Once the mialing list got Bill moved off, the situation there improved greatly & their problems were solved. The same would be true for this NG.

Fact is fact, & the recent events only serve as "proof positive".

56. Re: BC235XLT "ATT" Button???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-F25213QWkei9@localhost>
Source record: 149998

Mike,

• heavy pager intermod.

Can you record a small segment of this and send it to me in *.WAV format?

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

57. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38DF9.4A5B@parg.org>
Source record: 149999

Tom Jones wrote:

> Bill Cheek's quals are SELF-EVIDENT. I doubt there is but one person on the
> planet who would dispute the contributions he has made.

Except for half the people on this NG & the 700 on the scanning mail
list
that just kicked him off!

The only "quals" he has that are self evident is his lying & trouble
making.

> His is a lifetime
> body of work that speaks volumes of and about his qualifications.

Yea, he got kicked off Fido, he got kicked off the scanning mail list,
he doesn't have a FCC license, he is NOT a member of Mensa as he
claimed, he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power
wires in Colorado. By GOD you're right, his "lifetime body of
work" DOES speak volumes of his qualifications & abilities and lack
thereof!

58. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38E60.21EF@parg.org>
Source record: 150000

K4CC wrote:
> By the way, since you didn't ask, my GROL
> number is PG-18-8909.

I didn't ask because I don't care!

I have NO interest in you or Kendrick's resume. I doubt anyone
else on this NG does either!

59. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38F16.551F@parg.org>
Source record: 150001

John T. Arthur wrote:

> I didn't ask for Bill's info... I asked for YOURS. And you offered to post
> the information!

Yes, & the members of this NG have been asking for Bill's for
2 years or more!

I offered to post after Bill does & no sooner!

> I guess we know who the liar is...

You, John T. Arthor, need only look in the mirror to find out
who is lying!

60. Re: A Proposal [Repost]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C38FB3.7C7A@parg.org>
Source record: 150002

crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote:
SNIP
> Even a truce wouldn't mean a complete halt to flaming, but it sure
> would make traffic here more interesting.
>
> So, John Mackey, what do you say -- if Bill Cheek reposts the truce
> terms again, would you be willing to accept them, or at least give
> them a try?

Certainly!

If Bill will accept the ONE condition of truce I have, I will accept the
4 he has!

IT's a bargain for him!

61. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3907E.3795@parg.org>
Source record: 150003

crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Let's not be too superficial and glib about this. Cheek's terms, as
> I remember, had to do with the two of you. What you added limited Cheel
> interactions with EVERYBODY, if I remember correctly. As if Kosovo and
> Serbia had a truce where Kosovo would no longer attack Serbia, but
> Serbia couldn't defend itself against any other country either.

Yes so I created a loop-hole in the agreement for Bill so he could
defend himself but not start new flames. He still declined.

Obviously, Bill's constant refusal to stop flaming demonstrates
his true intentions.

62. Re: John's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980801220913O1.SAA29923@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150004

John "If You're Not Cheek, I'm Not Interested In You" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I have NO interest in you or Kendrick's resume. I doubt anyone
>else on this NG does either!

I wasn't aware that you represented anyone
else on this newsgroup. What are their names?

63. Re: John's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080122091500.SAA29931@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150005

John "I'm So Jealous Of Bill Cheek I Could Just Die" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Except for half the people on this NG

Really? Funny, I somehow missed the survey
you must have conducted to arrive at this conclusion.
You did conduct a survey, didn't you? You surely
wouldn't just pick a number out of the air, would you?

64. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980801220916O1.SAA02543@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150006

John "Er, Uh, My Hard Drive's Down, Yeah, That's It!" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I'll get it in the next few days. The hard drive that the
>info is on is currently down, so I gotta get the computer running
>first.

I'm sure you'll understand if I don't
hold my breath while I'm waiting.

65. Re: MACKY IS SMART, having one of his buddies mail bombing.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3924B.56F3@parg.org>
Source record: 150007

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> You have known there was not any warrant out for Bill and that the
> accusations you and obfd made were false.

The only accusation I made was that without verifiable proof we
should ignore the statement of Bill Cheek molesting children. Are
you now saying I was wrong to say that?

Regarding statements of "obfd", you need to talk to him about those.

> As the post you made back to Jack Anderson below, and that is fact and
> proof that what you are doing is nothing more then a personal vendetta,
> you and the great obfd made up the story about the warrant to make
> others turn against Bill from your accusations.

So WHERE was the "proof" you refer to?

66. What the heck?!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Halket <halket@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <35C3922F.902DB347@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 150008

I recently did a search for my name on the newsgroup (good to do this every once in a while) and was VERY surprised to find that one of the messages on this newsgroup was posted by "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" claiming that ".. Steve Halket and I are good friends, and I told him about this.." <SNIPPED THE REST>

This was in regard to a number of posts by this idiot kid, who picks newsgroups at random, then posts stupid SH*T to them... just to get a response.

BE ASSURED!!! At no time did I, or do I, call this IDIOT a friend, much less a good friend. In fact, after receiving NUMEROUS emails from this idiot advising that he was going to "tell my ISP". I emailed his father to let him know what a BRAT he has. His father apologized, said that Ryan was a little 'spoiled' and he would pay closer attention to what Ryan did on the computer.

Looks like he has now decided to use your newsgroup as his playground. Not only is a pathetic little pimple on the ass of society, he is a liar!!!

No skin off, but I AM DAMNED PISSED THAT HE USED MY NAME and CLAIMED me as his friend!@!!!! MUST TRULY BE LONELY!!!!

67. **** Freqs for Halifax, NS ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Bishop <michelb@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <902010467.604329@caffreys>
Source record: 150009

I'm a serviceman who has been recently posted to Halifax, NS and would like it if someone could sent along some freqs for this city.

reply to lupis@softhome.net

68. Re: MACKY IS SMART, having one of his buddies mail bombing.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C39792.58A2@juno.com>
Source record: 150010

The proof is below mackey in one of your own post you that you wish to ignore.
You go find your buddy and fellow liar obfd , that way you both can have tell the same lie about the warrant.

Your a liar pure and simple and there is no way you can dance around that fact.

You can keep cutting and pasting all you want to change the content of the postings to suit your needs and lies.
But there is one thing you keep forgetting, the original posts are still available which proves you are a liar.

Subject: Re: John Mackey admits wrongdoing!
From: Jack Anderson <jander@home.com>
Date: 1998/04/07
Message-ID: <3529EAD0.11643E9E@home.com>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.ham
[More Headers]
[Subscribe to rec.radio.scanner]

:-)

-=KA0SSF=- wrote:
>
> Hey Jack, I posted & you replied all before monday morning (during the
> weekend). How did you do the check for this, or are you lying?
>
>
> Jack Anderson wrote:
> > John, The warrants for arrest are put out by the Marshals and there is
> > not one for Mr. Cheek in the system.

69. Re: Computer Controlled 1000 channel trunked scanner??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6q050r$qbu@netaxs.com>
Source record: 150011

I was not aware the Pro-2042 was a Trunk Tracker. Am I correct that with
the added components you have listed it will have Trnk Tracking
capabilities.
I ask because my new Pro-90 does not have Mil. Air Freqs. and have been
considering picking up a Pro-2043 at my local RS.
By the way the price here is $249

Bryan

Mark Chin wrote in message <35c2cf2d.8392384@news.flash.net>...
>Dear Radio Heads;
>
>I'm looking for a 1000 channel computer controlled trunked scanner.
>Does this product exist? I was looking at something like this:
>Radio Shack Pro-2042 --$400
>OS535 computer interface--$200
>OptoTrakker --$300
>-----------------------------------
>Total --$900
>
>That's kind of pricey if you ask me! I'm looking for something like
>the Bearcat 90005XLT but with a computer interface and trunking
>ability. Can anyone help me here?
>
>

70. Re: best antenna for yupi 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c99b51.181308497@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150012
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 1 Aug 1998 21:49:07 GMT, schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com (Mike "NO UCE"
Schuster) wrote:

>Best compromise for all-around sensitivity and size: GRE all-band (Radio
>Shack PRO-34 [THIRTY FOUR] replacement stock antenna).

I have two of these and they are lame! I much prefer the one from a
PRO-60!

71. Re: Pro-90 and Air/Mil. Freqs. in Norfolk/Va, Beach area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ca9c17.181506648@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150013
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 14:40:55 -0400, "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
wrote:

>Hope you don't mind my emailing.
>
>The only radio so far I have found that supports TrunkTracking "and" the
>freqs. you mention (225.-400) is the Uniden BC895XLT. Have spent most the
>morning looking into this and so far this is the only one. You can also
>find more info here. I had hoped to stay with the Handheld unit but have
>not been able to find one that does both.

Wow, I didn't realize the 895xlt covered 225-400! They are offered at
www.uniden.com refurbished, like new for $200. They also feature a
serial port to control it from a pc..damn good deal I guess!

>I had considered the option of more than one scanner. But having just
>purchased the Pro-90 if the combined price of the other with the Mil. Air
>Freqs would push it much over the BC895 I may just return it and go with the
>base unit. I have checked to see if the local RS had any handhelds of this
>nature in stock and they do not. I used to have a Pro60 and could kick
>myself for letting it go now.

The PRO-60's are on clearance now for $79 if you can find one, I just
got one a few weeks ago!

>Anyways, being new to this if you could give your impressions on the
>BC895XLT from the site I listed above or on the RS Pro-2042 it would be
>appreciated. The 2042 does not have Trunktracking but it is available for
>$239. The 895XLT has Trunktracking and Mil. Freqs. and also an RS-232 port
>for the PC. but not able to find locally to check out.

The BC895XLT is an awesome scanner! I'm sure that you will find
nothing but happy users of it on here! There are a lot of suppliers of
these radios on the web, don't have a url for you but a web search
should turn up dozens.

>Jack wrote in message <35c84746.159790460@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>>On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 11:44:54 -0400, "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>Just purchased a Pro-90 and am beginning to question if it has all the
>>>freqs. I need. It is of course a TrunkTracker which I needed as all the
>>>local Services are on a Trunked System. However, being surrounded by
>>>military bases I was hoping to also be able to monitor some of these
>>>frequencies. (Mainly the USN Aircraft bands and any freqs that may be used

>>>on the USN ships that move in and out of port all the time. Does anyone
>>>know what freq. range these would be in. I have found a couple Web pages
>>>and many of the Military Freqs. listed are not useable on this unit. Also
>>>will this unit receive regular air bands for commercial airlines? The
>>>manual lists 960.000 - 1000.000 as Auronautical but these are outside the
>>>range of the scanner.
>>
>>
>>The mil freq range you are looking for is 225.-400.mhz AM which the
>>current trunktrackers do not receive, You might also find coms in the
>>138.-144.mhz AM range, but I don't know if it get's that either..
>>
>>>I enjoy listening to Police calls but, with Va.. Beach having the lowest
>>>crime rate in the US per Capita for 4 years running it can get kind of
>>>boring sometimes.....:)
>>
>>>The Mil. Freqs. are what I am really after.
>>
>>Another scanner is in order here! I use a PRO-2006, a PRO-60 and a
>>PRO-43 for uhf mil air, these are the only one's I know that receive
>>that range, I'm sure there are more. I would actually like to know of
>>others capable of this freq range..so if anyone knows post the info!
>>Another alternative is a cheap shortwave receiver, I just got one and
>>it's awesome, tons of mil coms to be had!
>>
>

72. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C39D04.10A5@juno.com>
Source record: 150014

If you read the post it is right there in front of you , your reply to
Jack Anderson when he told you there wasn't any warrants out for Bill.

You just don't want others to know the truth , that there is no warrant
now out for Bill and there never was a warrant out for Bill.

mackey you made the whole story up about the warrant and got obfd to
back you up, but your scheme failed when proof did come out and showed
there was no warrant you chose to ignore it and continue the attacks.

Now your trying to shift all the blame to obfd who is not on here to
defend himself against your lies that he was the one who made it up.
Well you can go ahead and try that and no one on here is going to
believe your lies.

You have been caught in another lie and this time you cannot lie
yourself out of it or not take responsibility for it.

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Date: 1998/04/07
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-=KA0SSF=- wrote:
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> Hey Jack, I posted & you replied all before monday morning (during the
> weekend). How did you do the check for this, or are you lying?
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> Jack Anderson wrote:
> > John, The warrants for arrest are put out by the Marshals and there is
> > not one for Mr. Cheek in the system.

73. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C39ED5.2B09@juno.com>
Source record: 150015

I have another excuse mackeyKA0SSF wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
> > <drumming fingers on desk> Still waiting.
> > That offer was posted on July 26. It's now
> > August 1. STILL no post. I guess laughing
>
> You didn't say WHEN you wanted it!
>
> I'll get it in the next few days. The hard drive that the
> info is on is currently down, so I gotta get the computer running
> first.
>
> hang it there!

Dave don't hold your breath waiting for his proof , he is constantly saying he has proof about things and when asked to show it, he comes up with an excuse for why he cannot.

Like the one I am waiting for the San Diego Court to sned the proof about the warrant.
Then there is the one where someone is going to go in person and get the proof of the warrant.

All mackshit does is lie, lie , lie.

74. Re: Car's Radio antenna for scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vvNoSpam@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <6q080idur1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 150016
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Try www.hro.net
That is Ham Radio Outlet. They stock Antenna Specialist line and have
decent prices.

Ken

Steve Biddle wrote in message <35c2898f.13937297@news.actrix.gen.nz>...
>On Wed, 29 Jul 1998 11:15:33 -0600, "Marty Manross" <manross@usa.net>
>wrote:
>
>>Hi Ron,
>>
>>I also use the Antenna Specialist splitter with great results. Here in
>the
>>Colorado Springs area we have everything from vhf up to 800-900 mhz comms.
>>I use to always run a Motorola whip but got a new car and didn't want any
>>holes it yet, this splitter filled the bill. Good luck
>
>Can somebody please port a URL or contact of a place that stocks
>these?
>
>
>
>--
>Steve Biddle
>
>aviate 'at' actrix.gen.nz

75. Re: Pro-90 and Air/Mil. Freqs. in Norfolk/Va, Beach area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080123132800.TAA07448@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150017

The only problem with using the BC895XLT for military air monitoring is that you can't manually select the receive mode. Many tactical and air-to-air comms are in the 138-144MHz range and 148-150MHz range in AM mode. The 895XLT automatically selects NFM mode in these ranges since they are technically Government Land Mobile bands.

Of course, if you have to have trunktracking too, then you're stuck.

John Ward

76. Re: Computer controlled scanner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cb9ef2.182237625@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 1 Aug 1998 18:57:49 GMT, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)
wrote:

>Jack,
>
>Can the Opto computer interface cards like the OS535 do the same thing
>as the PROgramit board? I'm still trying to differentiate the
>capabilities of each.

No, the programit interface actually programs the channels in the
scanners memory, where the opto board takes over control of the
scanner and software in the pc controls what gets scanned,
The combination of both would be awesome in a 2042!

77. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cca220.183052018@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150019

On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 15:52:25 -0400, "Rick Pemble"
<pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I just bought a handheld and am interested in listening to air-ground com
>when flying commercial (Delta).
>What freqs are typically used when airborne? Any tips on scanning at
>30,000+ feet?

Scan from 108.-136.mhz AM and check with Delta to see if you can bring
the scanner on the aircraft.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

78. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cda29f.183178489@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150020

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 21:50:46 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Yea, he got kicked off Fido, he got kicked off the scanning mail list,
>he doesn't have a FCC license, he is NOT a member of Mensa as he
>claimed, he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power
>wires in Colorado. By GOD you're right, his "lifetime body of
>work" DOES speak volumes of his qualifications & abilities and lack
>thereof!

Ever notice how mackey will post something like this only when Bill
has him filtered?

Looks like about 200 off topic Bill Cheek posts from john mackey, with
not even ONE from Bill, this week alone! Any reasonable person can see
that YOU john mackey are the source of 90% of the problems in this NG!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

79. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c39395.113760882@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150021

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 15:53:54 -0500, dmi853@juno.com wrote:

>I see you have changed your ID to crudhacker@my-dejanews.com
>
>What you need to do is change your isp.
>It is a dead give away.

What did it give away? Who is it?

>BellSouth.net Inc. (NETBLK-BELLSNET-BLK4)
> 1100 Ashwood Parkway
> Atlanta, GA 30338
>
> Netname: BELLSNET-BLK4
> Netblock: 209.214.0.0 - 209.215.255.255
> Maintainer: BELL
>
> Coordinator:
> Muir, Ronald (RM36-ARIN) ipadmin@BELLSOUTH.NET
> 770-522-6363

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

80. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c494d3.114078386@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150022

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 21:14:57 GMT, perryst@primo.com (Steve Perry)
wrote:

>x-no-aarchive: yes In article <35C230B2.2D7B@juno.com>, dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
>> Another one of mackeys teleport buddies.
>>
>> Hey Steve does this ring a bell, STEVE E PERRY
>> PO BOX 85306
>
>
>No. My middle name strarts with G and I dont have a PO box.
.

Were you a rock star in the 80's?

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

81. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6pu4ln$e1t$0@207.18.224.34>
Source record: 150023

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 18:23:34 GMT, perryst@primo.com (Steve Perry)
wrote:

>What was the cause of his removal from Fido-net?

Bill was not removed from FIDO.

82. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6pu4nn$e1t$1@207.18.224.34>
Source record: 150024

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Steve Perry wrote:
>> What was the cause of his removal from Fido-net?
>
>His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
>his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
>to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

John, this is another lie.

Would you care to provide your source of misinformation? Know,
though, that I will verify.

83. Q: Handheld antenna for best use at work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Costin <bcostin@clark.net>
Message-ID: <6pu444$gf5$1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 150025

I have a Radio Shack Pro-90 that I use at my desk at work. I've just switched offices over at work, going from a windowless upstairs office to a slightly-below-ground-level downstairs office with one tiny little window at the wrong end of the room. I have been using an RS 20-006 whip antenna to get decent reception of the local Carroll County, MD trunked system. My new office is nice, but the reception is pretty bad in comparison with the old one.

So, which antenna would do the best job in this situation? If I have to choose, then my main priority is the 800MHz trunked system, but it would be nice to receive the 39MHz state police channels too, so general coverage would be a plus. Complicating matters is the fact that I'm a computer technician, so I can often expect to have open systems nearby gushing RF interference--though I don't guess that there's much an antenna can do about that. :-)

Some looking around has turned up nice comments on the Austin Condor and the Max Systems "High Gain 800 MHz Portable Antenna". It seems that the Max Systems antenna is intended mostly for 800MHz reception while the Condor offers wider coverage. There's also an antenna from Diamond that seems to be popular with some folks. Rich Wells review page has been a big help, but he doesn't cover the Max Systems product.
(http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/rev_hant.htm)

Any recommendations or advice? Would another antenna (like a cellular antenna) work as a useful alternative? I'd also appreciate any pointers on good places to purchase these items; the only place I've ordered scanner stuff from is Grove (and I was happy with them.)

--

Bryan Costin.
Remove the *nospam* from my address to reply.
Visit my Nikon CP900, Kodak DC260 & DC210 digital camera pages:
http://linux-a.carroll.cc.md.us/~bcostin/digiphoto
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84. FS : TWO (2) YAESU FT-50 RD HT packages - SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35c285e3.47265928@news>
Source record: 150026
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

BOTH PACKAGES HAVE BEEN SOLD!

Thanks to all who replied..

Dan

I have the following Yaesu FT-50 RD dual band HT packages for sale.
Both radios are MINT and less then six months old. Both radios come
with box, manual, and stock accessories...

Package # 1 :

1- FT-50 RD dual band HT
2- FNB 41 5 watt batteries with OPTIONAL spring belt clip
1- FNB-40 2 1/2 watt battery with OPTIONAL spring belt clip
1- MH 34 speaker mike
1- COMET SMA 501 "miracle baby" antenna
1-MAHA MH-101 drop in charger
1- EDC6 DC adaptor
1-SMA to BNC adaptor
1-ADMS 1D software and cable package

Retail NEW for above is app. $670.00

Selling package for $350.00 shipped to 48, COD is $5.00 extra.

Package # 2 :

1- FT - 50 RD dual band HT
1-FNB 40 2 1/2 watt battery with OPTIONAL sprinf belt clip
1-FNB41 5 watt battery with stock belt clip
1-EDC5B cigarette lighter power cable
1-CT30 mike adaptor
1-SMA to BNC adaptor
1- ADMS 1D software and cable package

Retail NEW for above is app. $500.00

Selling package for $250.00 shipped to 48, COD is $5.00 extra

NO TRADES, I will not "mix and match" packages, and I wish to sell the
packages intact.

E-Mail if interested

Dan

85. FS : Icom IC-Q7A SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35c285b4.47219022@news>
Source record: 150027
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Icom IC-Q7a dual band mini transceiver for sale. This radio was purchased first week in July and has about 2 hrs use on it. Brand new, in box with accessories and manual. Will include original sales receipt. Yes, I was curious and just had to see and use one! Great size, great audio, but I have WAy too many radios to keep it....

$175.00 shipped to 48, COD is $5.00 extra

E-Mail if interested - NO TRADES

Dan

This item has been SOLD, thanks to all who replied!

Dan

86. Re: Dear MACKY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C2A3B9.13D@parg.org>
Source record: 150028

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> As usual mackey you go spouting off about somethiing you don't know
> anything about.

Really!!! Like what???

> The FCC did issue first and second class radio telephone licenses and if
> you took the radar test you got a radar endorsement with it.

Correct, I never said they didn't! Infact, I have said that ORIGINALLY
it was the 1st & 2nd class radiotelephone license which were both
later converted to the General radiotelephone. (Just for Trivia, there
was also a 3rd class radiotelephone which is no longer issued
& was not converted to anything) Regardless, the 1st, 2nd, or later
General radiotelephone always had a license number attached to them.
This
license number is what Bill can not produce, of couse he says
he had the 1st Class General Radiotelephone license has never been
a type of license the FCC has issued to anyone. I have NEVER
met someone who had their commercial license that didn't know
the correct name of the license.

> In the late 80's early 90's the FCC changed the license to a General
> Raido Telephone license.

Yes, in the 80's the FCC converted the 1st & 2nd class to general
& dropped the 3rd class.

87. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C2AF0A.5F06@parg.org>
Source record: 150029

Tom Jones wrote:

> certifications, as much as it was that a person who has ANY qualifications
> at all, will cheerfully provide them when asked. The only people who balk
> - repeatedly - at such opportunities are the fakes, frauds and liars.

I agree with the excellent point you make. It certainly displays
Bill's actions correctly as he REFUSES to give ANY of his
credentials when asked.

> Nobody's asked me,

This is also an excellent point you make!

88. Re: MACKY IS SMART, having one of his buddies mail bombing.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C2B0C4.5788@juno.com>
Source record: 150030

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> > If they
> > want to referesh your memory they can or you can do your own searching and
> > find the post.
>
> "THEY" better do it then because I am not going to do someone else's
> work.
>
> > And as for the warrant you know your guilty of that lie too and your just
> > trying to side step the issue by adding some more lies saying your only
> > defending Bill.
>
> I've always said there was NO PROOF to support the accusation so we
> should ignore the issue unless someone presents verifiable facts to
> support the accusation. Are you trying to say that it is a lie
> that without facts we should ignore the accusation?
>
I have been waiting for you to slip and finally make the above statement
instead of your dancing around like you have been for months when asked
about the warrant and whether there was any proof of it.

You have known there was not any warrant out for Bill and that the
accusations you and obfd made were false.
You have known this since April 6th of 1998 and yet continued bringing
up the accusations.

See you have so many lies going you forget the post that you make .

As the post you made back to Jack Anderson below, and that is fact and
proof that what you are doing is nothing more then a personal vendetta,
you and the great obfd made up the story about the warrant to make
others turn against Bill from your accusations.

Subject: Re: John Mackey admits wrongdoing!
From: Jack Anderson <jander@home.com>
Date: 1998/04/07
Message-ID: <3529EAD0.11643E9E@home.com>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.ham
[More Headers]
[Subscribe to rec.radio.scanner]

:-)

-=KA0SSF=- wrote:
>
> Hey Jack, I posted & you replied all before monday morning (during the
> weekend). How did you do the check for this, or are you lying?
>
>
> Jack Anderson wrote:
> > John, The warrants for arrest are put out by the Marshals and there is
> > not one for Mr. Cheek in the system.

>
> > Most of us on the newsgroup know how you feel about Bill and if you were to
> > see him drowning instead of throwing him a life preserver you would throw him
> > anchor so stop with
>
> I don't hate Bill or wish to see him harm. Your statement is incorrect.

Yeah right mackey and that is why you are keeping your crap up and
attacking Bill on the newsgroup because you like him and want to be
friends.

mackey you are nothing but a compulsive liar and will do anything to try
and ruin someones reputation for imagined wrongs done to you.

You need to stop your crap and slither away from whence you came and
leave the newsgroup alone.

89. Re: John 'Toilet Boy' Mackey, still a liar and a fraud

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C2AFF5.4E29@parg.org>
Source record: 150031

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> about having those degrees. You don't like it because I keep reminding
> you that you have nothing

You have proven yourself as a liar when you acknowledged my FCC
commercial license.

> If you can't stand
> a dose of the truth, get out of the newsgroup.

Excellent advice you give. When ever people hold Bill accountable
for his actions, you're in there trying to justify & minimize
his actions.

90. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C2B0AB.2BA5@parg.org>
Source record: 150032

Blake Bowers wrote:

> On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> >His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> >his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
> >to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

> John, this is another lie.
> Would you care to provide your source of misinformation? Know,
> though, that I will verify.

Obviously you ARE NOT sure if this is mis-information or you
wouldn't be asking for the other data.

Try contacting REC for that area at that time if you want more.

91. Re: Dear MACKY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C2B77E.69DE@juno.com>
Source record: 150033

You need to go back through your post liar mackey and refresh your memory.

92. FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@tiktok.cse.tek.com
Message-ID: <6puefb$lvl@tiktok.cse.tek.com>
Source record: 150034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.info

[last changed 09-Oct-97]

The latest version of this file can be accessed via my web page at:
http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc

FCC License Data Sources
Bill McFadden
billmc@agora.rdrop.com

Changes preceeded by "|". Please e-mail corrections and additions to me.

INTRODUCTION

This is a list of FCC license data sources available to scanner hobbyists. The FCC master contains a wealth of data about every non-government license in the United States (over three million records). Most of the sources listed contain a subset of this data, although a few contain all or nearly all of it. Government licenses are not administered by the FCC, and the data is not available to the public.

Also available are subscrition services from companies like ISI and CET. Since they charge by the minute, they are not really practical for the hobbyist and hence are not included in this list.

Prices are rounded to the nearest dollar and include shipping, if known.

C.E.T.

CET sells records of all stations inside a 30-mile radius for $80. (Major cities cost extra.) A 70-mile search costs $178. The data is provided on floppy disks and is available in ASCII columnar and comma-delimited formats.

CET does not provide data for licenses that do not contain specific geographic coordinates (i.e., mobile-only systems) or specific operating frequencies (e.g., amateur radio).

To do the search, CET requires the latitude and longitude of the center of the 30-mile radius. I calculated mine from a USGS topographic map I obtained at a local nautical supply store. Alternatively, you can obtain the coordinates for your town from the University of Michigan's geographic name server. Run "telnet 141.212.99.9 3000" and enter your zip code. For my area, the server returned the coordinates of the main post office.

CET can be reached at 800-445-0297.

CSP TECHNOLOGIES

CSP Technologies sells FCC data on CD-ROM. ScannerBase covers the entire US and comes with a database search program.

ScannerBase costs $34. CSP Technologies can be reached at 888-857-4240 (voice) or http://www.csp-tech.com/.

FCC

The database is also available from the FCC for free. It covers most services but not all. Sections can be downloaded, processed with a supplied Visual BASIC program, and viewed with Microsoft Access. The entire database is approximately 3 GB in size. See:

http://www.fcc.gov/oet/info/database/raeddf.html

GROVE

Grove sells FCC data on CD-ROM and floppy. The CD-ROM covers the entire US and is available with or without mapping support. The mapping version brings up a map with the requested station plotted on it. The regular version is $104, and the mapping version is $174.

Floppies are available by state for $44 per state (add $10 for CA, FL, TX). The disk comes with a database search program. Grove Enterprises can be reached at 800-438-8155 (voice) or http://www.grove.net/.

MICROFICHE

The Bearcat Radio Club sells the FCC master by state for $15. Bearcat Radio Club can be reached at P.O. Box 291918, Kettering OH, 45429.

PERCON

PerCon sells FCC data on CD-ROM. The Spectrum CD covers the entire US and comes with a simple database search program. Regional CDs cover subsets of the US but come with a more powerful database manager and provide more detail about each license. Also available is a Ham callsign and repeater database CD.

Spectrum costs $37, and the Ham and Repeater Database is $22. Regional CDs are $137 for the first CD, $102 each additional CD ($560 for the entire 6 CD set). Data is updated twice a year. PerCon can be reached at 716-386-6015 (voice), 716-386-6013 (fax), support@perconcorp.com, or http://www.perconcorp.com. The Spectrum database can be searched free of charge via Percon's WWW page.

POLICE CALL

This is probably the most cost-effective source of public service license information. The detail is limited, but the information that is there is often more useful than the FCC master. For example, an entry in Police Call that reads, "Portland Police, Net 3, North Precinct," reads, "Portland, City of" in the master. Police Call has been merged with its sister publication, Beyond Police Call, and now includes a limited

selection of business listings.

Police call is available in 9 volumes covering different regions of the US. It can be purchased at Radio Shack stores for $13 per volume.

| PRO DATA

| Pro Data is a database manager program for license data. It does not come
| with its own data but can import data from APF, Percon, ScanWare, and
| UFDBF database files.

| Pro Data costs $60. For more information, write to prodata1@gte.net, or
| visit http://home1.gte.net/prodata1/index.htm.

RADIOMAP SERVICE

Developed by long-time Usenet contributor Bob Parnass, this service provides a custom report of frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names for a specified area in any of the 50 states. Coverage areas of 4 to 256 square miles will be chosen by Bob depending on transmitter site density. Standard and deluxe reports are available. Both reports include a color plot with transmitter sites marked. The deluxe report adds a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area.

To create the report, Bob requires the latitude and longitude (or nearest street intersection) of the center location. Standard reports are $29.95, and deluxe reports are $34.95. Write to Bob Parnass at 2350 Douglas Rd, Oswego, IL, 60543, or call him at 630-554-3839 between 6-10 PM central time.

SCANWARE ASSOCIATES

ScanWare Associates has developed a PC-based database program called the FCC Frequency Retrieval System. FCC data for all states is available, covering all services and all frequencies. Current data is for first quarter, 1996.

Scanware has chosen to discontinue developing this software, but the good news is that the software and data are now FREE! It is being hosted by the West Virginia Educational Network. See:
http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/index.html

APPENDIX

Here is table of data fields in the FCC master. Fields provided by various products are indicated by "#" or the field length, if known.

PERCON PERCON POLICE SCAN
DESCRIPTION SIZE CET GROVE SPECTRUM REGION CALL WARE CSP
Frequency (or Lower Limit) 16 11 12 16 16 # 11 #
Upper Frequency Limit 16 16 11
Callsign 10 8 10 10 10 # 10 #

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Service Code 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
Licensee DBA Name 40 32 40 30 40 # 40 #
Licensee State 2 2 2 2 #
Licensee Zip 9 5 9 9 #
Licensee Address 35 30 35
Licensee City 20 15 12 20 20 #
Licensee Name 200 100
Applicant Phone 10 10
Transmitter Latitude 6 6 6 6 6 6 #
Transmitter Longitude 7 7 7 7 7 7 #
Transmitter Elevation 5 5 5 5 #
Transmitter Height 5 5 5 5
Transmitter HAAT 5 5 5
Transmitter Effective Height 5 5 5
TX Antenna Structure Height 5 5 5
Transmitter Address 80 80
Transmitter City 20 10 20 20 # 20 #
Transmitter County 30 10 20 20 30 30 #
Transmitter State 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
Class of Station 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
Type of Message Service 1 1
Area of Operation 1 1
Radius of Operation 4 4 4
Antenna Type 10 10
Antenna Elevation Angle 6 6
Antenna Azimuth 6 6
Antenna Polarization 3 3 3
Antenna Gain 4 4
Antenna Path Length 6 6
Antenna Beam Width 8 8
ERP Out 8 4 8 8
ERP Units 2 1 2
ERP Indicator 1 1
Power Out 8 4 8 8
Power Out Units 2 1 2
Power Out Indicator 1 1
Emissions 15 15 15
License Issue Date 6 6
License Expiration Date 6 4 6 #
Operation Begin Time 4 4
Operation End Time 4 4
Number of Vehicle Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
Number of Portable Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Aircraft Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Marine Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Pager Mobiles 5 4 5 5 5
Originating Database ID 1 1
Authorization Type 1 1
CP Authorization Number 2 2
Area of Operation Descript. 100 100
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Paint & Lighting Specs 33 33
Special Conditions 100 100
TX Latitude Direction 1 1
TX Longitude Direction 1 1
Type of Last Contact 1 1
Date of Last Contact 6 6
Number of Units 4 4
Reverse Azimuth 6
Path Connection Latitude 6
Path Connection Longitude 7

CP = Construction Permit, ERP = Effective Radiated Power,
HAAT = Height Above Average Terrain

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Bill McFadden Tektronix, Inc. P.O. Box 500 MS 50-350 Beaverton, OR 97077
bill.mcfadden@tek.com http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc
CAUTION: Don't look into laser beam with remaining eye.
Any opinions expressed above are not necessarily those of Tektronix, Inc.

93. Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6pubpo$tu4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150035

Subject: Re: John Mackey admits wrongdoing!
From: Jack Anderson <jander@home.com>
Date: 1998/04/07
Message-ID: <3529EA77.718C663C@home.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.ham
[More Headers]
[Subscribe to rec.radio.scanner]

No prob. Bill, I guess this proves once and for all that John is the
liar around here. John you remind me of my dog that keeps digging a hole
in the back yard, someday he will be buried in it. Keep digging John
:-)

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> Jack Anderson <jander@home.com> wrote:
>
> > -=KA0SSF=- wrote:
>
> > > Good Bill! Would you like to confess about that warrant for
> > > the arrest of Bill Cheek with San Diego PD (your resident city)?
>
> > John, The warrants for arrest are put out by the Marshals and there is
> > not one for Mr. Cheek in the system.
>
> Thank you, Jack. I have Smacksie on my Shit List
> and don't see his posts anymore. I'm glad to
> know that he's taken up the call with OBFD@AOL.COM
> on that score.
>
> OBFD sent me an email threatening to "expose me",
> so obviously he and Smacksie are in cahoots. They're
> so tight, those two, that the only way you can
> separate them is with a crowbar. They might
> even be one and the same idiot for all I know.
>
> I don't know where they drag their crap up from.
> Mackie recently claimed I was on AOL, no less.
> And he likes to think I never held a 1st FCC Phone
> ticket with radar endorsement, and he can't stand
> the thought of my being an engineer. Our dear
> lad, Smacksie, has utterly no regard for truth.
>
> But anyway, I have never had a warrant out for
> my arrest (that I know of) and I've been jailed

> only twice in my life.....and those were years
> ago....for being drunk, disorderly, committing
> mayhem and running amok..
>
> And even those were thrown out in court. The
> witnesses failed to appear both times. Nowadays,
> I am a gentle, peace-loving sort of dude and
> don't drink anymore or commit mayhem.
>
> I was thinking about finding me a hamfest up in
> Oregon to go to, though.......
>
> ;-)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

94. pro 25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080107173600.DAA18943@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150036

Can some one tell me if the pro 25 can be mod. to compare the pro 26????

95. FS: Aor Ar-1000 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Rodriguez <booster@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <35C2C6A0.C505D966@sonic.net>
Source record: 150037
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale : Here's the package:

-AOR AR-1000 XLT - 500khz-1300Mhz no gaps, (with ni-cads) / belt-clip
-the original AC adapter/charger
-the original Rubber-ducky style antenna
-the original "leather"/vinyl case that came with it
-the Designeq "hard" leather case
-the Designeq "Guide to the AR 1000"

The scanner has been used less than 10 hours (but been in the closet for 2+ years). Scanner window(plastic) has some fine scratches, but scanner body, case, and everything else is BRAND NEW. Ni-cads seem to be working nicely(like new).

$225.00 - I will ship (included) or deliver if you live in the San Francisco Bay Area.

..the only trade I would consider is for an AOR 8000.

96. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-M8dKO8Tgyi1L@localhost>
Source record: 150038
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jack,

Glad you're paying attention. <G>

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

97. Computer Controlled 1000 channel trunked scanner??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lfc@flash.net
Message-ID: <35c2cf2d.8392384@news.flash.net>
Source record: 150039

Dear Radio Heads;

I'm looking for a 1000 channel computer controlled trunked scanner.
Does this product exist? I was looking at something like this:
Radio Shack Pro-2042 --$400
OS535 computer interface--$200
OptoTrakker --$300

Total --$900

That's kind of pricey if you ask me! I'm looking for something like
the Bearcat 90005XLT but with a computer interface and trunking
ability. Can anyone help me here?

98. Re: BAN CHEEK/MACKEY FROM NG's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35f49c5b.35351716@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 150040

scantech@concentric.net wrote:

>Newbie wrote:
>>
>> Iff we could get cheeks off here that would solve the problem. Look
>> at how much better the scanning mail list is after they
>> kicked cheek off!
>
>Yeah right Glen, what ever you say

'Tain't me. I use Agent, not that abortion that the forger is using.
I can write better than that, too. Contact Cyberhighway if you don't
believe me. They take a dim view of folks misusing their system.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

99. Re: WiNRADiO - unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35fdd641.50175292@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 150041

Ron Beck <rbeck@richmond.infi.net> wrote:

>I'm making a trip to England mid-August. I can bring back some
>WiNRADiO's for interested parties. The cost for a WR-1000i would run
>about $550. If interested, e-mail only to rbeck@richmond.infi.net.
>I will accept checks and MO, preferably in advance for checks.
>
>I will only have room for 5 or 6 radios, so reserve yours quickly.

I'm no expert, but it sounds to me like you're opening yourself up to
legal recriminations here. Sounds to me like you're "importing"
illegal radios into the US, which is a real no-no. Why give the
anti-scanner forces any more ammunition just to pick up a couple of
bucks?
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

100. BC-3000xlt Reduced Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080109133000.FAA25262@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150042

Like new BC-3000xlt with orig box, manual and all original accessories. This includes original wall wart charger / power supply and rubber duck. Price includes the optional heavy duty leather case, which sells for about $30.00 extra. Package price was $325.00. Reduced to $290.00 shipped CONUS. Email direct if interested.

101. Re: Help with attic antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Hearn <ray.hearn@slacc.com>
Message-ID: <35c2e364.0@news.primary.net>
Source record: 150043
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The higher, and better quality your antenna, the better the signal. Use good quality coax and apply the connectors carefully to keep your losses down and you will be amazed. Some signals might be better with an amplifier but on a lot of signals they increase the noise. The indoor antenna should be a BIG boost.
Ray Hearn

Steve Hirsh wrote in message ...
>Any advice on the following would be appreciated:
>
>1.What kind of reception to be expected using an antenna in the attic?
>
>2.Will this work well with a handheld scanner? (Yupiteru MVT-9000)
>
>3.Do I need to amplify the signal? (I will be using RG-6, approximately 30 ft.)
>
>4.Which antenna would you reccommend?
>
>
>I know these are very broad questions, but your expertise or any input
>would help.
>
>
>thanks,
>
>
>Steve

102. NRL Scanning Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevenz@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <6pupc6$m4o$2@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 150044
Cross-posted to: aus.sport.rugby-league,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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The NRL Scanning Page has been launched. Listen to Rugby League
as you've never heard it, through a radio scanner:
* The Coaches
* The Referee
* The Touch Judges
* Broadcasting
and more.

www.ozemail.com.au/~stevenz/nrlscan.htm

Because your balls have ears !!

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The best answer to an unheard question is: "about four" !!!
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103. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080110274500.GAA25326@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150045

John "This Is MY Newsgroup And You Can't Have It" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>You weren't being discussed to or about, so WHY do you feel the
>need to post your resume now?
>
>This had NOTHING to do with you at all

Oh? Since when did this cease being a public
newsgroup and become Mackey's private forum
for babbling and snot slinging?
Where does it say "Thou shalt not respond to
a post if you "weren't being discussed to or
about (whatever the hell that means)."
You idiot.
By the way, since you didn't ask, my GROL
number is PG-18-8909.

104. Re: Dear MACKY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080110274600.GAA25327@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150046

Flubadub Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
>> As usual mackey you go spouting off about somethiing you don't know
>> anything about.
>
>Really!!! Like what???

Like anything you babble about.

> I have NEVER met someone who had their commercial license that didn't know
>the correct name of the license.

Back when there was a 1st Class Radiotelephone
License, most people referred to it as a "1st Phone".
That wasn't "the correct name of the license", but
the fact that people referred to it that way didn't mean
they didn't know what it was called, or that they
didn't actually have one because they didn't refer to
it by it's full proper name.
Most people who have a General Radiotelephone
Operator License refer to it as GROL. That's not "the
correct name of the licesne", but it doesn't mean
anyting other than that they are using a common reference.
Remember, spud, YOU'RE
the one who referred to the non-existent Amateur
license class of "code-less tech".
You friggin' idiot.

105. Re: cb freq scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: troll@loop.com
Message-ID: <MPG.102c90af7cf42cbd989684@news.loop.com>
Source record: 150047

The RELM HS200 Picks up CB Freq's. They're a little more than $150 I usually see them for about $210. http://www.usascan.com has them for $169.95 after a couple of rebates.

> >:>Anyone know which scanners (new or old) can receive CB frequencies. I
> >:>have a Realistic 2040 but want a
> >:>scanner that can monitor CB frequencies and I would like to do it as
> >:>inexpensively as possible. Nothing fancy, just don't want to spend
> >:>another $150 or more for a CB or Scanner. Thanks in advance.
> >:
> >:I don't personally know of any. Maybe the freqs are so low that a
> >:normal scanner antenna would have trouble picking them up? I dunno.

106. Re: I NEED SOME HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <x$stCTAT6uw1EwIM@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 150048

In article <19980801011555500.VAA06227@ladder01.news.aol.com>, PDoddy
<pdoddy@aol.com> writes

>I JUST PICKED UP A JEM OF A SCANNER. ITS A SHINWA SR001 FULL COVERAGE SCANNER
>REMOTE CONTROL, COOOOOOOOOOOOL. IT HAS NO GAPS 25-9999MHZ TRIPLE CONVERSION.
>DOES ANYBODY KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS PARTICULAR MODEL. I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR
>COMMENTS THANKS.CONTACT pdoddy@aol.com thanks.

The best thing about the SR-001 was driving around with it at night. The
muti-coloured LCD display provides one of the "best" lighting shows your
likley to see !

Performance wise I'm afraid it didn't really shine and I think it was
Shinwa's only attempt at a scanner. You really need the remote control
to use the set properly as without it some functions cannot be used,
switching from ANT-1 to ANT-2 was impossible without remote if I
remember. Overall operation via the remote or keypad wasn't that easy
and quite illogical at times.

There is a plate on the back and the original Shinwa promotional
material showed a DB-25 type serial socket on the back but I never saw
one actually on the SR-001. Internally there was one unconnected lead
that came from the CPU board but as to whether this could be used for
external control I have no idea.

It was also one of the best built sets around - a very nice diecast case
that also helped get rid of some of the heat that it generated - you
will need a PSU or at least 1 AMP - anything less and your PSU will
probably be pushed over the edge.

Memory backpup was a simple lithium type battery on the CPU board
(behind the front panel). If you loose the memorties each time you
disconnect it from 12v then you will need to swap the battery.

Hope thats of some help.

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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107. Re: NRL Scanning Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir Just Me <sirjustme@theglobe.spam.is.great.com>
Message-ID: <6pusoe$8qj$1@newsource.ihug.co.nz>
Source record: 150049
Cross-posted to: aus.sport.rugby-league,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Steven wrote in message <6pupc6$m4o$2@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>...
>The NRL Scanning Page has been launched. Listen to Rugby League
>as you've never heard it, through a radio scanner:
>* The Coaches
>* The Referee
>* The Touch Judges
>* Broadcasting
>and more.
>
>www.ozemail.com.au/~stevenz/nrlscan.htm
>
>Because your balls have ears !!
>

Thanks very much for this wonderful resource. I was very impressed with the ability to listen to the knucklehead in the middle as he wanders aimlessly around the paddock looking for a Kiwi to penalise.

Tell me, is their a way that I could make this a two way thing as I would love the opportunity to offer some friendly advise to the referee every know and then as it sometimes seems he has forgotten where to put his head?

By order,
Sir Just Me

108. Re: BC230xlt specs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael William <rockman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6putcl$985@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 150050
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well, between posting this mesage and now, I found the
answer for myself...It apparently does not.
Thanks anyway
--
Michael William
rockman@ix.netcom.com

Michael William wrote in message <6pu2oo$6aq@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>...
> Does anybody know if the Uniden BC230xlt can receive
>the military UHF stuff?...200-399Mhz range?

109. Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980801112234 00.HAA29080@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150051

John "Maybe If I Ignore It, It Will Go Away" Mackey, KA0SSF@parg.org asks:

> Would you like me to post some of the e-mails Bill Cheek sent to
> my service providers.

<drumming fingers on desk> Still waiting.
That offer was posted on July 26. It's now
August 1. STILL no post. I guess laughing
boy just doesn't have the nerve to accept
even his own challenge.

110. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980801122752O0.IAA02308@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150052

>From: k4cc@aol.com (K4CC)

>That offer was posted on July 26. It's now
>August 1. STILL no post. I guess laughing
>boy just doesn't have the nerve to accept
>even his own challenge

What I don't understand is why you even bother with this loon! Why don't you (and everyone else) filter the guy out and stop wasting your time with him? He'll never stop with the mailbombing, forging, electronic stalking and all of his other misdeeds. His sole raison d'etre--the one thing that drives his entire miserable existence--is to engage in his personal vendetta. You're only helping pursue that goal.

111. Re: how many scanners + SOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Oceans1@ibm.net" <oceans1@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35C30BC0.4154@ibm.net>
Source record: 150053

I have:
BC895XLT
BC9000XLT
BC235XLT
BC3000XLT
Icom RC-10
Alinco DJ-X10(T)
AR 8000B

OptoScout

112. Re: Radio Shack glass mount mobile antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Oceans1@ibm.net" <oceans1@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35C30BBA.25FF@ibm.net>
Source record: 150054

I switched to the RS mag mount and performance is excellent. To avoid scatching the roof, I went to Lowes and got a thin layer of green adhesive felt and stuck it in the bottom of the magnet. It's thin enough to keep solid contact between the roof and the magnet - use it all the time at 70MPH plus.

oceans1@ibm.net

113. Re: Frustrated with 235xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35c312b9.2756856@news.jps.net>
Source record: 150055

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 00:26:19 -0700, andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
wrote:

>The BC235 was/is notorious for having defective antennas. Seems the
>center pin would come out of the connector on the base of the antenna.
>I have a BC235 but never had any problems along that line. However,
>since all of the listening I wanted to do on it, was trunking, I
>obtained a flexible UHF antenna and put it on there. I figure that is
>going to be closer to the trunking frequencies than the antenna that
>comes with the radio. I have not had any trouble hearing at all.
>
>Try a different antenna on it and see if that helps. If that doesn't
>help, if you know anyone who does radio service work, and can put it on
>a signal generator to check sensitivity, that would tell you whether the
>radio has a defective reciever or not.
>
>As far as recieving cell traffic, it is unlikely you will hear any cell
>calls on that scanner, even on the "image" frequencies.

I had to open up my 235xlt TWICE and resolder the antenna connection
at the PCB. I use a Comet Miracle Baby ant. for stealth, and a
full-length rigid (not the Radio Shack "hinged" model) cell phone ant.
with an SMA-to-BNC adaptor when I really need good reception (like in
a vehicle). I think the connection inside gets flexed slightly when I
use the longer antenna.

As far as cell phone reception, mine gets it from 817.000 to 823.9875
when I'm near a tower. This gets really annoying only when I'm trying
to monitor the city and county trunked repeater inputs in conventional
mode (the only way I can monitor two trunking systems at the same
time). I always do this when I'm fairly close to the portable units,
like at special events, etc.

114. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex0HFD.3ys@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 150056

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
>
> > Really..? How about the details of your "degrees", then?
>
> As soon as Bill gives his I'll give mine, as I have said for the
> last 18 months.

I didn't ask for Bill's info... I asked for YOURS. And you offered to post
the information!

> > Or the
> > registration number from your Commercial License..? Should be simple
> > enough.
>
> No problem, I've given it beofre. Hell, it's a matter of public
> record since it is issued by the US government. FCC license number
> for my commercial radiotelephone license PG-GP-011350.
>
>
>
> > You have NEVER been able to provide any information requested by anybody.
> > And I seriously doubt that you ever will.
>
> I guess now you're a liar & fraud!

I guess we know who the liar is...

115. Re: q7a mod- cellular restoration

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080113303500.JAA04436@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150057

Whats a Q7?

116. AR8200 Rs232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: AOR Freak <ntdg@freemail.com>
Message-ID: <e7Lt8CVv9GA.325@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 150058
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi,
I'm looking for an RS232 intercae for the AR8200. Is it available yet? I need it to test my new software for the 8200. (ARC8200)
Please reply to arcsoftware@geocities.com or visit my website with AOR AR5000/8000/8200 homepages and software.
Regards,
Gommert
http://arc.mypage.org

117. Mackey Tries the Lottery !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c415b8.168948970@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 150059

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Overheard on another newsgroup:

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John Mackey found himself in dire trouble.
His business had gone bust and he was in
serious financial trouble. He had developed
renal kidney failure, cirrhosis of the liver;
testicular cancer; a venereal disease, and
a lower gastric disorder. He was so desperate
he decided to ask God for help. He prayed...

"God, please help me. I've lost my business
and if I don't get some money, I'm going to
lose my house as well. And I need a doctor.
Please let me win the lotto."

Lotto night comes and somebody else wins it.

Mackey again prays...

"God, please let me win the lotto! I've lost
my business, my house and I'm going to lose
my car as well. And I'm sick and dying without
medical care.".

Lotto night comes and Mackey still has no luck.

Once again, he prays...

"My God, why have you forsaken me?? I've lost
my business, my house, and my car. My husband
and dog are starving. I don't often ask
you for help and I have always been a good
servant to you. PLEASE just let me win the
lotto this one time so I can get my life
back in order."

Suddenly there is a blinding flash of light
as the heavens open and Mackey is confronted
by the voice of God Himself:
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"Mackey, meet ME halfway on this.....
Buy a damn lottery ticket first.....
you friggin loon!"

118. Scanners for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: taylor@fmci.net
Message-ID: <35c31e60.33027614@nntp.infoave.net>
Source record: 150060

I have the following Scanners/receivers for sale. They are in like new condition.
1- IC-PCP1000 Asking $350 which includes UPS ground shipping .
Original boxes software,etc

2- Icom R100 (real good shape). This unit is not blocked. It has had one tiny mod to bring out the discriminator point for 9600 wefax (case not cut,can remove in 2 minutes if asked) . I have used this unit to receive from 1.6 gig sat. $500.00 which includes UPS ground shipping. Original boxes,etc

I also have the complete WX sat receiving system including decoder PCMCIA card, 3 foot dish and LNA,etc ground mount. However cannot ship. If you are within 150 miles of charlotte, nc, I can deliver. This is priced at $400. If purchased with R100, total package is $800.

Reply to W4WBT via Email.

119. ATT: Eastern Long Island Scanner Listeners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith@Knip.com
Message-ID: <6pv8co$16u$2@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 150061

The President arrived yesterday in East Hampton , and Im
wondering if your hearing any Activity on 867.5125
or any other Freqs ....

Im located in Central Suffolk County and can
hear every once in awhile someone talking
on 867.5125, mentioning " COMMAND POST"

Enjoy,
Keith

|==>
| KEITH@KNIP.COM == Internet Email Address
| HTTP://WWW.KNIP.COM == WWW Page URL Address
| N2NJS@AMSAT.ORG == HAM Radio AMSAT Email
| N2NJS@KC2FD.NY.USA.NA == Ham Radio AX25 Packet Address
|==>

120. Re: BC235XLT "ATT" Button???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: karl@ksme.net
Message-ID: <MPG.102cf12e2914a62f9896ec@news.alt.net>
Source record: 150062

In article <ajvw1.179$D95.8079888@alpha.sky.net>, mikef@sky.net says...
> You might do a DejaNews search on "BC235 Attenuator". Bottom line: Uniden
> made a design change (without any accompanying documentation, BTW) to
> include an attenuator. When the decimal is flashing during scan, search, or
> trunk modes, the attenuator is "ON" and has the effect of reducing signal
> strength somewhere between 10 and 20% (estimate).
>
> I had my 235 for nearly 4 months before a post on this NG brought this to my
> attention. I was ready to send the unit back to Uniden because of "poor
> reception", and found out the danged attenuator had been on the whole time.

Hmmm, sometimes you just don't know.

I just got a unit from the Uniden website and it doesn't have the ATT on
it so it must be an older version.

Do you find the ATT function of any value where you are and how it was
implemented?

Karl

121. Re: Why no FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.102cf0e555bd7a489896b4@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 150063

In article <35C0F00A.F91850A5@navix.net>, DrBanzai@navix.net says...
> This sounds odd to me. My RS Pro-2006 can pick up all FM stations, and
> I didn't think it cost that much, even when it was new...
>
>>>>>It was $400 bucks when it was new,unless you got it on close out.

122. MacKay vs Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: copper@bis.on.ca
Message-ID: <35c32a0d.979445@news.worldlinx.com>
Source record: 150064

Really i dont give a shit about the childish antics that occurr on this newsgroup but I can honestly say that Bill Cheek has always been very helpful to me when Ive needed it.John MacKay dont know him,dont care to know him but its really pathetic to see the contributors to this newsgroup who are supposed to be adults carry on like children.Why dosent everyone just grow up,mind there own business and contribute meaningful,informative,interesting posts to this group rather than the shit on here now and thats the bottom line

123. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080114543700.KAA13736@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150065

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) writes:

>What I don't understand is why you even bother with this loon!

What, you don't me to have any fun?

Dave

124. Re: WiNRADiO - unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Cuppy <bpc002@kktv.com>
Message-ID: <35C32CFA.63EE@kktv.com>
Source record: 150066

I agree about the statement of giving more fuel to
the anti-scanner people. Also, in the suppposed
"Land fo the Free", why in the hell are certain radios
illegal ? These kind of laws are like Nazi Germany and
the old USSR and shouldn't be on the US Law books.

This crap by people like Macky in Congress and Thomas
Wheeler in the CTIA is stupid and deserves to be
stopped. Remember, it was Wheeler that said that
scanners should be banned since they have no purpose
in society.

Just my few dollars worth.

Brad

Glen Quarnstrom wrote:
>
> Ron Beck <rbeck@richmond.infi.net> wrote:
>
> >I'm making a trip to England mid-August. I can bring back some
> >WiNRADiO's for interested parties. The cost for a WR-1000i would run
> >about $550. If interested, e-mail only to rbeck@richmond.infi.net.
> >I will accept checks and MO, preferably in advance for checks.
> >
> >I will only have room for 5 or 6 radios, so reserve yours quickly.
>
> I'm no expert, but it sounds to me like you're opening yourself up to
> legal recriminations here. Sounds to me like you're "importing"
> illegal radios into the US, which is a real no-no. Why give the
> anti-scanner forces any more ammunition just to pick up a couple of
> bucks?

125. Pro-90 and Air/Mil. Freqs. in Norfolk/Va, Beach area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6pvd86$qoc@netaxs.com>
Source record: 150067
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just purchased a Pro-90 and am beginning to question if it has all the freqs. I need. It is of course a TrunkTracker which I needed as all the local Services are on a Trunked System. However, being surrounded by military bases I was hoping to also be able to monitor some of these frequencies. (Mainly the USN Aircraft bands and any freqs that may be used on the USN ships that move in and out of port all the time. Does anyone know what freq. range these would be in. I have found a couple Web pages and many of the Military Freqs. listed are not useable on this unit. Also will this unit receive regular air bands for commercial airlines? The manual lists 960.000 - 1000.000 as Auronautical but these are outside the range of the scanner.

I enjoy listening to Police calls but, with Va.. Beach having the lowest crime rate in the US per Capita for 4 years running it can get kind of boring sometimes.....:)
The Mil. Freqs. are what I am really after.

TIA
Bryan

126. Re: BC235XLT "ATT" Button???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Fairleigh <mikef@sky.net>
Message-ID: <97Hw1.186$D95.8378166@alpha.sky.net>
Source record: 150068

Presumably this feature is for areas with heavy pager intermod., etc. In my case, the only times I regularly experience this is when I am within a couple of blocks of my office. During that short time, if I turn on the attenuator it doesn't reduce the sensitivity enough to eliminate the intermod. So to answer your question, no - I've yet to be in a situation in which I felt fortunate to have the feature. At the same time, you have to be careful not to turn it on inadvertently, as I apparently did for 4 months.

While I suppose I feel good about having the most recent incarnation of the unit, I'd be perfectly happy without the attenuator, knowing what I know and in my situation. Others might have a different opinion, of course.

--
Mike Fairleigh
mikef@sky.net
Freedom of the press does not mean freedom to lie and manipulate.

>I just got a unit from the Uniden website and it doesn't have the ATT on
>it so it must be an older version.
>
>Do you find the ATT function of any value where you are and how it was
>implemented?

127. New Liberty Net News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lloyd, N0VFP" <davies.lloyd@NOSPAMmcleodusa.net>
Message-ID: <6pvf72$aa82@odie.mcleod.net>
Source record: 150069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I ve created a newsgroup for 3950. It's off of deja news goto:

http://www.dejanews.com/group/dejanews.members.rec.n0vfp.3950khz

Post anything reagrding 3950. Have Fun!

--
Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
n0vfp@NOSPAM.qsl.net HTX-202,212
http://www.qsl.net/n0vfp ATS-909, Halli S-120

See Me:
http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?n0vfp

128. Pro 2005 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tglunz@cybernw.com
Message-ID: <35ca42b1.2692854@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 150070

A Pro 2005 base set, 400 channels, good shape, full capabilities, only problem is the back light is very dim. I don't use it any more, I've got enough radios already so $250 or best offer takes it. low ball offers will be ignored, if you know what this is you know what it's worth. I also have a friends pro 60 now, he'd like $150 and its in good shape.
I would prefer a local sale to avoid all the hassles of shipping and so you'll actually see before you buy.
By the way I have the radio shack service manual
I'll throw in with the deal, and I have the original box and packing too if that excites any one. I had the owners manual but it's been swallowed in the house some where.

Terry tglunz@cnnw.net
Portland Oregon
To reply remove the # from my address

129. BC235XLT "ATT" Button???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: danberg@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ptmtd$2cq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 150108

I just got a BC235XLT Trunk Tracker. I already had a BC895XLT and everything seems to be similar to the 895, except that the 235 has the "." button labeled "ATT". When scanning or trunk tracking if I hit the "." button the "." in the display flashes on and off. I have no clue as to what this is for. It is not in the documentation anywhere. Can someone advise what it is and how to use it?

Thanks.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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130. Re: Pro-90, Good 800Mhz Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35c25d5e.46654402@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 150109

I think you are referring to:

Cat# 17-317 Adjustable Angle Antenna for use with portable cellular telephones

Cat# 278-144A RF Adapter adapts TNC-type male to fint BNC-type female

I have used this with a PRO-2041, and it has helped the 800 reception, at the expense of other bands.

CATHY

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 17:38:33 -0400, "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net> wrote:

>Just purchased a Pro-90 (excellent scanner by the way) and have a question
>for some of the more seasoned users. RS also sells a 800Mhz Cell phone
>antenna that (with a BNC adapter) will fit on this scanner. Can not
>remember the Cat. No. but it is the one that can be turned 90 degrees. Has
>anyone tried this or have any other ideas that may show improved reception
>when doing Trunk Tracking.
>
>Bryan

131. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdbce9$c8189ce0$b81637a6@default>
Source record: 150110

Excellent idea. I made a promise to myself and some other friends on this
that I would stop my flames of John Mackey. At least that was a start.

I think Bill would glady drop it if John would agree to do the same. Maybe
then and only then would the rest of the flames die down. I know there will
always be flames but maybe we can fewer and farther between.

How about we all agree to IGNORE those people we don't like. Ideas ???

Mike
--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote in article
<6ptnh3$2s7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> In article ,
> perryst@primo.com (Steve Perry) wrote:
>
> > >
> > > Bill Cheek hasn't said a word since this info was presented. He likely
> > > won't, as that would require him to admit he is the cause of all the
> > > trouble.
> > > What was the cause of his removal from Fido-net?
> > >
>
> I don't know. But I received a private e-mail from a neutral party
> whom I had copied with some of this bickering. This person had the
> following to say, without prompting, about Bill Cheek:
>
> "He has a brilliant mind and writes very well and produces darned good
> graphics."
>
> The statement comes from a source whose interest is in quality
> material, I might add.
>
> Then I remembered that Bill Cheek had proposed four pretty
> reasonable terms of truce with John Mackey, and that Bill can be a
> resource if he isn't being egged on by Mackey, or his own adherents.
> (He sure likes playing to an audience, doesn't he?)
>
> Be that as it may, how about if John Mackey just accepts those
> reasonable terms at this point? It won't be any skin off John's nose,
> or other bodily parts. John wanted to add a proviso that Cheek couldn't
> flame *anybody* after the truce was set in place, if I remember

> correctly. But you can't ask that of anybody and be fair. The original
> four terms were fair (wish I could remember them specifically) and could
> have brought and end to it. Maybe Bill Cheek could post them again for
> John to think about.
>
> Otherwise, it will never end, and Bill Cheek will have to waste
> productive workbench and writing time on this silliness, and those who
> think they are his friends by supporting him in this feud will really
> be the losers. Mail filters are less satisfactory than an environment
> of relative colleagiality. Well, at least an forum that isn't refilled to
the
> brim with ugliness every day.
>
> I hope this post doesn't elicit more partisan slams on either party,
but
> rather some thought for a change, on both sides. Let me add I've
> certainly put in my share of the jibes here, so if I'm pointing one
> finger at you, four are pointing back at me.
>
> Even a truce wouldn't mean a complete halt to flaming, but it sure
> would make traffic here more interesting.
>
> So, John Mackey, what do you say -- if Bill Cheek reposts the truce
> terms again, would you be willing to accept them, or at least give
> them a try? It isn't just the two of you causing all problems, I know,
> but if the two of you can bury the hatchet, who knows what the rest of
> us could accomplish?
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

132. I NEED SOME HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080101155500.VAA06227@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 150111

I JUST PICKED UP A JEM OF A SCANNER. ITS A SHINWA SR001 FULL COVERAGE SCANNER REMOTE CONTROL, COOOOOOOOOOOOL. IT HAS NO GAPS 25-9999MHZ TRIPLE CONVERSION. DOES ANYBODY KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS PARTICULAR MODEL. I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENTS THANKS.CONTACT pdoddy@aol.com thanks.

133. Help with attic antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: shirsh@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <shirsh-3107982111550001@host-209-214-193-199.mem.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150112
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Any advice on the following would be appreciated:

1.What kind of reception to be expected using an antenna in the attic?

2.Will this work well with a handheld scanner? (Yupiteru MVT-9000)

3.Do I need to amplify the signal? (I will be using RG-6, approximately 30 ft.)

4.Which antenna would you reccommend?

I know these are very broad questions, but your expertise or any input
would help.

thanks,

Steve

134. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C274CF.2AA1@parg.org>
Source record: 150113

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Big deal. I have one of those (PG-11-40177), too. I even have the radar
> endorsement. In fact, I even have a PCIA (formerly NABER) Certified
> Mobile Communications Technician (39628) and a journeyman Certified
> Electronics Technician (AZ-291). You need four or more years of
> verified experience in the industry to get the journeyman rating.

Kendrick-

You weren't being discussed to or about, so WHY do you feel the
need to post your resume now?

This had NOTHING to do with you at all, yet you need to be the
center of attention again & attempt to brag about your
credentials which are good, but certainly not anything that
most people working in the field don't have. You credentials
are pretty much "run of the mill".

135. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C275BF.3265@parg.org>
Source record: 150114

crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Then I remembered that Bill Cheek had proposed four pretty
> reasonable terms of truce with John Mackey, and that Bill can be a
> resource if he isn't being egged on by Mackey, or his own adherents.
> (He sure likes playing to an audience, doesn't he?)

Yea, that is a common prob with Bill.

> Even a truce wouldn't mean a complete halt to flaming, but it sure
> would make traffic here more interesting.

I agree!

> So, John Mackey, what do you say -- if Bill Cheek reposts the truce
> terms again, would you be willing to accept them, or at least give
> them a try?

YES, of course I would as I have always said I would accept his four terms of truce as long as he accepts my one term of truce. It's a bargain for him, he's getting a 4 to 1 return on the deal!

136. Re: MACKY IS SMART, having one of his buddies mail bombing.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C27746.37C2@parg.org>
Source record: 150115

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Actually, you DID say there was a warrant - and you continue to say it by
> referring to it.

No, I said that OTHER people said there was a warrant. YOU
are saying there is a warrant by referring to it over & over
& over as nearly everyone else has forgotten about it or is
ignoring it.

137. Re: MACKY IS SMART, having one of his buddies mail bombing.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C2787A.4C6A@parg.org>
Source record: 150116

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> If they
> want to referesh your memory they can or you can do your own searching and
> find the post.

"THEY" better do it then because I am not going to do someone else's
work.

> And as for the warrant you know your guilty of that lie too and your just
> trying to side step the issue by adding some more lies saying your only
> defending Bill.

I've always said there was NO PROOF to support the accusation so we
should ignore the issue unless someone presents verifiable facts to
support the accusation. Are you trying to say that it is a lie
that without facts we should ignore the accusation?

> Most of us on the newsgroup know how you feel about Bill and if you were to
> see him drowning instead of throwing him a life preserver you would throw him
> anchor so stop with

I don't hate Bill or wish to see him harm. Your statement is incorrect.

138. Panasonic 2.4 Ghz Phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: shirsh@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <shirsh-3107982146410001@host-209-214-192-5.mem.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 150117
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Panasonic 2.4 GHz Cordless Phones
Model KX-TG200B

Dual antenna System
Lighted Keypad
10 station speed dialer
2 ringer selections
Headset jack and belt clip
Handset volume control
32 channel auto scanning
14 day standby battery life; 5 hours talk time
Suggested Retail: $299.95
Your Price: $199.95

New in box unopened.

or

Model KX-TG210B
Same as above with Speakerphone and 20 Station Speed Dialer
Suggested Retail: $369.95
Your Price: $249.95

Best sounding cordless phones ever! Cannot be monitored by most scanners!

I have only 1 of each for now. Expecting more in a few days.

e-mail:shirsh@bellsouth.net for more info
or
901-756-1079

139. Re: BC235XLT "ATT" Button???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Fairleigh <mikef@sky.net>
Message-ID: <ajvw1.179$D95.8079888@alpha.sky.net>
Source record: 150118

You might do a DejaNews search on "BC235 Attenuator". Bottom line: Uniden made a design change (without any accompanying documentation, BTW) to include an attenuator. When the decimal is flashing during scan, search, or trunk modes, the attenuator is "ON" and has the effect of reducing signal strength somewhere between 10 and 20% (estimate).

I had my 235 for nearly 4 months before a post on this NG brought this to my attention. I was ready to send the unit back to Uniden because of "poor reception", and found out the danged attenuator had been on the whole time.

--
Mike Fairleigh
mikef@sky.net

danberg@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6ptmtd$2cq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I just got a BC235XLT Trunk Tracker. I already had a BC895XLT and
everything
>seems to be similar to the 895, except that the 235 has the "." button
>labeled "ATT". When scanning or trunk tracking if I hit the "." button the
>"." in the display flashes on and off. I have no clue as to what this is
>for. It is not in the documentation anywhere. Can someone advise what it
is
>and how to use it?
>
>Thanks.
>
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

140. Re: Car's Radio antenna for scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: aviate@seebelow.gen.nz
Message-ID: <35c2898f.13937297@news.actrix.gen.nz>
Source record: 150119
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 29 Jul 1998 11:15:33 -0600, "Marty Manross" <manross@usa.net>
wrote:

>Hi Ron,
>
>I also use the Antenna Specialist splitter with great results. Here in the
>Colorado Springs area we have everything from vhf up to 800-900 mhz comms.
>I use to always run a Motorola whip but got a new car and didn't want any
>holes it yet, this splitter filled the bill. Good luck

Can somebody please port a URL or contact of a place that stocks
these?

--
Steve Biddle

aviate 'at' actrix.gen.nz

141. FS : AR 8000 $425.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zhahadum@home.com
Message-ID: <vYvw1.389$ql.11774852@news.rdc1.va.home.com>
Source record: 150120

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$425.00 for unblocked AR8000 shipped ( in *mint* condition)
-David
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142. Peter J. Boe a Blabbering Idiot was:Re: Cheeks dumped from group too?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C50EFF.5B9C@concentric.net>
Source record: 149721

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Peter J. Boe pretending to be tvine@my-dejanews.com Blabbered:
>
> Whats up? Wheres Cheeks. Did he get
> dumped from this group somehow?
> Ever since word came out of his dismissal
> from the mailing list he aint said boo.
> Whats up with that?
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

Hey Peter J Boe,

When are you going to learn how to forge a post correctly?

Also, why are you such a Blebbering Idiot?
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143. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C5118E.C90A65BA@primenet.com>
Source record: 149722

KA0SSF "I'm recovering from a bizarre accident. I was struck by a thought." stumbled on his own ineptitude:

> Except for half the people on this NG & the 700 on the scanning mail
> list that just kicked him off!

Your data is flawed, like you. You have not polled the members of this news group, and are talking out your derriere again. Just more lies, as usual.

> The only "quals" he has that are self evident is his lying & trouble
> making.

To use one of your well worn retorts, been looking into the mirror again, Toilet Boy?

> Yea, he got kicked off Fido, he got kicked off the scanning mail list,

Never proven.

> he doesn't have a FCC license,

The FCC doesn't have data on former licensees. What is past cannot be proven unless someone displays the actual certificates.

> he is NOT a member of Mensa as he claimed,

I proved he *was* a member of Mensa, look it up in DejaNews Toilet Boy. Oh what's that, you're not going to do "my" work for me? Gee, you must be too stupid to search the database. No surprise there.

> he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power wires in Colorado.

Never proven.

> By GOD you're right, his "lifetime body of work" DOES speak volumes
> of his qualifications & abilities and lack thereof!

How many books have you written, Toilet Boy? How many published magazine articles have you written?

It's not that you have presence of mind, ya friggin' loon; your trouble is absence of thought. I don't know about some of the people in this news
group, but I feel sorry for your poor little mind all alone in that great
big head.

144. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C51264.F1CEAC5B@primenet.com>
Source record: 149723

KA0SSF "Compared to me, Dan Quayle is an intellectual." lied and lied
and lied and lied and lied:

> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > Another bold face lie by bozo mackey
>
> So, EXACTLY, what was a lie?

Your claims about having a degree.

I've always wondered, when you change you mind, what do you do with
the diaper?

145. Re: John's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C5134D.DEC600F2@primenet.com>
Source record: 149724

KA0SSF "I'm so stupid, I thought Johnny Cash was a pay toilet." wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
>
> > John KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> > >I have NO interest in you or Kendrick's resume. I doubt anyone
> > >else on this NG does either!

Your just jealous because there are many many people who have greater
skills and stronger credentials than you. You should quit lying about
having a degree. No one believes you.

> > I wasn't aware that you represented anyone
> > else on this newsgroup. What are their names?
>
> I didn't say I represented others, I simply gave my opinion.

I've always wondered how long one could live without a brain.
Ahh, Toilet Boy, how old are you again?

146. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C5148C.E685A862@primenet.com>
Source record: 149725

KA0SSF "My mind is like concrete - all mixed up and permanently set."
tried to shift attention from his lies about his (nonexistent) degree:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
>
> > I didn't ask for Bill's info... I asked for YOURS. And you offered to post
> > the information!
>
> Yes, & the members of this NG have been asking for Bill's for
> 2 years or more!
>
> I offered to post after Bill does & no sooner!

I suppose you have to ask Bill for permission to go to the bathroom as
well?

If you really had a degree (I know you don't), you'd jump at the chance
to embarrass Bill by waving in under his nose. But, you don't have a
degree so you must continue your little lie and keep claiming you have
one. You're still a liar and a fraud, Toilet Boy.

> > I guess we know who the liar is...
>
> You, John T. Arthor, need only look in the mirror to find out
> who is lying!

You need some new material, Toilet Boy. You've used that line almost
as much as you've lied about having a degree.

147. Re: MacKay vs Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C514F1.8B627221@primenet.com>
Source record: 149726

MAlexder correctly observed and wrote:
>
> >MacKay vs Cheek
> >From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
>
> >Do you think a childish antic like your Bill Cheek ass-kissing will
> >help?
>
> More flames. Mackerel, there have been many questions today related to trunk
> tracking, computer-controlled scanning, antennas, and many others. While you
> have posted a dozen off-topic messages today, you have not helped a single
> person. Why not?

If Toilet Boy ever decided to expound on something he actually knew,
the silence would be unbearable.

148. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C5165B.EAC2423C@primenet.com>
Source record: 149727

KA0SSF "I make a perfect stranger." wrote:

> You have NO credibility at ALL!

You've never had any credibility, Toilet Boy. Like the lies about you having a degree. Puleez! You are stupider than you look if you really think someone is going to belive you.

When I want your opinion, I'll have Bill Cheek give it to you.

149. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C51754.9AEB6EAE@primenet.com>
Source record: 149728

KA0SSF "I've been turned down by women more often than a bed." lied
and delayed:

> K4CC wrote:
> > <drumming fingers on desk> Still waiting.
> > That offer was posted on July 26. It's now
> > August 1. STILL no post. I guess laughing
>
> You didn't say WHEN you wanted it!
>
> I'll get it in the next few days. The hard drive that the
> info is on is currently down, so I gotta get the computer running
> first.

The only thing going down is you on men in the Portland bathrooms.

Gee, Toilet Boy I'll bet the few working neurons don't remember the
challenge I gave you, complete with a time deadline, that you failed
to meet. Yeah, you remember, it's the one about proving you have a
degree. But you don't have a degree, so you have to avoid the issue.

ya friggin' loon

150. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C52778.B791C456@netwit.com>
Source record: 149729

KA0SSF wrote:

> No, infact I am pursuing the truth. If you have confirmed there is
> no warrant for Bill them provide us with how you found that out so we
> may verify. THAT would provide the truth. If someone states there
> IS A WARRANT or IS NOT A WARRANT then they chould be able to provide proof
> that others may verify. Without such, we can not rely on either
> statement.

Warrants are public information. That's part of the purpose of warrants loony boy. To make that information public; to make the public aware that an individual is wanted by authorities.

There is no such warrant as you and OBFD describe. You know it. You can't search for what doesn't exist.

If there was such a warrant, why does Bill have such a prominent presence on the 'net? A cop could find Bill with a "YAHOO" search for christ-sakes. You know that.

You're just a slandering liar.

ya friggin' loon.

151. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C52BF8.803DBA4A@netwit.com>
Source record: 149730

KA0SSF wrote:

> MAlexder wrote:
> > The only person who has been flaming around here for the past 72 hours is you,
>
> Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> on this NG?

Whoa there Farmer Mackey! I "rewrote" one those stories just for you! So did quite a few other people. You ought to have felt honored; I mean, jackass that you *are* and all that. Didn't you have fun reading them? I laughed. I'm still laughing. What's the problem?

You have *no* sense of humor.

ya friggin' loon.

152. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John M. Hansen" <jmhansen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6q3aoermp1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 149731
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

For an improved ground, dissolve a pound of copper sulfate in about three gallons of water and pour in the hole before driving in the ground rod.

There are standard ground rod driving tips to fit the standard 5/8 inch diameter ground rod made for almost all rotary hammers on the market. It makes driving them a snap.

Regards,
John M. Hansen

153. NW Chicago burbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron L." <gate24@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35C53733.E832B976@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149732

Hey folks --

I just moved to the village of Arlington Heights in the northwest Chicago burbs. I'm looking for a list of local police frequencies in my area starting with Atlington Heights locally, and then working my way out. Can anyone out there help me?

Please resond here AND to my email: Gate24@ix.netcom.com

Any help would greatly appreciated...

Ron

154. MDT Application and 400 MHz system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Fisher <klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca>
Message-ID: <35c5369d.0@ntnews.compusmart.ab.ca>
Source record: 149733

Has anyone confirmed that the MDT system will not work with the 400 MHz systems ?

The police here in Edmonton Alberta use a MDT system in their cars ... they use freqs of 462.1000 and 462.3750. I don't know if these are Motorola systems or what protocol they are using ..

Any information would be appreciated .....

Thanks
Kevin Fisher VE6OXR
Edmonton Alberta Canada

155. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Morisseau <dpm3@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <35C53AE9.E10BCF15@accessone.com>
Source record: 149734

Rick Pemble wrote:

> Thanks for the replies. There does seem to be some confusion about the
> legalities of scanning while in flight.
>
> What started me on this was doing exactly what JTWard did, check the
> inflight magazine for approved electronic devices during cruise altitudes.
> VHF Scanners was listed as an approved device (along with laptop computers,
> gameboys, etc.).

That is great; but, be aware that Delta is something of an exception where this issue is concerned. Many airlines o not follow Delta's "lead". On TWA, for instance, the Flight Attendant's announcement specifically excludes the use of any AM or FM radio receiver (along with cell phones, etc.) even after the aircraft has reached cruising altitude.

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National Headquarters: Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
Dan Morisseau, N7ZXL - N 47ï¿½ 16' 45" / W 122ï¿½ 30' 00"
Watkins Johnson HF-1000: 60' Random Wire & Palomar Loop
ICOM R-7000: Discone
ICQ: UIN# 5313018

156. Southern California Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck <chadarn@home.com>
Message-ID: <6q3dvkack1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 149735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner

Southern California 911 has moved to a new domain due to an ISP crash. You can now find all the frequency and trunking information for Southern California at http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911.

157. San Diego Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck <chadarn@home.com>
Message-ID: <6q3e37$ok5$1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 149736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner

Southern California 911 has moved to a new domain due to an ISP crash. You can now find all the frequency and trunking information for Southern California at http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911.

158. Trunking Info & Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck <chadarn@home.com>
Message-ID: <6q3e88enu1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 149737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner

Southern California 911 has moved to a new domain due to an ISP crash. You can now find all the frequency and trunking information for Southern California at http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911.

159. Frequency's & Trunking Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck <chadarn@home.com>
Message-ID: <6q3e5mvhu1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 149738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner

Southern California 911 has moved to a new domain due to an ISP crash. You can now find all the frequency and trunking information for Southern California at http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911.

160. MACKY IS SMART

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e41_9808030100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149739

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> Do you thing I really care if YOU like or dislike me?

As long as your mammy is changing your diapers and
nursing you at her tit, you're happy I suppose.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

161. Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e42_9808030100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149740

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

> Really..? How about the details of your "degrees", then?

Ka> As soon as Bill gives his I'll give mine, as I have said for the
Ka> last 18 months.

Why do we have to wait for Bill? With your dislike
of him you should be willing to jump right out and
answer a question with foreright details instead of
hiding behind your archenemy.

Ka> for my commercial radiotelephone license PG-GP-011350.

Now if you can come up with that so damned quick,
why can't you respond in a polite manner to the
other request? Skirting the issue, demanding that
Cheek answer first, sure puts you in a bad light.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

162. SBE Optiscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tommac@caprok.net
Message-ID: <35c4f76b.23613926@news.caprok.net>
Source record: 149741

I have a SBE Optiscan 10 channel scanner. I have misplaced the book with the frequency codes. Does anyone have a copy? Could someone send a copy of this book Please.
tommac@caprok.net

163. MN State Patrol-East Metro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sdwilliams@pol.net
Message-ID: <sdwilliams-0208981432110001@1cust25.tnt23.chi5.da.uu.net>
Source record: 149742

Can anyone give me the frequency for the East Metro Tac. West Metro is 160.95

Thanks

164. Re: 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <enrEs8lv9GA.220@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149771

Are you sure they aren't cellular, then? You could be picking up an image
from a 900 MHz cordless phone.

Cellular calls will have a high-pitched tone in the background (called SAT,
supervisory audio tone, I believe), around 6000 Hz.

Not many other types of normal autopatches or cordless phones will have this
"SAT".
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Cbake777 wrote in message
<19980802204226600.QAA06592@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Unlike the trunked tramissions, this one with stay on the scanner for the
>entire conversation, it just bugs me as to why I can only hera one side of
the
>conversation?????
>Chris Baker
>94 RMX 250
>88 Z50R (The Beast)

165. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OpTX5#lv9GA.207@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hmm - if your theory is true, then the PRO-90 will soon be discontinued in at least six of the stores here in Minnesota. As of now, the 90 is at $199.97 in all of those six in my area.

Off the subject (kind of) -- does RSU have a case for a Tandy CT-351 cell phone, and possibly a holster for a Bravo Express pager ?

Regards.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

John Habbinga wrote in message <6q2c9unbo1@news4.wt.net>...
>SheMale Central? I don't know who this is, but I am not sure that I would
>believe anyone called SheMale. The scanner is currently advertised for
>$199.99. I'll tell you a secret. If the price ends in a 7, like $199.97,
>then it is either discontinued or about to be discontinued. I think some
>people believe that it is discontinued because the leather case for it is
>showing up as discontinued. Although it is true that the case is
>discontinued on the RadioShack store's computer system, it has only being
>moved to the RadioShack Unlimited ordering system and will still be
>available for years to come. This is probably why the price has not been
>dropped on that item and probably will not be.

166. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4DFE5.DEB@parg.org>
Source record: 149773

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Does anyone else have any information on the FCC/ARRL investigation
> into John Mackeys VEC shenanigans?
> Licenses for sale, as well as upgrades?
> The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to
> revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a
> search warrant on John's parents house.

Hi Blake-

I see you're on here lying & trying to cause problems, again.

And you wonder why I don't trust you! You will lie or do anything
you have to in order to make yourself look better & other who you
fear look bad. Your actions in regard to me are a perfect example of
this.

Anyway, in regards to your pathetic accusation that my "VEC credentials
are under investivation" by the "FCC/ARRL", let me say the following.

1. I have never been a VEC.
2. I have never been investigated or accused of any improper actions
or illegal activities as a licensed radio operator.

If you have proof then you should have no problem presenting
it. If a search warrant was authorized then present my address
& my date of birth, which would both be on the warrant!

You won't be able to because you are lying.

167. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802215716 00.RAA16098@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149774

In article <35C4DE55.5430@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I have never been investigated or
>formally accused of any improper actions

As opposed to "informally" accused?
Is that like saying you were tried but not
convicted?

168. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4E0F9.57C0@parg.org>
Source record: 149775

Jose Cuervo wrote:
> How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the
> admin? what?

It's difficult to do. But if we can we should ban
Bill. Look how much better the mail list & fido became
after he left!

169. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c5e145.3634913@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149776
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:38:12 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>"SheMale Central" stated that it -will- be discontinued, which is true,
>unfortunately.

Unfortunate for everyone who bought one at full price anyway...Quite
fortunate for anyone who prefers clearance prices at RS.

>Maybe this is a sign of better things to come? (EDACS-capable coming out?)

Time will tell.

170. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802220414400.SAA13323@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149777

John E. Mackey, Jr.
DOB 1-12-65

171. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4E292.37A0@parg.org>
Source record: 149778

Fire Chief wrote:

> I had breakfast with the new R10C Brenda Donovan, the former NC
> of NET202, Saturday morning, and she said you're a liar.

So you give us this info 3rd or 4th hand & expect us to believe YOU! The same system (warpgate) that has cause so many problems on this NG & been guilty of rogue cancels! You won't even identify yourself & have to use a screen name! You have NO credibility at ALL!

> The REC has no say in
> the matter of P4 violations and link cuts. That is up to the

Your lack of knowledge of Fido is showing.

172. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080222072400.SAA13755@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149779

Jake Smackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Look how much better the mail list & fido became
>after he left!
>

How would you know that, Smokey? You just said
you don't subscribe to that mail list. Get caught in
another little fib there did you, bud?

173. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080222073200.SAA17418@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149780

>Subject: Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?
>From: KA0SSF

>OK, consider this a denial. I have never been investigated or formally accused of any improper actions as a licensed radio >operator.

Mackerel, you are such a well-known liar that it is now impossible to believe anything you say. You'll have to substantiate that the allegations against you are untrue.

174. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c7e2fa.4072337@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 01:14:02 GMT, Robert <rc123@globe-net.net> wrote:

>
>See http://www.javiation.co.uk/com205.html
>
>
>Basically, they are the same but one is the
>European model. The Com205 does have the
>240VAC transformer (needs to be swapped out
>for use in the USA) unless you use the 12VDC
>connector. The avantage is Frequency coverage
>is continuous from 25-520MHz and 760-1300MHz
>(includes cell freqs).
>
>$330 (US currency) for a new radio with
>full coverage is a good deal. I've been
>considering it myself. Of course I wouldn't
>listen to any unauthorized frequencies! ;-)
>
>Robert

Someone on another list suggested that a OS456 board will go into this
unit and work perfectly, can anyone confirm this?

Hmmm...after visiting the above url I think my question has been
answered.

175. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802221205O1.SAA17996@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149782

<CRASH> Oops! Glass House Resident, John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> is throwing stones again:

>You won't even
>identify yourself & have to use a screen name!

Oh, you mean like "Mr. Mackey"? Or -KAOSSF-?
Or "Fr. Mackey"?
What an idiot.

176. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4E44B.9E4@parg.org>
Source record: 149783

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> The proof has been posted many times on here but you choose to ignore it as
> you cannot handle the truth.

Yea, the only "PROOF" you could find was me saying we
should ignore the accusation!

177. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4E562.3797@parg.org>
Source record: 149784

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> accusations , I state facts and have shown proof of the posts you made and all
> you do is lie and say you didn't make the post .

No, you don't state facts. All you state are lies & you know it!

THAT is why you won't use your real ID or name on this NG, THAT is
why you have to post thru dejanews so you won't leave any
tracks.

178. Re: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#hCBKHmv9GA.150@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149785

"Matthew H. Fogle" <foglem@cec2.aps.edu> wrote:
> ... what appear to be cordless phones in the 450-470mHz range;

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Mobile Telephone [22.501]

VHF - 30 kHz spacing UHF - 25 kHz spacing

Base: 152.030 - 152.210 RCC 454.025 - 454.350 RCC
152.510 - 152.810 telco 454.375 - 454.650 telco
Mobile: 157.770 - 158.070 telco 459.025 - 459.350 RCC
158.490 - 158.670 RCC 459.375 - 459.650 telco

Transmissions are FM. Many of these channels may now be used
for paging, specifically 152.78, which is a nationwide page.

Air to Ground Telephone [22.521]

Ch Ground Airborne

Signaling 454.675 (459.675)
6 454.700 459.700
7 454.725 459.725
5 454.750 459.750
8 454.775 459.775
4 454.800 459.800
9 454.825 459.825
3 454.850 459.850
10 454.875 459.875
2 454.900 459.900
11 454.925 459.925
1 454.950 459.950
12 454.975 459.975

Transmissions are FM. Ground stations repeat the airborne
half of the conversation, and transmit a continuous tone when
idle. From one to four channels are assigned in a particular
area.
Service is used on private aircraft.

179. Kill Filter (Delete); Use of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: denniso@primenet.com
Message-ID: <35c4e406.302422145@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 149786

I have only been looking in this ng for about three weeks. I found some really neat stuff here re: scanners and scanning. However, it seemed that there was about 35 - 40 percent of the posts being made by two individuals and their gallery of followers. (I refer to the flame war.) I looked over the selection today, and picked 13 folks who were posting the majority of the flames/comments about flammers and they are now being filtered and deleted. If they were as diligent in posting questions and answers pertaining to the ng topics, it probably would have been a pleasure to have read their comments. Alas, they be gone now.

180. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4E5F3.2F1D@parg.org>
Source record: 149787

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> > So, EXACTLY, what was a lie?

> Everything you post is a lie.

Again, when asked to be specific, you can't do it! You can
not give factual data to support your statements.

Bill is a decent honorable guy.
Of course, you say everything I post is a lie so the
avove statement must be a lie also.

181. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#F2oQTmv9GA.318@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>>"SheMale Central" stated that it -will- be discontinued, which is true,
>>unfortunately.
>Unfortunate for everyone who bought one at full price anyway...Quite
>fortunate for anyone who prefers clearance prices at RS.

Yes, that's right. I always wait awhile until I see a "7" at the end of the price (I learned this trick a long time ago when I asked why they came up with a price of xxx.x7), and that signals they won't be carrying the product much longer. That's when I wait even awhile longer and see how much the price goes down - then I move in to buy it.

I did the same with my PRO-64, although I didn't wait long enough. Bought it for $149.97, and 2 months later, it was $99.97.

>>Maybe this is a sign of better things to come? (EDACS-capable coming out?)
>Time will tell.

... and I certainly hope time is right!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

182. Re: PACKET WITH SOUND BLASTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <O9HI7Xmv9GA.175@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149789

I speak English, although I will try my Italian (I hope it isn't bad):

Lasciarlo sapere se trovate delle buone informazioni. Grazie!

(Let me know if you find any good information. Thanks!)
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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fabio wrote in message <01bdbe47$a68daca0$10b5f7c2@fabio>...
>I m italian amateur station......IZ0CBG......I'm 16 years old. Only one
>question.....IS POSSIBLE TO MAKE PACKET WITH THE SOUND BLASTER???????? I
>have some software but is not very good.......please my friens HELP
>ME......73s from IZ0CBG FABIO TNX for evryone intersted.
>iz0cbg@usa.net

183. Kenwood RZ-1 help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35c4e9c6.1147271@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149790

Hi,
I just got a RZ-1 for my car. The radio works great for what I'm using it but the display is so dim I can barely see it at night even!

Does anyone know of a brighter bulb I can put behind the display? Are there any mods for this radio??

Ben
W4WSM

184. **FS RS-PRO-62 HANDHELD**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: blade1@home.com
Message-ID: <35c4ee03.33191304@news>
Source record: 149791

Unit is in excellent condition with box and manual, $100.00 plus shipping.

Robert

185. Re: 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35caef0a.7160398@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149792

On 2 Aug 1998 20:42:26 GMT, cbake777@aol.com (Cbake777) wrote:

>Unlike the trunked tramissions, this one with stay on the scanner for the
>entire conversation, it just bugs me as to why I can only hera one side of the
>conversation?????

On the trunked system I monitor a phonepatch will stay on the same
frequency for the entire conversation, but I can hear both party's
crystal clear. Are these calls on a freq assigned to your local pd?

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186. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35C4EDC2.EA8CF486@navix.net>
Source record: 149793

Scape3000 wrote:

> Hi!
> Is ther any law that prohibit from purchasing scanner's frome outside USA?
>

Sure there are....But there is a very, very, very slim chance of being
cought....

>
>
>
> Where can I get a full coverage scanner??
>

try this link Javiation-european scanners

187. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cbf171.7775616@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149794

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:09:51 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Something like that : it is illegal to purchase a scanner (from anywhere,
>domestic or imported) that can pick up cellular.

So it is illegal to purchase a cell capable scanner from someone on
the newsgroup?

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188. Re: John's abuse of this NG never ends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ccf241.7983732@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149795

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 18:06:21 -0700, txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom
Jones) wrote:

>kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) writes:
>>
>> >Ever notice how mackey will post something like this only when Bill
>> >has him filtered?
>
>k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
>> Oh, yeah. It drives him crazy when the object
>> of his obsession doesn't pay any attention to him.
>> Dave
>
>Just like every bitch ya ever knew, huh?
>"Hell hath no fury as that of a woman scorned..."

Hahaha

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189. Re: K4CC's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cdf258.8006818@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149796

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 01:31:51 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>K4CC wrote:
>> You did conduct a survey, didn't you? You surely
>> wouldn't just pick a number out of the air, would you?
>
>It was an approximation.
>
>Would you like to see some example posts?

I would, and I've prepared a cryogenic suspension system to wait for
you to comply!

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190. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cef31a.8201105@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149797

On 2 Aug 1998 15:04:12 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>Does anyone else have any information on the FCC/ARRL investigation
>into John Mackeys VEC shenanigans?
>
>Licenses for sale, as well as upgrades?
>
>The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to
>revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a
>search warrant on John's parents house.
>
>Now, of course, no one should judge John on this,
>until it is completely verified, and he is proven
>guilty.

I've also heard this rumor, no one should jump to any conclusions
because he is innocent until proven guilty.

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191. Re: NG help opinions evaluations of Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cff3f1.8416267@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149798

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:24:00 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I love and use Wintone 2.0 for my local-area amateur radio repeater system
>for the repeater functions.
>
>It is well worth the money, although I have heard that he (the author of
>Wintone) sometimes accepts the money and doesn't send the code for a long
>time (sometimes 6 months).

So you are a registered user?

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192. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4F44A.7C2F@parg.org>
Source record: 149799

K4CC wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >I have never been investigated or
> >formally accused of any improper actions

> As opposed to "informally" accused?
> Is that like saying you were tried but not
> convicted?

OK, I have never been accused formally or informally by
any judicial or investigation body.

193. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4F482.5C8B@parg.org>
Source record: 149800

K4CC wrote:
> John E. Mackey, Jr.
> DOB 1-12-65

Very good! You must have used an FCC database. So how about the
warrant number & name of serving officer?

194. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4F4E6.4C09@parg.org>
Source record: 149801

K4CC wrote:
> Oh, you mean like "Mr. Mackey"? Or -KAOSSF-?
> Or "Fr. Mackey"?

At least I use my name of government issues identification.

195. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802232500001.TAA23318@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149802

Skeets Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>dmi853@juno.com wrote:

>> Everything you post is a lie.
>
>Again, when asked to be specific, you can't do it! You can
>not give factual data to support your statements.

That answer was VERY specific. And true. One
need only refer to any of your posts for the
"factual data to support" the statement.

196. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802232459O1.TAA27039@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149803

John "I'm Having Deja Vu All Over Again" Mackey, , KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
writes:

>THAT is
>why you have to post thru dejanews so you won't leave any
>tracks.

Funny, on the headers I received it said he
posted through Juno.
Slow down there, saddle pal,
you're getting a little frantic.

197. Re: K4CC's abuse of this NG goes around and around

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4F58D.1E49@parg.org>
Source record: 149804

K4CC wrote:

> <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >Would you like to see some example posts?

> No

I figured you would avoid the truth!

198. Re: BC9000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6q2sha$gks@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 149805
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6pvr90$lql@nntp.seflin.org>,
The Whimsy <p008647b@pb.seflin.org> wrote:

>Is the Bearcat 9000xlt worth the money. Can it be modified
>any information would be helpful.
>E-Mial me at p008647b@pb.seflin.org Thanks Speedy

I own two BC9000XLTs, each equipped with the CTCSS option board,
and think highly of them. They can be modified.

From my FAQ article SCANNER RADIO REVIEW BRIEFS:

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using
up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250
channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob.
Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder.
Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during
search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for
each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique
frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-
2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One
urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several
high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems.
For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by
Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For
tips and modification information, see my column in June
1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted
8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted
5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and
searching implementation.
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

199. FS PRO2037, BC855XLT, SHINWA001 SCANNERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223321600.TAA27986@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149806

IF INTERESTED PLEASE E- MAIL ME AT pdoddy@aol.com.OR EVEN A PKG DEAL. THANKS.

200. Re: Mackey's VE credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223331000.TAA28109@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149807

John E. "Just The Fact's Ma'am" Mackey, Jr. - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>So how about the
>warrant number & name of serving officer?

An FCC investigation doesn't trigger a "warrant".
FCC inspectors do most of their work undercover,
so their names are not a matter of public record.

201. Re: MACKEY DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223331100.TAA24371@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149808

In article <35C4F4E6.4C09@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>At least I use my name of government issues identification.

As long as you use a zero and not the letter O.

202. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4F730.E0B@parg.org>
Source record: 149809

John T. Arthur wrote:

> On Sun, 2 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
> > Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> > on this NG?

> Haven't seen anything from him - just the usual drivel from you.

I figured you would be blind to the pathetic activities of
your hero, so here you go, the message you say
you haven't seen:

>Subject: Mackey Tries the Lottery !
> Date: Sat, 01 Aug 1998 13:26:33 GMT
> From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner, alt.radio.scanner
>
>Overheard on another newsgroup:
>===
>John Mackey found himself in dire trouble.
>His business had gone bust and he was in
>serious financial trouble. He had developed
>renal kidney failure, cirrhosis of the liver;
SNIP

203. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223373100.TAA28654@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149810

>From: Matt Virus

>Sure there are....But there is a very, very, very slim chance of being
>cought....

Well, there's even a slimmer chance of being **caught.** That's a joke!

204. Re: Mackey's Version of "Truth"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223381100.TAA28742@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149811

In article <35C4F58D.1E49@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I figured you would avoid the truth!

You don't need my permission to post
whetever you want to post.

I wonder, though, what it is you're
avoiding by not making good on your
offer of 7/26 to post copies of messages
that were sent to your ISPs about you?

205. Re: Pro-90, Good 800Mhz Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d1f834.9507115@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149812

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 05:22:13 GMT, "Kevin Lanning" <kll@ns.esn.net>
wrote:

>If you would actually read his message you would realize that is exactly
>what he said. But thank you for repeating it for everyone.

I'm glad that I was not the only one to notice...and to answer the
original question, yes it will improve 800mhz reception.

>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>>Actually, the antenna you are speaking of has a TNC connector. All cellular
>>phone antennas that Radio Shack has use TNC connectors.
>>
>>However, you could use it with an BNC to TNC adapter, which is about $4.
>>
>>Regards.
>>--
>>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>>RySoft Corporation
>>
>>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>>
>>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>>
>>Bryan G. wrote in message <6ptdj7$j6g@netaxs.com>...
>>>Just purchased a Pro-90 (excellent scanner by the way) and have a question
>>>for some of the more seasoned users. RS also sells a 800Mhz Cell phone
>>>antenna that (with a BNC adapter) will fit on this scanner. Can not
>>>remember the Cat. No. but it is the one that can be turned 90 degrees.
>Has
>>>anyone tried this or have any other ideas that may show improved reception
>>>when doing Trunk Tracking.
>>>
>>>Bryan

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206. Re: Kill Filter (Delete); Use of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223403800.TAA25318@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149813

>From: denniso@primenet.com

[Much to do about nothing]

So far, you've engaged only in the very behavior that you so hypocritically condemn. Looks like I've got another one for the bozo filter. See ya--wouldn't want to be ya! PLONK!

207. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223422400.TAA29269@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149814

>>Subject: Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

>I've also heard this rumor, no one should jump to any conclusions
>because he is innocent until proven guilty.

This is an admirable position to take. Until Mackey is actually prosecuted and convicted of selling licenses and the other illegal activities the original poster alleged, the best thing would be to give Mackey the benefit of the doubt. Of course, it would help if he would post some evidence of his innocence!

208. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223450000.TAA29605@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149815

>Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing
>From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>THAT is why you won't use your real ID or name on this NG, THAT is why you have to post thru dejanews so you won't leave any
>tracks.

Perhaps he prefers to avoid being the target of your mail bombs, impersonations, forgeries and the many other distasteful and unsavory practices that your routinely engage in.

209. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080223483400.TAA00165@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149816

In article <35C4F730.E0B@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>so here you go, the message you say
>you haven't seen:

Funny, the last time you mentioned it you
referred to post(s) plural. Now it's just one.
Whatever shall we believe??

210. Bearcat Equal???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6q31k6$gc2$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 149817

what is the bearcat equal to a r/s pro 2036? can the same mods be done to it? please email me with answer. thank for your reply in advance. MIKE

211. Re: Thru the glass scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon & Glenn M <klein@cyburban.com>
Message-ID: <35C50D68.4AB50556@cyburban.com>
Source record: 149818

I have been using one for the last year(Radio Shack) i have not had
any problems with it i primary scan the 400 Mhz band with no noticeable
problems
Glenn

Rayd8@rocketmail.com wrote:

> Anyone have any experience with them.....are they any good?

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" The road of life can only reveal itself as it is traveled; each turn
in the road reveals a suprise. Man's future is hidden."
--Anonymous

212. Re: John 'Toilet Boy' Mackey, still a liar and a fraud

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C50EC0.79FDB779@primenet.com>
Source record: 149819

KA0SSF "The only reason I manage to keep my head above water is that wood floats." pouted:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > about having those degrees. You don't like it because I keep
> > reminding you that you have nothing

And that you are nothing.

> You have proven yourself as a liar when you acknowledged my FCC
> commercial license.

I was referring to your lies about having a degree. Your FCC licenses are
public record as are mine. You're just annoyed that I have more certifications, experience, and expertise than you. But then, so does everybody else.

> > If you can't stand a dose of the truth, get out of the newsgroup.
>
> Excellent advice you give.

Yes, it is. You should heed it.

> When ever people hold Bill accountable for his actions, you're in
> there trying to justify & minimize his actions.

I wasn't talking about Bill Cheek, you moron. I was talking about your lies about having a degree. Again, I accuse you of lying about having a degree. The ONLY way you can prove me wrong, is to confirm you really have those degrees by providing the necessary evidence. But, you can't do that because it (the proof) doesn't exist.

213. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35C50F62.AAA181B0@primenet.com>
Source record: 149820

KA0SSF "I like to stand in front of a mirror with my eyes closed to
see what I look like when I'm asleep." spewed more lies:
>
> Tom Jones wrote:
>
> > certifications, as much as it was that a person who has ANY qualifications
> > at all, will cheerfully provide them when asked. The only people who balk
> > - repeatedly - at such opportunities are the fakes, frauds and liars.
>
> I agree with the excellent point you make. It certainly displays
> Bill's actions correctly as he REFUSES to give ANY of his
> credentials when asked.

Yeah, just like your lies about having a degree.

ya friggin' loon

214. Pro-43 Unblocked Mint ! !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080215413000.LAA28349@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149821

I have a Pro-43, in mint condition, receives everything you like including cell. Includes Wall charger, manual, original box, nicads, and leather case. Please make offer- first reasonable offer will keep radio off auction block. This thing works great and looks great- too many scanners !
Pls email me

215. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802154139 00.LAA28362@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149822

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:

>Does anyone else have any information on the FCC/ARRL investigation
>into John Mackeys VEC shenanigans?

Well, Mackey stated the other day that if
nobody presents a factual rebuttal to a post,
then it is legitimate. So, using his own theory,
it must be true that he is selling Amateur
licenses and upgrades since I haven't seen
anybody deny it.

>Now, of course, no one should judge John on this,
>until it is completely verified, and he is proven
>guilty.

Yes, Blake, of course. Do you know anyone
who's travelling to Portland anytime soon who
can verify these charges?

Dave

216. Re: Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: choad98@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35c482bb.1416563@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 149823

These regularly go for $250. Check eBay...

I own two of them. They are GREAT radios! Real performers, great sounding, etc.

I tried a Pro 90, but got rid of it for the 43! It doesn't Trunk Track, but thats ok with me.

On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 14:32:18 -0400, "Dick Burke" <toby@gis.net> wrote:

>Whats it worth?I have a Pro 43 complete with mods already done.Has box
>,manual,cube charger,extra antenna,all is in mint condition.....
>
>--
>Thanks
>n1rsp@qsl.net
>ICQ#423512
>Tel.978-281-3359
>
>

217. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6q23uc$4ej@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149824

Thanks for the replies. There does seem to be some confusion about the legalities of scanning while in flight.

What started me on this was doing exactly what JTWard did, check the inflight magazine for approved electronic devices during cruise altitudes. VHF Scanners was listed as an approved device (along with laptop computers, gameboys, etc.).

anyway, thanks -- and thankyou JTWARD

cheers

rick

Rick Pemble wrote in message <6pvrou$rqk@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>...
>I just bought a handheld and am interested in listening to air-ground com
>when flying commercial (Delta).
>What freqs are typically used when airborne? Any tips on scanning at
>30,000+ feet?
>
>Thanks
>
>Rick
>
>

218. FS(Canada) DrakeReceiver/Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35c495de.0@carrera>
Source record: 149825
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Drake SW8 c/w box,manual,bill of sale $650 CDN funds plus shipping

Base Scanner BC800XLT 40ch,800MHz,weather manual,box,bill of sale $150 CDN funds plus shipping

Located Langley BC(Vancouver area) (604)533-3567 Paul

219. R 10 intercepter wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "j.r." <tyler502@mail.ultraweb.net>
Message-ID: <35C49922.85C9694@mail.ultraweb.net>
Source record: 149826

I'm looking for the older version of Optoelectronic's Xplorer the R 10 Intercepter , maybe a preamp and band pass filters also if reasonable priced .

Thanx j.r.

220. Radio Bulletin Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: webmaster <webmaster@lakeisabella.net>
Message-ID: <GM0x1.6733$k73.2750771@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 149827

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Radio Bulletin Board
Feel free to post a Buy / Sell / Trade ad
or questions or info regarding the radio
hobby

http://www.lakeisabella.net/amateur/
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221. NG help opinions evaluations of Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "j.r." <tyler502@mail.ultraweb.net>
Message-ID: <35C4A095.800F79FE@mail.ultraweb.net>
Source record: 149828

Any input about Wintone 2.0 software wanted . Opinions and evaluations
of this program from experienced users would be appreciated.

j.r.

222. Re: Reithoffer Shows Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott W. Lowry" <slowry@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <6q2736$gq9$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149829

I saw them a couple of years ago in Springfield Missouri and found the following;

F1 - 152.885 (PL 131.8)
F2 - 151.925 (PL 131.8)

I'm sure they may also use others, but that will give you a place to start.

223. Scanner fest????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080217230500.NAA12785@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149830

Hi!

can someone advice of any festival in souther California (Orange, Los Angeles county)

thank you :^)

224. Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080217312800.NAA10473@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149831

Hi!
Is ther any law that prohibit from purchasing scanner's frome outside USA?

Where can I get a full coverage scanner??

225. WTB : Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Stacy <bstacy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35C4A29D.15A44EC6@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149832

Hello...
I would like to buy a handheld scanner preferably 26 - 900 mhz (no gap)
I'm in Canada so dollar is killer right now, be kind... Under $200 would be nice.
I' always get lost so in this newsgroup - so email me as well -
Thankx
Bill

226. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q28ep$ch4$0@207.18.224.51>
Source record: 149833

On 02 Aug 1998 15:41:39 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
>
>>Does anyone else have any information on the FCC/ARRL investigation
>>into John Mackeys VEC shenanigans?
>
>Well, Mackey stated the other day that if
>nobody presents a factual rebuttal to a post,
>then it is legitimate. So, using his own theory,
>it must be true that he is selling Amateur
>licenses and upgrades since I haven't seen
>anybody deny it.
>
>>Now, of course, no one should judge John on this,
>>until it is completely verified, and he is proven
>>guilty.
>
>Yes, Blake, of course. Do you know anyone
>who's travelling to Portland anytime soon who
>can verify these charges?
>
>Dave

As a matter of fact, I do know someone who will,
it maybe in December, but they will let me know
the story soon.

227. Pro-2042 for $249 also Pro-2045 for $99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6q28jl$ba0@netaxs.com>
Source record: 149834

Mt local RS has the Pro-2042 available for $229. They also have a Pro-2045
for $95.
Anyone care to comment on which would be the better deal for the dollar.

Bryan

228. Re: Pro-90, Good 800Mhz Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <eFIYL$jv9GA.74@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149835

Oops! I now see this. I apologize.

Your rude tone, however, did not help anything.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Kevin Lanning wrote in message <9ISw1.36$F07.222728@news2.randori.com>...
>If you would actually read his message you would realize that is exactly
>what he said. But thank you for repeating it for everyone.

229. Looking for BC895XLT in Tidewater area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6q29i4$cc5@netaxs.com>
Source record: 149836

Am trying to find a BC895XLT radio local to me. (Norfolk, Portsmouth, Va,Beach)
and have only found one dealer local and he wants 349.00 which seems steep.
Anyone know of any dealers local to this area.

Bryan

230. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802180722OO.OAA14691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149837

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:

>As a matter of fact, I do know someone who will,
>it maybe in December, but they will let me know
>the story soon.

Oh, that's good. Well, in the meantime, we shouldn't even mention the fact that Mackey is being investigated for VEC fraud until we can substantiate the charge.

Dave

231. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OoOOvBkv9GA.188@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149838

Something like that : it is illegal to purchase a scanner (from anywhere, domestic or imported) that can pick up cellular.

Getting caught is not too hard (since the "ship to" address is on the package).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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Scape3000 wrote in message
<19980802173128800.NAA10473@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Hi!
> Is ther any law that prohibit from purchasing scanner's frome outside USA?
>
>Where can I get a full coverage scanner??
>

232. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <usNwPCkv9GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149839

Sorry - no "admin" here. This is an open and unmoderated group.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Jose Cuervo wrote in message <35C42C36.F5D4FF0F@eden.com>...
>How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the
>admin? what? We should ban mackey...
>

233. Re: What the heck?!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OuLzCFkv9GA.184@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149840

I apologize Steve (for saying you were a friend), however you DID say "no
hard feelings". I consider that an act of 'truce' -- an "alliance" of sorts.

Since this was so long ago, I don't have the email and I don't know how much
you can trust me, but you did say this.

Again, I apologize for the confusion.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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Halket wrote in message <35C3922F.902DB347@bigfoot.com>...
>I recently did a search for my name on the newsgroup (good to do this
>every once in a while) and was VERY surprised to find that one of the
>messages on this newsgroup was posted by "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" claiming
>that ".. Steve Halket and I are good friends, and I told him about
>this.." <SNIPPED THE REST>
>
>This was in regard to a number of posts by this idiot kid, who picks
>newsgroups at random, then posts stupid SH*T to them... just to get a
>response.
>
>BE ASSURED!!! At no time did I, or do I, call this IDIOT a friend, much
>less a good friend. In fact, after receiving NUMEROUS emails from this
>idiot advising that he was going to "tell my ISP". I emailed his father
>to let him know what a BRAT he has. His father apologized, said that
>Ryan was a little 'spoiled' and he would pay closer attention to what
>Ryan did on the computer.
>
>Looks like he has now decided to use your newsgroup as his playground.
>Not only is a pathetic little pimple on the ass of society, he is a
>liar!!!
>
>No skin off, but I AM DAMNED PISSED THAT HE USED MY NAME and CLAIMED me
>as his friend!@!!!! MUST TRULY BE LONELY!!!!

234. Re: NG help opinions evaluations of Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u9#TpJkv9GA.272@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149841

I love and use Wintone 2.0 for my local-area amateur radio repeater system
for the repeater functions.

It is well worth the money, although I have heard that he (the author of
Wintone) sometimes accepts the money and doesn't send the code for a long
time (sometimes 6 months).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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j.r. wrote in message <35C4A095.800F79FE@mail.ultraweb.net>...
>Any input about Wintone 2.0 software wanted . Opinions and evaluations
>of this program from experienced users would be appreciated.
>
> j.r.

235. BEARCAT BC-150 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxextent@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802182451OO.OAA20127@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149842

Here's one.....

I have a Bearcat BC-150 scanner, originally manufactured by Electra Company. This scanner may have been built in the early 1980's, but that's a rough guess.

I am in search of repair documents as well as a parts supply source.

I appreciate any and all info....

236. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <35C4AF9D.DCE43C10@datacomm.com>
Source record: 149843
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

The post driver is one of the best / cheapest methods but......

If you have access to a large capicity rotohammer, the head, minus a bit will fit right over a ground rod. It works ok for one or two, if your are going to use it for very many get a bit designed for ground rods, it will keep you from damageing the tool. Using the rotohammer is like pushing the rod into butter, unless you hit a large rock, then it argues for a while.

If you don't have access to a rotohammer, or power, the post driver works well and is easy to make. I have a special one I made for use in difficult soils that weighs about fifty pounds.

Regardless of what method you use to drive the rod, dig one shovel of soil out, place the rod in the center of the hole, and keep it full of water while you drive the rod. In some soils with little rock you can push the rod in by hand with a steady up and down motion.

If this ground rod is for an electrical service ground, many electrical inspection authorities will require you to drive two and sometimes more rods six feet or more apart because of the difficulty of obtaining a low resistance contact between the soil and ground rod array.

If this is for an electrical ground, EMAIL back and I'll give you some suggestions that might work better for you.

Louis

Jolly Roger wrote:

> Stop by a local rental place, ask for a Post Driver, they are used to
> install tempoary fencing metal post. It's a 24" long Pipe closed on
> one end with Handels, Weight about 20lbs. You just Lift and Drop it
> will drive that ground rod in the ground in a couple of minutes. We
> use them all the time for driving ground rods a cellular sites.
>
> Roger
> On Wed, 22 Jul 1998 03:44:37 GMT, mr-hankey@mailcity.com wrote:
>
> >Hi all...
> >
> >I need to drive a 10' grounding rod into the soil, and haven't a clue how to
> >go about it, other than to wet the soil first. I tend to think this will be
> >a very difficult thing to do in any case.
> >
> >The only thing I can think of is to saturate the ground as much as possible
> >(which won't make much of a dent anyway), and then get up on a ladder and

> >start pounding away with a hammer.
> >
> >There MUST be an easier way!!!! (isn't there??? :(..) I'm in upstate NY with
> >lots of clay-ish soil. Let alone any rocks I may hit along the way. Argh!!
> >
> >Help!!!!
> >
> >Thanks.
> >
> >------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

237. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ODAQBQkv9GA.207@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149844

Incorrect in two ways:

1- [Passenger Jet] Aircraft do not always operate under IFR.
2- Scanners and other radio receivers are allowed on about 75% of all airlines, as long as they are not used at the gate, during taxi, take-off, climb, approach, and landing.
3- Permission is not required as long as the company's regulations require permission or prohibit the use of radio receivers on board at any time.

I've done my research on both of these points. Pick up an inflight magazine on any airline, and "Item #2" will plainly be proven.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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n7hmf@ucares.org wrote in message <6q0oa4$vn1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>POP! (That is the sound of a can of worms opening...)
>
>My advice is do not do it without the permission of the airline and the pilot.
>Radio receivers and transmitters that are not a permanent part of the
>aircraft's equipment may not be used while an aircraft is flying under
>Instrument Flight Rules (IFR), which for a commercial aircraft is ALWAYS. The
>only exception is with the permission of the owner and pilot of the aircraft.
>
>
>In article <6pvrou$rqk@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>,
> "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>> I just bought a handheld and am interested in listening to air-ground com
>> when flying commercial (Delta).
>> What freqs are typically used when airborne? Any tips on scanning at
>> 30,000+ feet?
>>
>> Thanks
>>
>> Rick
>>
>>

>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

238. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uzGVlRkv9GA.169@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"SheMale Central" stated that it -will- be discontinued, which is true,
unfortunately.

Maybe this is a sign of better things to come? (EDACS-capable coming out?)
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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John Habbinga wrote in message <6pu4ud$v53$1@news4.wt.net>...
>You have been misinformed. The Pro-90 scanner is not discontinued. I am
sure
>that some day it will be. However, it is not discontinued now. Your local
>RadioShack should have them in stock now, and if they don't, then they can
>order them from the warehouse. By the way, I feel the Pro-9,1 after the
>audio mod, is a superior radio to the Pro-90. That's just my opinion. Those
>that have a need for lots of channels may feel differently. Fortunately I
>have many more scanners and only use the Pro-91 for Trunk Tracking.
>
>
>
>

239. Re: WTB : Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <Oy5d#Tkv9GA.91@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149846

I'm not sure if places up there still have them or not (let alone not having gaps), but I am pretty happy with my Radio Shack PRO-64 for $150...
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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> I would like to buy a handheld scanner preferably 26 - 900 mhz (no
>gap)
>I'm in Canada so dollar is killer right now, be kind... Under $200
>would be nice.
>I' always get lost so in this newsgroup - so email me as well -
>Thankx
>Bill
>
>
>

240. Re: 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u36IUVkv9GA.185@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149847

Many newer police communications systems have an autopatch that sometimes switches channels every now and then. It is very much like an amateur radio patch -- uses only a radio and the repeater -- to make telephone calls.

I am not sure why the other side is faint, though.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Cbake777 wrote in message
<19980802145042000.KAA23372@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>I am continually picking up phone calls in the 800 range. These are non
>cellular from police officers in their car calling land line phones. I can
here
>the party they are calling crystal clear, but the officers reception drops
off
>after a few seconds. What kind of phones are they using? Are they operating
on
>a drop freq that is above or below the freq I'm on? I am tired of only
hearing
>one side of the conversation...the other side is so faint that it isn't
>discernable......
>Chris Baker
>94 RMX 250
>88 Z50R (The Beast)

241. Re: Rocky Mtn Natl Park

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Van Allen <yonnie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6q2c78$71l@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149848

"Ray" <kb8tpw@earthlink.net> wrote:
>Anyone /with a quick source for frequencies around RMNP?. Thanks
>kb8tpw@hotmail.com
>
>

Ray,

http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/9952/npsco.htm

Happy scanning,

Jon

242. Bristol Race Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: antho10359@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080218495400.OAA19597@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149849

Anyone have the latest NASCAR freqs for the upcoming race in Bristol, TN.?

243. PACKET WITH SOUND BLASTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fabio <patfab@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bdbe47$a68daca0$10b5f7c2@fabio>
Source record: 149850

I m italian amateur station......IZ0CBG......I'm 16 years old. Only one question.....IS POSSIBLE TO MAKE PACKET WITH THE SOUND BLASTER???????? I have some software but is not very good.......please my friens HELP ME......73s from IZ0CBG FABIO TNX for evryone intersted.
iz0cbg@usa.net

244. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6q2c9unbo1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 149851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

SheMale Central? I don't know who this is, but I am not sure that I would
believe anyone called SheMale. The scanner is currently advertised for
$199.99. I'll tell you a secret. If the price ends in a 7, like $199.97,
then it is either discontinued or about to be discontinued. I think some
people believe that it is discontinued because the leather case for it is
showing up as discontinued. Although it is true that the case is
discontinued on the RadioShack store's computer system, it has only being
moved to the RadioShack Unlimited ordering system and will still be
available for years to come. This is probably why the price has not been
dropped on that item and probably will not be.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
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>
>Maybe this is a sign of better things to come? (EDACS-capable coming out?)
>--
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>
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Those
>>that have a need for lots of channels may feel differently. Fortunately I
>>have many more scanners and only use the Pro-91 for Trunk Tracking.

245. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q2fmh$mc9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149852

In article <35C42C36.F5D4FF0F@eden.com>,
Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com> wrote:
> How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the
> admin? what? We should ban mackey...
>
>

You can't "ban" someone from an unmoderated news group.
Your best bet is to kill file him or skip over his posts,
then you will have, for all practical purposes, "banned"
him.

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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246. Re: KA0SSF's abuse of this NG reaches epic proportions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q2gaj$n6o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149853

In article <19980802101939 00.GAA08516@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> John "Why Aren't There Any Posts About Repeaters Here?" Mackey, KA0SSF
> <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >Now I am only on 4 mailing lists
> >to stay focused on my favorite areas, repeater building & operations.
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>
> Which explains why you subscribe to
> a scanner newsgroup. Sure thing, gabby,
> whatever you say. Uh huh. Right.
>

John is way too modest, he fails to mention that one of
his favorite areas is repeater RE-building. Ha! Ha! Ha!
His misadventures approach legend status in the Pacific
Northwest. PARG's inner circle affectionately refer to
him as "Smokey".

/Sal

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

247. Re: Hackettstown, NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C4E17F.F6DEE2E0@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149854

Robyn,
Try this site;
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
You may find what you are looking for if you have county and state also
try:
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
Good luck on your search and move. Randall

ROBYN SUCHOWSKI wrote:

> Does anyone have any idea what frequencies Hackettstown operates on?
> There are a few small towns with in the confines of Hackettstown, and
> I'm moving to one of them.
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> Robyn

248. Re: Pro-2042 for $249 also Pro-2045 for $99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080219242800.PAA23596@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149855

>Pro-2042 for $249 also Pro-2045 for $99
>From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
>Date: 8/2/98 10:43 AM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <6q28jl$ba0@netaxs.com>
>
>Mt local RS has the Pro-2042 available for $229. They also have a Pro-2045
>for $95.
>Anyone care to comment on which would be the better deal for the dollar.
>
>Bryan

For my money I couldn't decide so I bought both (well actually just a PRO-2035, but it's the exact same radio as the 2042 with a different color display & the "self programming" feature is a bit buggy). They have stromg and weak points and features that compliment each other. I use the 2045 by the bed and the 2035/2042 at the "main" daytime position next to the computer. The 2045 is more sensitive (easier to overload too) & has a wall-wart power supply so I use it with an attic antenna during thunder storms, when I must unplug the 2035/2042 with it's internal transformer and need for the outside antenna.
The 2035/2042 is better shielded and picks up less noise from the computer so it works better for decoding Pocsag and such. The 2035/2042 is easier to mod - you can find things on the circuit board for discriminator taps & such. The 2045 earphone jack is made for high efficiency headphones/earplugs & won't drive a speaker (perfect fro bedside use) - the 2035/2042 has lots of audio and drives a mobile style speaker loud enough to cover the whole house.
This list might give you some help deciding which you want, but unless you need trunk-tracking, the two together give me everything I need.
Neutrodyne

249. Re: NORTH GEORGIA FREQ'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C4E2AD.D936A667@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149856

Don,
try these two sites;
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
good luck
Randall

DONLEY BURGE wrote:

> I have most of police,fire,rescue,etc.
> I am looking for frequencies for phoenix air in cartersville,ga,euharlee
> police,and any other special frequencies in cartersville,ga area. Any help
> welcomed.
>
>
> Don

250. Re: ****NEED FREQS FOR TN.****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C4E4D0.5A7E4DF3@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149857

Dan,
here are a couple of sites to search;
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
good luck
Randall

musicman@showme.net wrote:

> I am moving to murfreesboro, tn (30 miles south of nashville) and i need
> radio frequencies for that area. Also any other interesting freqs would
> be helpful.
>
> ALSO...
>
> I was wondering about scanning laws in Tennessee. Anyone know??
>
> thanks
>
> dan

251. Re: Newport Beach Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C4E64E.8D4848D5@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149858

Ken;
here are a couple of sites to search;
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
good luck
Randall

Ken wrote:

> I am looking for Police & Fire frequencies for Newport Beach
> California...
>
> Thanks in Advance.

252. Re: frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C4E9B7.B988A2E3@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149859

Manee,
here are a couple of sites to search;
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
good luck
Randall

MANEE MEURETT wrote:

> need frequencies for the san antonio tx area. police, fire, ems and
> anything
> you may have.
>
> thankyou
> dlm
>
> donmeurett@juno.com

253. Re: police scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C4EA06.D1911F30@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149860

Ed,
here are a couple of sites to search;
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
good luck
Randall

edmundharris@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Does anyone know any freq for Sierra Vista Az? I need police and fire and DPS.
>
> --
> I hope to here back soon:
>
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254. Cheeks dumped from group too?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tvine@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q2hgooja1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149861

Whats up? Wheres Cheeks. Did he get
dumped from this group somehow?
Ever since word came out of his dismissal
from the mailing list he aint said boo.
Whats up with that?

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255. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q2h2rntc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149862

In article <19980802180722OO.OAA14691@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
>
> >As a matter of fact, I do know someone who will,
> >it maybe in December, but they will let me know
> >the story soon.
>
> Oh, that's good. Well, in the meantime, we shouldn't
> even mention the fact that Mackey is being
> investigated for VEC fraud until we can substantiate
> the charge.
>
> Dave
>

I, for one, would never mention the fact that John Mackey
is being investigated for VEC fraud until I could substantiate
the charge.

/Sal

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256. scanner freq's for northeast texas counties

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rorow@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <6q2hin$56gc$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 149863

Please email me @ rorow@prodigy.net
Looking for gregg,harrison,rusk thanks

257. Icom R-10 Discriminator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <6q2i8o$cbj@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149864
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I was once sent the information on where the Icom R-10 Discriminator was located, but I've since lost it.

Could someone please send me this information. Thanks

73's de Mike KB8VKF

258. Pro-70; Mod question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew H. Fogle" <foglem@cec2.aps.edu>
Message-ID: <35C4C46C.DAC62C18@cec2.aps.edu>
Source record: 149865

I started out with the PRO-43, sold it for almost nothing (I didn't know what it was worth) and now have a PRO-70 (the current handheld cheap scanner). Tapping the discriminator is easy as they even give you a pin connecting to it! However I am wondering if anyone can explain the logic of the thing. I am curious in how hard it would be to mod it for more freq range since it uses the same chip as the 2022 does. Could someone with knowledge of this help out?

259. Re: 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080220422600.QAA06592@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149866

Unlike the trunked tramissions, this one with stay on the scanner for the
entire conversation, it just bugs me as to why I can only hera one side of the
conversation?????
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

260. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080220532500.QAA04362@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149867

sgambino@my-dejanews.com writes:

>I, for one, would never mention the fact that John Mackey
>is being investigated for VEC fraud until I could substantiate
>the charge.

That's good, Sal, because it would be wrong to mention
that the FCC and ARRL are investigating him for selling
ham licenses, until we have proof.

Dave

261. New moderated scanner mailing list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianlan@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6q2kkh$s2r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149868
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I've recently started a new moderated scanner list. Hopefully a lot of the problems with immature posters found on the newsgroups will be cut back since each post is checked before it is sent to the entire list. To join, visit http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Network/7275.

Brian L.
brianlan@hotmail.com

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262. Re: Alinco DJ-X10T: Missing battery holder & other problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6q2kvp$5t1@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 149869
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35c38fcd.1400914@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>,
Paul Szilard <NO_SPAM~pszilard@au1.ibm.com> wrote:
>8>< snip ...
>Rich,
>
>Q3: Can you advise re my previous questions about the connections for
>the PC link? I would be grateful if you could advise whether or not an
>optical isolator is necessary, or can the RS232 serial port pins be
>wired directly to the 2.5mm stereo plug?

For what it's worth.

I downloaded the shareware version a while back, and stopped short of
using it because I had no cable.

I was looking through the doc file and they suggested that the cable used
with the ADMS-1 software for the Yaseu handheld ham xcvers would work with
a 3.5 to 2.5mm adaptor. I have a VX-1 with said cable, and am pretty sure
there is no optoisolator in the plug. So just for fun I went for broke and
attached a Radio Shack plug adaptor to the end. To my surprise and delight
it recognized the radio and downloaded its entire RAM without a hitch.

My check for program registration is in the mail this week.....

--
Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

263. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4DE55.5430@parg.org>
Source record: 149870

K4CC wrote:
> Well, Mackey stated the other day that if
> nobody presents a factual rebuttal to a post,
> then it is legitimate. So, using his own theory,
> it must be true that he is selling Amateur
> licenses and upgrades since I haven't seen
> anybody deny it.

OK, consider this a denial. I have never been investigated or formally accused of any improper actions as a licensed radio operator.

264. Re: BC700a - 700a.mod (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35c3de0d.4050786@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149871

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 22:40:16 -0500, "Joker" <joker@lisco.com> wrote:

>I have had this BC700a for a few years and I remember I had seen a few mods
>for it but I can't find them anymore. Can anyone help me out? I'm looking
>for anything in the way of mods for this scanner.
>
>Thanks
>
>

265. BOOK: Monitor America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: denniso@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q0k90$r8p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149872

Anyone know if this publication will be reprinted in the near future? Last edition was 1995. Thanks for replies.

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266. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7hmf@ucares.org
Message-ID: <6q0oa4$vn1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149873

POP! (That is the sound of a can of worms opening...)

My advice is do not do it without the permission of the airline and the pilot. Radio receivers and transmitters that are not a permanent part of the aircraft's equipment may not be used while an aircraft is flying under Instrument Flight Rules (IFR), which for a commercial aircraft is ALWAYS. The only exception is with the permission of the owner and pilot of the aircraft.

In article <6pvrou$rqk@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>,
"Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> I just bought a handheld and am interested in listening to air-ground com
> when flying commercial (Delta).
> What freqs are typically used when airborne? Any tips on scanning at
> 30,000+ feet?
>
> Thanks
>
> Rick
>
>

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267. Re: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7hmf@ucares.org
Message-ID: <6q0onq$a3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149874

Two likely possibilities:

1. - IMTS mobile telephones (pre-cellular car phones) operate on 454Mhz paired with 459Mhz. These systems are still in use in some areas.

2. - Commercial "Autopatches" operate on many systems.

In article <35C37382.40406601@cec2.aps.edu>,
"Matthew H. Fogle" <foglem@cec2.aps.edu> wrote:
> Hi; I don't know if this is a old topic but I found that in my area I
> get a lot of what appear to be cordless phones in the 450-470mHz range;
> does anyone know what these are? My only guess was I am receiving a half
> wave of the 900mHz phones. If anyone knows please email... Thanks,
> -Matt
> foglem@cec2.aps.edu
>
>

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268. Re: BEARCAT 8500/WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35c3d72d.1841745@news>
Source record: 149875

On 2 Aug 1998 01:42:46 GMT, cwest69521@aol.com (CWest69521) wrote:

>LOOKING FOR THE 8500 BASE BEARCAT SCANNER
>
>PLS EMAIL CWEST69521@AOL.COM

Why?

269. Re: pro 25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <nospampoustie@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6q0r5o$7ee@examiner.concentric.net>
Source record: 149876

Er, uh, no. Can't be mod., doesn't compare. Also note that the list price was 1/2 of the pro 26.

Scape3000 wrote in message <19980801071736000.DAA18943@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Can some one tell me if the pro 25 can be mod. to compare the pro 26????

270. FS:a lotta scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hose92@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080205123900.BAA24890@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149877

Hi, i have too many scanners.
Please e-mail me with offers for the following.
=rs pro-2041(able to download freq.'s with scancat gold)new in box.
=rs pro 64(able to download freq.'s with scancat gold)(poss. modied available)new
=rs pro 2035(1000 channels tape rec. jack)recieve out of band on 1,000 to 1300mhz)few months old hardly used.
=pro 28(covers up to 512mhz)great for begginners and the not so enthueised
=AOR 8000 LIKE NEW NEVER ABUSED ALWAYS PAMPERED.STILL GOT MANUAL IN NEW CONDITION. NO GAPS.

271. Re: Pro-90, Good 800Mhz Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Lanning <kll@ns.esn.net>
Message-ID: <9ISw1.36$F07.222728@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 149878

If you would actually read his message you would realize that is exactly
what he said. But thank you for repeating it for everyone.

--
To reply by e-mail, remove the "ns." from my address.
kll@ns.esn.net

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>Actually, the antenna you are speaking of has a TNC connector. All cellular
>phone antennas that Radio Shack has use TNC connectors.
>
>However, you could use it with an BNC to TNC adapter, which is about $4.
>
>Regards.
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>Bryan G. wrote in message <6ptdj7$j6g@netaxs.com>...
>>Just purchased a Pro-90 (excellent scanner by the way) and have a question
>>for some of the more seasoned users. RS also sells a 800Mhz Cell phone
>>antenna that (with a BNC adapter) will fit on this scanner. Can not
>>remember the Cat. No. but it is the one that can be turned 90 degrees.
Has
>>anyone tried this or have any other ideas that may show improved reception
>>when doing Trunk Tracking.
>>
>>Bryan
>>
>>
>>
>
>

272. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C407AE.7DE@parg.org>
Source record: 149879

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> where is the proof you stated that you were getting
> from the court in San Diego,

Incorrect. I said that someone was going to go to San Diego this
September & would check it out. I have no idea if they are still
going to do so or not. I never said taht I was getting anything
from the court in San Diego.

> you were the one that stated you had proof
> of the warrant being sent from the court to you.

Wrong, read my above post.

> Any time you get cornered about statements you made and said you had
> proof , right away your telling the person asking to show proof of what
> you said.

That is correct. I have learned that about 95% of the accusations made
by yourself & the other "Cheek-a-likes" are lies.

273. Re: BAN CHEEK/MACKEY FROM NG's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C40840.132B@parg.org>
Source record: 149880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Tom Jones wrote:
> Which list was this that BC was allegedly "moved off" of?

Why don't you get all the details you want from your buddy
Bill? Or is he refusing to talk about it?

274. Re: Computer controlled scanner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-qBQNtTnn4Nul@localhost>
Source record: 149881

MAlexder,

• Opto cotnrols the scanner

Somewhat begs the question: Can the Opto program the scanner?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

275. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4065F.725D@parg.org>
Source record: 149882

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> KA0SSF wrote:
> > I have NEVER said there was a warrant. Infact, *I* am the one who asked
> > for anyone stating there was such a warrant to present proof.
>
> Your a bold face liar bozo mackey

Then when did I lie?

Please be specific & post the proof of your statement.

276. RS-2021 200ch scanner $95 Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35C4040E.3E9D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149883

Just like the day it came out of the box. $95 Thank you Chris

277. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C408AB.5589@parg.org>
Source record: 149884

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Another bold face lie by bozo mackey

So, EXACTLY, what was a lie?

278. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C4090F.4A8D@parg.org>
Source record: 149885

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Your just upset because they are stories about you and most likely have
> some truth to them

Yea, like the one that said I was a Doctor???

hehehehehehehehehehheehhahahahahahahahahaha

279. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080206520800.CAA03592@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149886

>Radio receivers and transmitters that are not a permanent part of the
>aircraft's equipment may not be used while an aircraft is flying under
>Instrument Flight Rules (IFR), which for a commercial aircraft is ALWAYS. The
>only exception is with the permission of the owner and pilot of the aircraft.
>
Here we go again. Half-truths. This topic seems to generate more bullshit
than any other in radio.
It is true that most if not all commercial airlines have restrictions on
the operation of scanners and other electronic equipment on board their
aircraft. However, most airlines will allow scanner use during the cruise
portion of the flight, but not during takeoff and landing. To get the real
answer check the back pages of the in-flight magazine published by the airline
and in the seat pocket at almost every seat. Most airlines spell out their
policy in the passenger information section of the magazine. This is the same
section where they usually publish a route map, a list of cocktails available,
etc.
If a flight attendent spots the radio and tells you to turn in off, do so!
But then politely point out the appropriate passage in the magazine. Usually
that will be enough to restore your monitoring. If the flight attendent still
refuses then ask her/him to take the magazine to the captain for a ruling. I
had to do that once, and the flight attendent came back a few minutes later and
apologized and told me I could continue using the radio. The captain even
passed along their current freq. with ARTCC.

JW

280. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q0vd2$70j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149887

In article <35C3C219.7520@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> MAlexder wrote:
> > The only person who has been flaming around here for the past 72 hours is
you,
>
> Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> on this NG?
>

I call them pretty damn funny myself. Ha! Ha! That one about
the Cowboy had me rolling on the floor.

/Sal

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281. Re: NRL Scanning Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Hutchison <runcible@powerup.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bdbde4$a2b97c20$LocalHost@srnmoigo>
Source record: 149888
Cross-posted to: aus.sport.rugby-league,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Sir Just Me <sirjustme@theglobe.spam.is.great.com> wrote:
> Tell me, is there a way that I could make this a two way thing as I
would
> love the opportunity to offer some friendly advise to the referee every
know
> and then as it sometimes seems he has forgotten where to put his head?

That would be interfering in the intended communication process --
illegal, AFAIK.

--
____ __ __ __ __ ____ DAVID HUTCHISON
/ __// / / // \/ /__ / __/ runcible@powerup.com.au
/ / / /_/ // /\ //_// /_ Brisbane, Australia:
/_/ /_____//_/ /_/ /___/ Host City of the 2001 Goodwill Games
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THE RUNCIBLE PAGES: http://www.powerup.com.au/~runcible/
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282. Re: Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35C41385.2742D5EF@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149889

Wrong! You are thinking of a PRO-34.

A mint PRO-43 is worth $200 to $225.

Jim Wayda
Retired Captain, Scanner Price Police

robert mcclure wrote:

> i (think) about $125-150

283. Re: NRL Scanning Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir Just Me <sirjustme@theglobe.spam.is.great.com>
Message-ID: <6q16ie$8so$1@newsource.ihug.co.nz>
Source record: 149890
Cross-posted to: aus.sport.rugby-league,aus.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

David Hutchison wrote in message <01bdbde4$a2b97c20$LocalHost@srnmoigo>...
>Sir Just Me <sirjustme@theglobe.spam.is.great.com> wrote:
>> Tell me, is there a way that I could make this a two way thing as I
>would
>> love the opportunity to offer some friendly advise to the referee every
>know
>> and then as it sometimes seems he has forgotten where to put his head?
>
>That would be interfering in the intended communication process --
>illegal, AFAIK.
>

Well I wouldn't want to interfere in the communication process. I'm just happy to kow that there;s one in place. Is someone going to show the refs how to use it?

By order,
Sir Just Me

284. AOR and ICOM: Trunking Scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: lfc@flash.net
Message-ID: <35c41da7.4728790@news.flash.net>
Source record: 149891

Radio Heads;

Should I invest and buy an AOR AR5000 or ICOM IC-R8500 right now or should I wait to see if these companies are going to make trunking versions of these? And while I'm on the topic which of these scanners is better? So far I'm leaning towards the AR5000?

Mark

285. scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ts0071@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080208583300.EAA06375@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149892

hello ; I want a exe scanner to here cell phone & 900 phones but they changed the law , what scanner do u guys recamend , im not wealthy

dave 0071 @aol.com

286. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q1cse$k73$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149893

In article <35C407AE.7DE@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> > where is the proof you stated that you were getting
> > from the court in San Diego,
>
> Incorrect. I said that someone was going to go to San Diego this
> September & would check it out. I have no idea if they are still
> going to do so or not. I never said taht I was getting anything
> from the court in San Diego.
>
> > you were the one that stated you had proof
> > of the warrant being sent from the court to you.
>
> Wrong, read my above post.
>
> > Any time you get cornered about statements you made and said you had
> > proof , right away your telling the person asking to show proof of what
> > you said.
>
> That is correct. I have learned that about 95% of the accusations made
> by yourself & the other "Cheek-a-likes" are lies.

bozo mackey 150% of the accusations on here are from you, and I don't make accusations , I state facts and have shown proof of the posts you made and all you do is lie and say you didn't make the post .

The more you post your crap on here only shows the newsgroup your a liar pure and simple, like the bit you were using , lets please stop the flaming , but you kept up your crap by twisting others post to suit your need at the time.

Of course your going to lie and say you never did that , just ask some of the others on here and you will find out the truth, oh I forgot you don't know what the truth is anymore because you have gotten so use to lying you can't tell the difference.

>

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

287. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q1d1ukcb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149894

In article <35C4065F.725D@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> > KA0SSF wrote:
> > > I have NEVER said there was a warrant. Infact, *I* am the one who asked
> > > for anyone stating there was such a warrant to present proof.
> >
> > Your a bold face liar bozo mackey
>
> Then when did I lie?
>
> Please be specific & post the proof of your statement.

The proof has been posted many times on here but you choose to ignore it as
you cannot handle the truth.

>

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

288. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q1d5fkjj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149895

In article <35C4090F.4A8D@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > Your just upset because they are stories about you and most likely have
> > some truth to them
>
> Yea, like the one that said I was a Doctor???
>
> hehehehehehehehehehehheehhahahahahahahahahaha

No the one where it is stated you need a Doctor.
>

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

289. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q1d8hkjp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149896

In article <35C408AB.5589@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > Another bold face lie by bozo mackey
>
> So, EXACTLY, what was a lie?

Everything you post is a lie.
By the way how is your email bombing buddy Roger doing ?
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

290. Re: What the heck?!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35C42A77.62E2BF88@eden.com>
Source record: 149897

Not only that, but he seems to respond to every post on this NG! He's becoming as annoying as Mackey...

Halket wrote:

> I recently did a search for my name on the newsgroup (good to do this
> every once in a while) and was VERY surprised to find that one of the
> messages on this newsgroup was posted by "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" claiming
> that ".. Steve Halket and I are good friends, and I told him about
> this.." <SNIPPED THE REST>
>
> This was in regard to a number of posts by this idiot kid, who picks
> newsgroups at random, then posts stupid SH*T to them... just to get a
> response.
>
> BE ASSURED!!! At no time did I, or do I, call this IDIOT a friend, much
> less a good friend. In fact, after receiving NUMEROUS emails from this
> idiot advising that he was going to "tell my ISP". I emailed his father
> to let him know what a BRAT he has. His father apologized, said that
> Ryan was a little 'spoiled' and he would pay closer attention to what
> Ryan did on the computer.
>
> Looks like he has now decided to use your newsgroup as his playground.
> Not only is a pathetic little pimple on the ass of society, he is a
> liar!!!
>
> No skin off, but I AM DAMNED PISSED THAT HE USED MY NAME and CLAIMED me
> as his friend!@!!!! MUST TRULY BE LONELY!!!!

291. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35C42B3A.8566A8C5@eden.com>
Source record: 149898

I second that....

Jack wrote:

> On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 21:50:46 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
> >Yea, he got kicked off Fido, he got kicked off the scanning mail list,
> >he doesn't have a FCC license, he is NOT a member of Mensa as he
> >claimed, he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power
> >wires in Colorado. By GOD you're right, his "lifetime body of
> >work" DOES speak volumes of his qualifications & abilities and lack
> >thereof!
>
> Ever notice how mackey will post something like this only when Bill
> has him filtered?
>
> Looks like about 200 off topic Bill Cheek posts from john mackey, with
> not even ONE from Bill, this week alone! Any reasonable person can see
> that YOU john mackey are the source of 90% of the problems in this NG!
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL

292. Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35C42C36.F5D4FF0F@eden.com>
Source record: 149899

How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the admin? what? We should ban mackey...

293. Re: KA0SSF's abuse of this NG reaches epic proportions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802101939 00.GAA08516@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149900

John "Why Aren't There Any Posts About Repeaters Here?" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Now I am only on 4 mailing lists
>to stay focused on my favorite areas, repeater building & operations.

Which explains why you subscribe to
a scanner newsgroup. Sure thing, gabby,
whatever you say. Uh huh. Right.

294. Re: KA0SSF's abuse of this NG goes around and around

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802101940000.GAA08520@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149901

John "I Wish I Had An Approximation Of A Brain" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>It was an approximation.
>
>Would you like to see some example posts?

A pretty wild approximation.

No, I'm still waiting for you to post the messages
that were sent to your ISPs that you offered to post
a week ago.
I wouldn't want you to overextend yourself.

295. Re: What the heck?!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-zOWevrHRwSId@localhost>
Source record: 149902

<chuckle>

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

296. Re: Computer controlled scanner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802112655OO.HAA10658@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149903

>Computer controlled scanner??
>From: chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)

>Somewhat begs the question: Can the Opto program the scanner?
>
>
No, I thought that would be pretty obvious by now. Any way, you can find out all of the details merely by pointing your browser to www.optoelectronics.com and http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html.

Also, this topic comes up quite regularly. You can get additional background by searching www.dejanews.com.

When all else fails, you should ask John Mackey.

297. Re: how many scanners + SOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080211295000.HAA10748@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149904

>From: "Steven T. Shapiro" <shapi16@banet.net>

>durham radio (http://www.durhamradio.ca/) or some other foreign shop so
>i can get full coverage

I suggest trying some of the other dealers. Durham is more expensive than most.
They'll also charge you an above-average shipping fee and then send the scanner
the slowest way humanly possible.

298. Re: BEARCAT 8500/WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.102e30d915e9bd559896b6@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 149905

In article <1998080201424600.VAA27460@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
cwest69521@aol.com says...
> LOOKING FOR THE 8500 BASE BEARCAT SCANNER
>
> PLS EMAIL CWEST69521@AOL.COM
>
Why???It was,hands down,the worst piece of junk I ever tried!I own a
9000,it's a decent radio....
Barry

299. Re: Savannah Georgia Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Martin <jimmart@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6q1ovf$k48$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149906

I just came back from vacation on Tybee Island. There was some pretty
decent traffic down there.

Savannah/Chatham County uses a Motorola Type 2 trunking system. You can get
a list of freqs. and some ID's at

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/ga/chatham.txt

Strong Signals

Jim

Marty Mendsen wrote in message <35C3A2EA.3266@lmco.com>...
>Iim working in Savannah for a few weeks and would like to know the local
>freqs. The usual is fine: police, medical, paging, or anything else you
>may know. I appreciate the info.
>Mart

300. Re: BOOK: Monitor America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080213304200.JAA16789@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149907

>Monitor America
>From: denniso@my-dejanews.com
>Date: Sat, Aug 1, 1998 22:52 EDT
>Message-id: <6q0k90$r8p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>
>Anyone know if this publication will be reprinted in the near future?

Did it occur to you to ask the publisher!? www.scanmaster@aol.com

301. Re: where to find a cell modified scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080213340900.JAA20132@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149908

Bandercom, Javiation, Nevada, Mutlicomm2000, Martin Lynch, CB Shop, and probably 83 other places. Web search will turn up all of the URLs and then some...

302. Re: Highway Patrol Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmacdoug1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080213473700.JAA18075@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149909

>The CHP bought several hundred of the Kustom Signal radar units in the Eagle
>line, the Golden Eagle version, I believe. This was 2-3 years ago.
>Funding came from local jurisdictions and not the state budget. Somewhere
>around here I still have the training video CHP made to train their officers
>on this new technology. Plenty of CHP cars are radar-equipped.

Subsequent to that was theaquisition of 100+ Applied Concepts "Stalker Dual S/L" models, and after that a couple hundred more Kustom Signals "Golden Eagle" units. All on Ka band.

KD6CWU

303. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35c46b45.6807733@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 149910

How many folks have ordered a scanner from outside the U.S.?
Cananda or Europe?
Anyone ever had one confiscated?

CATHY

On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 21:53:52 -0500 (CDT), YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net (Bruce K)
wrote:

>Yeah but in order to get a Comtel don't you have to import one from the
>UK? Wouldn't one worry about it getting held at Customs?Scanner would be
>paid but you wouldn't have one the gov. would.Read the notice to U.S.
>residents on Javiation's website.That's what scared me off.I would
>rather use the money at a casino:)
>

304. T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barron <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdbe1f$1bf13c60$764106d1@savy1>
Source record: 149911

Did any of you see a commercial on T.V. advertising a scanner
to pick up your neighbors cordless and cell calls????. It was $175 and they
were basically saying "know whats going on around your neighborhood" I
couldn't
believe that it was on T.V. They had an 800# and everything the scanner had
a
yellow case to it.
I am not interested in the scanner, but I was wondering how the heck they
could advertise this type of thing on t.v........

305. [For Sale] Radios in Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sehrlich@shore.net
Message-ID: <6q1sff$6a9@fridge.shore.net>
Source record: 149912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Items can be sold in part or as a package:

Yaesu FT-900 with the following accessories

- FIF-232C CAT controller

- Bencher YA-1 Low-Pass Filter

- CW filter

Yaesu FT-50RD dual-band HT

- Standard NiCAD pack

- AA pack

- Comet SMA503 tri-band SMA antenna

Non Radio Gear

- Astron RS35M Power Supply with Voltage and Current Meters

All manuals included.

Best offer.

Thanks in advance.

Items are in Boston, MA area.

--

Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich
Amateur Radio Callsign: wy1z

306. FS Icom R-1 un-blocked scanner $325.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@harborside.com
Message-ID: <35c47289.1159222@news.harborside.com>
Source record: 149913

Hi, Have Icom R-1 wide band hand held scanning radio for sale ,with x-tra batterie manual charger etc. needs new internal batterie. also have "aa" batterie case and carry case. $325.00

Gary Misbach
N7VUV

307. Re: T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Legion_IV <spam-death-tully.s@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6q1tkv$a03@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149914

Howdy--
I saw it too. It's been running sporadically on the E! channel. Others have reported seeing it on there before. There's nothing but an 800 number. It looks like one of the scanners I can get at WalMart, a Bearcat something or other, it's safety-yellow case and style give it away. I imagine it will recv cordless phones (most will) but is cell-blocked (most are), so it would be a 'truth in advertising' scam. But they may have latched on to a whole truck-load of pre-1994 vintage models and are clearing them out. That, as I understand it, would be legal.
--Legion.

Barron wrote in message <01bdbe1f$1bf13c60$764106d1@savy1>...
> Did any of you see a commercial on T.V. advertising a scanner
>to pick up your neighbors cordless and cell calls????. It was $175 and they
>were basically saying "know whats going on around your neighborhood" I
>couldn't
>believe that it was on T.V. They had an 800# and everything the scanner had
>a
>yellow case to it.
> I am not interested in the scanner, but I was wondering how the heck they
>could advertise this type of thing on t.v.....
>
>

308. 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080214504200.KAA23372@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149915

I am continually picking up phone calls in the 800 range. These are non cellular from police officers in their car calling land line phones. I can here the party they are calling crystal clear, but the officers reception drops off after a few seconds. What kind of phones are they using? Are they operating on a drop freq that is above or below the freq I'm on? I am tired of only hearing one side of the conversation...the other side is so faint that it isn't discernable......
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

309. Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q1v5cpkg0@207.18.224.132>
Source record: 149916

Does anyone else have any information on the FCC/ARRL investigation into John Mackeys VEC shenanigans?

Licenses for sale, as well as upgrades?

The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a search warrant on John's parents house.

Now, of course, no one should judge John on this, until it is completely verified, and he is proven guilty.

310. FreeTracker 2.3 was released (Computer program for BC895)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <C59B3F7E37CB012D.49925E57B4B8A463.CA2D01234B0CE901@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 149917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Version 2.3 of FreeTracker was released with lots of new features.
Homepage: http://www.AutoWinNet.com/freetrack.html

FreeTracker is a Windows95/NT program for interfacing with your Uniden
BC895 TrunkTracking scanner.

*** What's new in Version 2.3 ***

- Source code is included! That's right - FREE source code.
- Added Custom Query functionality
- Added QRZ hamradio callsign lookup
- Added "Import from Text File"
- Added chart and database editing buttons
- Added "Set all Hits to zero" database function
- "Invalid Pointer Operation" error - mostly fixed
- Search ranges were not saved if you didn't choose Exit to terminate
the program - fixed
- Chart dialog was not refreshed until program closed, then re-opened:
fixed
- Up/Down buttons were not automatically moved to the right edge of
program when window was resized - fixed

Description:

- Supports up to 25,000 "Virtual Channels" which are like the radio's
normal channels, but add Callsign, Description, Color (for activity
log), Alarm, location, hit count, and more. VChannels can be scanned
for activity, or stored into your BC895

- Descriptions - You can store Descriptions, Callsigns, and Locations
for frequencies and Trunk Talkgroups/ID's. When that freq/talkgroup
appears, a description is shown, along with Callsign, City/State, etc.

- Alarms - You can assign a Wav file, graphic, .RTF file, speaker
beep, or run a script while that freq/group is active. For example,
have all local police codes shown during police calls. I just added
some Cool bitmaps that appear with local police and fire stations

- Colorful charts and graphs show you what frequencies/talkgroups are
most active

- Powerful script language lets you create your own custom scripts,
and run when a certain event happens on your scanner.

- PerCon database lookups from their web page (stored as html) can be
imported. Also imports from Grove, Probe, and PerCon Dbf files!

- Drag and Drop channel editing - throw any database entry to a channel, or vice versa. If that frequency is already assigned, it zooms to the channel # to avoid a duplication

- Activity Report is color coded - you can assign any color to any specific freq/talkgroup

- Search Ranges - you can store up to 2,000 search ranges, then double-click them to activate an immediate search of that frequency range

- Lookup ham radio callsigns on QRZ cdrom

- Run custom queries against any FreeTracker database

- All BC895 keys are supported, allowing a virtual radio on your desktop

- FreeTracker can be minimized as a TrayIcon

- Database-editing in a simple grid. Click the record you want, and change any value

- Communicate with your radio interactively - type any command in, and see the response.

- Power users can utilize the quick-command box. Simply key in a command word to change frequencies, channels, scan, hold, search, manual, etc.

- Export all scanner channels/freqs to a text file or Dbase, then import back into the scanner at a later date.

- Complete logging to a file, or printing just about anything.

- Export your VChannel/talkgroup database to a HTML file for posting on your favorite web page.

- Multiple copies can be run for multiple BC895 scanners

311. Re: Computer controlled scanner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35c3cbda.1592827@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 149918

On 2 Aug 1998 06:25:03 GMT, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister) wrote:

>MAlexder,
>
>? Opto cotnrols the scanner
>
>Somewhat begs the question: Can the Opto program the scanner?
>
>Charles

Charles-
No the OS535 cannot program the scanner. The scanner's CPU and memory chips reside on the CPU/Logic PCB. Their interlink between them is on the pcb. Therefore to program the channels into the scanner, you either have to go through the CPU or be able to tap between the CPU and the memory chips.
The OS535 goes between the CPU/Logic PCB and the RF/Linear PCB. Its placement only deals with data connections between the CPU and the RF/Linear board such as the codes to control the PLL, switching of the BPFs, squelch detect, keypad beep, mute control, zeromatic, sound squelch, scan stop, and various 5V and 8V supplies for the ICs.
If you wanted to tap the traces between the CPU and memory chips...you could, but I count 24 pins on the CPU allocated for memory I/Os. With this model, and similar models, that is when it is best to go with a PROgramit interface. It has 12 connections on the Pro-2035/2042 models to the keyboard PCB. This way the data is entered into the memory chips via the CPU.
I hope this helps more than it confuses.

Wiggie

312. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlwjww@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080215214600.LAA26409@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149919

I did not know scanners were allowed on aircraft, but that is another subject.

In addition to the regular frequencies, if you have some extra channels try: 459.700, 459.725, 459.750, 459.775, 459.800, 459.825, 459.850, 459.875, 459.900, 459.925, 459.950, 459.975. On these frequencies I can pick up aircraft conversations from Chicago to New York from my house in Cleveland.

.>
>I just bought a handheld and am interested in listening to air-ground com
>when flying commercial (Delta).
>What freqs are typically used when airborne? Any tips on scanning at
>30,000+ feet?

313. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex2C51.9pp@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149920

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> MAlexder wrote:
> > The only person who has been flaming around here for the past 72 hours is you,
>
>
> Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> on this NG?
>
>

Haven't seen anything from him - just the usual drivel from you.

314. Re: Scanner vs. Shortwave in Emergencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d0ab08.185332017@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 02:00:00 GMT, dogbert@mindless.com (Woofle) wrote:

>The scanner would be even less useful. Most of what you would hear on
>the scanner is specific details of specific rescue operations. What
>you won't hear is information of general interest, because the scanner
>bands aren't set up for broadcast use, and not enough people have
>scanners to make it an effective way to disseminate information.

Are you crazy? While a typical transistor radio is adequate for some
scannerless sap in an emergency situation--, a scanner can never be
beat! Where do you think all the "information of general interest"
comes from? Sure isn't the news fairy, that's for sure!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL

315. Re: MacKay vs Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080200202700.UAA17357@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149950

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) writes:

>Mackerel, there have been many questions today related to trunk
>tracking, computer-controlled scanning, antennas, and many others. While you
>have posted a dozen off-topic messages today, you have not helped a single
>person. Why not?

Might I hazard an answer?
In order to help anyone with those things,
he would have to know something about them.
<snicker> Oh yeah, um, he had the
info on his hard drive that conveniently crashed.

Dave

316. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080200202800.UAA17360@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149951

dmi853@juno.com writes:

>Dave don't hold your breath waiting for his proof , he is constantly
>saying he has proof about things and when asked to show it, he comes up
>with an excuse for why he cannot.

Oh, don't worry. I have his posting the
messages he offered to post on the list
right after pigs taking wing and hell
freezing over.
(:>)
Dave

317. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802002029O1.UAA14844@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149952

kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) writes:

>You should get to work on a cryogenic system to preserve your body if
>you are going to wait, it could be a while!

I was hoping for maybe two reincarnations
from now.

Dave

318. Re: John's abuse of this NG never ends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802002038 00.UAA17391@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149953

kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) writes:

>Ever notice how mackey will post something like this only when Bill
>has him filtered?

Oh, yeah. It drives him crazy when the object
of his obsession doesn't pay any attention to him.

Dave

319. Re: Ask John Mackey!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3BB22.387@parg.org>
Source record: 149954

MAlexder wrote:
> Ask John Mackey! He has lots of information about scanning and he'll be happy
> to obilge you! John Mackey, he's the guy. He'll help you like no one else can!

Awww shucks!!!!

SMILE

I really prefer to be modest!

320. Re: Mackey's Unmet Challenges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3BC8B.502@parg.org>
Source record: 149955

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Dave don't hold your breath waiting for his proof , he is constantly
> saying he has proof about things and when asked to show it,
SNIP
> Like the one I am waiting for the San Diego Court to sned the proof
> about the warrant.

I have NEVER said there was a warrant. Infact, *I* am the one who asked
for anyone stating there was such a warrant to present proof.

321. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35C3BB70.2A83@globe-net.net>
Source record: 149956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Charles McCallister wrote:
>
> Is there any difference at all between these two radios?
>
> Charles

See http://www.javiation.co.uk/com205.html

Basically, they are the same but one is the
European model. The Com205 does have the
240VAC transformer (needs to be swapped out
for use in the USA) unless you use the 12VDC
connector. The avantage is Frequency coverage
is continuous from 25-520MHz and 760-1300MHz
(includes cell freqs).

$330 (US currency) for a new radio with
full coverage is a good deal. I've been
considering it myself. Of course I wouldn't
listen to any unauthorized frequencies! ;-)

Robert

322. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3BEB6.2E6F@parg.org>
Source record: 149957

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> If you read the post it is right there in front of you , your reply to
> Jack Anderson when he told you there wasn't any warrants out for Bill.

Oh yea, the one where I asked him to present his proof that
he confirmed there was no warrant for Bill & he couldn't
come up with anything.

> You just don't want others to know the truth , that there is no warrant
> now out for Bill and there never was a warrant out for Bill.

No, infact I am pursuing the truth. If you have confirmed there is
no warrant for Bill them provide us with how you found that out so we
may verify. THAT would provide the truth. If someone states there
IS A WARRANT or IS NOT A WARRANT then they chould be able to provide
proof that others may verify. Without such, we can not rely on either
statement.

323. Re: John's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3C097.1DFD@parg.org>
Source record: 149958

K4CC wrote:

> John KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >I have NO interest in you or Kendrick's resume. I doubt anyone
> >else on this NG does either!

> I wasn't aware that you represented anyone
> else on this newsgroup. What are their names?

I didn't say I represented others, I simply gave my opinion.

324. Re: best antenna for yupi 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <KSOw1.377$427.13436395@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 149959
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can any of you Yupi owners give me a personal review of the Yupi 7100. I
just ordered one and I cant wait !!!!
thanx, Please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

Jack wrote in message <35c99b51.181308497@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On 1 Aug 1998 21:49:07 GMT, schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com (Mike "NO UCE"
>Schuster) wrote:
>
>
>>Best compromise for all-around sensitivity and size: GRE all-band (Radio
>>Shack PRO-34 [THIRTY FOUR] replacement stock antenna).
>
>
>I have two of these and they are lame! I much prefer the one from a
>PRO-60!
>
>
>

325. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3C128.6B86@parg.org>
Source record: 149960

MAlexder wrote:
> Of course, you aren't permitted to join the list either.

hehehehehehehe, what a fool you are!

I've been subscribed to it before & later dropped it because I
had "to many irons in the fire". Now I am only on 4 mailing lists
to stay focused on my favorite areas, repeater building & operations.

326. Re: K4CC's abuse of this NG never ends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3C17A.4F40@parg.org>
Source record: 149961

K4CC wrote:

> kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) writes:
> >Ever notice how mackey will post something like this only when Bill
> >has him filtered?
>
> Oh, yeah. It drives him crazy when the object
> of his obsession doesn't pay any attention to him.

Actually, I couldn't care less if Bill has me filtered or not.

327. Re: K4CC's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3C1C9.1C41@parg.org>
Source record: 149962

K4CC wrote:
> You did conduct a survey, didn't you? You surely
> wouldn't just pick a number out of the air, would you?

It was an approximation.

Would you like to see some example posts?

328. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C3C219.7520@parg.org>
Source record: 149963

MAlexder wrote:
> The only person who has been flaming around here for the past 72 hours is you,

Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
on this NG?

329. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q0g47ci0@207.18.224.148>
Source record: 149964

On Sat, 01 Aug 1998 06:06:30 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>> >His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
>> >his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
>> >to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.
>
>
>> John, this is another lie.
>> Would you care to provide your source of misinformation? Know,
>> though, that I will verify.
>
>Obviously you ARE NOT sure if this is mis-information or you
>wouldn't be asking for the other data.
>
No, I am quite sure. This is evidenced by my statement to you
that this is another lie you made up.

I am merely giving you the chance to recant your lie.

>Try contacting REC for that area at that time if you want more.

Been there, done that. I have verified my information. You have
lied again.

330. BEARCAT 8500/WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080201424600.VAA27460@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149965

LOOKING FOR THE 8500 BASE BEARCAT SCANNER

PLS EMAIL CWEST69521@AOL.COM

331. Re: Who makes scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6q0h33$nj7@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 149966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You're right, Wiggie. The lion's share of Radio Shack scanners
were manufactured by GRE. Uniden is a relative newcomer
to the Radio Shack line.

In article <35c26ee8.2663848@enews.newsguy.com>,
Wiggie <wjm2207@kcinter.net> wrote:
...

>UNKNOWN MAKES (16) : Pro-10, 20, 22, 26*, 27**, 33, 56, 70***, 72***,
>2008, 2014, 2020, 2028, 2044, 2056, Comp-100.

Most of these were made by GRE.

>*The earlier Pro-26 model was a 4 crystal scanner, not the 200 ch.
>that has been produced in the last couple of years...

The PRO-24 and original PRO-26 were made by GRE.
BTW, I posted this oldie almost 15 years ago:

Improving the Radio Shack PRO-24 Pocket Scanner

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Abstract

This article briefly summarizes my experiences with the new
Radio Shack PRO-24 pocket scanner, priced at $99.95. Prob-
lems encountered include:

o irregularity in plastic belt clip

o misalignment of UHF stages as received from dealer

o design deficiency in squelch circuit

o incompatibility of recommended AC adapter accessory

Cures for these ills, as well as a modification to increase
the scanning rate are covered.

PRO-24 Improvements

Powered by 4 AA penlight cells, this is a 4 channel, crystal
controlled receiver which covers the following bands:

o 30 - 50 mHz. (VHF Low)

o 144 - 174 mHz. (VHF High)

o 450 - 512 mHz. (UHF)

Included with the scanner are tri-band helical and telescoping antennas, a plastic belt clip, and an owner's manual (with schematic).

The outward appearance of this Japanese made scanner is identical to previous Radio Shack models (PRO-20A and PRO-21A) which covered only two bands. The circuitry is similar to other Radio Shack and Montgomery Wards models in that the same multi function MC3357P (2nd local osc., mixer, if amp, detector, and squelch) and T3375 selector chips are used. The audio amplification in the PRO-24 is performed by an LM386 chip, whereas pocket scanners in the past have implemented this function through the use of discrete transistor circuitry.

The PRO-24 uses a plastic belt clip, whereas previous scanners of the same ilk have used metal. The 2 holes in both types of clips are the same size and line up, so if the plastic clip breaks, it may be possible to order the metal one for an older model from your local Radio Shack store. The plastic belt clip and two screws are furnished in a plastic bag. If the owner wants to install the belt clip, she may find that one of the holes is a bit too small. Do not force the screw in, the brittle plastic may crack! Instead, enlarge the hole slightly.

I installed 1 UHF and 3 VHF High crystals. I had no way to accurately measure the sensitivity or selectivity due the unavailability of calibrated signal generating equipment. The sensitivity on VHF High seemed fairly respectable, considering the tri-band helical antenna. Sensitivity on VHF Low could not be determined due to a lack of a suitable crystal in my collection.

UHF sensitivity was dismal. In particular, the local police repeater on 470.3125 mHz, could not be received in many parts of town. I realigned the RF amplifier and mixer stages in the UHF circuitry, which improved UHF sensitivity noticeably. However, the UHF sensitivity still seems a disappointment. In the PRO-24, the front end stages for the 3 bands are all connected together at the antenna. As an experiment, I disconnected the VHF Low front end from the antenna, thinking that the direct coupling of this stage was loading the others down. I again realigned the UHF stages, but could detect no improvement in sensitivity.

The squelch control had an inordinately high amount of hysteresis, resembling "play" in a car steering wheel. This forced me to keep the squelch up at a point which prevented reception of signals of weak to moderate strength. As mentioned previously, the squelch function is performed by a

common Motorola chip, which has been used successfully in several previous scanners. An inspection of the schematic diagram, provided in the owner's manual, revealed that for some reason, a low value of resistance (33,000 ohms) was used for R35, which was placed between the squelch output and the noise amplifier input (IC1, pins 14 and 12). This "feedback" resistor was much smaller than the 220,000 ohm resistors used in previous designs. After changing the resistor in my PRO-24 to 220,000 ohms, the amount of hysteresis decreased markedly, and the squelch worked great.

Both the owner's manual and Radio Shack catalog recommend the model 20-189 AC power adapter/charger accessory ($6.95) for use with the PRO-24. This adapter may be used in two ways:

o If plugged into the AC adapter jack on the scanner, the scanner's batteries are disconnected, and the radio is powered from the AC line.

o If plugged into the charger jack on the scanner, the radio circuitry is completely disconnected, and the batteries are charged by the adapter through a current limiting 27 ohm resistor located inside the scanner.

These two jacks are of the coaxial type, and each contains a switch mechanism which is activated upon insertion of the proper size plug.

I bought the recommended accessory, and although it was labeled 20-189A, I was assured that it was indeed the proper adapter, and the 'A' meant that a new vendor was supplying these to Radio Shack. As a precautionary measure, I made a quick check with my Fluke DMM. This revealed a problem: when the adapter was plugged into the scanner, the internal batteries were still connected!

This can cause two unwanted effects:

o If I used the adapter to power the scanner, the batteries would be charging at an indeterminate rate.

o If I used the adapter plugged into the charging socket, the batteries would be placed directly across the 6 volt DC power supply (bypassing the current limiting resistor!) and would indeed enjoy a short life.

The culprit was the connector on the end of the adapter. The outer diameter was just a bit to small to actuate the switches in the scanner's jacks.

My problem was solved by buying the Radio Shack 6VDC 150 ma. AC adapter (273-1454, $5.95). In addition to having the

proper connector, this adapter works well, is cheaper than the recommended one, and can furnish almost twice the current!

The specifications in the owner's manual state that the scanning speed is 6 channels/second, a bit too slow for my liking. I added another 220,000 ohm resistor in parallel with R64. This changed the time constant of the scanning oscillator, increasing the scanning rate.

When fully squelched, a good portion of the battery drain can be attributed to the light emitting diode channel indicators. When the "manual/scan" switch is in the "man" position, my unit draws approximately 27 ma. from the batteries. Following up on a suggestion from Ed Doubek, N9RF, I always leave the PRO-24 in "scan" mode. When I want to listen to just one particular channel, I just lock out the others. This causes a single LED to blink on and off at about a 25% duty cycle, thus conserving battery life.

I bought this scanner at a reduced price, and in summary, after a several hours work, it performed at a level close to my expectations.
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332. Re: Sams WHSE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kenabritte@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980802024133 00.WAA05824@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149967

In Battle Creek, Miich. they used 151.625 the last I knew. Same freq. we use for Ballooning.

333. FS: Radio Stuff - Good Prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6q0jsbbgt3@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 149968

Hello. I have set up a web page to try and sell all of my access radio gear. I have an antenna tuner, base all-mode CB, a power microphone, and a few receivers/scanners. I have included conditions, accessories included, detailed features list, and pictures for most of the items. Check it out at:

http://www.clark.net/pub/heatwole/forsale.htm

Thanks a lot for looking and let me know if you find any thing you like. ALL trades and negations are considered, and if it's reasonable, I might just accept it.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

334. FS: Bearcat 560XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: lpd336@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080203094000.XAA07084@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149969

Uniden BC560XLT Desktop/Mobile Scanner

--Excellent Condition
--16 Programmable Memory Channels
--Weather & Priority Scan
--Coverage: 29-54, 137-174, 406-512 MHz
--Includes: AC Power Adapter, DC direct wire cord, Cigar Plug Adapter, Mounting Bracket, Telescoping Antenna, and an adapter to allow hookup to BNC type antennas.

Asking $50 + minimum S/H, pre-pay postal money order

Thanks

335. Re: Cleveland Ohio Skywarn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: curlinob@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080203260900.XAA11983@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149970

>the Skywarn Control channel for Cuyahoga county is
>146.760 It was great to listen yesterday as the reports came in

Also listen to the Lorain county Skywarn freq:
146.625 as much of the time the storms come through Lorain county before they reach Cuyahoga county.

336. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <1Pux1.46$8T.356218@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 149521

Most comms are above 118, but you may encounter FSS and ATIS broadcasts on VOR frequencies.

Rob

Business Bst Technology Dept wrote in message <35c52786.0@news.wln.com>...
>Jack (kryppy_X@bellsouth.net) wrote:
>
>: Scan from 108.-136.mhz AM and check with Delta to see if you can bring
>: the scanner on the aircraft.
>
> Does not the vocal tx begin really about 118mhz? I may
> be wrong but I thought below that are VOR and localizer
> freqs.
> ray-
> rdong@spl.org <....if responding to me <
> 47°34'N 122°18'W

337. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35C675CF.8BDB5901@navix.net>
Source record: 149522

Jack wrote:

> On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:12:19 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and mini-UHF)
> >connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.
> >
> >I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.
>
> Did you just make this up off the top of your head?

> It wouldn't suprise me.
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

338. 42Mhz is boomin with state troopers (ontario)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6q5tk0bpj1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 149523

42.580Mhz is loaded with wyoming at time of this post. in central ontario!!!!!!

339. Re: Blake Bowers trying to make trouble again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35c635d3.5827053@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 149524

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 21:51:59 -0400, allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
wrote:

>Well......Do you have any PROOF?
>(giggle)
>

Giggle? Still haven't found that boyfriend yet? You're pathetic.
Get a LIFE!

340. Re: NW Chicago burbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <n9jig-0308982213360001@56-ip-191.theramp.net>
Source record: 149525

In article <35C53733.E832B976@ix.netcom.com>, "Ron L."
<gate24@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> Hey folks --
>
> I just moved to the village of Arlington Heights in the northwest
> Chicago burbs. I'm looking for a list of local police frequencies in my
> area starting with Atlington Heights locally, and then working my way
> out. Can anyone out there help me?
>
> Please resond here AND to my email: Gate24@ix.netcom.com
>
> Any help would greatly appreciated...
>
> Ron

Arlington Hts PD 470.3625, FD 154.235
Buffalo Grove PD & FD Same
See the CARMA Website in my sig for more info...

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******* Rich Carlson, N9JIG *******
Illinois Highways Page
http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html
Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA)
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

341. new group????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6q5upb$c42$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 149526

rec.radio.scanners,no flame,no spam,no s*^t,just questions and answers!!!!!!
sounds pretty good don't it?????

342. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C682AC.BD67A797@netwit.com>
Source record: 149527

KA0SSF wrote:

> allsafe wrote:
>
> > KA0SSF wrote:
> > > Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> > > on this NG?
> >
> > Whoa there Farmer Mackey! I "rewrote" one those stories just for you! So did
>
> As you can CLEARLY see above, we were talking about Bill. WHY
> do you feel the need to change the discussion topic to YOUR
> posts? Are you that desperate for attention?

No dice bug boy. Just pointing out that everyone seems to dislike you. And there was a lot of people writing amusing anecdotes about you; not just Bill. As a matter of fact: I'm feeling rather inspired right now! Gonna write another one. (Isn't that great John?),

Now you wait right here! You're gonna *LOVE* my next post;

ya friggin' loon.

343. MACKEY'S BLACK CLAP?!?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C683DB.725A0031@netwit.com>
Source record: 149528

You all know of course that his "pest status" on this NG provides him the highlight of his personal life. He feeds off of the derision and humiliation handed to him by everyone on a daily basis.

Do you detect that he's trying to fulfill some sort of unsatisfied sexual need in the way he appears to enjoy the abuse?

Lemme tell ya why:

Mackey did a stint as a sailor after high school. Anyhoo, he got stationed over the Philippines. Now I don't know how much y'all know about the Philippines, but if you can't get laid over there, you don't have pulse. (And I hear you don't even need a pulse if ya got money).

Well, young Mackey had himself a time over there. Of course he heard the warnings about the diseases and problems of consorting with the local trollops; but that didn't register. He was thinking with something else. (And for the first time in his life, I might add.)

All good things come to an end (and Mackey's average was 2.3 seconds, in case your were wondering), but the Philippines tour was nearly over and Mackey was due to be stationed stateside.

So Mackey went and took his physical just like everyone else who was to return stateside. That's when the corpsman broke the bad news to Mackey:

"Dude," the corpsman said, "it looks like ya got the "Asian Black Clap."

"Until you have some PROOF, you should shut-up." Mackey said.
"Uh....dude...your penis is blue and green...."
"That's a LIE!"
"...and it's foaming."
"The stupidity of you is amazing."
"uh....whatever dude...you gotta wait here, the Doctor is gonna want to talk to you."

The Doctor comes in and gives Mackey the bad news in detail. Mackey did indeed test positive for the "Asian Black Clap" and Mackey can't return stateside until its been treated.

"Then treat me." Mackey said.
"The treatments are rather severe, John"
"Severe?"
"Yes: I'm afraid it involves amputation of your penis and testicles."
"NOOOOOOOOOOOOOO!"
"I'm sorry John, there's nothing else we can do. Can I schedule you in

for tomorrow?"
"NOOOOOOOOOOOOOO!"

Well 'ole Macky beats feet out of the Navy clinic. But he knows he has to get get himself fixed...no.....strike that.....get himself "cured". That's it. But he's gonna need another opinion. He didn't like the "TRUTH" he found at the Navy Clinic, so he was gonna ignore that one and search for something else he could call "TRUTH" that would suit his needs and let him keep his seeds.

He thought he found it in a local Philipino "Witch Doctor". He went to his hut and allowed the doctor to examine him with bamboo rods and peacock feathers:

"Is it the 'Asian Black Clap' Doctor?" Mackey asked
"Ah yes. Is 'Black Clap.' Yes."
"Awww man! The Navy Doctor wants to operate and take my genitals!"
"Haw-HO-HO-HO" the witch doctor laughed, "You no need operation!"
"Really?"
"Nooooo! American Doctors go to operate unnecessarily. No need."
"Awwww that's great Doctor...."
"Sure! You wait two...maybe three months top; and pecker will fall off all by himself."

Ya know John's stateside now-a-days......well, at least *most* of him is.

344. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C68680.CE18BBD3@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149529

KA0SSF "My mind is made up, so don't confuse me with facts."
<jmackey@parg.org> pouted becaue I showed him the truth about
himself again:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > public record as are mine. You're just annoyed that I have
> > more certifications, experience, and expertise than you. But
> > then, so does

> WHY would I care about YOU?

Apparently you do. You care that I've exposed you for the liar
and fraud that you are. For example, your lie about having a
degree.

> > > If you can't stand a dose of the truth, get out of the
> > > newsgroup.

> And YOU, Richard Kendrick, should follow it!

I do, often. That's why you're so annoyed with me. I keep giving
you an enema with the truth. You should be glad I'm not using
Draino.

345. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C686DB.3BAD9615@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149530

KA0SSF "I'm hard at work on my new invention - color radio."
<jmackey@parg.org> tried to deflect attention from his lies
about his degrees:

> If this was a ME Vs Bill thing then you would be right. But
> it isn't so I am not concerned with making my self look good
> in a comparasion to Bill.

Au contraire, Toilet Boy. It *is* and has been a you versus
Cheek thing for almost three years now. Your words and actions
over that period confirms the you versus Cheek datum. Reference
the following message which you wrote:

> > Subject: Open letter to B. Cheek & any others concerned
> > From: John Mackey KA0SSF <nowhere@anyplace.net>
> > Date: 1996/10/11
> > Message-ID: <325E11F8.4860@anyplace.net>
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
> >
> > I have not come down on you regarding your technical knowledge
> > of scanners, I think you are good in that area. My problem is
> > primarily with your grand-standing, lying/story-making, & your
> > arrogance.
> >
> > I want you to know that my issue with you WAS NOT because you
> > kicked me off of your scanradio echo. It was because of the
> > arrogant WAY you kicked me off.

The issue here, which you are trying to divert attention from,
is your lack of degrees. You've claimed to have a degree, but
when pressed for proof, you evade and avoid the issue like a
scared greased pig at a county fair running from a pursuer. As
was pointed out so eloquently in another message, you readily
provide the confirming information about your Commercial FCC
License while waving it under Cheek's nose. Yet, you can't
prove the existence of your degree. I said it before, and I'll
say it again: You are a liar and a fraud, and the degree does
NOT exist. If it does, prove it. Put up or shut up.

> Is that your problem, you think this is all about me Vs. Bill?

> It isn't! It started out being about Bill's conduct on this
> NG being unacceptable.

As usual, you're a liar. Your message quoted above clearly states
it started with your being kicked off the scanradio echo on fido.

The only conduct unacceptable in this newsgroup is yours.

> Then it took you to gang up with all your buddies to match me.

ROTFLMAO! Your paranoia is really running rampant today, Toilet Boy. If you think the people on the newsgroup have organized a concerted and coordinated series of attacks against you, you really need serious psychiatric help.

> You & the rest of them are afraid to take me on alone, you
> will only do it if you know you'll have the other's support.

I've been contesting your lies and proving you are a liar on my own for three years now. There have been many others who, like me, who will not tolerate your stupidities and we quite vocally tell you so. Some of the people that were active in this newsgroup then are not active now. Conversely, many of the people who are in your face today were not active then. And, then there is the contingent who have been active all along telling you your lies are not being believed. What you lack in intelligence, you make up for in stupidity.

To the best of my knowledge, there is not now, nor has there ever been a coordinated effort against you. There has been, however, a large backlash against you for your behavior in the scanner newsgroups. You are incredibly naive if you think people "are afraid to take" you "on alone." You're too stupid to recognize that people are smart enough to see through your lunacy and that they don't need the support of others to voice their contempt for you.

346. Re: John's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6872C.C62E6538@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149531

KA0SSF "I'm always out to improve myself. Every day I read until my lips get tired." <jmackey@parg.org> tried to avoid proving he has a degree again with more lies:

> There are ALWAYS people who have greater abilities, etc, not
> matter WHO you are? WHY would I care?

Why do you care? Because EVERY person you meet has greater skills and abilities that you do, Toilet Boy. You're so dumb, if you were an elevator operator, you'd lose your job because you'd keep forgetting the route. You're so dumb, the reason you never bought a color TV is because you didn't know what color to get.

You know, Toilet Boy, you've made me a believer in reincarnation. Nobody could get as stupid as you are in just one lifetime.

> You are just trying to justify your reign of terror on this NG!

LOL! The only person who feels my comments compare to a "reign of terror" is you. What's the matter ya friggin' loon? Afraid I'll expose more of your lies, AGAIN?

347. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35C683FE.BC7DF5E6@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149532

Not only that, but he also coordinates the testing. The loon's phone number is identified below the photo as well.

Classic Toilet Boy Cheese.

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> Another mackey lie , he is a VE and denying it further proves him to be the
> type of person who would makeup a story to ruin someones life. To see the
> truth that mackey is a VE go to this site ,http://www.parg.org/testing.html
>
> >
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

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There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

348. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6878B.602B69CC@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149533

John "I'm the perfect argument for a mercy killing." Mackey
- KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> overextended himself:

> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Because he'll kick your arse up betwixt

> he better bring a couple friends with him then because he
> certainly isn't capable of it himself!

When I was a very young man, I received a piece of advice from an old man that has stayed with me through the years. He told me never to threaten people I don't know. He told me this as he lay dying on the sidewalk. He threatened someone that he didn't know and they had stabbed him several times in return.

Just remember this, Toilet Boy: you don't know me.

349. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C687F8.CEC41DB5@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149534

KA0SSF "You need to have a great memory to be as good a liar as I am" <jmackey@parg.org> continues with his lies and fraudulent claims:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > Your claims about having a degree.

> So how do you know it was a lie?

You made a public claim that you have a degree, and I publicly said you are a liar, that the degree does not exist. You continue to claim you have the degree, yet when asked for proof the degree really exists, you jump through every hoop imaginable trying to avoid providing that proof. You cannot confirm your degree exist because you lied, Toilet Boy.

> Please be specific with your proof.

Until YOU FOOL provide proof the degree exists, you are branded a liar and a fraud. Do you want to prove me wrong? Then put up or shut up. Provide the proof.

> (Of course, if you are lying you will NOT be able to give any
> specific data)

Since you have not provided any information proving the existence of your degree, it is YOU Toilet Boy who is lying. No surprise there.

350. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C68863.415856B7@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149535

KA0SSF "I'm an experiment in artificial stupidity that ran amok"
<jmackey@parg.org> showed why he's the best argument for
retroactive contraception:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > Your data is flawed, like you. You have not polled the
> > members of this news group, and are talking out your
> > derriere again.

> You have not polled the members of this NG either so
> according then YOU "are talking out your derriere again".

Since you can't read without moving your lips and hurting
yourself, I'm not surprised that you found reading my words
mentally exhausting and never noticed that I never said I polled
this newsgroup. I said your data was flawed (like you) because
YOU FOOL never polled the group. I'd make an ass out of you for
your stupidity (it's frightfully easy) but there is no way to do
that - nature did that long ago.

> > The FCC doesn't have data on former licensees.

> According to the FCC their database for the commercial licenses
> goes back to 1984.

You have no clue *when* Cheek held his commercial license, so,
once again, your logic (like you) is flawed.

> > I proved he *was* a member of Mensa, look it up in

> Bill said he was a current member. By your own statement he
> is NOT a current member.

According to Mensa rules, all he has to do to be reinstated is pay
the current dues. He does *not* have to requalify; once qualified,
always qualified. His IQ does not drop simply because membership
lapses. You're just jealous because you were born dumber than a
box of hair, and you're also angry that you failed to qualify for
Mensa and your hero Cheek made it. You're mad at yourself, and
taking it out on the members of this newsgroup because one-celled
organisms outscored you on IQ tests and qualified for Mensa.

> > > he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power wires
> > > in Colorado.

> > Never proven.

> Witnesses have stated it to be factual!

Horse hockey! Those "witnesses" were your schizophrenic alter egos manifesting themselves through phony personas created by you. Therefore, still unproven.

I've always wondered if someone, like yourself, who has multiple personalities threatens to kill himself, is it considered a hostage situation? Maybe you should try it and let us know.

351. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C688E6.D966F71B@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149536

KA0SSF "I'm not just an ordinary moron - I'm the morons' moron."
<jmackey@parg.org> pitifully tried to have a tantrum:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > When I want your opinion, I'll have Bill Cheek give it to you.

> Apparently that is who gives you YOUR opinions.

I know you're trying to give me a piece of your mind Toilet Boy,
but, are you sure you can spare it?

352. Re: cb freq scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ashley <sashley@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6q61ad$mi2$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149537

How about a Cherokee AH27 Hand Held CB - has a great scan feature and can
tranmit well as well. I recommend checking out
www.bills2way.com they have the best prices I have found $78.00

Ken Buffie wrote in message <35BD3F2F.5D5675A9@lkdllink.net>...
>Hello,
>Anyone know which scanners (new or old) can receive CB frequencies. I
>have a Realistic 2040 but want a
>scanner that can monitor CB frequencies and I would like to do it as
>inexpensively as possible. Nothing fancy, just don't want to spend
>another $150 or more for a CB or Scanner. Thanks in advance.
>
>Ken "not an equipment snob" Buffie
>

353. Re: Southern California Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: troll@loop.com
Message-ID: <MPG.10303f723e242885989686@news.loop.com>
Source record: 149538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner

In article <MPG.102fd66f645da3e7989692@nntp.ix.netcom.com>, Zkk6pd@ix.netcom.com says...
> In article <6q3dvkack1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>,
> chadarn@home.com says...
> > Southern California 911 has moved to a new domain due to an ISP crash. You
> > can now find all the frequency and trunking information for Southern
> > California at http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911.
> >
> >
> >
> too bad the link is no good, I would have liked to have
> seen this
>
> 73 de Pat KK6PD
>
You just have to remove the period at the end.

354. CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <ec9_9808040100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149539

Hey prick, you've been called a liar by FidoNet R10C.

She says Bill Cheeks was never made to leave Fido.

Are you going to deny that charge and back up your
own statement with some facts, or just let everyone
know for sure now that you're a boldfaced liar?

Come on........put up or shut up forever.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

355. ICOM Q7 good or bad Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: com-com@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6q4rhd$60i$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 149540

ICOMs Q7 ... Dualbandhandy have a Scanner from 30 to 1300 MHz.
The Yaesu VXR1 have also a Scanner but the Receiver for 4 m, 900 Mhz is
very bad.
Is the Receiver in the ICOM Mini also bad or is this Mini a
HAM-Transceiver with Scanner ?

mfg

dd0yq

356. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: The CB Guy <thecbguy@iname.com>
Message-ID: <35C598FC.EBE9BD07@iname.com>
Source record: 149571

KA0SSF wrote:
>
Then it took you to gang up with all
> your buddies to match me. You & the rest of them are afraid to
> take me on alone, you will only do it if you know you'll have
> the other's support.
>

HAr har har har.....
There's not any fear of you on this newsgroup....other than the fear you
may reproduce some day.

--
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

357. Re: John Mackey makes trouble again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q45qmaau2@207.18.224.108>
Source record: 149572

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 06:43:08 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>> jmackey@parg.org wrote:
>> > OK, I have never been accused formally or informally by
>> > any judicial or investigation body.
>
>> So what your saying here is that you could be currently under investigation
>> for misconduct by the ARRL.
>
>OK, to clarify for dim-witted people like yourself,
>I have NEVER been accused or investigated by the ARRL
>for mis-conduct.

Not by the ARRL, but by the FCC? Ok, that clarifies
that. Thank you John for the clarification.

Again, we would never accuse you of selling
ham licenses as a VE, at least until the investigation
is complete.

358. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: The CB Guy <thecbguy@iname.com>
Message-ID: <35C59A42.A4A6CF@iname.com>
Source record: 149573

But if you are taking money, posing as a VEC and selling licenses, then
it is still VEC fraud is it not?

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
> > Oh, that's good. Well, in the meantime, we shouldn't
> > even mention the fact that Mackey is being
> > investigated for VEC fraud until we can substantiate
>
> hehehehehehehe,
> laughs are on YOU!!!!
>
> I am NOT a VEC!!! I never have been!!!!!!!
>
> What a little FOOL you are. Ask the FCC, I would have to be
> registered with them if I was a VEC!!!!!!
>
> The FCC maintains a list of ALL amateur VEC's! GO FOR IT!!!

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The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

359. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q463aaau3@207.18.224.108>
Source record: 149574

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 06:57:59 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to
>> revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a
>> search warrant on John's parents house.
>
>Hey Blake, according to your buddy K4CC you are wrong! Read below:
>
John, this is just the rumors I heard. I even have
defended you, as I state we should not believe
them until you have been proven guilty.

>Also, HOW & WHY would any type of investigation of "VE" actions
>(as YOU stated) involve me or my father. Neither of us are
>a "VE"!!!!! Really Blake, go ask the FCC as they keep a record
>of all "VE" credential holders.
>
I don't know John. You tell us! Why are they
investigating you?

>Besides all that, my father holds one of the lowest
>amateur radio licenses the FCC offers a "(codeless-)technician"

You are proud of him, aren't you!

>that this license is the most restrictive off all amateur licenses

It is? Most people always thought Novice was the most
restrictive. Is that the problem? Are you rewriting the HAM
rules?

>& those license holders are not eligable to participate in any
>"VEC" program. So WHY would they serve a search warrant on his
>house?
>
Maybe they think you are leaving your records there?

360. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <BIrR$GALPZx1EwVf@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 149575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-0RCGS14kYJEf@localhost>, Charles
McCallister <chuckiex@ibm.net> writes

Hi Charles,

>Is there any difference at all between these two radios?

Two really.

Cosmetic: Black case on COM205 vs Grey Case on PRO-2006

Internal/Electronic: 220/240v AC transformer fitted om COM205,
110v or 220v AC transformer fitted on PRO-2006

The COM205/PRO-2005/6 etc can be powered from an external 12v DC SUpply
as an aternative to AC supply.

Other than these the COM205 is identical to the PRO-2006 in all apsects
so the OS-456 works with the COM205 just the same.

Hope this helps.

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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361. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: The CB Guy <thecbguy@iname.com>
Message-ID: <35C59AFF.8B491D8B@iname.com>
Source record: 149576

Once again Mackey lies.
Juno is offering ISP services, while allowing you to keep your present
juno email address.
Check out version 2 of their software, once you download it, it gives
you these options.
Any word yet on the fraud trial?

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
> > Funny, on the headers I received it said he
> > posted through Juno.
>
> Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!
>
> So there is NO WAY he could have "posted through Juno" as you
> say he does. He simply is putting the Juno address in his
> "from" field, in an effort to cover his tracks.
>
> (Check it out yourself at HTTP://www.juno.com)
>
> > Slow down there, saddle pal,
> > you're getting a little frantic.
>
> You appear to be the one frantic using excuses that you
> haven't checked out.
>
> heheheheehehehhehe, using juno to post newsgoup messages!
> hehehehehehehe, that is one of DUMBEST things I've heard you
> say yet & you're said some pretty dumb things!

--
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

362. Re: A Proposal [Repost]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6q475l$8hs$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 149577

I`ll give you a good NON-partisan slam, fella. Why in the HELL you people feel that you are going to get rid of mackey by talking and talking and talking and talking about him, I will never understand. Like I said, mackey gets 10 times the bang for his buck, because there are people out there like you, who have to post a reply, rebuttal, or proposal every time he opens his mouth. Instead of 1 or two inane posts, we get about 20 inane posts.
Secondly, I don`t know what ever gave you the idea that mackey "wants to listen to reason", or is going to respond to criticism . mackey is a nut cake, a fruit loop. What he is doing has nothing to do with reason,common sense, etc. every time one of you people has to spout off at him, try to talk some sense into him, or offer a rebuttal to him, you fill his heart with glee. For your information, what he is after is ATTENTION. And YOU ARE GIVING HIM THAT VERY ATTENTION.
Sooner or later, people have to reach a level of maturity so that they realize that life is just too short to waste your time grappling with the mackeys of the world, that it is just a waste of time and effort, and just serves to aggravate everyone else and amuse THEM. So I HAVE A PROPOSAL FOR THIS GROUP. SHUT UP ABOUT MACKEY. USE YOUR KILL FILTERS. IGNORE HIM COMPLETELY. STOP RESPONDING TO HIS POSTS LIKE A BUNCH OF FIFTH-GRADERS. STOP GIVING HIM CELEBRITY STATUS BY SPOUTING OFF ABOUT HIM ENDLESSLY. Stop "Appealing to his sense of reason". Stop "proposing deals" to those who do NOT WANT A "DEAL". You might as well TALK TO THE WALL. This statement applies to those involved, and to those peripherally involved. I repeat. YOU ARE SIMPLY AMUSING HIM AND AGGRAVATING THE HELL OUT OF OTHERS. YOU ARE SIMPLY WASTING BANDWIDTH AND POLLUTING THIS NEWS GROUP.
crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6pv7ghskj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> Repost of earlier message:
>
> I recently received a private e-mail from a neutral party
> whom I had copied with some of this bickering. This person had the
> following to say, without prompting, about Bill Cheek:
>
> "He has a brilliant mind and writes very well and produces darned good
> graphics."
>
> The statement comes from a source whose interest is in quality
> material, I might add.
>

363. Re: 900MHz Phone Question????????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: xmykelxx@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080311591700.HAA03916@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149578

900mhz phone are not secure. NOT ONE BIT. I have a friend that has a scanner that all you have to do is hit "manual" then punch in 900.0000 and hit scan... the walla! You hear telephone conversations which are cellular phone and 900mhz phone and cordless phones and so forth. Most scanners cannot pick up these freq, but there are alot of them out there (even sold by radio shack) out there. My friend said that the salesman at Radio Shack said thier scanners do not pick up cellular phones. He bought the scanner and was just messing around with it and ran into the phone calls by mistake. He listen to drug deals.. crimes in progress.. Husbands cheating on thier wives, ... and so on... once more don't let anyone teel you anything differn't! THEY ARE NOT SECURE

364. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: 101.32589@germanynet.de
Message-ID: <bh6573sy@germanynet.de>
Source record: 149579

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:09:51 -0500,
"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

> Getting caught is not too hard (since the "ship to" address is on the
> package).

Know of any cases where customs seized scanners at the border, either
on person of in the mail? What is/was the penalty? Confiscation only?
Fine? Life in prison?

365. For Sale pro 2041 Base scanner 400ch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35c6c10e.776981@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149580

selling a brand new radio shack pro 2041 base scanner has 400 ch
like new with box and manual ,ant... 800 mhz... $130.00 plus shipping
I am in so cal.....

366. Re: Any Bearcat 9000XLT Owners please read. -TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <P9CCisAsLcx1EwGr@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 149581

In article <35c529ea.4478180@NEWS.EROLS.COM>, Keith <No@No.Com> writes

Hi Keith,

>I have this scanner.Today I noticed the lighted display became very
>dim. I figure its not long before its out all together. Has anyone
>else had this problem? And if so, is there a way to fix it. Thanks for
>the help.

Numerical keys 1,2,3 double up with secondary functions of "bright",
"Dim" and "Off" for the LCD backlight - have you changed this by
accident (alhough from memory it defaults to bright on power up) ?

Regards
Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
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Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
\--/

367. Re: Any Bearcat 9000XLT Owners please read. -TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35c5c90b.826566@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 149582

No. It was very dim when i turned it on. It was ok when i turned it
off and then very dim when i turned it back on the next day. I think
it has been going for a while. Is there anyway to replace the
backlight?

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 15:02:20 +0100, Jonathan Clough
<Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <35c529ea.4478180@NEWS.EROLS.COM>, Keith <No@No.Com> writes
>
>Hi Keith,
>
>>I have this scanner.Today I noticed the lighted display became very
>>dim. I figure its not long before its out all together. Has anyone
>>else had this problem? And if so, is there a way to fix it. Thanks for
>>the help.
>
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>"Dim" and "Off" for the LCD backlight - have you changed this by
>accident (alhough from memory it defaults to bright on power up) ?
>
>Regards
>Cheers,
> /---\
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>| Javiation, | leading manufacturers including: |
>| Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K. |AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10|
>| Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146 | Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000 |
>| Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B |
>| Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000 |
>| http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000 |
> \---/

368. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OOfuq5uv9GA.167@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149583

It's not very slim if you buy overseas. In the past year or so, US Customs has been pretty lax on inspecting packages, but they are starting to do it again...
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Matt Virus wrote in message <35C4EDC2.EA8CF486@navix.net>...

Scape3000 wrote:

Hi!
Is ther any law that prohibit from purchasing scanner's frome
outside USA?

Sure there are....But there is a very, very, very slim chance of being cought....

Where can I get a full coverage scanner??

try this link Javiation-european scanners

369. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OON$66uv9GA.245@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149584

Can't think of any cases in point, but a fine can run into the tens of thousands of dollars, and 5 to 10 years of prison time. And, of course, confiscation of the scanner. I don't know how often this has happened so far, but US Customs is starting to inspect packages more thouroughly these days.

Does anyone have any cases they can share?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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Edward Railsback <101.32589@germanynet.de> wrote in message ...
>On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:09:51 -0500,
> "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>> Getting caught is not too hard (since the "ship to" address is on the
>> package).
>
>Know of any cases where customs seized scanners at the border, either
>on person of in the mail? What is/was the penalty? Confiscation only?
>Fine? Life in prison?

370. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ezuDX8uv9GA.318@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149585

That is correct. Many airports use the lower end of the aircraft band, about
118 to 120 for each of their runways. 108 to 118 is used mainly for aircraft
tracking, and above 120 is tower to aircraft (and vice versa) communication.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Business Bst Technology Dept wrote in message <35c52786.0@news.wln.com>...
>Jack (kryppy_X@bellsouth.net) wrote:
>
>: Scan from 108.-136.mhz AM and check with Delta to see if you can bring
>: the scanner on the aircraft.
>
> Does not the vocal tx begin really about 118mhz? I may
> be wrong but I thought below that are VOR and localizer
> freqs.
> ray-
> rdong@spl.org <....if responding to me <
> 47°34'N 122°18'W

371. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ela8NDvv9GA.224@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149586

TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and mini-UHF)
connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.

I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Nacho Barrientos wrote in message <6q3r5t$5vs$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>...
>Hi.
>
>Which are the best connectors for hi-frec (1 GHz) ?
>
>

372. Re: Antenna switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#XZDvEvv9GA.255@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149587

Normally, antenna switches have no shielding to protect from signal loss, so
I wouldn't recommend a switch, unless you find one with "loss protection".

It wouldn't be as easy for you, but I just switch the antenna manually --
connect a different one when it's needed.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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Nacho Barrientos wrote in message <6q3r1i$5sv$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>...
>Hi
>
>I'm looking for a good antenna switch, up to 1300 Mhz.
>
>

373. Scanner links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: territorie@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080315170400.LAA19419@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149588

Excellent Scanner related site with many links.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion Descramblers</A>

374. Re: Any Bearcat 9000XLT Owners please read. -TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6q4jcm$6ho@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 149589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35c529ea.4478180@news.erols.com>, Keith <No@No.Com> wrote:

>I have this scanner.Today I noticed the lighted display became very
>dim. I figure its not long before its out all together. Has anyone
>else had this problem? And if so, is there a way to fix it. Thanks for
>the help.

1. Measure the voltage supplied by the wall wart power supply
to make sure it's adequate.

2. I don't recall how many bulbs illuminate the BC9000XLT, and
don't have the service manual handy, but check to see if
one of the bulbs has burned out.
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

375. Any mods for Radio shack Pro-90 or BC-235xlt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8ppz73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080315224400.LAA24486@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149590

Looking for mods for these trunktracker scanners
Grego, N8PPZ
N8PPZ73@aol.com
gsmith@gdn.net
n8ppz@mail.yahoo.com
n8ppz@excite.com

376. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q4nel$ap8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149591

You just have your buddy Roger do it for you.
And as far as knowing what to do he is under invstigation.

In article <35C567C5.1EB5@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > The reason I am using dejanews is due to all of the mail bombings you and
your
> > buddies have been doing to my regular email accounts.
>
> First - I don't mail bomb.
>
> Second - If you are getting mail bombs are you admitting you
> are to stupid to know what to do to prevent that from happening
> & how to act with your ISP if one slips by?
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

377. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6q4m9a$6c8$1@columbia.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 149592

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@att.net> writes:
>TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and mini-UHF)
>connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.
>
>I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.

TNC and BNC share the same dimensions of the mating parts, the only difference is in the mechanical fixing method: screw versus bayonet. BNCs can rock, so TNC gives a more reliable connection. But the RF performance of a good quality BNC and TNC should be identical. Both are constant-impedance connectors, and both should work well at 1 GHz if properly installed.

N connectors are also good, and can handle higher power and more mechanical stress than BNC or TNC.

UHF (PL-259/SO-239) connectors were not designed for constant impedance and cause signal reflections. They are generally regarded as OK up to 300 MHz or so, but I wouldn't use them at 1 GHz. However, "mini UHF" connectors *are* constant impedance, despite their resemblance to the larger UHF connectors. They should be fine.

Finally, if you are using smaller cables and low power, several series of smaller connectors are availble. SMA connectors have good microwave-frequency performance and mount using a screw nut for good mechanical strength. SMB and MCX are push-on connectors so they are more convenient than SMA but less strong.

I've used all of the above types except mini-UHF. Generally, the connector you use depends on what's already mounted on the equipment you are connected to.

Dave

378. Re: Any mods for Radio shack Pro-90 or BC-235xlt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803160219 00.MAA24690@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149593

>Looking for mods for these trunktracker scanners
>Grego, N8PPZ

Keep looking--they don't exist.

379. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OnfREivv9GA.255@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149594

Thanks for the correction -- I should've realized that TNC/BNC are almost
the same.

I guess I was only making the conclusion that I've seen TNC connectors used
on cellular phones (*near* 1 GHz, although 200 MHz shy), and not BNC.

Regards.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Dave Martindale wrote in message <6q4m9a$6c8$1@columbia.cs.ubc.ca>...
>"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@att.net> writes:
>>TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and
mini-UHF)
>>connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.
>>
>>I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.
>
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>microwave-frequency performance and mount using a screw nut for good
>mechanical strength. SMB and MCX are push-on connectors so they are
>more convenient than SMA but less strong.

>
>I've used all of the above types except mini-UHF. Generally, the
>connector you use depends on what's already mounted on the equipment
>you are connected to.
>
> Dave

380. Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tvine@teleport.com
Message-ID: <6q4shd$i3u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149595

Anybody know how to contact Mr. Laws
by email? Thanks

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

381. AOR add in boards - any info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgtphou_rocks@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35c6e39a.10066313@news.concentric.net>
Source record: 149596
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I noticed all the expansion slots in my AR-8000, does any one know if
there are any boards that go in there?

--*-

382. Poor Mackey Is SICK !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c5e6be.172474709@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149597

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Overheard in a staff room at a Portland hospital:

John Mackey, feeling very ill, went to see
his doctor, and was immediately rushed to the
hospital to undergo tests. He woke up after
the tests in a private room at the hospital, as
the phone by his bed rang and rang.

"This is your doctor. We've had the results
back from your tests and we've found you have
an extremely nasty STD called G.A.S.H. It's
a combination of gonorrhea, AIDS, syphilis,
and herpes!"

Mackey whined, "My gosh, doctor! What are
you going to do?"

"Well we're going to put you on a diet of
pizzas, pancakes, and pita bread."

Heartened, Mackey asked, "Will that cure me?"

"Well no, but it's the only food we can slip
under the crack below the door."

383. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c6ea88.173444753@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149598

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> John "I'm So Proud Of My Dad" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >my father holds one of the lowest
> >amateur radio licenses the FCC offers
>
> Don't you know how proud Mackey's father
> must be to have John as a son??

Smacksie's Pop and I had a dialog about a
year or so ago. You wouldn't believe the
things he says about his own flesh and blood.
He related that many's the time, he considered
suicide for not taking Smacksie out and
drowning the miserable wretch right after
he was born.

The friggin loon.......
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384. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c7eb4c.173640464@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149599

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> John "My Face Might Crack If I Smile" MAckey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!
>
> Oops. I forgot that towel boy is totally devoid of
> a sense of humor.

One of the poor wretch's many afflictions
is a severe case of autism. He makes
"The Rainman" look like a glowing star
in the black sky.

385. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c8ec56.173906573@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149600

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com> wrote:

> How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the
> admin? what? We should ban mackey...

If Mackey can be banned, so can you.....and me...
and anyone else the "banner" so chooses.

Best to leave well enough alone and let the
Usenet work out its own problems. Mackey
is a poor, harmless little wretch anyway, and
this is his arena for grabbing attention.

It's the only "feel good" he gets out of Life.

'Sniff.....

386. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35c5f049.236445813@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 149601

You need to do your research a little more carefully. Items 1 and 3
are incorrect.

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:35:20 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Incorrect in two ways:
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>1- [Passenger Jet] Aircraft do not always operate under IFR.
>2- Scanners and other radio receivers are allowed on about 75% of all
>airlines, as long as they are not used at the gate, during taxi, take-off,
>climb, approach, and landing.
>3- Permission is not required as long as the company's regulations require
>permission or prohibit the use of radio receivers on board at any time.
>
>I've done my research on both of these points. Pick up an inflight magazine
>on any airline, and "Item #2" will plainly be proven.

387. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35caf143.175168194@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149602

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:

> Other than these the COM205 is identical to the PRO-2006 in all apsects
> so the OS-456 works with the COM205 just the same.

Does the COM205 have IC-10 and the upgraded
PLL and Logic/CPU boards *like* the PRO-2006?

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Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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388. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c9ed53.174159934@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149603

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

cdeviney@ipa.net (Cathy De Viney) wrote:

> How many folks have ordered a scanner from outside the U.S.?
> Cananda or Europe? Anyone ever had one confiscated?

I try to keep tabs on that sort of thing,
and so far, no..... no scanners have been
interdicted and made into an issue.....

However......many a wayward CB'er has been
nailed by the FCC and US Customs for doing
the same damn thing.

At one time, there were millions of CB'ers,
all importing contraband like it was free.
So the federales directed some "attention"
to the matter.

My gut feel is that scanners are "safe" for
the time being, but this could change if
people keep talking about the Yupiteru and
other contraband stuff. Geez, the federales
never gave a whit about cell mods until
people whooped 'em up into a breakfast
conversation frenzy:

"Hey, hon, what new cell mods came out today?"

:-)

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389. Re: A Proposal [Repost]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cbf27d.175482259@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149604

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com> wrote:

> ....you fill his heart
> with glee. For your information, what he is after is ATTENTION. And YOU ARE
> GIVING HIM THAT VERY ATTENTION..........

But don't you think it is a charitable
act to brighten the lives of idiots, imbeciles,
nitwits, halfwits, dimwits, fools, morons,
nutcakes, fruit loops, fart smellers, goofs,
peckerwoods, and nincompoops like Mackey?

I mean, hey, we help the homeless, the starving,
the sick, the tired, the poor..... so why
is it so bad to make Smacksie feel better?
He's just an unfortunate victim of bad breeding;
a limited gene pool; and some crossed nerves
betwixt his eyes and his arse.

<shrug>

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390. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ccf3bb.175800209@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149605

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <35c7701a.142095769@news2.cts.com>,
> bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:

> > Nope. Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
> > because a few green weenies set up a cacophony of
> > howls and sniveling over a certain feature of my
> > e-mail software.

> So what was that "feature"?

RRQ's. (Return Receipt Requests).

A few of the newbies and green weenies to
computing didn't know how to set up their
software to handle RRQ's, so they sniveled
to the good Peter, who in turn, banned RRQ's
and me.

:-)

With hundreds of e-mails a week here, I use
RRQ's as a management tool. Those who don't
like 'em can eat my shorts or learn how to
deal with 'em. No big deal, really, but
you know how newbies and green weenies are.

It takes a while to break 'em of sucking
eggs....and picking their noses.....

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391. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cdf526.176162868@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149606

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

The CB Guy <thecbguy@iname.com> wrote:

> HAr har har har.........
> There's not any fear of you on this newsgroup....other than the fear you
> may reproduce some day.

He may already have..... he used to
have a squaw and a passel of bed wetting
kids a few years ago. Now they might not
have been 'his', but you never know.

I caught him on some psych newsgroup a
few years ago sniveling and whining because
he couldn't potty train his kids.....

FWIW.
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392. Toronto Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6q4t5j$95$1@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 149607

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Does anyone have and active/interesting freqs
for Toronto? Won't have much time ther but
would like to try a little scanning.
tia
bill
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393. Room monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Johnson <norris@intop.net>
Message-ID: <35C61501.37DF@intop.net>
Source record: 149608

What's the frequencies for a room monitor such as the ones advertised
for use in babyies rooms
PLEASE REPLY TO E-MAIL ADDRESS norris@intop.com

394. Syr-Tor freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6q4tdv$95$5@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 149609

[Article reposted from misc.transport.rail.americas]
[Author was wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>]
[Posted on 3 Aug 1998 17:52:16 GMT]

Does anyone know what RR freqs to monitor taking
Amtrak from Syracuse NY to Toronto CA.
Guess Conrail main at Syrc but must be more.
tia
bill

395. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080318024400.OAA08734@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149610

>From: tvine@teleport.com
>Date: 8/3/98 1:37 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <6q4shd$i3u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>
>Anybody know how to contact Mr. Laws
>by email? Thanks

Yeah, I do. The question is, does he want to hear from you? Tell you what, I drop him a note introducing you and describing for him all of the antics that you regularly engage in here. I'm sure he'll be quite anxious and pleased to contact you.

396. Re: Toronto Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6q4u3rnbm1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 149611

wfm wrote in message <6q4t5j$95$1@news1.epix.net>...
>Does anyone have and active/interesting freqs
>for Toronto? Won't have much time ther but
>would like to try a little scanning.
>tia
>bill

Visit the NF2G Scannist Pages - Ontario Section at
http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/ontario_index.html and click on "Metro
Toronto".

73 de Dave, NF2G

397. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mouse.news@mousetrap.net
Message-ID: <8C80B248C03420A2.3E4A718545D6C382.0471BCE7BBF7250A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 149612

>How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the
>admin? what? We should ban mackey...

If someone's posts bother you, filter/killfile them.

I elimated about 40% of the noise in this group by killing anything
with "cheek" or "mack?y" in the Subject: line.

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L.V.X.,
jc
work http://www.mousetrap.net/ngs/ cgi, html, training
play http://www.mousetrap.net/~mouse/ VWs, the Great Work, lucidity

398. Re: Room monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ODIdOuwv9GA.259@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149613

In the US, 49.83 is the most popular, so search from about 49.7 to 49.99.
This is the same range as the older 10-channel cordless handset output
frequency.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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399. Manual for AOR 5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35c7fc61.1278954479@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 149614

Does anyone have a manual for the AOR 5000 in electronic form that they would be willing to email me (or hardcopy via regular mail, or fax, or something)? I'm trying to decide if I want to buy this radio and the available information on the web site and elsewhere isn't really adequate. I understand the manual is quite long, so this is probably rather impractical... If this doesn't pan out I plan to try to order (buy) one from a dealer...

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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400. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uxbn2zwv9GA.221@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149615

No, 1 and 3 ARE correct. I am in the process of taking flight lessons - I am sure you are not. I've been learning how both single civilian aircraft and passenger jets are used with IFR / MVFR rules.

Item #1: Aircraft DO NOT always operate under IFR flight rules. They DO, however, operate IFR about 98% of the time. Practically, "always" would be correct. Technically (when dealing with aircraft, technical corrections are required), IFR is not the condition at all times.

Item #3: If the airline's rules regarding use of receivers IN FLIGHT (only at cruise) are stated plainly in a magazine, booklet, brochure, on-board flight magazine, etc, PERMISSION IS NOT REQUIRED.

Don't believe me about either of these? Ask Gregory Knox (in this newsgroup, developed the Trunk Tracker technology) -- he is a pilot for Delta Airlines, with whom I've flown four times and have read Delta's Sky magazine, which says clearly, receivers may be used during cruise flight.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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magazine

>>on any airline, and "Item #2" will plainly be proven.
>

401. Re: 900MHz Phone Question????????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35C6026C.12C1CFF6@navix.net>
Source record: 149616

I am going to have to disagree, unfortunately. If a person buys a "Spread Spectrum" or digital cordless phone, there is NO scanner with the ability to eavesdrop. (note I said unfortunately) It will only be a matter of time before a "digital scanner" is made. For now, a digital cordless phone or digital cell. is not able to be eavesdropped on. bummer...

XMykelxX wrote:

> 900mhz phone are not secure. NOT ONE BIT. I have a friend that has a scanner
> that all you have to do is hit "manual" then punch in 900.0000 and hit scan...
> the walla! You hear telephone conversations which are cellular phone and
> 900mhz phone and cordless phones and so forth. Most scanners cannot pick up
> these freq, but there are alot of them out there (even sold by radio shack)
> out there. My friend said that the salesman at Radio Shack said thier scanners
> do not pick up cellular phones. He bought the scanner and was just messing
> around with it and ran into the phone calls by mistake. He listen to drug
> deals.. crimes in progress.. Husbands cheating on thier wives, ... and so
> on... once more don't let anyone teel you anything differn't! THEY ARE NOT
> SECURE
>

402. FAQ: New Scanner Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35C5FF2F.E4DF2074@ibm.net>
Source record: 149617
Cross-posted to: triangle.radio,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk

To All New Scanner Users,
If you are new to the radio monitoring hobby, I have compiled
a FAQ containing a collection of topics which are frequently
asked on the radio newsgroups.

Topics include :
Look Before You Post
Don't Ask What The Best Scanner Is
Picking A Scanner/Receiver
Scanner Glossary
Scanner Model FAQ
Scanner Dealers FAQ
Frequently Asked Frequencies
FCC Frequency Databases
CTCSS & DCS
What's Illegal
Cellular-capable Scanners
Trunked Radio Systems
Co-ax Cable
Receiver Range
Your Scanner On A Plane
Frequency Counters
Magazines & Newsletters
Rechargeable Battery Tips
*Radio Discussion Lists
*Radio Modifications
*Radio Shack On-line Manuals
*Handheld Scanner Antenna Review
*Used Scanner Price Guide
My Web Page
Courtesy

*=Newly added topics

To see this FAQ, point your web browsers to

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm

Happy reading!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

403. And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080319070300.PAA20931@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149618

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) writes:

>I caught him on some psych newsgroup a
>few years ago sniveling and whining because
>he couldn't potty train his kids.....

Well, no wonder. Mackey would have to know how
himself before he could teach them.

404. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C60C33.4021@parg.org>
Source record: 149619

MAlexder wrote:
> Yeah, I do. The question is, does he want to hear from you? Tell you what, I
> drop him a note introducing you and describing for him all of the antics that
> you regularly engage in here. I'm sure he'll be quite anxious and pleased to

Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!

405. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C60F04.1851@parg.org>
Source record: 149620

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Smacksie's Pop and I had a dialog about a
> year or so ago. You wouldn't believe the

Hey Bill, that was 2 years ago! How time flies! You
were e-mailing an address of john.mackey@stream.com. Guess
what, that was actually ME!!!!!!!!

You were on there BEGGING for my e-mail address acting
like we were buddies, thinking I was my dad. Oh GOD that was
funny, I hadn't thought about that for a long time, it was late summer
1996. I'm laughing to hard, must stop computer until this
is over. hohohohohohohohohohohohehehehehehehehehehe

406. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C60F50.60C1@parg.org>
Source record: 149621

Fire Chief wrote:
> Why do we have to wait for Bill? With your dislike
> of him you should be willing to jump right out and
> answer a question with foreright details instead of

This isn't a case of Me Vs. Bill, I have no dislike for him!

407. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6119C.571A@parg.org>
Source record: 149622

The CB Guy wrote:
> But if you are taking money, posing as a VEC and selling licenses, then
> it is still VEC fraud is it not?

It might be except I have never posed as a VEC or sold any licenses.
I ahve never committed any type of fraud.

408. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6130F.5185@parg.org>
Source record: 149623

Blake Bowers wrote:
> No proof at all. This just means, until recently, you have never
> been caught.

Well Blake I am still an active VE with the ARRL who says you
are wrong. Interesting, in my phone cals with them they
state they are very familar with you in the Official Observer
branch due to the numerous warnings you have been sent, according
to what I heard!

See Below from the ARRL:

Subject: RE: [Fwd: Mackey's VEC credentials under
Date: Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:35:00 -0400
From: "Jahnke, Bart, W9JJ" <bjahnke@arrl.org>

1. The performance of all VEs is reviewed as each test session is
received
and processed or as otherwise necessary. If we were investigating any
VE,
such information would not be made public.

2. When problems are identified, the ARRL/VEC will issue remedial
instruction, or if believed more serious we will suspend accreditation
or
withdraw accreditation.

We have an obligation to ensure (to the best of our ability) the
integrity
of our VE program and to uphold the integrity within our VEs. If a
matter
were to surface that required our attention, the steps in item 2 would
be
our usual procedure as necessary.

73,

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ARRL Exam Session Search

09-Aug-1998
Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
Time: 08:30PM (Walk-ins allowed)

Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
VEC: ARRL/VEC

23-Aug-1998
Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
Time: 08:30PM (Walk-ins allowed)
Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
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13-Sep-1998
Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
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Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
VEC: ARRL/VEC

409. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6148A.1481@parg.org>
Source record: 149624

Bill Cheek wrote:
> No, dipstick, "they" don't have to do
> anything. You are the perennial liar
> around here.

Are you afraid the competition might un-seat you from
that position you have always held?

410. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C61455.248F@parg.org>
Source record: 149625

Blake Bowers wrote:

> John, this is just the rumors I heard. I even have

No, it is the rumor/lie you started!

According to the ARRL, you are wrong. I am still listed
as an active VE!

See Below from the ARRL:

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> It is? Most people always thought Novice was the most
> restrictive. Is that the problem? Are you rewriting the HAM
> rules?

(codeless-)technician is considered more restrictive because
HF operation is prohibited.

411. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6154C.39B0@parg.org>
Source record: 149626

K4CC wrote:
> Just as you have not been able to
> provide proof of a degree?

No, just as your hero Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
degree for over 2 years.

412. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C615AE.1A82@parg.org>
Source record: 149627

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Because he'll kick your arse up betwixt

he better bring a couple friends with him then because he
certainly isn't capable of it himself!

413. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C615F0.3899@parg.org>
Source record: 149628

K4CC wrote:

> <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!

> Oops. I forgot that towel boy is totally devoid of
> a sense of humor.

Yea, once presented truth, you try to say you were
joking. Good cover for your stupidity!

414. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C616CA.1DF3@parg.org>
Source record: 149629

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Nope. Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
> because a few green weenies set up a cacophony of
> howls and sniveling over a certain feature of my
> e-mail software.

The features they were complaining about was you always
using high priority & return receipt for your
messages. A feature you could have turned off if
you wanted to as it is considered poor etiquite
to use either one all the time as you were doing.

415. CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C61664.479B@parg.org>
Source record: 149630

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list

Bill's very own words!!!!!!1

416. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C617A4.1343@parg.org>
Source record: 149631

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> You just have your buddy Roger do it for you.

Then that means I didn't do it if someone else did!

> And as far as knowing what to do he is under invstigation.

Go for it!

417. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6180F.2FF@parg.org>
Source record: 149632

Bill Cheek wrote:

> crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > So what was that "feature"?

> RRQ's. (Return Receipt Requests).
>
> A few of the newbies and green weenies to
> computing didn't know how to set up their
> software to handle RRQ's, so they sniveled
> to the good Peter, who in turn, banned RRQ's and me.

Yea, they gave Bill several warnings & asked him to turn off the receopt feature starting about 2 months ago. Bill refues to cooperate, as usual.

418. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6186B.5AB4@parg.org>
Source record: 149633

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You're fuller of shit than a Christmas Goose,

Of course your only defense is an insult becaues you
have no other defense!

How pathetic you are!

419. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c81beb.84196799@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149634

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:10:42 +0200, "Nacho Barrientos"
<takeoffthispart.nacho.barrientos@apdo.com> wrote:

>Hi.
>
>Which are the best connectors for hi-frec (1 GHz) ?
>

BNC,TNC, and mini UHF connectors (not PL-259) should all work just
fine, and don't skimp on the coax cable that you use!

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420. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c91cbb.84405506@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149635

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:12:19 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and mini-UHF)
>connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.
>
>I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.

Did you just make this up off the top of your head?

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421. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ca1d20.84506447@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149636

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 07:48:21 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>
>It isn't! It started out being about Bill's conduct on this
>NG being unacceptable. Then it took you to gang up with all
>your buddies to match me. You & the rest of them are afraid to
>take me on alone, you will only do it if you know you'll have
>the other's support.

Hahaah, You have proven that you will not reply, or cancel any message
that proves you wrong.

>How pathetic you are!

Yup!

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422. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cb1e19.84755531@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149637

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 06:57:59 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Besides all that, my father holds one of the lowest
>amateur radio licenses the FCC offers a "(codeless-)technician"
>the exact same license as you. Now you know Blake since you hold
>the same low level (codeless-)technician license as my father
>that this license is the most restrictive off all amateur licenses
>& those license holders are not eligable to participate in any
>"VEC" program. So WHY would they serve a search warrant on his
>house?
>
>The answer is simple, you are lying!

Don't keep skirting the issue, no one is judging you on the alleged
charges anyway. We are simply waiting for conformation from some
official sources.

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423. Re: MDT Application and 400 MHz system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cd21ae.85672169@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149638

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 22:14:42 -0600, "Kevin Fisher"
<klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca> wrote:

>Has anyone confirmed that the MDT system will not work with the 400 MHz
>systems ?

I can tell you with 100% certainty that it will work as long as they
use Motorola's MDC-4800 protocol.

>The police here in Edmonton Alberta use a MDT system in their cars ... they
>use freqs of 462.1000 and 462.3750. I don't know if these are Motorola
>systems or what protocol they are using ..

Way too far away for an answer from me....

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424. Re: NG help opinions evaluations of Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cf2303.86013343@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149639

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 00:50:58 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Yes, I did register it. I also let the author know what I was using it for.

So how long did it take to get your code? Has 2.0 even been out for 6
months.

>Jack wrote in message <35cff3f1.8416267@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>>On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:24:00 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>>
>>>I love and use Wintone 2.0 for my local-area amateur radio repeater system
>>>for the repeater functions.
>>>
>>>It is well worth the money, although I have heard that he (the author of
>>>Wintone) sometimes accepts the money and doesn't send the code for a long
>>>time (sometimes 6 months).
>>
>>
>>So you are a registered user?
>

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425. Re: Any Bearcat 9000XLT Owners please read. -TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Bundy <jabundy@esn.net>
Message-ID: <hvpx1.1075$F07.1545439@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 149640
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You did not hit shift off did you?

Bob Parnass, AJ9S wrote in message <6q4jcm$6ho@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>...
>In article <35c529ea.4478180@news.erols.com>, Keith <No@No.Com> wrote:
>
> >I have this scanner.Today I noticed the lighted display became very
> >dim. I figure its not long before its out all together. Has anyone
> >else had this problem? And if so, is there a way to fix it. Thanks for
> >the help.
>
>1. Measure the voltage supplied by the wall wart power supply
>to make sure it's adequate.
>
>2. I don't recall how many bulbs illuminate the BC9000XLT, and
>don't have the service manual handy, but check to see if
>one of the bulbs has burned out.
>--
>
>==========
===
>Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S AMPS/PCS Advanced Systems Development
Lab
>parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent
Technologies

426. Re: Room monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d1262b.86821343@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149641

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 12:52:33 -0700, Joe Johnson <norris@intop.net>
wrote:

>What's the frequencies for a room monitor such as the ones advertised
>for use in babyies rooms

49.830 - F1
49.845 - F2
49.860 - F3
49.875 - F4
49.890 - F5
Are the frequencies for the most common lower priced units available.

I have a 900mhz unit that operates on 905.4750 or 905.7375 and
suspect the 900mhz units can be found anywhere from 902.-928.mhz

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427. FS Ebay: Pro 2005, cell restored

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Dean <cdean@cxo.com>
Message-ID: <35C626B7.8D4F7303@cxo.com>
Source record: 149642

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=23943064

428. Re: MACKEYmaking more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080321223700.RAA03925@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149643

>From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>Are you afraid the competition might un-seat you from that position you have always held?

If the competition is to see who can flame the most in a single day, you win hands down! You also lead the pack in:
1. transmitting e-mail bombs
2. computer trespassing
3. forgeries
4. impersonating legitimate users
5. disrupting the newsgroup without cause
6. engaging in personal vendettas

I'm sure the evidence will come out if you are actually prosecuted for your alleged crimes in the alleged license selling scandal. Notice, I used the word "alleged." Until you are convicted, I think we should give you the benefit of the doubt.

That's all folks! Quack Mack goes back into the bozo filter.

429. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080321244900.RAA08955@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149644

>From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!

Why don't you give your little buddy Peter the info that he needs? Even he has enough sense not to ask you anything about scanning, no matter how remote. Your agenda is well documented and reinforced by your numerous daily, off-topic flames.

430. Re:FS Serenader SWRADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Kuschmierz <jkuschm@muskoka.com>
Message-ID: <01bdbf29$85638c60$3fafd4c7@jkusch.muskoka.com>
Source record: 149645
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I have an old Serenader shortwave radio and am looking to sell it

John
jkusch@muskoka.com

431. Uniden BC120XLT a few questions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Rob <robcolyerNOSPAM@freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <35C62BC9.D86E17B8@freewwweb.com>
Source record: 149646

I recently bought a remanufactured Uniden BC120XLT and was wondering are

there any codes to get other freqs.
I have seen some posts about post ban scanners having unlisted freqs
when a combination of buttons on the keypad.
And finally does anyone know where I can find out what the date code:
OCIF means?

--
To reply remove NOSPAM
If you put a slinky on an escalator, would it go forever?
Fight Spam! Join CAUCE! == http://www.cauce.org/
Outlaw Junk Email! Support HR 1748.

432. Pro 43 mint swap or Sale !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: gaylakate@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080321525900.RAA12794@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149647

For sale or swap mint unblocked 43, included charger. manual, original box, leather case, all the fixin's, looking for reasonable bis ot will sawp for similar value radio or transceiver-let me know what you have ! Nicads included

433. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <O5ODjqyv9GA.171@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149648

No, and if you choose to post rediculous comments, instead send them by email so you don't make yourself look like a fool when I've already been corrected.

Also, TNC connectors give good mechanical connections (no rocking). PL-259 (UHF) connectors have a higher impedance and loss. I prefer "N" connectors because of very low loss on the 2m and 440 bands, and there isn't any rocking.

I don't know much about mini-UHF, so shut up before boasting your alleged ability to know more than I do.

Too, think before you post.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jack wrote in message <35c91cbb.84405506@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:12:19 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and
mini-UHF)
>>connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.
>>
>>I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.
>
>
>Did you just make this up off the top of your head?
>
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434. Re: Scanner links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#mHlpsyv9GA.307@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149649

Hmm. It's Scott Bias spamming again. This is the second spam in 2 days.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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TERRITORIE wrote in message
<19980803151704O0.LAA19419@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Excellent Scanner related site with many links.
>
>
><A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion
>Descramblers</A>

435. Re: Southern California Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zkk6pd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.102fd66f645da3e7989692@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner

In article <6q3dvkack1@nnrp3.snfc21.pbi.net>,
chadarn@home.com says...
> Southern California 911 has moved to a new domain due to an ISP crash. You
> can now find all the frequency and trunking information for Southern
> California at http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911.
>
>
>
too bad the link is no good, I would have liked to have
seen this

73 de Pat KK6PD

436. Re: Looking for BC895XLT in Tidewater area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6q5fk9$q8@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 149651

Well, it isn't local, but for reference, I mail ordered mine from National Electronics for $212 delivered. Service was top-notch. I don't know VA very well, but EEB is in Vienna VA and sells them. I don't know the price.

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Bryan G. wrote in message <6q29i4$cc5@netaxs.com>...
>Am trying to find a BC895XLT radio local to me. (Norfolk, Portsmouth,
>Va,Beach)
>and have only found one dealer local and he wants 349.00 which seems steep.
>Anyone know of any dealers local to this area.
>
>Bryan
>
>
>

437. Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c73ab0.193968024@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149652

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Overheard on Portland's tavern scene:
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For a long time, Suzy had a fantasy of being
with the infamous John Mackey. One night in
a bar, she met Mackey in person and figured,
what the crap, she'd go for it.

So Suzy asked the Mackaroon to come home with her.
When the two got to her apartment, Suzy told
Mackey about her fantasy, and asked if he would
be a part of it.

Well, Smacksie agreed, so the two headed for
the bedroom. Suzy said, "OK, first, I want you to
undress me and tie me to the bed!" So Mackey did it.

By this time, Suzy was worked up into a passionate
frenzy. She looked up at the Mindless One and said,
"Now, big boy, do what you do best!"

So ol' Mack the Wack ransacked her apartment and
skeedaddled with the VCR, money, silverware, and
Suzy's best and sheerest negligees.
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438. TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6q5hhs$2d7@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 149653

I just got a 895XLT and I am trying to figure out a local system (BYU in Provo Utah). I think it is a Mot. Type 1 or Hybrid system, but I don't know. When in Type II mode I miss some transmissions. Now I am playing with the User Defined Fleet maps to try to figure out how to configure this.

My main question is, if I change the block size (s-0 to s-14) do the codes displayed change or are they constant? For example, if the exact same radio on the same channel transmits with an ID of 400-12 when block size is s-4, could it display differently is I change it to s-6 (i.e 415-0)??

My theory is, I'll set the size to something with a lot of fleets (like 128 or 64) and then listen and record the highest fleet number displayed. Then, once I determine how many fleets are being used (in a block) I'll adjust the fleet size to match. For example if I get a hit like 724-3 I know there are more than 16 fleets being used in that block. Then I'll do a similar process at the subfleet level.

The only problem is if a radio will display a different ID just because I change the scanner setting, my process will not work. I am wondering if the scanner interprets the data differently if it is expecting it to be different, or will the IDs remain constant regardless of the block size that I set? Help!

--
Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400

439. Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35c743b0.41508797@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149654

Anyone know of one that isn't all stupid flame??

Ben

440. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35C6463A.5598@globe-net.net>
Source record: 149655

Incorrect. A used cell "capable" receiver is legal to purchase
from private individuals from the net.

Read the following article:

ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet-by-group/rec.radio.scanner/Introduction_to_Scanning

"It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA
recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily
modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales
by private individuals will still be allowed."

Listening to the cell band is something entirely different!
It is also now illegal to listen to cordless phones, even
though new scanners can receive the signals.

About the only way to get in trouble is to blab about
what you heard.

Robert

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> If I am understanding this law correctly, buying ANY cell-capable scanner is
> illegal. It is usually the buyer who is prosecuted.
>
> However, I've heard only imported scanners are the ones that are the "most
> illegal" to buy.

>
> Jack wrote in message <35cbf171.7775616@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
> >On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:09:51 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> ><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
> >
> >>Something like that : it is illegal to purchase a scanner (from anywhere,
> >>domestic or imported) that can pick up cellular.

> >So it is illegal to purchase a cell capable scanner from someone on
> >the newsgroup?

441. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#eCJwE0v9GA.112@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149656

Yes, rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner.

These aren't *full* of flames by any means.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Ben wrote in message <35c743b0.41508797@news.mindspring.com>...
>Anyone know of one that isn't all stupid flame??
>
>Ben
>

442. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Fernandes <ef@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35C65C40.1C18@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
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> Overheard on Portland's tavern scene:
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>
> For a long time, Suzy had a fantasy of being
> with the infamous John Mackey. One night in
> a bar, she met Mackey in person and figured,
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>
> By this time, Suzy was worked up into a passionate
> frenzy. She looked up at the Mindless One and said,
> "Now, big boy, do what you do best!"
>
> So ol' Mack the Wack ransacked her apartment and
> skeedaddled with the VCR, money, silverware, and
> Suzy's best and sheerest negligees.
What does this have to do with scanners?

443. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <eBB0#L0v9GA.259@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149658

I've heard differently when I asked awhile ago in another group. I was wondering where I could purchase one, and about 10 people replied and said it was illegal to purchase a cell-capable scanner.

You might very well be correct, but I'll stick on the safe side and go by what I've heard. The info about the cell and cordless phones is correct, though. I used to have fun listening to cordless, but I don't do it as much anymore. Not because it's illegal -- just because there isn't much that's of interest, except in a great while.

Here in Minnesota (he says with a "Minnesotan accent"), not much happens here, ya know? <g>

Regards.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Robert wrote in message <35C6463A.5598@globe-net.net>...
>Incorrect. A used cell "capable" receiver is legal to purchase
>from private individuals from the net.
>
>Read the following article:
>
>ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet-by-group/rec.radio.scanner/Introduction_to_Sc
anning
>
>"It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA
>recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily
>modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales
>by private individuals will still be allowed."
>
>Listening to the cell band is something entirely different!
>It is also now illegal to listen to cordless phones, even
>though new scanners can receive the signals.
>
>About the only way to get in trouble is to blab about
>what you heard.

444. Re: Cheeks dumped from group too?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <utq0sQ0v9GA.188@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149659

Hello, Peter.

No, he's still here.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ

tvine@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6q2hgooja1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Whats up? Wheres Cheeks. Did he get
>dumped from this group somehow?
>Ever since word came out of his dismissal
>from the mailing list he aint said boo.
>Whats up with that?

445. Keyboard Tricks for Realistic Scanners??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioCollector <Antique_Radio_Collector@usa.net/NoSpam>
Message-ID: <6q5oet$95s$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149660
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,nl.radio.scanners,rec.radio.scanner

Hello All,

Anybody has ANY keyboard tricks for ANY Realistic scanner? I wonder if these tricks work on any of the Realistic scanners.

Please let me know if you know one, or know a place on the web where I might find them!

Please e-mail me drirectly by removing/NoSpam.

Thanks so much,

Appreciate it!

Rian

446. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Schick <schick@#us.ibm.com>
Message-ID: <35c66ca2.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 149661
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

Jack,

I don't know what you need to do to get good protection against lightning in

the Ft. Lauderdale area. There must be some companies around there that specialize in that. I'd try to find out what they do. The general, the theory
behind lightning protection is to discharge the ground to the air before a sufficient charge builds up to cause a lightning strike, and that is typically
done by a lightning rod system.

If you have a WELL grounded antenna tower near your house, that may provide protection. From the apex of the tower to the ground, imagine a cone extending to the ground with an apex angle of 30 degrees. Everything within that cone is protected, in theory.

For a good RF ground, you could bury a LOT of radials cut to the frequency(ies) of interest at the base of the tower extending outward, and buried so you won't trip on them. They would work just as well if laid on the surface of the ground. 120 radials have been mentioned as providing a superior RF ground. Two driven rods 10 feet long do not constitute a good RF ground, regardless of what another respondant mentioned.

If properly installed, the two ground rods meet NEC requirements for the grounding electrode system for your incoming AC power. But you asked about SAFE. I do not know. It could be that the lower portion of those pipes is corroded, and what you think is a total of 20 feet of metal, with most of it in contact with ground water, could actually be far less than that. In general, the more metal underground, the better, provided it is properly installed.

I think your current practice with regard to the antenna is your best course of action, all things considered. Disconnecting and grounding the antenna is simple and effective in preventing lightning damage to your radio. If you are intent on improving over that, add supplementary groudning electrodes in accordance with the NEC. Ed

Jack wrote:

> I do have ground water at 5-8 feet down all year around.
> So what do I have to do to be relatively safe, and have somewhat of an
> RF ground? Can I silver solder a coupling onto the ground rod and
> drive it another 10 feet down or what?
> I will probably keep grounding the coax when I'm not using it, but I

> would like a relativity safe ground.
>

447. Discriminator Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u8s1Fm0v9GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149662
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are there any scanners that have built-in access to discriminator output? If not, there should be.

It would be nice to use this so I don't have to build the data slicer stuff.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

448. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ubhD4k0v9GA.231@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What does your post have to do with scanners? You are only contributing to more off-topic posting. By responding, so am I, but I am trying to make a better point.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Eddie Fernandes wrote in message <35C65C40.1C18@bc.sympatico.ca>...
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>>
>> Overheard on Portland's tavern scene:
>> ==========
>>
>> For a long time, Suzy had a fantasy of being
>> with the infamous John Mackey. One night in
>> a bar, she met Mackey in person and figured,
>> what the crap, she'd go for it.
>>
>> So Suzy asked the Mackaroon to come home with her.
>> When the two got to her apartment, Suzy told
>> Mackey about her fantasy, and asked if he would
>> be a part of it.
>>
>> Well, Smacksie agreed, so the two headed for
>> the bedroom. Suzy said, "OK, first, I want you to
>> undress me and tie me to the bed!" So Mackey did it.
>>
>> By this time, Suzy was worked up into a passionate
>> frenzy. She looked up at the Mindless One and said,
>> "Now, big boy, do what you do best!"
>>
>> So ol' Mack the Wack ransacked her apartment and
>> skeedaddled with the VCR, money, silverware, and
>> Suzy's best and sheerest negligees.
>What does this have to do with scanners?

449. Re: Blake Bowers trying to make trouble again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C6693E.41ECF16A@netwit.com>
Source record: 149664

KA0SSF wrote:

> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> > > OK, I have never been accused formally or informally by
> > > any judicial or investigation body.
>
> > So what your saying here is that you could be currently under investigation
> > for misconduct by the ARRL.
>
> OK, to clarify for dim-witted people like yourself,
> I have NEVER been accused or investigated by the ARRL
> for mis-conduct.

Well......Do you have any PROOF?
(giggle)

450. reception on pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nigel Dobereiner <laughtree@aol.com>
Message-ID: <35C669F1.B35D1190@aol.com>
Source record: 149665

Hi,

I have a Realistic Pr0-26 handheld scanner. I love it. But my reception on the highway of Mass State Police 159.030 is never that great. I know the hear the calls better than I do. I have an external Radio Shack magnetic antenna with those resistor type nodules on the rod. My question, is this reception typical for a handheld, or could I optimize my antenna length for that frequency to improve reception?

Sorry if this is a stupid question, I'm new to this.

Nigel <laughtree{remove}@aol.com>

451. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C66B4A.79D56E3D@netwit.com>
Source record: 149666

sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>
>
> I, for one, would never mention the fact that John Mackey
> is being investigated for VEC fraud until I could substantiate
> the charge.
>
> /Sal
>

Good for you Sal! I too wouldn't want to comment on any ongoing investigation into John Mackey's alleged VEC fraud. That wouldn't be right. I'm sure the proper authorities will make the details known when such an investigation is concluded.

452. Comments on the Pro-2041

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6q5pg8$oso@netaxs.com>
Source record: 149667

Any comments/opinions on the Pro-2041. My local RS has them for $119.00. Not a Trunk Tracker but, seemed like a hell of a deal for a 400Ch/800Mhz to me.

Bryan

453. Re: WiNRADiO - unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Cuppy <bpc002@kktv.com>
Message-ID: <35C67040.5773@kktv.com>
Source record: 149668

I already spoke my mind with my Congressmen. I think
Congress needs a total cleaning. New People from top
to bottom. Besides, ban attorney's from Congress.

Brad

Tracey-Levin. wrote:

> Brad, thanks for the comments, but if you dont tell this to your two
> senate members and your one house member, you will just be blowing in
> the wind.
> Heres the rule: GOVERNMENT ALWAYS SEEKS TO FIND WAYS TO CONTROL YOU MORE
> WITH EACH PASSING DAY. UNLESS CONSTITUTIONAL LIMITS ARE FORCED ON THE
> FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, ALL FREEDOM and LIBERTY WILL BE SLOWLY REMOVED.
>
> --
> The Past: Man oppressed by government.
>
> The Present: America-a wonderful country where man controls his
> government.
>
> The Future: Man oppressed by government.
> ---
> Liberalism Loves Government, Not Liberty!

454. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <Vlux1.43$8T.342643@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 149669

This is an open and un-moderated NG. Use a news reader with filters, a few well chosen filters will eliminate much of the non-scanner related postings.

I'm struck by how often the "ban 'em" attitude gets expressed. Sure, there's a high percentage of noise here. But as scanner enthusiasts we enjoy our hobby by listening to all the "stuff" out there. We are listeners. We balk at rules that try to stifle our ability to listen. Why be so quick to squelch others? You simply don't listen to that which is obnoxious, off-topic, whatever.

Jose Cuervo wrote in message <35C42C36.F5D4FF0F@eden.com>...
>How do we go about banning someone from the NG? Do we vote? Ask the
>admin? what? We should ban mackey...
>

455. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <35C672F4.64CC2C9D@cadvision.com>
Source record: 149670

Ben wrote:

> Anyone know of one that isn't all stupid flame??
>
> Ben

This one, about 5 years ago, before a pair of idiots found it convenient to rant at/about each other in..

--
Jay lowj@cadvision.com http://www.cadvision.com/lowg/rmes.html

456. Re: T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6q3hqiicc1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 149671

Legion_IV (spam-death-tully.s@worldnet.att.net) wrote:
: Howdy--
: I saw it too. It's been running sporadically on the E! channel. Others
: have reported seeing it on there before. There's nothing but an 800 number.
: It looks like one of the scanners I can get at WalMart, a Bearcat something
: or other, it's safety-yellow case and style give it away. I imagine it will
: recv cordless phones (most will) but is cell-blocked (most are), so it would
: be a 'truth in advertising' scam. But they may have latched on to a whole
: truck-load of pre-1994 vintage models and are clearing them out. That, as I
: understand it, would be legal.
: --Legion.

: Barron wrote in message <01bdbe1f$1bf13c60$764106d1@savy1>...
: > Did any of you see a commercial on T.V. advertising a scanner
: >to pick up your neighbors cordless and cell calls????. It was $175 and they
: >were basically saying "know whats going on around your neighborhood" I
: >couldn't
: >believe that it was on T.V. They had an 800# and everything the scanner had
: >a
: >yellow case to it.
: > I am not interested in the scanner, but I was wondering how the heck they
: >could advertise this type of thing on t.v........
: >
: >

It's a SC-150Y.
It WILL pick up SOME cell calls, due to it being only double-conversion(it
images well)

457. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <emzI#lqv9GA.174@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149672

If I am understanding this law correctly, buying ANY cell-capable scanner is illegal. It is usually the buyer who is prosecuted.

However, I've heard only imported scanners are the ones that are the "most illegal" to buy.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jack wrote in message <35cbf171.7775616@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:09:51 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Something like that : it is illegal to purchase a scanner (from anywhere,
>>domestic or imported) that can pick up cellular.
>
>
>So it is illegal to purchase a cell capable scanner from someone on
>the newsgroup?
>
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

458. Re: NG help opinions evaluations of Wintone 2.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#V$7hJqv9GA.101@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149673

Yes, I did register it. I also let the author know what I was using it for.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jack wrote in message <35cff3f1.8416267@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:24:00 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>I love and use Wintone 2.0 for my local-area amateur radio repeater system
>>for the repeater functions.
>>
>>It is well worth the money, although I have heard that he (the author of
>>Wintone) sometimes accepts the money and doesn't send the code for a long
>>time (sometimes 6 months).
>
>
>So you are a registered user?

459. Re: Pro-90, Good 800Mhz Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <eodoGLqv9GA.159@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149674

This is my message, and it was not snotty (I just didn't see that he said he *would* use an adapter):

>Actually, the antenna you are speaking of has a TNC connector. All cellular
>phone antennas that Radio Shack has use TNC connectors.
>
>However, you could use it with an BNC to TNC adapter, which is about $4.
>
>Regards.

You mustn't have read mine, either. You went with Kevin Lanning's jumpy conclusion.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jack wrote in message <35d4f909.9720312@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:05:10 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Oops! I now see this. I apologize.
>>
>>Your rude tone, however, did not help anything.
>
>It helped to show how without even reading a message you are ready to
>jump in with your snotty condescending attitude without even providing
>one piece of useful information!
>
>
>>
>>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>>Actually, the antenna you are speaking of has a TNC connector. All
cellular
>>phone antennas that Radio Shack has use TNC connectors.
>
>>However, you could use it with an BNC to TNC adapter, which is about $4.
>>
>>Regards.
>>--

>>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>>RySoft Corporation
>>
>>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>>
>>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>>
>>Bryan G. wrote in message <6ptdj7$j6g@netaxs.com>...
>>>Just purchased a Pro-90 (excellent scanner by the way) and have a
question
>>>for some of the more seasoned users. RS also sells a 800Mhz Cell phone
>>>antenna that (with a BNC adapter) will fit on this scanner. Can not
>>>remember the Cat. No. but it is the one that can be turned 90 degrees.
>>>Has anyone tried this or have any other ideas that may show improved
reception
>>>when doing Trunk Tracking.
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
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460. Re: Mackey's VE credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C559C6.3E98@parg.org>
Source record: 149675

According to your buddy Blake Bowers a warrant was served.
Apparently he is trying to implicate
my Dad also, which is really funny because my
Dad is only a technician & not eligable to be a VE!

K4CC wrote:
> An FCC investigation doesn't trigger a "warrant".

>>Subject: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?
>> Date: 2 Aug 1998 15:04:12 GMT
>> From: bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers)
>>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>>The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to
>>revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a
>>search warrant on John's parents house.

461. hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C55AC1.F6E@parg.org>
Source record: 149676

K4CC wrote:
> Oh, that's good. Well, in the meantime, we shouldn't
> even mention the fact that Mackey is being
> investigated for VEC fraud until we can substantiate

hehehehehehehe,
laughs are on YOU!!!!

I am NOT a VEC!!! I never have been!!!!!!!

What a little FOOL you are. Ask the FCC, I would have to be registered with them if I was a VEC!!!!!!

The FCC maintains a list of ALL amateur VEC's! GO FOR IT!!!

462. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C55B41.15AE@parg.org>
Source record: 149677

Blake Bowers wrote:

> >2. I have never been investigated or accused of any improper actions
> > or illegal activities as a licensed radio operator.
>
> Can you provide proof of this?

Yes, I would be in-eligable to be a member of the amateur auxillary
if such things had ever happened.

Proof positive.

Now Blake, can YOU provice proof of any of the accusations YOU
have made?

463. Blake Bowers trying to make trouble again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C55C3F.2895@parg.org>
Source record: 149678

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> > OK, I have never been accused formally or informally by
> > any judicial or investigation body.

> So what your saying here is that you could be currently under investigation
> for misconduct by the ARRL.

OK, to clarify for dim-witted people like yourself,
I have NEVER been accused or investigated by the ARRL
for mis-conduct.

464. MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C55CC4.F1D@parg.org>
Source record: 149679

MAlexder wrote:
> Mackerel, you are such a well-known liar that it is now impossible to believe
> anything you say. You'll have to substantiate that the allegations against you
> are untrue.

Then will you & the others ALSO have to substantiate that the
allegations
they make are true? (INCLUDING YOU!)

465. Radio Shack PRO-2050 (TrunkTracker) Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toneman@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35c55c97.24562465@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149680

I just bought this homebased scanner and I just realized that it doesnt get most of the 800 range
(which is the cel phones). Is there a modification I can make to be able to get them. I have an AOR
900 handheld that gets everything.

Help!!!

Tony

466. Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C55FBA.D3E@parg.org>
Source record: 149681

Blake Bowers wrote:
> The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to
> revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a
> search warrant on John's parents house.

Hey Blake, according to your buddy K4CC you are wrong! Read below:

>Subject: Re: Mackey's VE credentials under investigation?
> Date: 02 Aug 1998 23:33:10 GMT
> From: k4cc@aol.com (K4CC)
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>
>An FCC investigation doesn't trigger a "warrant".
>
>So according to K4CC you are wrong or are lying as "an FCC
>investigation doesn't trigger a 'warrant'".

Also, HOW & WHY would any type of investigation of "VEC" actions
(as YOU stated) involve me or my father. Neither of us are
a "VEC"!!!!! Really Blake, go ask the FCC as they keep a record
of all "VEC" credential holders.

Besides all that, my father holds one of the lowest
amateur radio licenses the FCC offers a "(codeless-)technician"
the exact same license as you. Now you know Blake since you hold
the same low level (codeless-)technician license as my father
that this license is the most restrictive off all amateur licenses
& those license holders are not eligable to participate in any
"VEC" program. So WHY would they serve a search warrant on his
house?

The answer is simple, you are lying!

467. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C560BB.F61@parg.org>
Source record: 149682

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> When I want your opinion, I'll have Bill Cheek give it to you.

Apparently that is who gives you YOUR opinions.

468. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56114.1E56@parg.org>
Source record: 149683

K4CC wrote:
> How would you know that, Smokey? You just said
> you don't subscribe to that mail list. Get caught in

Just going by what those people have said!

469. K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C5658F.508B@parg.org>
Source record: 149684

K4CC wrote:
> Funny, on the headers I received it said he
> posted through Juno.

Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!

So there is NO WAY he could have "posted through Juno" as you say he does. He simply is putting the Juno address in his "from" field, in an effort to cover his tracks.

(Check it out yourself at HTTP://www.juno.com)

> Slow down there, saddle pal,
> you're getting a little frantic.

You appear to be the one frantic using excuses that you haven't checked out.

hehehehehehehhehe, using juno to post newsgoup messages! hehehehehehehe, that is one of DUMBEST things I've heard you say yet & you're said some pretty dumb things!

470. MAlexander makes a FOOL of himself!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C5668F.7F1B@parg.org>
Source record: 149685

MAlexder wrote:
> Perhaps he prefers to avoid being the target of your mail bombs,
> impersonations, forgeries and the many other distasteful and unsavory practices
> that your routinely engage in.

Are you saying he is SOOOOOO stupid & ill-equiped on the interent
that he doesn't know the simple ways to protect himself from the things
you mention!!!

471. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C5672E.3C90@parg.org>
Source record: 149686

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> He sure is Dave, mackey is getting frantic because all of the facts are coming

You guys are making the dumb-assed statements you have posted
& you call ME frantic??

You must be looking in a mirror!

472. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C567C5.1EB5@parg.org>
Source record: 149687

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> The reason I am using dejanews is due to all of the mail bombings you and your
> buddies have been doing to my regular email accounts.

First - I don't mail bomb.

Second - If you are getting mail bombs are you admitting you
are to stupid to know what to do to prevent that from happening
& how to act with your ISP if one slips by?

473. Re: Mackey is the Truth!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56A52.6F0@parg.org>
Source record: 149688

K4CC wrote:
> I wonder, though, what it is you're avoiding by not making good on your
> offer of 7/26 to post copies of messages that were sent to your ISPs about you?

You'll get them. You didn't specify a deadline & I didn't give a date
so there is no rush.

474. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56B89.47AE@parg.org>
Source record: 149689

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> If you really had a degree (I know you don't), you'd jump at the chance
> to embarrass Bill by waving in under his nose. But, you don't have a
> degree so you must continue your little lie and keep claiming you have

If this was a ME Vs Bill thing then you would be right. But it isn't
so I am not concerned with making my self look good in a comparasion to
Bill.

Is that your problem, you think this is all about me Vs. Bill?

It isn't! It started out being about Bill's conduct on this
NG being unacceptable. Then it took you to gang up with all
your buddies to match me. You & the rest of them are afraid to
take me on alone, you will only do it if you know you'll have
the other's support.

How pathetic you are!

475. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56CCC.68D4@parg.org>
Source record: 149690

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Your data is flawed, like you. You have not polled the members of this
> news group, and are talking out your derriere again.

You have not polled the members of this NG either so according then
YOU "are talking out your derriere again".

> > he doesn't have a FCC license,
>
> The FCC doesn't have data on former licensees.

According to the FCC their database for the commercial licenses
goes back to 1984.

> I proved he *was* a member of Mensa, look it up in

Bill said he was a current member. By your own statement he
is NOT a current member.

> > he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power wires in Colorado.
>
> Never proven.

Witnesses have stated it to be factual!

476. VX-1R software ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: vive <vive@mil.fi>
Message-ID: <35C568E0.4D31@mil.fi>
Source record: 149691

Hello !!!

Me and my friends bought 4 YEASU VX-1R radios and it's working just fine but scanning is not ok I can't scan 2 band at the same time... Ex. if i stored 2 meters ham bands repeaters to memory and 70 cm repeaters to memory, ican scan bouth bands at the same time ..

Our local YEASU dealer said that i have to change the program inside of that radio with PC.

So if you have taht program could you send it to me via Email.. or tell me where i can load it down... And if have more information about that configure please tell me ....

Best's 73 to you..

OH3NZN
Hannu.Haitto@mil.fi

477. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56E76.3ACD@parg.org>
Source record: 149692

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> > <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> > >Again, when asked to be specific, you can't do it! You can
> > >not give factual data to support your statements.

> > That answer was VERY specific. And true. One
> > need only refer to any of your posts for the
> > "factual data to support" the statement.
>
> Have you noticed any time proof is shown bozo mackey states it is not proof
> and chooses to ignore it, even if it is one of his post that proves he lied.

I asked for a specific answer & all I got was a response that it
WAS specific.

Obviously you are lying or else you would be able to give
complete info with specifics.

How pathetic you all are!

478. Mackey's BAD days...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c56cb1.141223351@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149693

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Mackey's Bad Days...as gleaned from hearsay,
rumor, newspapers, police blotters, and hospitals.
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A fierce gust of wind blew John Mackey's car into
the river. She managed to break out a window,
climb out, and swim to shore-where a tree blew
over and bashed her skull.

Mackey was filming a documentary on "The Dangers
of Low-Level Bridges" when the truck she was
standing on passed under a low-level bridge-knocking
her senseless.

Smacksie was so afraid of dentists that she asked
a fellow worker to try to cure her toothache by
punching her in the jaw. The punch caused Mackey
to fall down, hitting her head, again knocking
her senseless.

Mackey narrowly escaped death when a terrorist
bomb flattened her home except for one wall.
After treatment for minor injuries, she returned
to the scene to search for personal effects.
The remaining wall collapsed on her, and cold-
conked her yet again.

Depressed since she couldn't find a job, the
Mackaroon sat in her kitchen with a gun to
her head, threatening to kill herself. Her
husband pleaded for her not to do it, and
after about an hour, Mackey burst into tears
and threw the gun on the floor where it went
off and hit her husband in the groin.

Not long ago, John Mackey was laid out in a
coffin, presumed dead of brain atrophy (he
had really passed out as a result of drug
and alcohol abuse). As mourners watched,
she suddenly sat up. Her 3rd cousin dropped
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dead of fright.

The Mindless One, hit by a car in New York City
in 1991 got up uninjured, but laid back down
in front of the car when a bystander suggested
to pretend injury to collect insurance money.
The car then rolled forward and over her ankles.

Surprised while burgling a house in Beaverton,
Mackey fled out the back door, clambered over a
nine-foot wall, dropped down, and found herself
in the city jail yard.

Smacksie and another motorist had an all-too-literal
head-on collision in heavy fog recently. Each was
guiding her car from opposite directions but both
near the middle of the road. At the moment of impact,
their heads were both out of the widows where they
smacked together. (Smacksie, get it?) Both were
hospitalized with severe head injuries. Their cars
weren't scratched.

So don't ever wonder how's come The Magnificent Idiot
is the way she is. How would you be if you'd been
through all the shit this popinjay has?

479. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56ECE.5D41@parg.org>
Source record: 149694

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Your claims about having a degree.

So how do you know it was a lie?

Please be specific with your proof.

(Of course, if you are lying you will NOT be able to give any
specific data)

480. Re: John's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C56F21.41DC@parg.org>
Source record: 149695

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Your just jealous because there are many many people who have greater
> skills and stronger credentials than you. You should

There are ALWAYS people who have greater abilities, etc, not matter
WHO you are? WHY would I care?

You are just trying to justify your reign of terror on this NG!

481. Antenna switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nacho Barrientos <takeoffthispart.nacho.barrientos@apdo.com>
Message-ID: <6q3r1i$5sv$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 149696

Hi

I�m looking for a good antenna switch, up to 1300 Mhz.

482. Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nacho Barrientos <takeoffthispart.nacho.barrientos@apdo.com>
Message-ID: <6q3r5t$5vs$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 149697

Hi.

Which are the best connectors for hi-frec (1 GHz) ?

483. Mackey Tries the Lottery !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c66fce.142019575@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149698

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Overheard on another newsgroup:

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John Mackey found himself in dire trouble.
His business had gone bust and he was in
serious financial trouble. He had developed
renal kidney failure, cirrhosis of the liver;
testicular cancer; a venereal disease, and
a lower gastric disorder. He was so desperate
he decided to ask God for help. He prayed...

"God, please help me. I've lost my business
and if I don't get some money, I'm going to
lose my house as well. And I need a doctor.
Please let me win the lotto."

Lotto night comes and somebody else wins it.

Mackey again prays...

"God, please let me win the lotto! I've lost
my business, my house and I'm going to lose
my car as well. And I'm sick and dying without
medical care.".

Lotto night comes and Mackey still has no luck.

Once again, he prays...

"My God, why have you forsaken me?? I've lost
my business, my house, and my car. My husband
and dog are starving. I don't often ask
you for help and I have always been a good
servant to you. PLEASE just let me win the
lotto this one time so I can get my life
back in order."

Suddenly there is a blinding flash of light
as the heavens open and Mackey is confronted
by the voice of God Himself:

"Mackey, meet ME halfway on this.....
Buy a damn lottery ticket first.....
you friggin loon!"

484. Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C571B5.716D@parg.org>
Source record: 149699

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> public record as are mine. You're just annoyed that I have more
> certifications, experience, and expertise than you. But then, so does

WHY would I care about YOU?

> > > If you can't stand a dose of the truth, get out of the newsgroup.
> >
> > Excellent advice you give.
>
> Yes, it is. You should heed it.

And YOU, Richard Kendrick, should follow it!

485. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C57211.30C6@parg.org>
Source record: 149700

allsafe wrote:

> KA0SSF wrote:
> > Then what do you call the stupid off-topic little stories Bill posts
> > on this NG?
>
> Whoa there Farmer Mackey! I "rewrote" one those stories just for you! So did

As you can CLEARLY see above, we were talking about Bill. WHY
do you feel the need to change the discussion topic to YOUR
posts? Are you that desperate for attention?

486. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c7701a.142095769@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149701

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

perryst@primo.com (Steve Perry) wrote:

> Bill Cheek hasn't said a word since this info was presented.

I haven't said anything, you flippin nitwit,
because I've been busy with other things.

> He likely won't,

Well, I guess you need some Windex to clean that
little window down below your belly button, eh?

> as that would require him to admit he is the
> cause of all the trouble.

Nope. Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
because a few green weenies set up a cacophony of
howls and sniveling over a certain feature of my
e-mail software.

So if the good Peter Laws prefers idiots and imbeciles
on his cherished and beloved List, then who am I
to stand in his way? And hey, it is HIS list.

> What was the cause of his removal from Fido-net?

I wasn't removed from FidoNet, you hare-lipped,
bucktoothed eunuch.

487. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c8713c.142386169@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149702

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Steve Perry wrote:
> > What was the cause of his removal from Fido-net?
>
> His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
> to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

You're fuller of shit than a Christmas Goose,
you friggin hermaphroditic freak show.
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488. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c971a6.142491608@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149703

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> Another one of mackeys teleport buddies.
>
> Hey Steve does this ring a bell, STEVE E PERRY
> PO BOX 85306
>
> Teleport Internet Services (NETBLK-NWN-TELEPORT)

It's Petey Joe Boe <tvine@teleport.com> again....
running short on his lithium, Prozac, and Depo-Provera......
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489. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ca7489.143231193@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149704

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> OK, consider this a denial. I have never been investigated or
> formally accused of any improper actions as a licensed radio
> operator.

The past is not at issue here. It's what's
fixing to come down that's in focus. You've
sold amateur radio licenses long enough, don't
you think?

Doesn't matter. It's what the FCC thinks that
matters the most.

Eh?

490. Mackey On the Run

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cb7636.143660533@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149705

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Overheard amidst rounds of gunfire:

<Bang><Bang><bangggittty bang>

Kid: "Mama, why is John Mackey running
so fast down the street like that?"

<bangggittty bang><Bang><Bang>

Mom: "Shaddap, son, just keep shootin!"
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491. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cc773e.143924038@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149706

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > The reason I am using dejanews is due to all of the mail bombings you and your
> > buddies have been doing to my regular email accounts.
>
> First - I don't mail bomb.

Maybe not anymore.....but that's
not very likely.

> Second - If you are getting mail bombs are you admitting you
> are to stupid to know what to do to prevent that from happening
> & how to act with your ISP if one slips by?

You mean to do with 'em like I did, and
just put a block on the server?

You stinkin nincompoop.....

492. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd7827.144157793@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149707

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Then will you & the others ALSO have to substantiate that the
> allegations they make are true? (INCLUDING YOU!)

No, dipstick, "they" don't have to do
anything. You are the perennial liar
around here. You are the one who has
to provide proof of anything you say,
either way.

You poor, miserable wretch........
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493. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce7939.144431224@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149708

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > public record as are mine. You're just annoyed that I have more
> > certifications, experience, and expertise than you. But then, so does

> WHY would I care about YOU?

Because he'll kick your arse up betwixt
your shoulders so's you'll have to take off
your shirt to shit.

494. Scanner for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John D. Galyon III" <jgalyon@esper.com>
Message-ID: <35C579F4.70C5B452@esper.com>
Source record: 149709

FOR SALE: AOR AR-2500 Scanner/Wide range monitor 1-1500 MHZ coverage, AM, FM, NFM, SSB, mobile or base, no cell block, RS-232 port for computer control, includes manual, adapters for 110VAC and 12 VDC operation, excellent condition. $300

495. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803102440001.GAA04446@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149710

dmi1@my-dejanews.com writes:

>Dave to you have any information as to what Mackey was getting in return for
>handing out licenses like they were candy?
>It is a shame that an extra class radio operator would sink so low.
>
>I would hope he has not exchanged licenses for some type of favors or money
>in giving passing scores to these people.

Well, of course it hasn't been substantiated yet
but it's been alleged that for a while he was making
a living this way.
We'll see. But we shouldn't bring up anything about
these charges against John until they're proven.

Dave

496. Re: Mackey's VE credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803102441 00.GAA04447@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149711

John "My Dad Can't Lick Your Dad" Mackey, Jr. KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>my Dad is only a technician

Mackey even belittles his own father.
Too bad he is "only a technician" and
not a Master Blowhard like yourself.

497. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080310244300.GAA04451@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149712

John "Look!! At!! Me!! I Laugh To avoid Facts" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I am NOT a VEC!!! I never have been!!!!!!!

I don't doubt that at all, but a VEC comes into
play when one of its VEs is accused of fraud
or abuse. Of course, I'm not saying you are
guilty of that. I've defended you many times
on this issue, telling several people that we
shouldn't mention anything about the rumours
that you sold licenses for money and certain
"favors" until the charges could be proven.

498. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803102444400.GAA04455@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149713

Circus clown and general reprobate John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
writes:

>(Of course, if you are lying you will NOT be able to give any
>specific data)

Just as you have not been able to
provide proof of a degree?

499. Re: Mackey's VE credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803102445 00.GAA04460@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149714

Bojangles Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>According to your buddy Blake Bowers a warrant was served.

Not true.

He was merely asking if anyone had
heard the same thing he had heard, which included
something about a warrant.

He was defending you by
cautioning people that they shouldn't mention rumours
about you being involved in ham license fraud.

I was defending you by pointing out that there wouldn't be
any warrants involved if it was an FCC investigation.

500. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080310244600.GAA04461@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149715

His Father's Pride And Joy, Junior Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Just going by what those people have said!

Right. Just like I've been going by what people
said about you being investigated for selling
Amateur licenses. Are you starting to get it
now??

501. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080310244800.GAA04464@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149716

John "My Face Might Crack If I Smile" MAckey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!

Oops. I forgot that towel boy is totally devoid of
a sense of humor.

502. Re: Mackey is the Truth!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803102449 00.GAA04466@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149717

Fahrquar Q. Mackey VII, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>K4CC wrote:
>> I wonder, though, what it is you're avoiding by not making good on your
>> offer of 7/26 to post copies of messages that were sent to your ISPs about
>you?
>
>You'll get them. You didn't specify a deadline & I didn't give a date
>so there is no rush.

What I don't understand is why you offered to
post them in the first place, since you obviously
never intended to.
Why should I waste my time setting a deadline
that you would never meet?

503. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803102443O1.GAA00125@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149718

John "I'm So Proud Of My Dad" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>my father holds one of the lowest
>amateur radio licenses the FCC offers

Don't you know how proud Mackey's father
must be to have John as a son??

504. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q45l3aau0@207.18.224.108>
Source record: 149719

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 06:38:54 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> >2. I have never been investigated or accused of any improper actions
>> > or illegal activities as a licensed radio operator.
>>
>> Can you provide proof of this?
>
>Yes, I would be in-eligable to be a member of the amateur auxillary
>if such things had ever happened.
>
>Proof positive.
>
No proof at all. This just means, until recently, you have never
been caught.

>Now Blake, can YOU provice proof of any of the accusations YOU
>have made?
What accusation have I made? None at all!

505. Re: Mackey's VE credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q45lqaau1@207.18.224.108>
Source record: 149720

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 06:32:35 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>According to your buddy Blake Bowers a warrant was served.
>Apparently he is trying to implicate
>my Dad also, which is really funny because my
>Dad is only a technician & not eligable to be a VE!
>
Absolutly not true. I even defended you!

506. Re: Pro-90, Good 800Mhz Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d4f909.9720312@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149743

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 13:05:10 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Oops! I now see this. I apologize.
>
>Your rude tone, however, did not help anything.

It helped to show how without even reading a message you are ready to
jump in with your snotty condescending attitude without even providing
one piece of useful information!

>
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>Actually, the antenna you are speaking of has a TNC connector. All cellular
>phone antennas that Radio Shack has use TNC connectors.

>However, you could use it with an BNC to TNC adapter, which is about $4.
>
>Regards.
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>Bryan G. wrote in message <6ptdj7$j6g@netaxs.com>...
>>Just purchased a Pro-90 (excellent scanner by the way) and have a question
>>for some of the more seasoned users. RS also sells a 800Mhz Cell phone
>>antenna that (with a BNC adapter) will fit on this scanner. Can not
>>remember the Cat. No. but it is the one that can be turned 90 degrees.
>>Has anyone tried this or have any other ideas that may show improved reception
>>when doing Trunk Tracking.

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507. Re: scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d5fe79.11112678@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149744

On 2 Aug 1998 08:58:33 GMT, ts0071@aol.com (TS0071) wrote:

>hello ; I want a exe scanner to here cell phone & 900 phones but they changed
>the law , what scanner do u guys recamend , im not wealthy

A used PRO-2006/2005/2004/34/37 and quite a few others can do what you
want, but this is illegal in the United States.

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508. FS: Max 225-400 Mhz Ground Plane Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080300122800.UAA29521@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149745

I have a mint condition, never used, Max Systems ground plane antenna made for the military aircraft band. Has a BNC connector. Don't have the PVC mount but will accept a 1" PVC pipe for a mast. Been using my discone and never mounted this antenna.

Price is $30.00 shipped in lower 48 states.

E-mail: Fbals@aol.com

509. Re: Kill Filter (Delete); Use of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d704ba.12713269@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149746

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 22:24:23 GMT, denniso@primenet.com (Dennis Davis)
wrote:

>I have only been looking in this ng for about three weeks. I found
>some really neat stuff here re: scanners and scanning. However, it
>seemed that there was about 35 - 40 percent of the posts being made by
>two individuals and their gallery of followers. (I refer to the flame
>war.) I looked over the selection today, and picked 13 folks who were
>posting the majority of the flames/comments about flammers and they
>are now being filtered and deleted. If they were as diligent in
>posting questions and answers pertaining to the ng topics, it probably
>would have been a pleasure to have read their comments. Alas, they be
>gone now.

Perhaps in the future you might post something about scanning?

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510. Re: 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080300400500.UAA03403@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149747

Yes it is a freq assigned to my local PD. I have an RS Pro60 and have programmed all the freqs listed in Beyond Police Call plus freqs that I've picked up from limit scans and info from others. I can always here the phone rining and the person (or machine) that answers. Then I can here the officer for approximately 10 seconds and he fades away. The remainder of the conversation, no matter how long, is always the called party. If I turn the volume wide open I can barely here the officer, meantime, the called party is always crystal clear, next door type reception...what gives???

>Unlike the trunked tramissions, this one will stay on the scanner for the
>>entire conversation, it just bugs me as to why I can only hear one side of
>the conversation?????
>
>On the trunked system I monitor a phonepatch will stay on the same
>frequency for the entire conversation, but I can hear both party's
>crystal clear. Are these calls on a freq assigned to your local pd?
>
>
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Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

511. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d907c1.13488701@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149748

On 2 Aug 1998 23:42:24 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>>Subject: Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?
>
>>I've also heard this rumor, no one should jump to any conclusions
>>because he is innocent until proven guilty.
>
>This is an admirable position to take. Until Mackey is actually prosecuted and
>convicted of selling licenses and the other illegal activities the original
>poster alleged, the best thing would be to give Mackey the benefit of the
>doubt. Of course, it would help if he would post some evidence of his
>innocence!
>

Agreed, since the rumor going around now in various ham oriented
mailing lists is that eight people who allegedly purchased amateur
licenses from Mr. Mackey have been granted immunity from prosecution
in order to secure testimony in this far reaching investigation. I
would like to state that these are just allegations and rumors at this
time, no one will know the facts about this investigation until the
fcc or local authorities release some verifiable information.

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512. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q321c$96u$0@207.18.224.148>
Source record: 149749

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 21:52:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> Does anyone else have any information on the FCC/ARRL investigation
>> into John Mackeys VEC shenanigans?
>> Licenses for sale, as well as upgrades?
>> The information is that the FCC has been in Portland, preparing to
>> revoke licenses, and has already had the US Marshals serve a
>> search warrant on John's parents house.
>
>Hi Blake-
>
>I see you're on here lying & trying to cause problems, again.
>
No lie at all! I specifically stated that this should not be judged
until the information is verified that you are selling ham licenses
and other improper acts as a VE.

>And you wonder why I don't trust you! You will lie or do anything
>you have to in order to make yourself look better & other who you
>fear look bad. Your actions in regard to me are a perfect example of
>this.
>
Never asked for your trust John. And I have not lied, unlike your
lies about Bill Cheek being banned from FIDO, something you
cannot substantiate.

>Anyway, in regards to your pathetic accusation that my "VE credentials
>are under investivation" by the "FCC/ARRL", let me say the following.
>
No accusation from me John. Just asking if anyone else had
heard about your alleged selling of HAM licenses.

>1. I have never been a VE

Hmmmm.

>2. I have never been investigated or accused of any improper actions
> or illegal activities as a licensed radio operator.

Can you provide proof of this?

513. Macungie PA Freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: choad98@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35c5083a.35596011@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 149750

Can someone email me freqs for Macungie PA? I am moving there.

Thanks,

Mike

514. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q3234$96u$1@207.18.224.148>
Source record: 149751

On 02 Aug 1998 18:07:22 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
>
>>As a matter of fact, I do know someone who will,
>>it maybe in December, but they will let me know
>>the story soon.
>
>Oh, that's good. Well, in the meantime, we shouldn't
>even mention the fact that Mackey is being
>investigated for VE fraud until we can substantiate
>the charge.
>
Absolutely! It would be wrong to say it as fact, until
John is tried and convicted of selling ham licenses,
and VE fraud.

515. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q326k$96u$2@207.18.224.148>
Source record: 149752

On 2 Aug 1998 23:42:24 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>>Subject: Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?
>
>>I've also heard this rumor, no one should jump to any conclusions
>>because he is innocent until proven guilty.
>
>This is an admirable position to take. Until Mackey is actually prosecuted and
>convicted of selling licenses and the other illegal activities the original
>poster alleged, the best thing would be to give Mackey the benefit of the

And please, notice that this is all alleged. John has not been
tried and convicted of selling ham licenses yet, nor tried and
convicted of improper VE procedures!

516. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q342s$du7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149753

In article <19980802215716O0.RAA16098@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> In article <35C4DE55.5430@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >I have never been investigated or
> >formally accused of any improper actions
>
> As opposed to "informally" accused?
> Is that like saying you were tried but not
> convicted?
>
>
Dave to you have any information as to what Mackey was getting in return for handing out licenses like they were candy?
It is a shame that an extra class radio operator would sink so low.

I would hope he has not exchanged licenses for some type of favors or money in giving passing scores to these people.

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517. List of the rec.radio newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6q33g4$bdv@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 149754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.info,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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Archive-name: radio/personal-brief-introduction

In an effort help ensure a poster's article reaches the appropriate
audience, below is a list of the rec.radio newsgroups. In most cases,
a group's name will explain its purpose. Cross-posting should rarely
be necessary.

rec.radio.broadcasting (devoted to the broadcast industry; moderated)
rec.radio.cb
rec.radio.info (periodic informational bulletins; moderated)
rec.radio.scanner
rec.radio.shortwave
rec.radio.swap (for buying, selling, and trading; not a discussion group)

rec.radio.amateur.antenna
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors (tube-type communications equipment)
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc (packet, pactor and other digital modes)
rec.radio.amateur.dx (long-distance amateur communications)
rec.radio.amateur.equipment (questions, comments regarding commercially-
built amateur gear; not for buying/selling)
rec.radio.amateur.homebrew (devoted to home-building ham gear)
rec.radio.amateur.policy (issues include code, restructuring, local
restrictions in conflict with FCC R&R)
rec.radio.amateur.space (satellites, meteor scatter, EME)
rec.radio.amateur.misc (any topic not covered in the above groups)

(At least two other English language radio hierarchies exist, prefixed
with "uk" (United Kingdom), and "aus" (Australia), in place of "rec.")

Again, cross-posting should rarely be necessary. Many times, a long-
running thread results from a single cross-posted article, and the
contents of such a thread drift further and further away from being
"on-topic" in the various NGs that receive each and every followup.

For more detailed information, see "Guide to the Rec.radio Newsgroups"
posted on the 15th of each month.

Jeffrey Herman (KH2PZ / KH6)
(rec.radio.amateur working-group)
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518. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-dD4poCdFuiXn@localhost>
Source record: 149755
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Robert,

> Is there any difference at all between these two radios?

Basically, they are the same but one is the
European model. The Com205 does have the
240VAC transformer (needs to be swapped out
for use in the USA) unless you use the 12VDC
connector. The avantage is Frequency coverage
is continuous from 25-520MHz and 760-1300MHz
(includes cell freqs).

What about the cellular and other bands and stepping and mode within those bands? Being designed for the European market has to have an impact there. I'm just curious how much of an inconvenience it will be to make those changes, whether it is just the one-time flick of a switch or what?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

519. Re: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0208982250460001@pm60-04.magicnet.net>
Source record: 149756

In article <6q0onq$a3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, n7hmf@ucares.org wrote:

> Two likely possibilities:
>
> 1. - IMTS mobile telephones (pre-cellular car phones) operate on 454Mhz paired
> with 459Mhz. These systems are still in use in some areas.
>
> 2. - Commercial "Autopatches" operate on many systems.

I have heard that many of those phones are in the southern Louisiana area.
Much of the activity is connected with the oild rigs off shore. Any truth
to this?

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

520. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bst@rs6a.wln.com
Message-ID: <35c52786.0@news.wln.com>
Source record: 149757

Jack (kryppy_X@bellsouth.net) wrote:

: Scan from 108.-136.mhz AM and check with Delta to see if you can bring
: the scanner on the aircraft.

Does not the vocal tx begin really about 118mhz? I may
be wrong but I thought below that are VOR and localizer
freqs.
ray-
rdong@spl.org <....if responding to me <
47°34'N 122°18'W

521. Any Bearcat 9000XLT Owners please read. -TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35c529ea.4478180@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 149758

I have this scanner.Today I noticed the lighted display became very dim. I figure its not long before its out all together. Has anyone else had this problem? And if so, is there a way to fix it. Thanks for the help.

522. RS Discone, TX on 6M?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiEx3H6x.29J@netcom.com>
Source record: 149759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.scanner

I've owned an old RS discone w/o the low band whip for several years and just bought a new model to put up at my new house. Does this antenna work well for TX'ing on 6M? I imagine it should do fine on 2m, 1.25m, 70cm, 33cm and 23cm, but I've heard mixed reviews on 6m.

Does the low band whip help on 42 MHz (CHP, highway patrol here in CA) frequencies?

My other option is to pickup a 6m/2m/70cm tri-band omni from Comet or Diamond, but then I can't TX on 1.25m, 33cm, or 23cm.

Stephen
KY6K

523. CBRambo's Buddy Eric Oyen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ericoyen@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080303292300.XAA29528@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149760

Where has Eric gone? Did CBRambo finally scare him off of this newsgroup, or was Eric abducted by aliens?

524. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980803034712200.XAA06445@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149761

> Does not the vocal tx begin really about 118mhz? I may
> be wrong but I thought below that are VOR and localizer
> freqs.

For the most part you are correct, however Flight Service Stations often have remote receivers co-located with the VOR and use the VOR's transmitter and frequency to transmit on.

JW

525. Bearcat BC-IV FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35C53654.198EEA58@alaska.net>
Source record: 149762

This is a MINT Bearcat XTAL MODEL 8 channel
scanner. Non-smoker.
$49 + $6 shipping. NO INTERMOD with this baby !!

Have some xtals @ $2 each 460.075, 460.175,
155.790, 154.785, 154.430, 154.295, 460.250.

526. Re: Cheeks dumped from group too?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q3d3u$p6s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149763

In article <6q2hgooja1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
tvine@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>
> Whats up? Wheres Cheeks. Did he get
> dumped from this group somehow?
> Ever since word came out of his dismissal
> from the mailing list he aint said boo.
> Whats up with that?
>

Maybe he don't like you no more, Petey.

/Sal

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527. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q3788$i9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149764

In article <35C4E562.3797@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> > accusations , I state facts and have shown proof of the posts you made and
all
> > you do is lie and say you didn't make the post .
>
> No, you don't state facts. All you state are lies & you know it!
>
> THAT is why you won't use your real ID or name on this NG, THAT is
> why you have to post thru dejanews so you won't leave any
> tracks.
>

Wrong again bozo mackey , I speak the truth and that is why your trying to
discredit me because I am using dejanews.

The reason I am using dejanews is due to all of the mail bombings you and your
buddies have been doing to my regular email accounts.
Of course you will deny doing that , but if your capable of misconduct in your
activities as a VE I guess your also capable of mail bombings.

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528. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q37htili1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149765

In article <35C4F44A.7C2F@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> K4CC wrote:
>
> > KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> > >I have never been investigated or
> > >formally accused of any improper actions
>
> > As opposed to "informally" accused?
> > Is that like saying you were tried but not
> > convicted?
>
> OK, I have never been accused formally or informally by
> any judicial or investigation body.

So what your saying here is that you could be currently under investigation for misconduct by the ARRL. I am surprised to see you admit that there is the possibility of an on going investigation into your VE activities.

>

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529. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q3805$j95$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149766

In article <19980802234500000.TAA29605@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
> >Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing
> >From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
>
> >THAT is why you won't use your real ID or name on this NG, THAT is why you
> have to post thru dejanews so you won't leave any
> >tracks.
>
> Perhaps he prefers to avoid being the target of your mail bombs,
> impersonations, forgeries and the many other distasteful and unsavory
practices
> that your routinely engage in.

You have hit the nail on the head and if you look at the id and check some of
the post out you know who I am.
In fact bozo mackey knows who I am but does not want to admit it.
Typical tactis of a liar , people come out with the truth and mackey tries to
discredit them.
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

530. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT? Re: Repost : John Mackey admits wrongdoing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q38he$k0i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149767

In article <19980802232459O1.TAA27039@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> John "I'm Having Deja Vu All Over Again" Mackey, , KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
> writes:
>
> >THAT is
> >why you have to post thru dejanews so you won't leave any
> >tracks.
>
> Funny, on the headers I received it said he
> posted through Juno.
> Slow down there, saddle pal,
> you're getting a little frantic.
>
He sure is Dave, mackey is getting frantic because all of the facts are coming out about the warrant being a contrived story he made up to get others on the newgroup to go against Bill and then had Nick OBFD back him up on it.

And as can be seen on the newsgroup when mackey is asked the source of the information he cannot produce one , thus this shows mackey made the whole thing up.

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

531. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q38nm$k1i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149768

In article <1998080223422400.TAA29269@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
> >>Subject: Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?
>
> >I've also heard this rumor, no one should jump to any conclusions
> >because he is innocent until proven guilty.
>
> This is an admirable position to take. Until Mackey is actually prosecuted and
> convicted of selling licenses and the other illegal activities the original
> poster alleged, the best thing would be to give Mackey the benefit of the
> doubt. Of course, it would help if he would post some evidence of his
> innocence!
>
> But how could you believe any proof that he would show after all the lies he
has posted on here?

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532. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q3987krq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149769

In article <19980802232500001.TAA23318@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> Skeets Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> >> Everything you post is a lie.
> >
> >Again, when asked to be specific, you can't do it! You can
> >not give factual data to support your statements.
>
> That answer was VERY specific. And true. One
> need only refer to any of your posts for the
> "factual data to support" the statement.

Have you noticed any time proof is shown bozo mackey states it is not proof
and chooses to ignore it, even if it is one of his post that proves he lied.

>
>

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

533. Re: 800Mhz police trunk phone conversation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35c56b66.7391562@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149770

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 23:00:54 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:

>On 2 Aug 1998 20:42:26 GMT, cbake777@aol.com (Cbake777) wrote:
>
>>Unlike the trunked tramissions, this one with stay on the scanner for the
>>entire conversation, it just bugs me as to why I can only hera one side of the
>>conversation?????
>
>On the trunked system I monitor a phonepatch will stay on the same
>frequency for the entire conversation, but I can hear both party's
>crystal clear. Are these calls on a freq assigned to your local pd?

Some systems attain a degree of privacy by not re-transmitting the input side of the conversation. There is no requirement to transmit that side of the conversation since it is only intended for the person on the landline end of the connection (usually). Conceptually they could do this by simply breaking the audio connection between the repeater receiver and transmitter whenever the receiver squelch is open. In practice they probably use a hybrid which is why you can sometimes hear a little bit of the mobile side of the conversation.

Greg Knox

534. Re: MAckey Un-twitted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7EA23.299@uunet.com>
Source record: 149321

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Mike Derryberry wrote:
> > FYI John ... I have untwitted you and have promised myself and some friends
> > I will not flame you, unless you royally blast me first. So please leave me
> > out of your arguements and you will not hear from me.
>
> That is cool Mike!

Then why do you keep changing your e-mail address?

535. Re: What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <unOK0ODw9GA.274@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149322
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have one of each and love both of them. You would be happy with either. They are better VHF/UHF rxs than SW but are still OK at HF. The ability to easily improve IF selectivity in both would have been nice (or the mfgrs could just use slightly better filters).

As much bad press as ICOM has gotten (much of it deserved) for its crappy customer support, I'd still probably buy from them since the importer of AOR seems a little shaky (given that EEB shut down overnight and the importer EDCO is obviously the same company). I have seen in a number of places that AOR is going to open a US office in southern California. If they do that, I would suggest the AOR as perhap being a slightly better overall receiver than the ICOM. Having solid US representation would make the choice pretty clear.

Good luck!

I don't really see many of either of these rxs showing up for sale. Good sign in my opinion. sb

Jeff Adams wrote in message <35c969f5.1372542281@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>...
>Before buying this or something like the ICOM R8500, I would like to
>hear from people with (preferably) first hand experience using the AOR
>5000. Besides a steep learning curve and a somewhat difficult user
>interface (and relay noise when switching bands/etc), what do you
>dislike about the unit? Has someone here bought an AOR 5000 only to
>turn around and sell it and get something else? If so, why? I've got
>the Dec 1996 Monitoring Times back issue on the way from Grove
>(contains a review of the 5000)... Any input from owners / users would
>be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>Jeff Adams
>
>======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
>| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
>| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
>| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
>==

536. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7F4A2.9D6@uunet.com>
Source record: 149323

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > Yes, Cheek has proven to me he has the degrees he claims. You
>
> The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
> his degrees to you. The members of this NG asked him to provide
> the proof to this NG as a whole.

You're lying again John.

537. Re: They call Mackey an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7F50C.3232@uunet.com>
Source record: 149324

You're lying again John. It was you that forged all of those
posts from Clark College and it was you that forged the posts
from AOL last night.

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > During the period from May 3 1996 to June 23, 1996, you used
> > the address of traveler@cyberway.net. You posted a total of
>
> Was it YOU doing these forges or was it Cheek? Plus, what makes
> you think it was ME? (just morbid curiosity -this will be real
> interesting!)
>
> > Subject: Bed wetting with native american children
> > From: traveler@cyberway.net
> > Date: 1996/06/23
> > Message-ID: <31CD1178.1579@cyberway.net>
> > Newsgroups: alt.native
> >
> > 2 years ago my sister died & I assumed guardianship of her 2 children.
>
> First - I have never had any children
> Second - My sister never had children.
> Third - My sister never died, she is still living in Sioux City.
> Fourth - I have never assumed guardianship of ANY children.
> Fifth - As usual, this was simply another forge as has often been done!

538. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35C800C9.6D33243D@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149325
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi steve ,
You know ...my first guess too was ..a mixture of image signals
all overloading the RX....I still think the RX IS overloaded or
distorted ...but ......notice the dual tones ...excatly like fire
department dispatch tones ....well ...if you listen close ..it sounds
like the digital information string starts at the same interval....
after each set of dual tones ...??? I dont think its pocsag .....unless
like you said ..its mixed with other stuff ...like 2 tone plectron or
zetron type paging signals ... (at the same time) ...there are so
many NEW types of modulating signals out there lately ...it hard
to tell any more ....there are at least 5 NEW types of vhf (and up)
signals here in central California ...lately ....2 of them in the 850
mhz trunking bands ...one in the high vhf aircraft band at about
139 mhz (a strange pulse / tone sig ....and ..the police (i think)
have an unusual MDT like signal with a strange NRZ wobbling tone
overlayed on it ...in the 460+ mhz band ....who knows ..??

a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR

Steve wrote:

> Well overall I'd guess its a POCSAG paging signal thats badly mixed
> with one or more other RF carriers, it sounds like a really nasty
> image of some sort...
>
> Steve
>
> On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:57:27 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >Please play the attached WAV file. What I want to know is, what type of
> >paging system is this?
> >
> >Thanks. I apologize for the size of this post -- I tried to get the sound as
> >small as possible.

539. Re: new group????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex6KrH.rM@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149371

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 ggmv@bconnex.net wrote:

> rec.radio.scanners,no flame,no spam,no s*^t,just questions and answers!!!!!!
> sounds pretty good don't it?????

Is that a question - and if so, how does it relate to scanning??

540. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex6KG2.oM@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149372

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998, Eddie Fernandes wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > Overheard on Portland's tavern scene:
> > ==
> >
> > For a long time, Suzy had a fantasy of being
> > with the infamous John Mackey. One night in
> > a bar, she met Mackey in person and figured,
> > what the crap, she'd go for it.
> >
> > So Suzy asked the Mackaroon to come home with her.
> > When the two got to her apartment, Suzy told
> > Mackey about her fantasy, and asked if he would
> > be a part of it.
> >
> > Well, Smacksie agreed, so the two headed for
> > the bedroom. Suzy said, "OK, first, I want you to
> > undress me and tie me to the bed!" So Mackey did it.
> >
> > By this time, Suzy was worked up into a passionate
> > frenzy. She looked up at the Mindless One and said,
> > "Now, big boy, do what you do best!"
> >
> > So ol' Mack the Wack ransacked her apartment and
> > skeedaddled with the VCR, money, silverware, and
> > Suzy's best and sheerest negligees.
> What does this have to do with scanners?

He also took her flatbed scanner...

541. Re: Twin Cities Intl Airport freqs wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6q7ut4$4qj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149373

Here are some of the VHF-air frequencies (in MHz):

119.300 -- Runway 9L and 9R (most active Sundays, 5pm-9pm)
123.950 -- Minneapolis Tower
124.700 -- Minneapolis Tower
126.350 -- Minneapolis Tower
126.500 -- Minneapolis Tower
126.700 -- Minneapolis Tower
126.950 -- Minneapolis Tower
127.925 -- Minneapolis Tower
133.700 -- Minneapolis Tower
135.000 -- Minneapolis Tower

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

djbond@citilink.com wrote in message <35c76486.50750@news.citilink.com>...
>TIA
>--
>
>00dj

542. Kansas Column 0898

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy B <andyb@qni.com>
Message-ID: <35C77289.1D1B@qni.com>
Source record: 149374

08-98

It was late again. Sorry. Had a couple of family emergencies (everyone will be fine) to deal with right at the end of the month. Things are looking up, so here goes.

This month's column appears to be the "Topeka/Shawnee County Column." Almost all the stuff centers around that area. A fellow named Wally has access to lots more stuff for Topeka that should be coming in a future column. It isn't all Topeka, though. There is stuff from other areas as well.

1. Topeka/Shawnee County Trunker and TrunkTracker groups/Ids
2. Topeka/Shawnee County radio numbering system
3. Pawnee County 9-1-1
4. Kansas City MO fire photographs by Wild Bill
5. More Topeka info
6. Rush County & 800 MHz

I have been fooling with the Trunker program for the last few months. Trunker is a freeware program that lets you follow Motorola trunked systems on the computer. See the February 98 issue of the KS Column (archived at Dr. Sm0ke's site http://www.crcltd.com/sm0ke/scanner/) for more details on the mechanics of Trunker. For those of you that have been thinking about utilizing Trunker but haven't yetï¿½do it! Real fine program. It provides talkgroup information like the Uniden/Radio Shack TrunkTracker scanners, but goes several steps farther than that, too. Trunker lets you identify each individual radioï¿½portable, mobile or console position. Once you determine, for instance, that Trooper k-123 uses a particular radio, you can flag that ID with text indicating who uses it. No matter what talkgroup K-123 is on, Trunker will let you know it is him. The alphanumeric flag feature is available for talkgroups as well. An additional feature is the ability to color code talkgroups or IDs as well as making it flash or beep when active. What I have here is the lists of Topeka/Shawnee talkgroups and radio IDs that I have accumulated so far. I entered most of the talkgroups from a list published in an earlier column, but Trunker added those with a "?" listed as a user when it encountered traffic on them. They need to be identified, so if you have any idea let me know. All the Ids are from actual monitoring. TrunkTracker users can utilize the talkgroup information, but the ID info will be of no use to them. The hexadecimal number is listed as well as the decimal number for the Ids and talkgroups. Trunker displays both. The hex code is what Trunker uses and the decimal number is for us humans. Hexadecimal might have made more sense to us if we had 16 fingers, but nature figured 10 was

enough. Additionally, some of the talkgroups listed don't fit into the typical progression of codesï¿½particularly those with a "?." Usually the step between decimal codes is 32. I believe that some talkgroups will deviate from the normal pattern if they are patched groups or other special groups. That accounts for Trunker adding them to the list.

Talkgroups

Hex User Decimal
0030 "CSP Admin" 48
0050 "CASP Investigation" 80
0090 "KHP-1" 144
00b0 "KHP-2 car/car" 176
00d0 "KHP Admin" 208
00f0 "KHP Aircraft" 240
0110 "KHP Inquiry" 272
0130 "KHP GHQ" 304
0140 "?" 320
0150 "KHP Common" 336
0210 "?" 528
0230 "?" 560
0250 "TFD Admin" 592
0270 "?" 624
0290 "?" 656
02d0 "CASP-1 (main)" 720
02f0 "CASP-2 (car/car)" 752
0310 "CASP Governor Security" 784
03b0 "YCAT Security" 944
0470 "CASP Common" 1136
0550 "DOC Primary" 1360
0570 "DOC Secondary" 1392
0590 "DOC Security-1" 1424
05b0 "DOC Security-2" 1456
05d0 "DOC Maintenance" 1488
05f0 "DOC Common" 1520
0610 "DOC Admin" 1552
0630 "?" 1584
07b0 "?" 1968
07d0 "?" 2000
09f0 "SHCO CD Primary" 2544
0a10 "SHCO CD Secondary" 2576
0a30 "SHCO CD Spills" 2608
0a50 "SHCO CD Storms" 2640
0a70 "SHCO CD Disaster-1" 2672
0a90 "SHCO CD Disaster-2" 2704
0ab0 "SHCO CD" 2736
0af0 "?" 2800
0b50 "?" 2896
0b70 "?" 2928
0b90 "?" 2960
0c90 "Topeka FD training" 3216

0cd0 "Topeka FD I&I" 3280
0cf0 "Topeka FD OPS Secure" 3312
0d30 "Topeka FD Fire-2" 3376
0d50 "Topeka FD Fire-1" 3408
0d70 "Topeka FD Fire-3" 3440
0d90 "TP PD Tac-3" 3472
0db0 "TP PD Secure-1" 3504
0dd0 "TP PD ACO" 3536
0df0 "USD 501" 3568
0e30 "TP PD car/car" 3632
0e50 "TP PD CID-OPS" 3664
0e70 "TP PD Secure-2" 3696
0e90 "TP PD Training" 3728
0eb0 "TP PD Tac-1" 3760
0ed0 "TP PD tac-2" 3792
0ef0 "TP PD Info/T&T" 3824
0f10 "TP PD East" 3856
0f30 "TP PD West" 3888
0f50 "?" 3920
1010 "YCAT Youth Services" 4112
1030 "YCAT School" 4144
1050 "YCAT Recreation" 4176
1070 "YCAT Landscaping" 4208
1090 "YCAT Admin" 4240
10d0 "EMS" 4304
1100 "?" 4352
1130 "?" 4400
1160 "?" 4448
1190 "?" 4496
11b0 "SHCO Main Disp" 4528
11d0 "SHCO Warrants" 4560
11f0 "SHCO car/car" 4592
1210 "SHCO Detectives" 4624
1250 "SHCO Process (civil?)" 4688
1270 "SHCO Secure" 4720
1290 "SHCO ACO" 4752
12d0 "City/County Common Secure" 4816
12f0 "City/County Common Event-1" 4848
1310 "City/County Common Event-2" 4880
1330 "City/County Common Event-3" 4912
1350 "?" 4944
1390 "RFD Soldier-1" 5008
13b0 "RFD Soldier-2" 5040
13d0 "RFD Top/Tecumseh-1" 5072
13f0 "RFD Top/Tecumseh-2" 5104
1410 "?" 5136
1440 "?" 5184
1450 "KDOT Maint." 5200
1470 "KDOT Const." 5232
1490 "KDOT Common" 5264

14b0 "KDOT HQ" 5296
14d0 "TP PD Secure-3" 5328
14f0 "?" 5360
1510 "?" 5392
1530 "TPD Emergency" 5424
1550 "TFD Emergency" 5456
1570 "SO/PD/FD Emergency" 5488
1610 "VA Police" 5648
1630 "FD ?" 5680
1650 "Washburn U PD" 5712
1670 "?" 5744
1690 "?" 5776

Shawnee County/Topeka/KS Ids.

Every time Trunker finds a radio ID it lists it like the following example:

0067 "New @ G:11b0/SHCO Main Disp" 103

If you know to whom it belongs you can edit the text to reflect the correct user. My list has scads of entries like the one in the example. Rather than listing all of them I will simply give you those that I have made an ID. Not all of them are real specific, but it is the best I can do with the limited knowledge I have of their agencies.

07ff "PD Unit" 2047
0829 "PD unit" 2089
08d7 "PD Unit" 2263
08eb "ACO Unit" 2283
08fd "PD Unit" 2301
0901 "TP PD" 2305
0904 "PD Unit 30?" 2308
0906 "PD Unit" 2310
0917 "TP PD" 2327
092b "PD Unit" 2347
092d "PD Unit 447?" 2349
0935 "PD Unit" 2357
093d "PD unit" 2365
094e "PD Unit" 2382
0963 "PD Unit" 2403
0a92 "Engine 6" 2706
0a93 "Engine 4" 2707
0a95 "Engine 7" 2709
0aa8 "Truck 3" 2728
0aab "Car 101 ?" 2731
0d50 "TP FD" 3408
10c0 "SO Unit" 4288
10fe "SO Unit 278?" 4350
1112 "SO Unit" 4370
118f "SO Unit" 4495
1432 "KHP Mav 4" 5170

1441 "K-174" 5185
1447 "K-177" 5191
1448 "KHP Trooper K-167" 5192
1449 "KHP Trooper K-208" 5193
1450 "CASP unit" 5200
14c1 "KHP Trooper K-278" 5313
14c4 "KHP Trooper K-?" 5316
14e5 "KHP TrooperK-70" 5349
14f1 "CASP Unit" 5361
14fc "K-?" 5372
36c2 "Dispatch" 14018
36cb "Dispatch" 14027
36d0 "Dispatch" 14032
3763 "Dispatch" 14179
3764 "Topeka FD Dispatch" 14180
37ae "Dispatch" 14254
37af "Dispatch" 14255
3d55 "Dispatch" 15701
3db9 "KHP Dipsatch" 15801

Next we have a contribution from Wally. He has the radio numbering system for the Topeka/Shawnee County trunked system. Now that I have the poop on radio numbers, I can start monitoring the system and be able to ID more hits. I can't wait to get started!

Topeka PD has 3 shifts. A, B, & C. These are the various territories within the city.

430 North Topeka
431 North Topeka
435 West
440 Oakland
441 Downtown
442 East Central
443 North Central
444 Central
445 Central
446 South Central
447 South
448 South West
449 East
450 South East

Supervisors are 401, 402, 403, 404.

Helicopter is 400.
Traffic is 100 numbers
Sheriff is 200 numbers
Reserves are 300 numbers
Detectives are 500 numbers
School police, Washburn, and V.A. Police are 600 numbers
Municipal Court and Services are 700 numbers.

There are several others that have assigned numbers, but most of them are administration. Sheriff's Deputies have assigned numbers from the day they are hired. They keep that number there whole career. 200 is the Sheriff, 201 is the undersheriff. but for the most part, anyone else can be anything in the 200 series.

Thanks for the detailed information, Wally.

3. Doyle says that Pawnee County is working on going countywide with 9-1-1. Larned is the only city that is currently on real 9-1-1. Smaller towns have routed 9-1-1 to their fire department phones. (Makes me wonder what happens when you need the Sheriff.) It sounds as if each community wants to remain a separate entity and not lose any control over anything. When all the arm-wrestling among the powers-that-be is over that won't be the case. Doyle has hopes that when it comes to pass they will add some new frequencies. Now everything is on one frequency. Imagine the confusion during a critical incident.
Thanks, Doyle.

4. A few weeks ago there was a big honker fire in KCMO. I guess that a 7-alarm fire could be considered a "big honker." It burned down a number of businesses and warehouses. Wild "Ansel Adams" Bill heard the commotion and grabbed his cameras and headed for the scene. Bill was able to get a bunch of outstanding photographs of the inferno. He zapped them to me via e-mail. I was impressed. If anyone would like me to shoot them to you, let me know. Bill, I hope you don't have any copyrights on them because I have already spread them around to a few other folks who like that stuff.

5. Greg read last month's column and had a comment about the testing of the Topeka/Shawnee Co system. His sources indicate that all the testing is done and the system works as intended. (Eat your heart out, Kansas City MO!) All 15 frequencies are active and part of the trunk group. Keep listening and let us in on what you discover. Thanks.
Topeka/Shawnee Co freqs: 856.2125, 857.2125, 858.2125, 859.2125, 860.2125
856.4875, 857.4875, 858.4875, 859.4875, 860.4875
856.7375, 857.7375, 858.7375, 859.7375, 860.7375
Gregï¿½I NEED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS! Somehow it never got put on my list, and I can't find it, so please send it to me and I'll get it poked in there.

6. From Larned againï¿½Doyle relays that the new 800 MHz tower in Rush County is up. It was planted about 1 mile south of Rush Center on the east side of 183 Highway. It glistens with strobe lights. "Only the best!" Doyle says. From his vantage point it looked as though they were going to add more to it. Right now it is about 200 feet tall and growing! I bet that by the end of the summer there will be some interesting listening in the area. Whether it is KHP, or KDOT, or both is a mystery. If I can scrounge up a map of sites and frequencies I'll let you know.

No more for this month. Just too darn hot to do anymore! I'm outta here till September. See ya then.

Andy

543. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C77338.4D33@parg.org>
Source record: 149375

charles21@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I finally have had enough with the false stories that John Mackey has
> been spreading around on the newsgroups.

So you decided you should post another false story?

> I have not posted on the newsgroup before, I am one of the silent people who
> read the scanner newsgroup for information. I contacted OBFD and asked him
> what the deal was between cheek and mackey on the news group as I was tired
> of Cheek myself, he sent the email below to me.

> >From obfd@aol.com Mon Mar 30 13:28:19 1998
> >Received: from OBFD@aol.com
> > by imo25.mx.aol.com (IMOv13.ems) id PFYa010381
> > for <charleshdn@aol.com>; Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 -0500 (EST)
> >From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
> >Message-ID: <be37d08a.351ebb4e@aol.com>
> >Date: Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 EST
> >To: charleshdn@aol.com
> >Mime-Version: 1.0
> >Subject: Re: bill cheek
> >Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
> >Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
> >X-Mailer: AOL 3.0 16-bit for Windows sub 58

Sorry, this is NOT the correct headers to be a message from
OBFD! Also, when OBFD was communicating with someone friendly
he started the messages a certain way. You forgot to enter it into
your post you forged to look like OBFD!

> >Bill Cheek kicked John off of the fido net so John has decided that he will do
> >the same for Bill on the internet.

Not true.

> >John has come up with a sure fire ideal, and since Cheek is not one of your
> >favorite people you can help us in getting rid of him once and for all.

If I had come up with a sure fire deal, why would I need -or want- any
help?

> >John's ideal will do this, he is going to accuse cheek of sexual abuse
> >with young boys and this will make people turn against him.

I've never accused Cheek of any abuse.

> >What he needs from you and myself is to back him up on this, don't worry no one

If it was true why would I need anyone to back it?

> >Just putting this idea in peoples minds will cause them not to want to have
> >anything to do with cheek, you know tit for tat.

There are enough sick people out there that will ALWAYS want to be
with other sickos so that isn't right either.

Simply put, YOU are lying!

544. another liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C77521.74DC@parg.org>
Source record: 149376

"Charles21" is another liar. The AOL address he claims is invalid.

Subject:
Returned mail: User unknown
Date:
Tue, 4 Aug 1998 16:46:47 -0400 (EDT)
From:
Mail Delivery Subsystem <MAILER-DAEMON@aol.com>
To:
<jmackey@parg.org>

The original message was received at Tue, 4 Aug 1998 16:46:38 -0400
(EDT)
from pm02sm.pmm.mci.net [208.159.126.151]

*** ATTENTION ***

Your e-mail is being returned to you because there was a problem with
its
delivery. The AOL address which was undeliverable is listed in the
section
labeled: "----- The following addresses had permanent fatal errors
-----".

The reason your mail is being returned to you is listed in the section
labeled: "----- Transcript of Session Follows -----".

The line beginning with "<<<" describes the specific reason your e-mail
could
not be delivered. The next line contains a second error message which
is a
general translation for other e-mail servers.

Please direct further questions regarding this message to your e-mail
administrator.

--AOL Postmaster

----- The following addresses had permanent fatal errors -----
<charleshdn@aol.com>

----- Transcript of session follows -----
... while talking to air09.mail.aol.com.:
>>> RCPT To:<charleshdn@aol.com>
<<< 550 MAILBOX NOT FOUND
550 <charleshdn@aol.com>... User unknown

charles21@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I have not posted on the newsgroup before, I am one of the silent people who
> read the scanner newsgroup for information. I contacted OBFD and asked him
> what the deal was between cheek and mackey on the news group as I was tired
> of Cheek myself, he sent the email below to me.
>
> >From obfd@aol.com Mon Mar 30 13:28:19 1998
> >Received: from OBFD@aol.com
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> > for <charleshdn@aol.com>; Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 -0500 (EST)
> >From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
> >Message-ID: <be37d08a.351ebb4e@aol.com>
> >Date: Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 EST
> >To: charleshdn@aol.com
> >Mime-Version: 1.0
> >Subject: Re: bill cheek

545. Re: another liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080421062800.RAA00577@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149377

"Hawkeye" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> shoots from the hpi and misses yet again:

>"Charles21" is another liar. The AOL address he claims is invalid.

That doesn't make him a liar. The
date on the message he forwarded was
March 30, 1998. The fact that he no
longer has an AOL account today means
absolutely nothing, except that you'll grasp
at anything to back up your own lies.

546. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eEwgwu#v9GA.326@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149378

"Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> There does seem to be some confusion about the legalities of scanning
> while in flight.

For the text of the FAA regulation governing personal electronic devices
(PEDs) aboard US airliners (FAR 91.21), plus the official policy of several
airlines, download
ftp://oak.oakland.edu/pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scan.airline
(also available as Airlne.txt in Lib 2 of CompuServe's Hamnet Forum).

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
> Many airports use the lower end of the aircraft band, about 118 to 120
> for each of their runways. 108 to 118 is used mainly for aircraft tracking,
> and above 120 is tower to aircraft (and vice versa) communication.

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Aeronautical Frequencies [87.173]

108.000 - 117.950 NavAids - VOR & localizer, 50 kHz step
118.000 - 121.400 ATC - towers & ARTCC
121.600 - 121.925 ATC - airport ground control
122.000 - 122.650 Flight Service Stations, 50 kHz step
122.700 - 123.500 * (see below)
123.600 - 128.800 ATC - towers & ARTCC
128.825 - 132.000 Enroute - airline company freqs
132.025 - 135.975 ATC - towers & ARTCC
136.000 - 136.475 Enroute - international
136.500 - 136.975 Enroute - domestic & international

25 kHz default spacing, AM for voice

UNICOM - Aeronautical advisory station at airport [87.217]
122.700 122.725
122.800 123.000
122.950 at airport w/ full-time tower
122.975 above 10,000'
123.050 123.075 at heliports

Multicom - common freq. at uncontrolled facilities [87.241]
122.850
122.900 primary CTAF
122.925 Fed/State natural resources

FSS - FAA Flight Service Stations [87.187]
122.000 122.050 EFAS "Flight Watch"
122.100 receive only (w/VOR)
122.200 standard FSS
123.600 123.650 AAS Airport Advisory Svc

Aviation Support - training, gliders, ballons, etc [87.323]
121.950
123.300 123.500
122.775 122.850 aviation services

Misc.
121.500 standard emergency freq., ELTs
123.100 Search And Rescue - actual
122.900 Search And Rescue - training
123.100 control tower at special events
122.825 122.875 Enroute airline ops - local area
122.750 air-to-air - private arcft
123.025 air-to-air - helicopter
131.550 ACARS - digital (airlines)

547. MACKY + CHEEK, PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: DCLIFF@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12094-35C777DD-30@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149379

PLAY SOMEWHERE ELSE BOYS.
THANK YOU.

DENNIS in GA.<{o¿o}>

548. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave.hultberg@paonline.com
Message-ID: <35c78a5b.31228578@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 149380
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:57:27 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Please play the attached WAV file. What I want to know is, what type of
>paging system is this?
>
>Thanks. I apologize for the size of this post -- I tried to get the sound as
>small as possible.

Ryan,

Please don't post binary files to non-binary newsgroups. Because binary
files tend to be large and some newsreaders can't handle them, it is
customary to post them only to groups that specifically allow them. Such
groups are usuallt readily identified by having binary in their name.

73 de w3dbh
Dave Hultberg W3DBH
ex KA3UZR, WN3BGJ & KHV8564

549. Re: Rail Road Freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#DQGaH$v9GA.185@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149381

"Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications" <dat2comm@toad.net> asked:
> I am going to be taking the Auto Train from VA. to FL next week.
> Does any one know what frequencies they use?

Auto Train operations in Lorton and Sanford use 160.845 MHz. Enroute, the train runs on CSX tracks, and should use:

Road Dispatcher
Lorton-Richmond 161.550 160.410
Richmond-Rocky Mount NC 160.590 160.410
Rocky Mount-Jacksonville 160.590 161.520
Jacksonville-Sanford 161.100 160.320

/* barry /&

550. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckie@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-PS0Lt9qb3MFR@localhost>
Source record: 149382
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

S.M.,

• http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html

It requires the "L" on the end. Try it again.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

551. Re: Uniden Bearcat SC-150 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana_Hartsock@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <bHvq2TZKOoob-pn2-LGmM5IzEQqZR@slip129-37-219-153.ia.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 149383

On Tue, 28 Jul 1998 20:53:38, johnnyr@ihgp2.ih.lucent.com (John R. Rosenberg) wrote:

> All you need is a lighter adapter which has the correct output voltage
> and amps and the right size plug and polarity. If you look at the back
> of the Uniden charger that came with the SC-150, it will tell you
> what you need. I *think* its 6 VDC as 1200 MAH and the collar of the
> plug is negative - *BUT* I'm probably remembering it a bit wrong, so
> check the adapter for the correct info. I imagine you can get a car
> adapter to fit your needs at Radio Shack.

John,

I too was looking to see if my DC car adapter would work with the SC150. It does multiple voltages and can change polarity... just have to check the milliamps. I've only had my SC150 for a week but it appears to fit my modest needs. My only real regret, gripe, negative... is the darned Ni-Cad battery pack. It is not very convenient when you are away from a recharge source. I was hoping there might be a third-party battery tray for alkalines... but there doesn't appear to be any such thing available. I may have to look for a recharge unit that can handle the SC150 battery pack, then buy a spare to swap with the original.

Dana

552. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q8685hbr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149384

In article <35C6AB7C.257F@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > I'm mentally exhausting and never noticed that I never said I polled
> > this newsgroup. I never said your data was flawed
>
> I see. thanks!
>
> > > According to the FCC their database for the commercial licenses
> > > goes back to 1984.
> >
> > You have no clue *when* Cheek held his commercial license, so,
> > once again, your logic (like you) is flawed.
>

> According to Bill's statements, it is still valid.
>
> > > Bill said he was a current member. By your own statement he
> > > is NOT a current member.
> >
> > According to Mensa rules, all he has to do to be reinstated is pay
> > the current dues. He does *not* have to requalify; once qualified,
>
> Regardless, he IS NOT a currrent member as he stated he was.

mackey your not a current member of the human race, so what does that prove?
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

553. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q86h8$i9a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149385

In article <35C6A58C.20CD@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > Having him do it for you makes you as guilty as he is .
>
> So since I am not having anyone do anything for me then
> I am innocent, THANKS!
>
As always mackey you lie , I know your behind all of the mail bombs, roger is one of your buddies.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

554. AZ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryce Eichholz <EICHHOLZBR@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6q84v9$536@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149386

We are going to Phoenix in a couple of months for the NASCAR race.
Is there a site where I can get the frequencies for the AZ highway
patrol and the local fire, PD's, and sheriffs in and around Phoenix?

Thanks in advance.....Bryce

555. Re: SC-150 Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jamese@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <35c79785.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 149387

in reply to all of your questions re:sc150 tricks uniden has updated this model
triple conversion as to lock out any chance of picking up cell freq's in 400MHZ band
(bleed thru in double conversion scanners) best of my knowledge they have updated the CPU also

Reddog wrote in message <6pq4sf$cl3$1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>They work on mine. My date of manufacture is listed as OFID and my serial
>number is 45034388
>
>
>
>
>>My SC-150B doesn't do any of the nifty power-on tricks listed. Is this
>>something that only works on SC-150s manufactured up through a certain
>>date or serial number?
>>
>>john rosenberg
>
>

556. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35C78B61.5F0E3701@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149388
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello Again RF ,

You seem to have a wave file that contains an array of mixed
paging signals ..... that sounds basically like the alert system for
a fire department (for example) there are 2 tone location
alerting tones interspersed with DIGITAL message content ......
probably information directed at each location alerted ....This
sounds somewhat similar to some of the older style paging tones
(like generated by a Zerton) but not quite the same ....
I dont believe that this signal is an actual PAGING signal .....
at least not in the USA ..(.used by regular paging service providers.)
There are some systems that are used by school systems and
local government that have service tones like these too .... They are
rather rare and are exclusive alpha numeric ....
Of course this is just my own opinion about the file ...maybe some
other interpretations are possible out there ...?? How about it ..guys..

a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR

557. Re: AZ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robin R. Wier" <rwier@cris.com>
Message-ID: <35C79075.5D04@cris.com>
Source record: 149389

Bryce Eichholz wrote:
>
> We are going to Phoenix in a couple of months for the NASCAR race.
> Is there a site where I can get the frequencies for the AZ highway
> patrol and the local fire, PD's, and sheriffs in and around Phoenix?
>
> Thanks in advance.....Bryce

Bryce,
There should be something here to help.
http://www.li.net/~j4dice/links.html
As for the race, I suggest a minor purchase at the track of a frequency list. I have no proof, but I suspect that NASCAR shuffles the radios and even the teams don't know all the correct match-ups until race day. Many of the same frequencies but used by various teams and drivers over the season. Without a current list you will hear all the same action but you won't be sure who's talking.
I usually pick a few top conteders and enter their frequencies at channel numbers that rerlate to the car number. Example: Car #10 (maybe three freq's given on the list) entered at channel 10, 110, and 210. During the race it's very hard to hear the little scanner speaker so earphones may help. A second scanner for media feed can also be interesting.
Overall, I would guess you will get more enjoyment out of the local public service freq's.
Robin

558. Re: Toilet Boy: still a FOOL and a liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A124.6193A511@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149390

KA0SSF "I have all the integrity of O. J. Simpson."
<jmackey@parg.org> experienced another cranial out gassing:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > Apparently you do. You care that I've exposed you for the
> > liar and fraud that you are. For example, your lie about
> > having a

> All you've done is expose your own lies!

Anytime someone tells the truth about you, Toilet Boy, you interpret it as lies. You are so twisted into your own little delusional world you can't even see straight enough to urinate without hitting your shoes. Another example of the mental limitations and genetic deficiencies of your species.

You're such a pathetic creature you can't handle the truth about yourself: you are a liar and a fraud. You can't handle the fact that I, and others, have proven you to be so many times.

You are so ignorant you believe that just because you went to the Tammy Faye Bakker Cosmetics School for Public Bathroom Sex Toys for two whole semesters (never did graduate did you), the world owes you even an iota of respect. Guess again FOOL.

559. Re: Toilet Boy still a FOOL and a liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A183.C3DAF42C@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149391

KA0SSF "I have an IQ of 2, but someone told me it takes 3 to grunt. What'd he mean by that?" <jmackey@parg.org> groped through another fog of abject dullness:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > When I was a very young man, I received a piece of advice
> > from an old man that has stayed with me through the years.
> > He told

> You should get MORE advice from him & follow it!

It's a shame the subtly of my message was lost on you. Another example of the mental limitations and genetic deficiencies of your species, I suppose.

560. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A1F9.589D031D@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149392

KA0SSF "According to me, the truth is like a woman's girdle - it's made to be stretched." <jmackey@parg.org> showed more proof he is a liar and a fraud:

> I'm too tall for military service so I have never been in
> the military!

Still spewing more lies as usual, Toilet Boy. You claimed to be 6'1" tall in a previous message (shown below). According to the recruiting offices here in Phoenix, *all* branches of military services do NOT have a height limitation. The only reason you would be ineligible for military service would be you never graduated from high school, had at least a GED, or possessed a criminal record (that's coming).

We know you are too stupid to have finished high school (let alone have any college degrees), so that's why you were never in the military. Also, being a military brat doesn't make you a part of the armed services either.

You're still a liar and a fraud, Toilet Boy.

ya friggin' loon

From: John Mackey -- KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: John Mackey Prevails!!!
Date: Thu, 12 Feb 1998 02:39:22 -0800
Organization: http://www.parg.org
Message-ID: <34E2D159.ED6@usa.net>
Reply-To: jmackey@usa.net
NNTP-Posting-Host: 206.133.225.50

< useless diatribes from Toilet Boy snipped >

I'm 6'1" & under 200 lbs, so I am *HARDLY* "overweight".

561. Re: Toilet Boy's lies in this NG are impotent, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A288.560B3D56@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149393

KA0SSF "I think everyone worships the ground I crawled out of."
<jmackey@parg.org> showed more of his lies:

You *really* are stupid to think that no one would notice your
putrid and lame attempt at distorting the truth, Toilet Boy.
Yes, you really are dumber than you look FOOL.

This is my original statement:

Since you can't read without moving your lips and hurting
yourself, I'm not surprised that you found reading my words
mentally exhausting and never noticed that I never said I polled
this newsgroup. I said your data was flawed (like you) because
YOU FOOL never polled the group. I'd make an ass out of you for
your stupidity (it's frightfully easy) but there is no way to do
that - nature did that long ago.

And this is your pitiful attempt at a response:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > I'm mentally exhausting and never noticed that I never said
> > I polled this newsgroup. I never said your data was flawed

> I see. thanks!

How pathetic you are Toilet Boy.

> > You have no clue *when* Cheek held his commercial license, so,
> > once again, your logic (like you) is flawed.

> According to Bill's statements, it is still valid.

Yes, it is valid that you are a flawed specimen. Maybe one
day your species will evolve, but I have serious doubts. If
you keep up your antics either entropy will overtake you or
you might accidentally electrocute yourself with an electric
sexual appliance while watching Richard Simmonds workout
videos.

562. Re: Toilet Boy's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A32A.8290E623@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149394

KA0SSF "Please don't arrest me for impersonating a human being
Mr. Zoo Keeper, let's go into the bathroom stall, I'll do
anything you want. I even have my own lubricant and knee pads."
<jmackey@parg.org> wondered why nobody believes his lies:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > Until YOU FOOL provide proof the degree exists, you are
> > branded a liar and a fraud. Do you want to prove me wrong?
> > Then put up or shut up. Provide the proof.

> Does that even apply to all then? (including Cheek)

Yes, Cheek has proven to me he has the degrees he claims. You
insist on lying about yours. You've had all your other lies
exposed, I guess your fragile ego and limited intellect can't
take the pressure of being found out on this last lie.

As I said above, if you have a degree, then prove it. Otherwise,
put up or shut up.

563. Re: A cheap freq counter!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jamese@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <35c7a231.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 149395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

ratty shack sells em for about 99 bucks check them

bestur@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6pqkr0$rv0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I need a really cheap frequencie counter!!!!!
>
>removeME.......usenet@iname.com
>
>remove the removeMe from the e-mail to send me mail.
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

564. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A37A.F938C472@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149396

KA0SSF "I'm the Queen Liar around here and don't you forget it!" <jmackey@parg.org> tried to bore us with more of his lies:

> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Well, all I ever heard him sniveling about was his kids'

> hehehehehehe, I've never had KIDS Bill!

Let's just see about that, Toilet Boy.

During the period from May 3 1996 to June 23, 1996, you used the address of traveler@cyberway.net. You posted a total of nineteen messages to various newsgroups using that address. Four were simple test messages, ten were radio related, and five were related to the issue of 'your children'.

Just to show the messages are really from you, I've included a couple of radio related and test messages from the same period as the children messages.

In the message dated May 5, 1996 and June 23, 1996, you use the phrase "my kids." Since those messages are from you, then you have children.

Now in the message of June 19, 1996, you claim to be half Indian. Yet, in the message of June 23, 1996, you said you inherited your dead sister's (did you tell her that she died?) children, who were half Indian. You said their father was half Cheyenne. That would mean your sister's race didn't include Indian. That means you are probably not full or even partial Indian. Another lie from you, Toilet Boy.

After reading the messages (listed below for your disgrace), it is very easy to come to the conclusion you've lied again. Either you do have children as you claim below, or you don't as you've claimed above. Either way, you lied.

---------- the children messages ----------
Subject: Re: kids and clothes
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <31955493.65EA@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude

>I've never had strong feelings one way or the other about having my kids do
> > >what *I* want in this respect. I think most kids (and mine were the same
> > >way) if given the choice just would rather run around nekkid.

> > It's all your fault, peter, you got me thinking again. I think you
> > have put your finger on a basic fact about nudism. Kids don't _like_
> > to wear clothes, they're _taught_ to wear clothes. I was told by my
> > grandparents that I resisted wearing clothes when I was in the 2 to 5

I was basically raised naked with my cousins during the summers. I
hated wearing
clothes & so did my cousins se we hardly every wore them. I think I was
about 15
by the time I started wearing clothes regularly.

It seem natural & ok to be naked at the time. In that area naked kids
were ok, but
when you reached puberty they clothing was expected.

During the warm months my kids are usually naked, no big deal.

Subject: Re: NEW THREAD, was Re: STREAKERS!
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/03
Message-ID: <31B2AB1B.22D0@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude,rec.running

> Even the smallest kids seldom play nude in this country (U.S.), which
> I think is the bigger disgrace than not accepting adult nudity. But
> such is the current reality.

> I would like to see what others think of this. I seem to remember

During the summer I was almost always naked until I was about 12 yrs old
then I
started wearing shorts or swiming suits. But I still would be naked
occasionally until I was about 16 or maybe 17.

I think it was healthy, I preferred being naked back then. I still go
naked
at apprpriate times.

Subject: Re: So young, so sad
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/19
Message-ID: <31C7B97B.2C4B@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude

> > The fact about the 5 year old boy is simple at that age kids wether male
> > or female are aware of there body and might be a little self concious
> > about there body's and seeing that in everyday life nudism isnt regularly

I was raised during the summers on an Indian Reservation (I'm half
Indian) I was
naked almost all the time along with my cousins untill I was about 14 or
15. The
only time I ever remember being self consious about being naked was one
time

when we went off the reservation a long way to visit someone in the city. I was
not on the reservation & there were no Indian people around & I didn't have any
cloths with me. A few people commented about me being nude & then I became
embarrassed about my nudity. A couple women laughed about me being naked & said they
thought it was "cute".

I was about 8 or 9 at the time & I couldn't find
any cloths so I hid in the car for half the time. Finally we left & went home to
the reservation & I felt OK about it. Looking back on it I can see my feelings about
being naked depended on the cultural acceptance, I preferred being naked.

Subject: Re: CURIOUS ABOUT NUDISM
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD0008.4263@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude

PETER McLINTOCK wrote:
> I have never gone to a nudist camp but have often felt a need to go, But
> one problem what if like Mr Wobbly decided to stand to attention as to
> speak, Like what do you do is that natural, Help.
> What about females where are you suppose to look like at the face or
> above them or at the view behind them?

If you just act normal you'll be fine. It isn't uncommon for a man's penis to
occassionally become erect, that is natural & happens without thought. Others
may (if they know you) giggle or tease you about it, but usually nothing
would be said at all. Many men ask the exact same question, and find it is not
a problem.

I was raised in a nudist environment & during the summer my kids are always
naked, it is more healthy.

Try going to a CO camp, you'll probably like it. The people are nice & there is
a nice feeling about warm wind blowing on your un-covered skin.

Subject: Bed wetting with native american children
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD1178.1579@cyberway.net>

Newsgroups: alt.native

2 years ago my sister died & I assumed guardianship of her 2 children. They are boys
7 & 12. They have had a consistant problem with bed wetting all their lives.
Every morning they will usually both wake up to wet bed sheets, they are so used to this that they know to pull the sheets off their beds and head for
the shower to clean themselves. (they sleep naked to save their clothes from this)

I have tried getting assistance from a doctor who tried
a few things with no change & said there was nothing else to do. My girlfriend & I have tried all the obvious things of cutting off water & fluids after dinner & making sure they pee before they go to bed. For a little while my girlfriend & I were even watching them toilet pee before bed just to make sure they were really doing it.

I have tried getting them to wear diapers at nite but they absolutely refuse unless we are spending the night somewhere else. They say there is nothing they can do about
this and appear to accept peeing the sheets at night.

When they have their nightly accidents it is a total urination relief, not just some dribbling (unfortunately).

The youngest boy has had a few accidents during awake day time where he has
wet his pants, but this has only happened 4 or 5 times so I am not as concerned
about it as I am the nightly bed wetting. It's embarassing because when I am away
for business my girlfriend has to clean up the boys after their nightly peeing accidents.

These boys are half Indian, I think their father was Cheyenne full-blood.
My girl-
friend (she is not indian, either) said she once baby sat an indian kid who had the same problem. So I am wondering if this is a common problem with all indian boys or all indian kids or an isolated problem. What is the resolve for helping indian kids be able to hold their urine & sleep dry. How do Indian families handle this?
---------- the radio and test messages ----------
Subject: Re: "CB radio" repeater, with dirty words, why not off the air?
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/03
Message-ID: <318AEA89.61FB@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

Scott A Press wrote:

> Bob,
> I am a frequent user of the AA6TK Repeater (or what we call here in
> Los Angeles "435". Yes, it is an absolute toilet, however, it is the
> ONLY free speech repeater around (vis a vie you can discuss ANYTHING
> you want.) We enjoy having 435 around. Most of the people who use 435
> are quite intelligent and very good people.

I own the 147.435 repeater in Portland, Oregon. My repeater is similar,
but not
as mouthy as, the LA repeater. I often hear complaints & bitches from
people about
my 2 meter box (but never my 6 meter or UHF). If they don't like what
they are
hearing there are three things they do -

1. turn down the volume, 2 turn off the radio, 3 change frequency.

Any licensed ham sould be capable of this.

Why would somebody rant & rave & carry on like this with their bitching?

Watch the ROSANNE show on TV sometime. It is a prime time show. You
all the same
language then.

> On Sun, 28 Apr 1996 01:41:47 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> >Stumbled across a repeater in LA on 147.435 MHz, sounds worse than CB
> >(if that is possible). Routine use of the "F" word, "S" word, the
> >"A--hole" word, and such similar stuff I would think think wouldn't
> >pass "community standards" (as the FCC says). Also, noone ever
> >seems to do any legal callsign IDs
> >(not quite, the few people IDing, only a few but there are some, seem to
> >not use the dirty words). People jamming each other every so often.

If they know they are going to be jammed on that freq & don't mind then
it isn't
malicous & therefore is not jamming is it????

> >If I was the trustee, I'd just shut this machine down, or use the repeater for
> >a packet BBS machine or something.

That's probably why you're not a trustee.

Subject: test, don't read
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/06
Message-ID: <318DDEC4.35A0@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

test

Subject: test, don't read
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>

Date: 1996/05/06
Message-ID: <318DDEE8.5781@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

test

Subject: test, don't read
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/06
Message-ID: <318DDF24.3EC1@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

test

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565. Re: Toilet boy's stupidities display as usual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7A41D.D8AAD924@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149397

KA0SSF "I love nature, despite what nature has done to me."
<jmackey@parg.org> continues to pathological lying spree:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > It *is* and has been a you versus Cheek thing

> maybe to YOU, not to me.

For nearly three years now, you have demonstrated your vendetta against Cheek and anyone who speaks out against you quite clearly. Your denials to the contrary are mere lies, Toilet Boy.

> > The issue here, which you are trying to divert attention from,
> > is your lack of degrees.

> How do you figure, that wasn't being discussed at all?

Sure it is FOOL. Your vendetta has included hounding Cheek for information regarding his degrees. You've used your supposed degree as a cudgel trying to elicit information about Cheek's degrees. I have the information about Cheek's degrees, and I know how much it galls you that I do. Cheek has backed up his claims of holding degrees, yet you never have. You made a public claim that you have a degree. I made a public statement that you lied about having those degrees. You've never come up with a shred of proof to back your claims. You've been proven a liar several times over. If you expect me, or anyone else, to believe your claims, prove it. Put up or shut up, Toilet Boy.

> The FCC license is a matter of public record.

I stated your and my commercial licenses were a public record several messages back. You're just getting that into your thick skull now? Such a moron you are, Toilet Boy.

> So what's your point?

The point is you came up with proof of your commercial license quickly, yet you can't prove your degrees. Even for you, Toilet Boy, proving a piece of fiction (your degree) is impossible.

> > I've been contesting your lies and proving you are a liar on
> > my own for three years now.

> Strange, I've only been on the internet for 2 years & 3 weeks!

Yes, your are one strange lower life form, Toilet Boy. Yet again, you lie about your time on the internet. Telling time and reading

a calendar is something any high school graduate can do. But, you never finished high school, let alone earn a college degree, did you FOOL. Just so you know, you have been on the net since January 1, 1996, when this post debuted:

Subject: Need a base station antenna for cheap
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/01
Message-ID: <f4d_9601020340@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

On (01 Jan 96) bob@texas.net wrote to All...

b > Hey there, good buddy, got your ears on?

b > ANY kind?? 2m, 440, HF, don't matter s'long as it's
b > for a base station?? Vertical, wire, yagi, I mean they're
b > really all the same exceptin' of course they're all different.
b > Like, what sort of antenna support are you gonna use?
b > What band? What service? CB, ham, CB, CB, or CB??

b > That's a big 10-4, don-cha-know... Catch ya on the flip side
b > good buddy, we be gone and down.

Hey Bob -
What are you trying to be, the REC.RADIO.SWAP Good Will Ambassador??

lay off the guy

... You can't truly appreciate being single until after you've been married.

Your last sentence would imply you've been married before (perish the thought). How would you know what the man was experiencing if you've never been married? That's quite remarkable especially when you consider that there are no females of your species in existence. Maybe Cheek knows more than he's telling when he says you're a hermaphrodite. He's right when he says you have a good grasp of your own sexuality; and that's the only sex you ever get.

> Are you saying you knew me before I came to the internet?

Fortunately, no. Judging by how you behave here on the internet, I'm not surprised you've encountered others like myself who have successfully challenged your stupidities and publicly shattered your lies before you migrated here.

566. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6q87emceq1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149398
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ryan knows this! In fact he bitched at a guy a few days back for a 1K
signature!
Maybe he forgot!
Dave Hultberg wrote in message <35c78a5b.31228578@news3.paonline.com>...
>On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:57:27 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Please play the attached WAV file. What I want to know is, what type of
>>paging system is this?
>>
>>Thanks. I apologize for the size of this post -- I tried to get the sound
as
>>small as possible.
>
>Ryan,
>
>Please don't post binary files to non-binary newsgroups. Because binary
>files tend to be large and some newsreaders can't handle them, it is
>customary to post them only to groups that specifically allow them. Such
>groups are usuallt readily identified by having binary in their name.
>
>73 de w3dbh
>Dave Hultberg W3DBH
>ex KA3UZR, WN3BGJ & KHV8564

567. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C7B4A9.C11C4E56@netwit.com>
Source record: 149399

KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Well, all I ever heard him sniveling about
> > was his kids'
>
> hehehehehehe, I've never had KIDS Bill!

Well...since you left your rotten pecker in the Philippines, that hardly
comes as a surprise John.

568. ICOM IC-R10 Programming Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Papa <richard.papa@snet.net>
Message-ID: <35C7B7A6.B6292D13@snet.net>
Source record: 149400

Looking for comments on radio control software for the IR10. Do any do
bank programming in additon to controling the radio?

569. Re: Where to buy scanners in Niagra Falls Canada?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net>
Message-ID: <35C7C259.326A@maui.net>
Source record: 149401
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

krathis@fast.net wrote:
>
> Will be going to Niagra Falls, Canada next week and am wondering if
> there are any scanner/radio stores closeby where I could grab a radio.
>
> Thanks in advance.
http://www.interlog.com/~ahr/scan.htm

570. Re: cb freq scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew H. Fogle" <foglem@cec2.aps.edu>
Message-ID: <35C7B436.192BEE02@cec2.aps.edu>
Source record: 149402

I personally bought a Cobra 45WX; modifed for all 120 channels from 26.515 to 27.855... Of course a good scanner would do 25mHz and up anyway...

Steve Ashley wrote:

> How about a Cherokee AH27 Hand Held CB - has a great scan feature and can
> tranmit well as well. I recommend checking out
> www.bills2way.com they have the best prices I have found $78.00
>
> Ken Buffie wrote in message <35BD3F2F.5D5675A9@lkdllink.net>...
> >Hello,
> >Anyone know which scanners (new or old) can receive CB frequencies. I
> >have a Realistic 2040 but want a
> >scanner that can monitor CB frequencies and I would like to do it as
> >inexpensively as possible. Nothing fancy, just don't want to spend
> >another $150 or more for a CB or Scanner. Thanks in advance.
> >
> >Ken "not an equipment snob" Buffie
> >

571. Re: Looking for BC895XLT in Tidewater area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven T. Shapiro" <shapi16@banet.net>
Message-ID: <35C7C786.A70321B6@banet.net>
Source record: 149403

Brett - N7OLQ wrote:

> Well, it isn't local, but for reference, I mail ordered mine from National
> Electronics for $212 delivered. Service was top-notch. I don't know VA
> very well, but EEB is in Vienna VA and sells them. I don't know the price.
>
>

i tried calling eeb the other day, got another company, they said eed closed thier retail operation, and they just do the distributing, via edco now. the catalog i have is a 1997. anybody have any recent info?????

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572. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Reed <reedb@xxx.pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <35C7CE1D.3A74@xxx.pacifier.com>
Source record: 149404

Hey Mackey, I thought you were filtered!!! Guess it was just more BS
from Cheeks.

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
> > Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!
>
> Hey shitferbrains, I told Peetie Boe I'd
> give him Peetie Laws' e-mail address if
> only he asked nicely.
>
> Of course you and I BOTH know Peetie Boe
> is digging for more "dirt". Which is why
> I don't mind helping the poor sap out.
> He won't find any dirty laundry there.
>
> Just the fact that my e-mailer uses RRQ's,
> which Peetie Laws and his green weenie
> boys didn't like. So what? You know me,
> Smacksie....I told 'em all they could eat
> my crusty skivvies.......
>
> Haven't YOU ever been booted off a forum
> before?
>
> Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha.....
>
> You friggin lunatic wimp.....

573. So-called "Software Radio" tech and scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Costin <bcostin@clark.net>
Message-ID: <6q8ich$74p$1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 149405

I ran across this interesting article on TechWeb earlier this week.

Is Software Radio A Done Deal?
http://www.techweb.com/wire/story/TWB19980801S0003

Here's a brief excerpt:

"The visionary software radio is most likely a portable device with relatively few integrated circuits (ICs) or hardware components. Rather than a battery of inductors, tuning capacitors, and intermediate-frequency components, such a radio will likely utilize an integrated RF front end and a high-million-instructions-per-second digital signal processor and microcontroller. The frequency at which the receiver operates, the modulation scheme it deciphers, and other features are chosen and programmed in software."

To my decidedly non-expert mind, this sounds like it could have some interesting applications in the field of scanner technology. (In fact, it sounds a little like what the WinRadio and the similar Icom unit already do (though, again, I have no idea how the actual hardware used compares.))

Am I deluded, or could this have some potentially useful application to our favorite hobby?

--

Bryan Costin.
Remove the *nospam* from my address to reply.
Visit my Nikon CP900, Kodak DC260 & DC210 digital camera pages:
http://linux-a.carroll.cc.md.us/~bcostin/digiphoto
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574. Taking A Trip... Need Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Wormuth <campguy@banet.net>
Message-ID: <35c7d295.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 149406

Dear Reader,

I am planning to take a trip to Miami Florida (7 days) in September, and I was wondering if anyone could tell me any information about the areas scanning potential? Specifically, are they using trunked systems (I am planning to buy the BC235XLT Trunk Tracker), frequencies, anything juicy...

I will be traveling from NY so anyone having recommendations for what to monitor during the journey (I-95 mostly) would be helpful...

Thanks a bunch...

mailto:campguy@banet.net
Steve Wormuth

575. Re: Where to buy scanners in Niagra Falls Canada?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbryant <jbryant@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <902288580.35319@michelob>
Source record: 149407
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

jbryant wrote in message <902287726.764997@michelob>...
>
>>You can try V E Communications in St. Catharines. It's located at 55
>Carlton
>I should also add it's about 1 or 2 blocks west of the corner of Ontario
St.
>and Carlton near the gm plant.
>
Arrgggghhhh. My fingers were going faster than my brain, I should have said
East.

576. Re: Where to buy scanners in Niagra Falls Canada?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbryant <jbryant@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <902287133.340565@michelob>
Source record: 149408
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Paul Littleton wrote in message <35C7C259.326A@maui.net>...
>krathis@fast.net wrote:
>>
>> Will be going to Niagra Falls, Canada next week and am wondering if
>> there are any scanner/radio stores closeby where I could grab a radio.
>>
>> Thanks in advance.
>http://www.interlog.com/~ahr/scan.htm

You can try V E Communications in St. Catharines. It's located at 55 Carlton St. The LL is (905) 984-5515. Tell Sean or Will that the Witchdoctor said hi.....

577. Re: Where to buy scanners in Niagra Falls Canada?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbryant <jbryant@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <902287726.764997@michelob>
Source record: 149409
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

jbryant wrote in message <902287133.340565@michelob>...
>
>You can try V E Communications in St. Catharines. It's located at 55
Carlton
>St. The LL is (905) 984-5515. Tell Sean or Will that the Witchdoctor said
>hi........
>
I should also add it's about 1 or 2 blocks west of the corner of Ontario St.
and Carlton near the gm plant.

578. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E0D0.773F@uunet.com>
Source record: 149410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John Mackey the Idiot Liar wrote:
>
> Eddie Fernandes wrote:
>
> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> SNIP
>
> > What does this have to do with scanners?
>
> As usual, this post of Bill's has nothing to do with the good of
> scanning!

As usual, this post of John's has nothing to do with the good of
scanning!

579. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E156.595C@uunet.com>
Source record: 149411

John Mackey the Idiot Liar wrote:
>
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > You just have your buddy Roger do it for you.
>
> Then that means I didn't do it if someone else did!
>
> > And as far as knowing what to do he is under invstigation.
>
> Go for it!

Hey John,

When are you going to posting something about scanners?

Also, when are you going to stop forging posts from your
AOL account?

580. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E1A3.4268@uunet.com>
Source record: 149412

John Mackey the Idiot Liar wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
>
> > <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> > >Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!
>
> > Oops. I forgot that towel boy is totally devoid of
> > a sense of humor.
>
> Yea, once presented truth, you try to say you were
> joking. Good cover for your stupidity!

When are you going to stop telling lies?

581. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E234.104A@uunet.com>
Source record: 149413

John Mackey the Idiot Liar wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Because he'll kick your arse up betwixt
>
> he better bring a couple friends with him then because he
> certainly isn't capable of it himself!

Don't you really mean that you should bring some friends?

582. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E432.2608@uunet.com>
Source record: 149414

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
> > Just as you have not been able to
> > provide proof of a degree?
>
> No, just as your hero Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
> degree for over 2 years.

Bill has written 3 very excellent books about scanner modifications.

What books have you written? Do you know anything about scanners?

583. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E4EB.574E@uunet.com>
Source record: 149415

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > No, dipstick, "they" don't have to do
> > anything. You are the perennial liar
> > around here.
>
> Are you afraid the competition might un-seat you from
> that position you have always held?

There's no chance of that John. Your the Biggest Liar
that I've ever come across. You've told more lies than
Bill Clinton has since he's been in the Whitehouse.

584. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E5A6.59E4@uunet.com>
Source record: 149416

But do you know anything about scanners? I've never seen
you post any techincal information about them.

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Blake Bowers wrote:
>
> > John, this is just the rumors I heard. I even have
>
> No, it is the rumor/lie you started!
>
> According to the ARRL, you are wrong. I am still listed
> as an active VE!
>
> See Below from the ARRL:
>
> Subject: RE: [Fwd: Mackey's VEC credentials under
> Date: Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:35:00 -0400
> From: "Jahnke, Bart, W9JJ" <bjahnke@arrl.org>
>
> 1. The performance of all VEs is reviewed as each test session is
> received
> and processed or as otherwise necessary. If we were investigating any
> VE,
> such information would not be made public.
>
> 2. When problems are identified, the ARRL/VEC will issue remedial
> instruction, or if believed more serious we will suspend accreditation
> or
> withdraw accreditation.
>
> We have an obligation to ensure (to the best of our ability) the
> integrity
> of our VE program and to uphold the integrity within our VEs. If a
> matter
> were to surface that required our attention, the steps in item 2 would
> be
> our usual procedure as necessary.
>
> 73,
>
> Bart J. Jahnke, W9JJ
> Manager
> ARRL/VEC

>
> ARRL Exam Session Search
> --
>
> 09-Aug-1998
> Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
> Time: 08:30PM (Walk-ins allowed)
> Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
> VEC: ARRL/VEC
>
> 23-Aug-1998
> Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
> Time: 08:30PM (Walk-ins allowed)
> Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
> VEC: ARRL/VEC
>
> 13-Sep-1998
> Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
> Time: 08:30PM (Walk-ins allowed)
> Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
> VEC: ARRL/VEC
>
> > It is? Most people always thought Novice was the most
> > restrictive. Is that the problem? Are you rewriting the HAM
> > rules?
>
> (codeless-)technician is considered more restrictive because
> HF operation is prohibited.

585. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E61B.51B@uunet.com>
Source record: 149417

This doesn't prove a thing John. What do you know about Scanners?

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Blake Bowers wrote:
> > No proof at all. This just means, until recently, you have never
> > been caught.
>
> Well Blake I am still an active VE with the ARRL who says you
> are wrong. Interesting, in my phone cals with them they
> state they are very familar with you in the Official Observer
> branch due to the numerous warnings you have been sent, according
> to what I heard!
>
> See Below from the ARRL:
>
> Subject: RE: [Fwd: Mackey's VEC credentials under
> Date: Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:35:00 -0400
> From: "Jahnke, Bart, W9JJ" <bjahnke@arrl.org>
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> 13-Sep-1998
> Sponsor: PHANTOMS AR GROUP (PARG)
> Time: 08:30PM (Walk-ins allowed)
> Contact: JOHN E MACKEY
> VEC: ARRL/VEC

586. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E693.47FC@uunet.com>
Source record: 149418

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> The CB Guy wrote:
> > But if you are taking money, posing as a VEC and selling licenses, then
> > it is still VEC fraud is it not?
>
> It might be except I have never posed as a VEC or sold any licenses.
> I ahve never committed any type of fraud.

Everything you do is a Fraud John. When are you going to stop
telling Lies?

587. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E8A3.5978@uunet.com>
Source record: 149419

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Fire Chief wrote:
> > Why do we have to wait for Bill? With your dislike
> > of him you should be willing to jump right out and
> > answer a question with foreright details instead of
>
> This isn't a case of Me Vs. Bill, I have no dislike for him!

You're lying again John. Your only purpose in this group is
to stalk Bill Cheek, because he kick you off the Fidonet
Scanradio echo a few years ago.

588. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabberjaw@uunet.com
Message-ID: <35C7E9B4.5F9C@uunet.com>
Source record: 149420

John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Smacksie's Pop and I had a dialog about a
> > year or so ago. You wouldn't believe the
>
> Hey Bill, that was 2 years ago! How time flies! You
> were e-mailing an address of john.mackey@stream.com. Guess
> what, that was actually ME!!!!!!!!
>
> You were on there BEGGING for my e-mail address acting
> like we were buddies, thinking I was my dad. Oh GOD that was
> funny, I hadn't thought about that for a long time, it was late summer
> 1996. I'm laughing to hard, must stop computer until this
> is over. hohohohohohohohohohohohehehehehehehehehehehehe

When are you going back to Clark College to Forge more posts
and Rogue Cancel posts again?

589. FS: Pro2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6q760r$lu4$1@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 149421

I have a nice pro2004 with full 800Mhz, 400 channel mod and speedup mod. It has a bright display. I have a copy of the manual, not the original.

$225 plus shipping.

(-------------------------------------)
Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
(-------------------------------------)

590. FS: FRG9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregg@plains.nodak.edu
Message-ID: <6q763t$hb4$1@node2.nodak.edu>
Source record: 149422

I have a Yaesu FRG9600 scanning receiver in great shape. I have the original box, manual, the standard accessories including the wall wart.

$325 plus shipping

(-------------------------------------)
Joe Gregg N0RF
gregg@plains.nodak.edu
(-------------------------------------)

591. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c71c1a.42591354@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149423
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Wed, 29 Jul 1998 22:00:51 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:
>On Wed, 29 Jul 1998 04:01:06 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>
>>On Tue, 28 Jul 1998 21:37:33 -0500, -Tracey-Levin <tracey12@swbell.net> wrote:
>>> According to ARRL, you need to get those ground rods down really deep
>>>to get into the water table for a serious RF ground. Dont expect a rod
>>>under a couple of feet of soil to do the same job. It wont.
>>
>>There you go, believing the ARRL again. Anything below skin depth is
>>wasted as an RF ground. The skin depth varies according to soil
>>permitivity and conductivity, of course. Dry sandy soil will have a
>>greater skin depth than heavy clay. But unless your water table is
>>pretty shallow, driving to the water table is a waste of copper for RF
>>grounding purposes.
>
>>For example, the water table here is about 190 feet, skin depth at
>>3.5 MHz is about 3 feet for our heavy clay (about 15 feet for dry
>>sandy soil), so you'd be wasting a bunch of copper driving to the
>>water table. That copper would do you a lot more good if you
>>arranged it as a buried radial system.
>
>So the soil here is dry and sandy for the first 3 feet, then is
>permeated with ground water which seems to vary from 5 to 8 feet down
>through out the year. My ground rod's are 2-10 foot 3/4 inch hard
>copper pipe separated by 6 feet and tied together with #6 copper . Is
>this an safe (lightning) and adequate (rf) ground setup? Connected
>from the base of a discone to the rods with un insulated #6 copper.
>Should my radio be able to survive a direct hit at the antenna?

That's a marginal ground for lightning mitigation. The downlead is
fine, but the rods need to be separated by at least twice their length
to avoid charge saturation of their mutual volumes of soil during a strike.
And you'd like a much more extensive shallow system to conduct the RF
surface currents away from the strike point, IE a set of buried radials
or a Ufer ground would be a big help.

Now a good ground *alone* will not protect your equipment from a strike.
There are other steps which *must* be taken to give you that level of
protection. Foremost of those is to use ground window technique for
your radio room. And you must use proper suppression for any conductors
carrying signals or power to and from your equipment. And layout can
be critically important. For example, never swing the coax overhead
from its support to the radio room. Always bring it completely down

to ground level first, and then bring it over to the radio room. At least the shield should be grounded at the point where you bring it to ground level, and preferrably you'll use the same sort of suppressor at that point that you'll also use at the ground window.

I've posted extensively on lightning mitigation technique over the past several years, consult Dejanews for some of those posts. You *can* ride out direct hits if you do everything just right. But if you do just one thing wrong, your protective efforts can be voided. There is no room for error here.

Lightning mitigation is a very specialized field. There are only a few dozen professionals in the US who are competent to do the job right. Ideally, you'll consult with one of those, but you probably won't because they don't work cheap. You *can* do it yourself, but you need to learn a *lot* of detailed things in order to do it right. A fair start can be the book published by Polyphaser titled "The Grounds for Lightning and EMP Protection". Most of what is in there is accurate and helpful.

A book that is not very helpful is the ARRL Antenna Book, and also the Handbook, which repeats some of what is in the Antenna Book. Some very faulty practices are recomended in both. If you follow their recomendations, you most probably *will* suffer equipment damage in a strike.

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592. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c722bd.44290616@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149424
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Thu, 30 Jul 1998 15:33:01 GMT, Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com> wrote:
>Probably need to get this out of the way right quick! NO equipment will
>survive a direct hit by lightning. It MAY survive a near miss!
>
>Butch KF5DE

Of course you can engineer your system to survive direct hits without any equipment damage. Broadcasters have to do that since they typically take direct strikes in every storm (especially TV and FM broadcasters employing very tall towers). You can employ the same techniques that they use, and achieve the same level of protection. It isn't simple, and it isn't cheap, but it certainly can routinely be done. Any time you suffer lightning damage, that's saying you didn't do the protective measures correctly. The principles are well understood, but you can't make *any* mistakes. There are no shortcuts. A single mistake (and some mistakes aren't obvious) can negate all of your protective measures.

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593. Re: Cedar Hill or Dallas Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpems500@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080414513200.KAA15561@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149425

>I was wondering if anyone had any freq. for Cedar Hill or Dallas Area.

Try this site...I think the address is still good. Called the "D/FW Monitoring Home Page".

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/scanner_frames.htm

David Phillips, B.S., EMT-P
EMS Manager
City of Beaumont, Texas

594. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6q776d$5ef$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 149426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Try the following

http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html

It needs the 'L' at the end

Mike

595. Re: Pro-2042 for $249 also Pro-2045 for $99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Peck <steven.peck1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <7jFx1.2628$3G4.6453229@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 149427

I use a Pro-2045 and it is great for just having on, easy to program, quite sensitive and fast. Make sure you find one with the CTCSS option built in (I think there was a model that didnt have this, but I have seen only the CTCSS ones). If you have a lot of systems using CTCSS in the area it makes a big difference. There is also a lot of room in the case if you want to add additional features to it like a discriminator output, the scanner electronics are quite small compared to the case.

Steve.

Bryan G. wrote in message <6q28jl$ba0@netaxs.com>...
>Mt local RS has the Pro-2042 available for $229. They also have a Pro-2045
>for $95.
>Anyone care to comment on which would be the better deal for the dollar.
>
>Bryan
>
>
>

596. Re: Scanner vs. Shortwave in Emergencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Peck <steven.peck1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <8jFx1.2629$3G4.6453229@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 149428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jake Brodsky wrote in message <35c8106a.4769790@news.erols.com>...
>On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 18:52:55 -0700, "Lord Edam de Fromage"

>Second, the performance of these radios is usually quite mediocre for
>shortwave. You won't get acceptable performance unless you are
>willing to spend many thousands of dollars, and lots of money on a
>good power supply.
>

True, if you are Dxing then yes it can be thousands of dollars. For casual or regular use, the $500-1000 range of SW receivers are quite good nowdays. Besides antenna configuration is just as important as the receiver. If the original poster just wants to monitor world events even a small DX-375 will do and it only goes for about $69.99 at RS. The DX-375 while not a luxury liner can pull in all the big ones and it is pretty sensitive, albeit with very poor selectivity, although it is better than the wide range scanners.

>Please understand, there are compromises which have to be made when
>constructing a radio which covers "DC to Light." One of those
>compromises is selectivity and another is dynamic range. Those are
>the very items which most shortwave receivers are optimized for.

True and a perfect reason to own both, but you dont need a R-9000 or a Watkins-Johnson to receive SW well.

Steve.

597. Re: Cheeks dumped from group too?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JANE DOW <JANE@fuckoff.com>
Message-ID: <35C6D15D.EDEB217D@fuckoff.com>
Source record: 149429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

no matter what I will never dump bill cheeks he gives my boyfriend great
blow jobs
and my boyfriend likes the way bill uses his tounge.

bill pays me better than any of my other customers from Hollywood and
Vine!!!!!!!!!!!!

tvine@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Whats up? Wheres Cheeks. Did he get
> dumped from this group somehow?
> Ever since word came out of his dismissal
> from the mailing list he aint said boo.
> Whats up with that?
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

598. Leave Bill Cheeks alone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JANE DOW <JANE@fuckoff.com>
Message-ID: <35C6CF1A.55797592@fuckoff.com>
Source record: 149430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I am a working girl on Hollywood & Vine in LA.Bill Cheeks comes up here
all the time
from San Diego to hire me & my boyfriend to service him.Bill is a nice
guy who
pays us well. Cheeks really likes to play cowboy with my boyfriend and
pretend he
is raping my boyfriend.Leave Cheeks alone, he is a nice man.

599. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JANE DOW <JANE@fuckoff.com>
Message-ID: <35C6D0A3.E3F86729@fuckoff.com>
Source record: 149431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey cowboy bill,

you forgot your bra and panties and girdle at my apartment this last weekend.

come on back my boyfriend likes the way you use your tounge on him!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Overheard on Portland's tavern scene:
> ==========
>
> For a long time, Suzy had a fantasy of being
> with the infamous John Mackey. One night in
> a bar, she met Mackey in person and figured,
> what the crap, she'd go for it.
>
> So Suzy asked the Mackaroon to come home with her.
> When the two got to her apartment, Suzy told
> Mackey about her fantasy, and asked if he would
> be a part of it.
>
> Well, Smacksie agreed, so the two headed for
> the bedroom. Suzy said, "OK, first, I want you to
> undress me and tie me to the bed!" So Mackey did it.
>
> By this time, Suzy was worked up into a passionate
> frenzy. She looked up at the Mindless One and said,
> "Now, big boy, do what you do best!"
>
> So ol' Mack the Wack ransacked her apartment and
> skeedaddled with the VCR, money, silverware, and
> Suzy's best and sheerest negligees.

600. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Martin <pmartin@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6q78qo$4ct$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 149432
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

I agree. Polyphaser's book is very enlightening (no pun intended). Every ham should read their book. It will completely change the way you think about lightning protection and can save your property and maybe your life. Call them. They sent me the book free.

601. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c7253d.44930503@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149433
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 22:06:57 -0400, Ed Schick <schick@#us.ibm.com> wrote:
>The general, the
>theory
>behind lightning protection is to discharge the ground to the air before a
>sufficient charge builds up to cause a lightning strike, and that is
>typically
>done by a lightning rod system.

NO! Lightning rods don't prevent lightning strikes. The purpose of the lightning rod is to become the preferred *target* of lightning strikes. Since it is engineered to safely handle the discharge, it protects other structures nearby from being struck by offering itself as the preferred strike target. This has been well understood since Franklin invented the lightning rod some 200 years ago.

There is *no way* to bleed off charge rapidly enough to prevent a strike. Anyone selling methods to do that is selling snake oil. All that you can do is provide an engineered path for the discharge. That's what lightning rods do.

To prevent a strike, you'd need to exchange about 20 coulombs of charge without any discharger exceeding 20 microamps. (If you exceed 20 microamps, the point breaks into streamer formation and becomes a preferred lightning target.) Every few seconds, the storm winds bring another 20 coulombs over your site, so you don't have long to discharge it. That means you would need hundreds of thousands of discharge points, and each has to have its electric field controlled so that it doesn't break into streamer formation. That's not feasible to do in practice. Brush dischargers and "barbed wire" dischargers actually promote lightning strikes, and they usually aren't engineered to safely conduct the 18,000 ampere strike currents to Earth, so they often do more harm than good.

(The idea that you can form a "space charge" around a structure to protect it from strikes is also a myth. Simply consider the storm winds. They'll blow away any such space charge faster than it can be formed.)

A lightning rod is engineered to promote streamer formation (it has a single sharp point which will flow much more than 20 microamps in the presence of lightning potential). And it is engineered to safely conduct the strike current to Earth. Since it is *designed* to be the most heavily streaming object in the area, it becomes the preferred target for strikes. So

other objects in the area, which aren't engineered to tolerate
strike currents, aren't subjected to them.

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602. Updated Review on ICOM-Q7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <6q78heuok1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 149434
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I have updated the review on my web page on the "ICOM IC-Q7A".
at:
www.ticon.net/~davez

thanks davez

603. FS:800MHZ Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <35C728E1.FEDA3431@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 149435
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Turn your regular scanner that covers 400mhz and above, including new scanners that don't get the 800-900mhz range, into one that receives full range coverage. Directly plugs into the antenna connection in the back of your scanner, add 12vdc or wall adapter and your set. $75.00
Ron

604. Another Mackey Hallucination

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080415424800.LAA20756@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149436

John "Somebody Help Me 'They' Are Out To Get Me" MAckey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Then it took you to gang up with all
>your buddies to match me. You & the rest of them are afraid to
>take me on alone, you will only do it if you know you'll have
>the other's support.

Another falsehood from Mackey, Prince of Fibs.

A number of people have questioned your
lies, forgeries, bombs and misinformation.
The fact that more than one person recognizes
you for the buffoon that you are doesn't mean
those people are in league with one another.
Of course, just because you're paranoid doesn't
mean they're NOT out to get you!

605. Another Mackey Miracle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080415425000.LAA20762@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149437

John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> claims:

>You THOUGHT you had found my father but
>it actually was ME!

Not only is he the one beside himself in
photographs, he is his own father.

606. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080415425100.LAA26106@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149438

w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com (Ben) writes:

>Anyone know of one that isn't all stupid flame??
>
>Ben

Well, Ben, I just looked at the past 24 hours and
found 78 threads containing 127 messages having
to do with various aspects of scanning in this group.

I don't know what you consider "all stupid flame", but
I read those messages and didn't find anything
stupid or that resembled a flame.

Now I realize you probably didn't want a serious
answer to your question, but there it is anyway.

Regards,
Dave

607. Another Mackey Gigglefest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080415425200.LAA26111@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149439

Major John Mackey of the Commode Corps, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>heheheehehehehhe, LAUGHS ARE ON YOU!!!
>I'm too tall for military service so I have never been in the military!
>

Also too stupid, and goes "heehee" way too much.

608. Re: Alinco DJ-X10T: Missing battery holder & other problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35C73325.7A55C434@ibm.net>
Source record: 149440
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mike NO UCE Schuster wrote:
> Well, I was surprised to find only continuity on one pin. Then I realized
> that, though the cable and phone plug were molded, the DB9 was a hand
> assembled custom job. So I opened it up (screws REAL tight, plastic halves
> almost feeling glued shut) enough to see a miniature PC board filled with
> surface mount components.
>
> So I was wrong - my apologies - there IS a level converter in this thingie
> and it's not just a simple wiring job.

Thanks for the details Mike!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.strongsignals.net/
New Scanner User FAQ http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm
Scanning USA Columnist

609. Web Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Adair <barry.adair@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <IpGx1.889$gI.687396@typhoon02.swbell.net>
Source record: 149441
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have added a members forum on the ScanFan newsletter page,
http://www.crosswinds.net/fort-worth/~scanfan , to post message to others.

610. Icom Q7A For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: twiggins@gte.net
Message-ID: <6q7dnu$si0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Howdy.
I have an Icom Q7A for sale. It was purchased about 1 month ago at HRO in Sunnyvale. It has the Yaesu earpiece, 4 1400Mah batteries, and the MaHa charger. The total price on all this stuff (and the outrageous CA tax) was ~$250. I'd like $175 for it plus $10 to ship it to you COD.

The radio is mint, has box, manual, warranty card, receipt, etc.

Cheers,

Tom Wiggins
N6OEF
Stanford, CA

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

611. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex623D.L5v@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149443

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> MAlexder wrote:
> > Yeah, I do. The question is, does he want to hear from you? Tell you what, I
> > drop him a note introducing you and describing for him all of the antics that
> > you regularly engage in here. I'm sure he'll be quite anxious and pleased to
>
> Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!

Bill?? How did you get to that?? Your original message was about
contacting Peter Laws, not Bill. You *certainly* know how to contact Bill
by now, don't you?

612. Re: T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Timothy J. Phelps" <noctrnal@micron.net>
Message-ID: <6q7dkd$328$1@news01.micron.net>
Source record: 149444

Its not illegal to recieve cordless phone calls, but its illegal to divulde the information to anyone not privey to the original conversation.

I sure most of you already knew that.

Tim

613. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Timothy J. Phelps" <noctrnal@micron.net>
Message-ID: <6q7dd1$2t4$1@news01.micron.net>
Source record: 149445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I worked for Radio Shack for almost 4 years and yes most of them are Uniden Scanners. The way it works is that a buyer in corporate will order what ever Uniden has the most models off, and then slap on a Radio Shack case. If you ever wonder which scanner you have, open it up...The main processing chip will say the original manufacturer

614. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckie@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-mnHKd8Kwhzyt@localhost>
Source record: 149446
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 30 Jul 1998 15:14:12, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister) wrote:

• http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.htm

That should have been:

>http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html <--- don't forget the "L" at the end!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

615. Re: RS Discone, TX on 6M?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dk3410@HOTMAIL.COM
Message-ID: <6q7e5m$m38@niven.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 149447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.scanner

Hello Steve,

>I've owned an old RS discone w/o the low band whip for several years and
>just bought a new model to put up at my new house. Does this antenna work
>well for TX'ing on 6M? I imagine it should do fine on 2m, 1.25m, 70cm, 33cm
>and 23cm, but I've heard mixed reviews on 6m.

You really should check SWR for each descrete Fq. you use, if you must use a
discone for Tx.
>Does the low band whip help on 42 MHz (CHP, highway patrol here in CA)
>frequencies?

Should

>My other option is to pickup a 6m/2m/70cm tri-band omni from Comet or Diamond,
>but then I can't TX on 1.25m, 33cm, or 23cm.
>
Your best option.
Ed

616. Work at your hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brown <radiobil@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6q7f2e$ke5@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 149448

Houston Texas: Two-way radio shop is looking for an installer to install two-way radios and scanners. We will train. Starting pay $7 to $10 per hour +.

617. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access4.digex.net
Message-ID: <6q7f9o$hek@access4.digex.net>
Source record: 149449

In article <19980804154251 00.LAA26106@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
K4CC <k4cc@aol.com> wrote:

>Well, Ben, I just looked at the past 24 hours and
>found 78 threads containing 127 messages having
>to do with various aspects of scanning in this group.
[snip]

I haven't tried counting good vs flame, but I've noticed that the genuine scanning threads tend to remain straight. That makes it very easy to avoid the junk. Unlike some other groups, where the flame du jour can pop up in any thread at any time.

With a threading news reader at hand (or at finger) this is still a very high content group.

Ken Plotkin

618. Re: T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980804171311100.NAA01110@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149450

"Timothy J. Phelps" <noctrnal@micron.net> writes:

>Its not illegal to recieve cordless phone calls, but its illegal to divulde
>the information to anyone not privey to the original conversation.

Cordless phones were added to the "no-no" list
in 1994. The "do not divulge" regulation applies to all
radio comms except broadcast, Amateur and
Citizens Band.

Best regards,
Dave

619. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicholas R Kennedy <nkennedy@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <35C744A8.1494A4D3@cswnet.com>
Source record: 149451
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

Gary Coffman wrote:

> There is *no way* to bleed off charge rapidly enough to prevent a
> strike. Anyone selling methods to do that is selling snake oil.

Yeah. At the plant where I work, a vendor was trying to sell a protection system using devices we called "spiny balls" to bleed off charge. We rejected them but a desperate sister plant had them installed. The sister plant was knocked off line by lightning after the installation. The vendor said they needed more spiny balls, which they bought and had installed. Boom, they were knocked off line again by lightning. Then they hardened the system causing the trips and haven't had much trouble since.

The presentation for the spiny balls included a lot of arm waving and voodoo, but the company had an impressive list of allegedly satisfied users including NASA and military installations.

A rival consultant said the spiny ball technique was about as effective as the medeival custom of ringing the church bells to ward off lightning. I suspect that's about right.

Nick, WA5BDU

620. Re: Alinco DJ-X10T: Missing battery holder & other problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6q7foj$i6@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 149452
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35C73325.7A55C434@ibm.net>, Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net> wrote:
>Mike NO UCE Schuster wrote:
>> Well, I was surprised to find only continuity on one pin. Then I realized
>> that, though the cable and phone plug were molded, the DB9 was a hand
>> assembled custom job. So I opened it up (screws REAL tight, plastic halves
>> almost feeling glued shut) enough to see a miniature PC board filled with
>> surface mount components.
>>
>> So I was wrong - my apologies - there IS a level converter in this thingie
>> and it's not just a simple wiring job.
>
>Thanks for the details Mike!
>

By the way there is a schematic for the interface on the VX-1 mods page:

http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd

The scanner end of the cable is different as the VX-1 uses a 4-conductor
phone plug. The stock ADMS programming cable comes with an adaptor that
converts the 3-pin wiring to 4-pin. What I did was to put a 3.5 to 2.5 mm
adaptor on the ***STOCK*** cable (without the VX-1 adaptor) and it worked
fine.

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Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

621. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35c74013.322420828@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 149453

Your entire statement is incorrect. The tower freq. at my airport is
118.7. The 108 to 117.95 is used for navigation facilites.

You need to do your homework a little better.
On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:00:03 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>That is correct. Many airports use the lower end of the aircraft band, about
>118 to 120 for each of their runways. 108 to 118 is used mainly for aircraft
>tracking, and above 120 is tower to aircraft (and vice versa) communication.

622. Aviation Logs and Radar View - Gander/Shanwick/Santa Maria

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Brandao <l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980804180849.15921s-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 149454

Hello

Here are some logs made in S.Miguel Island, Azores, about 80NM
North of Santa Maria Island where Santa Maria Oceanic Center is.
With binoculars its possible to see Santa Maria airport approach
lights!
Excellent signals even with the maximum attenuation of the radio
turned on.
Very fine also to try to see some flights flying over my
location...normally to Paramaribo or Cayenne but not always.
Take a look at the airspace radar view when the log was made:

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lakes/9420/shotex8.gif

Hope you enjoy the logs and the shot.
Greeting from the center of the Atlantic!

Best regards, Andre Brandao

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/ /\ AirNav 2.10 ) - http://fly.to/airnav
\__/ File generated by the Aircraft Tracking Software
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LOG FILE STARTING AT 0148 03 AUG 98 UTC

UTC Freq(KHz) Callsign Report
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0149Z 5616 NWA68 56N40W/0149 F370 56N30W/0224 56N20W/
0150Z 5616 DAL22 SDLCK
0154Z 5616 COA36 54N30W/0153 F350 54N20W/0228 54N15W/ U74.4
SCMBF
0154Z 5616 DAL72 54N30W/0153 F350 54N20W/0228 54N15W/ SCDBS
0201Z 5616 DAL132 52N30W/0201 F330 52N20W/0240 52N15W/ U79.0
0215Z 5616 ACA870 52N40W/0214 F340 52N30W/0250 52N20W/
0204Z 5616 UAL970 52N30W/0203 F350 52N20W/0243 52N15W/ U48.3
0208Z 5616 UAL950 54N40W/0207 F350 55N30W/0241 55N20W/ U48.3
0209Z 5616 NWA50 54N30W/0208 F330 54N20W/0245 54N15W/
0206Z 5616 DAL120 52N30W/0205 F340 52N20W/0249 52N15W/
0212Z 5616 DAL30 53N40W/0211 F370 54N20W/0248 54N20W/
0207Z 5616 AAL70 52N30W/0206 F360 52N20W/0245 52N15W/ U44.8
0208Z 5616 NLA056 46N20W/0204 F270 46N15W/0237 HIDRA/
0210Z 5616 UAL916 53N30W/0209 F370 53N20W/0245 53N15W/ U46.6
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0236Z 6628 SAA202 28N40W/0235 F330 25N35W/0310 ULTEM/ GAMBA/
SCQBR
0248Z 5598 TWA904 49N40W/0247 F370 49N30W/0332 48N20W/ U47.5
0249Z 5598 AOM302F 45N3251W/0249 F350 46N30W/0506 SCHBL
0249Z 5598 KLM776 F390
0252Z 5598 IBE6250 50N30W/0251 F310 49N20W/0334 45N10W/ SHLBD
0254Z 5598 CFG235 50N30W/0253 F350 50N20W/0336
0254Z 5598 TAP317 F370
0256Z 5598 KLM713 45N16W/0255 F370 OMOKO/0332
0257Z 5598 BBB091 50N20W/0257 53N15W/0315
0300Z 5598 CKT74 45N30W/0259 F340 48N20W/0350 OMOKO/
0303Z 5598 BBB185 52N30W/0302 F330 52N20W/0341 52N15W/
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0307Z 5598 LIB800 41N40W/0306 F330 44N30W/0403 45N20W/ SBEAK
0308Z 5598 TWA885 MUDOS/0422 F350 M080
0313Z 6628 TAP181 39N20W/0312 F390 CP/

Report: F+Flight_Level S+SELCAL M+Mach U+Fuel W+Weather Q+Frequency
R+Registration T+Aircraft_Type A+Airports C+Company
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623. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35c8413e.322719337@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 149455

I don't believe you. You need to ask Greg Knox to give you the
complete Regs on this matter so you can read and understand .
You only have half the story.

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 13:32:59 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>No, 1 and 3 ARE correct. I am in the process of taking flight lessons - I am
>sure you are not. I've been learning how both single civilian aircraft and
>passenger jets are used with IFR / MVFR rules.
>
>Item #1: Aircraft DO NOT always operate under IFR flight rules. They DO,
>however, operate IFR about 98% of the time. Practically, "always" would be
>correct. Technically (when dealing with aircraft, technical corrections are
>required), IFR is not the condition at all times.
>
>Item #3: If the airline's rules regarding use of receivers IN FLIGHT (only
>at cruise) are stated plainly in a magazine, booklet, brochure, on-board
>flight magazine, etc, PERMISSION IS NOT REQUIRED.
>
>Don't believe me about either of these? Ask Gregory Knox (in this newsgroup,
>developed the Trunk Tracker technology) -- he is a pilot for Delta Airlines,
>with whom I've flown four times and have read Delta's Sky magazine, which
>says clearly, receivers may be used during cruise flight.

624. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <35C7478C.474024BD@teleport.com>
Source record: 149456
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

Gary Coffman wrote:
> . . .
> The problem with that for RF grounding is that the
> skin effect of the Earth won't let RF reach down that
> deep in most soils. As noted earlier, the skin depth
> for clay soil at 3.5 MHz is about 3 feet (and will be
> shallower for higher frequencies). Any deeper
> than that does nothing as far as RF is concerned.
> The skin effect of the Earth won't let RF currents
> propagate down there. (Note, dry sandy soil is
> the worst case in the other direction, with the skin
> depth as much as 15 feet in some cases.)
> . . .

It's even deeper than this. At 3.5 MHz, the skin depth in "average" ground (5 mS/m conductivity) is about 12.5 feet. I estimate that my clay soil varies from "poor" (2 mS/m) in the summer when it's dry, to "very good" (30 mS/m) when soaking wet in the winter. The skin depths in these soils at 3.5 MHz are 19.7 and 5.1 feet, respectively.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

625. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080417412000.NAA04573@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149457

kplotkin@access4.digex.net (Ken Plotkin) writes:
>With a threading news reader at hand (or at finger) this is still a very
>high content group.

Ken,
Out of 109 threads, 31 were off topic
which, if my calculator is correct, is 28%. That means
72% were on-topic. I don't know how that compares
to other groups, but if the off-topic posts are being
filtered or manually skipped by thread, the numbers
don't mean a thing. I believe the salient point is that there
is plenty of good info here for anyone who wants it.
Best regards,
Dave

626. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080417460200.NAA10457@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149458

>From: k4cc@aol.com (K4CC)

>I believe the salient point is that there
>is plenty of good info here for anyone who wants it.

Ever notice that the ones who complain, never seem to post any worthwhile info?

627. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35C749AB.48601F09@erols.com>
Source record: 149459
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

Gary, how about a portable lightning rod? Everyone knows lightning never strikes twice in the same spot so you put out the rod, take your one strike and then move the rod to the next location :) Sounds like a good business venture to me and it would be a lot cheaper than the towers and barbed wire some of our Government agencies are buying.

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 22:06:57 -0400, Ed Schick <schick@#us.ibm.com> wrote:
> >The general, the
> >theory
> >behind lightning protection is to discharge the ground to the air before a
> >sufficient charge builds up to cause a lightning strike, and that is
> >typically
> >done by a lightning rod system.
>
> NO! Lightning rods don't prevent lightning strikes. The purpose of the
> lightning rod is to become the preferred *target* of lightning strikes.
> Since it is engineered to safely handle the discharge, it protects other
> structures nearby from being struck by offering itself as the preferred
> strike target. This has been well understood since Franklin invented
> the lightning rod some 200 years ago.
>
> There is *no way* to bleed off charge rapidly enough to prevent a
> strike. Anyone selling methods to do that is selling snake oil. All
> that you can do is provide an engineered path for the discharge.
> That's what lightning rods do.
>
> To prevent a strike, you'd need to exchange about 20 coulombs of
> charge without any discharger exceeding 20 microamps. (If you
> exceed 20 microamps, the point breaks into streamer formation
> and becomes a preferred lightning target.) Every few seconds,
> the storm winds bring another 20 coulombs over your site, so
> you don't have long to discharge it. That means you would need
> hundreds of thousands of discharge points, and each has to
> have its electric field controlled so that it doesn't break into
> streamer formation. That's not feasible to do in practice. Brush
> dischargers and "barbed wire" dischargers actually promote
> lightning strikes, and they usually aren't engineered to safely
> conduct the 18,000 ampere strike currents to Earth, so they
> often do more harm than good.
>
> (The idea that you can form a "space charge" around a structure
> to protect it from strikes is also a myth. Simply consider the storm

> winds. They'll blow away any such space charge faster than it
> can be formed.)
>
> A lightning rod is engineered to promote streamer formation
> (it has a single sharp point which will flow much more than
> 20 microamps in the presence of lightning potential). And it
> is engineered to safely conduct the strike current to Earth.
> Since it is *designed* to be the most heavily streaming object
> in the area, it becomes the preferred target for strikes. So
> other objects in the area, which aren't engineered to tolerate
> strike currents, aren't subjected to them.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

628. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#NgI1G9v9GA.317@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149460

I was talking about HERE, jerk.

You must not be able to read very well. I said "MAINLY" and "MANY" -- not
"ALWAYS" and "ALL".
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

PakRat wrote in message <35c74013.322420828@news.altopia.com>...
>Your entire statement is incorrect. The tower freq. at my airport is
>118.7. The 108 to 117.95 is used for navigation facilites.
>
>You need to do your homework a little better.

>
>>That is correct. Many airports use the lower end of the aircraft band,
about
>>118 to 120 for each of their runways. 108 to 118 is used mainly for
aircraft
>>tracking, and above 120 is tower to aircraft (and vice versa)
communication.

629. CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <f16_9808041100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149461

Hey prick, you've been called a liar by FidoNet R10C.

She says Bill Cheeks was never made to leave Fido.

Are you going to deny that charge and back up your
own statement with some facts, or just let everyone
know for sure now that you're a boldfaced liar?

Come on........put up or shut up forever.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

630. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080418191200.OAA14649@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149462

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) writes:

>Ever notice that the ones who complain, never seem to post any worthwhile
>info?

Well, I don't mind lurkers per se. I do
find it amazing that some of them seem
incapable of choosing which posts might
interest them and which wouldn't. When
they jump up and start whining about being
forced to read off-topic posts, they lose me.

Dave

631. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6q7mkg$li5@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 149463

Greg Knox wrote in message <35c6951f.640577@news.mindspring.com>...
>On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 16:57:41 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
>>
>>The only problem is if a radio will display a different ID just because I
>>change the scanner setting, my process will not work. I am wondering if
the
>>scanner interprets the data differently if it is expecting it to be
>>different, or will the IDs remain constant regardless of the block size
that
>>I set? Help!
>
>Your suspicions are correct. If you change the size code you will
>change the ID displayed.
>
>Greg Knox
>

So am I left to just extensive trial and error?

The system has 10 channels. It was one of the first trunked systems installed in the early 80's. They started with 5 channels and a few years later added 5 more, but there is still just one control channel. I have no idea when Motorola introduced type II systems, or if they could have upgraded their system along the way. I know they have thousands of radios in use.

- My assumption is that since I get some of the traffic in default mode (Type II), but not all of it, that it must be a hybrid system. Is that a safe assumption, or will a "type 1 only" system also get picked up by the BC895 in type II mode? How can I tell for sure if it is a hybrid or type 1?

- Is the only way to determine block size to listen to see if I am missing any traffic? I can compare traffic on a conventional 800Mhz scanner so it is easy to tell, but there may be less used fleets or sub fleets that would take forever to determine if I was missing their traffic. Then, if I find out 3 months later that my block sizes were set wrong, all the IDs I had documented would no longer be correct. Is there a better way?

- Also, after listening for a while (I've only had it one day), some blocks never show up. I have seen 0,1,4,6, and 7 but none of the others. Does that indicate anything (like a S-12 type setting that takes up more than one block), or are they just not being used?

...and by the way, Greg, thanks for making this technology available to the public! Did Motorola ever come after you?

Brett - N7OLQ

632. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Schick <schick@#us.ibm.com>
Message-ID: <35c75a5d.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 149464
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

I agree with principles you mentioned, except the following:
"This has been well understood since Franklin invented
the lightning rod some 200 years ago."

Well understood??
Not hardly. But aside from that, lightning rods DO prevent
lightning strikes, exactly as you mentioned. They provide
a good (in relation to what they are protecting) discharge
path, thus preventing the strike from hitting the protected
thing (assumedly, your house/building). Instead, the strike
is between the rod and the sky. BUT - your way of
stating this is better than mine. The gist of what you are
saying, as I see it, is that lightning rods cause lightning
strikes to the "preferred target" (ie the rods) rather than
to the thing being protected.

The discharge will occur earlier in the "charge cycle"
from a pointed object than from a blunt object, all other
conditions being equal. Thus lightning rods become the
preferred target, as you mentioned.

Ed

Gary Coffman wrote:

> NO! Lightning rods don't prevent lightning strikes. The purpose of the
> lightning rod is to become the preferred *target* of lightning strikes.
> Since it is engineered to safely handle the discharge, it protects other
> structures nearby from being struck by offering itself as the preferred
> strike target. This has been well understood since Franklin invented
> the lightning rod some 200 years ago.
> ...
> Since it is *designed* to be the most heavily streaming object
> in the area, it becomes the preferred target for strikes. So
> other objects in the area, which aren't engineered to tolerate
> strike currents, aren't subjected to them.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

633. Twin Cities Intl Airport freqs wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: djbond@citilink.com
Message-ID: <35c76486.50750@news.citilink.com>
Source record: 149465

TIA
--

00dj

634. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080420022800.QAA27472@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149466

>From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri)

>Would you estimate the ratio of your off / on topic posts for us?
>Honestly? I know what mine is.
>I dont think you will do this, Malexander. But please, give it a shot.

Why is that relevant? What is your ratio? I don't track mine and could guess accurately, even if I wanted to. I post some on-topic stuff and some off-topic stuff. So what?

635. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wen-king@myri.com
Message-ID: <6q7pgi$mk4@neptune.myri.com>
Source record: 149467
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

In a previous article Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com> writes:
:
;Gary, how about a portable lightning rod? Everyone knows lightning never
:strikes twice in the same spot so you put out the rod, take your one strike and
;then move the rod to the next location :) Sounds like a good business venture
:to me and it would be a lot cheaper than the towers and barbed wire some of our
;Government agencies are buying.

Reminds me of an old Benny Hill's joke: The chances that there is a bomb
on a plane is a million to one [in favor against there being a bomb].
The chances that there is two bombs on a plane is therefore a million
times a million to one. Next time you take a plane, cut down the risk
-- always take a bomb.

636. What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35c969f5.1372542281@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 149468
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Before buying this or something like the ICOM R8500, I would like to hear from people with (preferably) first hand experience using the AOR 5000. Besides a steep learning curve and a somewhat difficult user interface (and relay noise when switching bands/etc), what do you dislike about the unit? Has someone here bought an AOR 5000 only to turn around and sell it and get something else? If so, why? I've got the Dec 1996 Monitoring Times back issue on the way from Grove (contains a review of the 5000)... Any input from owners / users would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Jeff Adams

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
==

637. Re: Twin Cities Intl Airport freqs wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6q7qto$g4o@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149469

If you want the airport police frequency, channel 1 is 460.475.

You may want to check out Ed Walsh's Minnesota Monitoring Page at
http://home.att.net/~emw-1/ and you'll find Northwest's frequencies
(trunked).

Let me know if you need more.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

djbond@citilink.com wrote in message <35c76486.50750@news.citilink.com>...
>TIA
>--
>
>00dj

638. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex6K6C.LF@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149470

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
>
>
> Bill's very own words!!!!!!1

So..? He also explained what happened.

When are you going to present proof of your degree(s)?? As if you have one...

639. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q5up2biv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149471

In article <35C617A4.1343@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > You just have your buddy Roger do it for you.
>
> Then that means I didn't do it if someone else did!
>
> > And as far as knowing what to do he is under invstigation.
>
> Go for it!
>

Having him do it for you makes you as guilty as he is .

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

640. Re: For Sale pro 2041 Base scanner 400ch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Adair <barry.adair@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6q626s$g4d@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149472

Better check Radio Shacks price on this one
orbitone@worldnet.att.net wrote in message
<35c6c10e.776981@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...
>selling a brand new radio shack pro 2041 base scanner has 400 ch
>like new with box and manual ,ant... 800 mhz... $130.00 plus shipping
>I am in so cal.....

641. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q64ie$51n$0@207.18.224.88>
Source record: 149473

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 19:43:10 GMT, John Mackey - KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> No proof at all. This just means, until recently, you have never
>> been caught.
>
>Well Blake I am still an active VE with the ARRL who says you
>are wrong. Interesting, in my phone cals with them they
>state they are very familar with you in the Official Observer
>branch due to the numerous warnings you have been sent, according
>to what I heard!
>

They do? Heck, I have not gotten any mail on this! None!

Pretty interesting. I am not on the air but about once every 2-3
weeks. Usually to talk to my wife. Guess I am about to
be caught!

Of course, you don't have any contact that I can use
to prove this, now do you?

642. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q64ml$51n$1@207.18.224.88>
Source record: 149474

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 19:48:37 GMT, John Mackey - KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>
>> John, this is just the rumors I heard. I even have
>
>No, it is the rumor/lie you started!
>

No, and according to others, they have seen the same
rumors on other newsgroups, ones that I don't even
get!

>According to the ARRL, you are wrong. I am still listed
>as an active VE!

Well of course! Just like I am saying, you are innocent,
until they prove the charges against you!

643. Uniden BC200xlt For Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sp33d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <35c69e11.13146002@news.thegrid.net>
Source record: 149475
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Uniden BC200xlt For Sale! With full cell coverage, ac adapter/charger, antenna.

$185. OBO

Price does not including shipping. If you are local to Los Angeles, you may pick up. Please email if interested, thanks

644. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080405121300.BAA19074@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149476

Thank's everyone.
I appreciate your help.

645. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C69BC2.6AC@parg.org>
Source record: 149477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Eddie Fernandes wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
SNIP

> What does this have to do with scanners?

As usual, this post of Bill's has nothing to do with the good of
scanning!

646. Allsafe makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C69C04.7BE8@parg.org>
Source record: 149478

allsafe wrote:
> Mackey did a stint as a sailor after high school. Anyhoo, he got

heheheehehehehhe, LAUGHS ARE ON YOU!!!
I'm too tall for military service so I have never been in the military!

647. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C69D88.18CE@parg.org>
Source record: 149479

MAlexder wrote:
> agenda is well documented and reinforced by your numerous daily, off-topic
> flames.

Like YOURS?

648. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A003.4179@parg.org>
Source record: 149480

Bill Cheek wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!

> I told Peetie Boe I'd
> give him Peetie Laws' e-mail address if

Bill, I was talking to MAlexder in regards to an action of HIS
& YOU respond!!!!!!! Are you & MAlexder the same? (we always knew
you had an AOL account, now we know your ID!)

> Just the fact that my e-mailer uses RRQ's,
> which Peetie Laws and his green weenie
> boys didn't like. So what?

You could have but that feature off but you didn't.
(You could have even used different software) But you
decided to continue to use the RRQ feature trying to use the
thin excuse that it was a part of your server. But
others saw thru your lies & held you accountable. RRQ's
are considered poor etiquite on mail lists & you know better.
You wanted to use it to know when people were online & what
address/system they were using. A clear cut violation of the
terms of use for that system.

> You know me,
> Smacksie....I told 'em all they could eat
> my crusty skivvies.......

YUP, I believe very well you would say that!
I've got the postcard you sent me 2 years ago, remember?
(would you like me to post the scanned image if it again?)

> Haven't YOU ever been booted off a forum
> before?

Bill you know the answer to that! Yes I was booted from
ONE forum by YOU! Which far excelled by YOUR track record!
Lets see, how many different Fido echos were you booted from
or not allowed onto? How many e-mail lists were you booted
from or not allowed onto?

649. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A15B.29D0@parg.org>
Source record: 149481

Bill Cheek wrote:

> I got me a minister's license many years
> ago for $20. But that's different.....

Was that BEFORE or AFTER your Colorado wife ran off with
a minsiter & YOU turned GAY!!! (according to the witness
Clarence Green)!!!!!

650. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A24A.6874@parg.org>
Source record: 149482

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Nope. That was your Pop. And he didn't

Wrong Bill!

IT WAS ME!!!!! You THOUGHT you had found my father but
it actually was ME! You were desperately asking, BEGGING,
for my e-mail address. You claimed to be an old friend of
mine.

I told you your name sounded familar & asked if you ever served in
the army - Korean War era & you denied it!

hehehehehehehehohohohohohohoho, OH GOD that is FUNNY! I forgot all
about that!! It must have happened late summer or
fall 1996.

651. Cedar Hill or Dallas Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: xmrdx316x@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980804061103 00.CAA24938@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149483

I was wondering if anyone had any freq. for Cedar Hill or Dallas Area.

Brandon Myers
XMrDx316X@aol.com

652. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A467.2981@parg.org>
Source record: 149484

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Another mackey lie , he is a VE and denying it further proves him to be the
> type of person who would makeup a story to ruin someones life. To see the

I NEVER said I was not a VE. I said I was not a VEC, as Blake Bowels
& others had stated I was. There is a BIG difference between the two!
Blake
said there was a problem with my VEC activities & credential, but I am
NOT
a VEC & have never been one. For the record, I am a VE. (I supposd now
Blake & others this adjust their story to say them meant to discuss
my VE status & NOT discuss me being a VEC)

> truth that mackey is a VE go to this site ,http://www.parg.org/testing.html

Thanks for the free advertising!

653. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A625.7C4A@parg.org>
Source record: 149485

sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Hey, Johnny Bluejeans, your posts show a parg.org message ID
> in the headers but you claim that you can't post from there.

With most internet software for mail & news, you can put just about any
e-mail address you want. I am on MCI, but I always use wither my
USA.NET address or
PARG address.

654. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A58C.20CD@parg.org>
Source record: 149486

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Having him do it for you makes you as guilty as he is .

So since I am not having anyone do anything for me then
I am innocent, THANKS!

655. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6AA6C.666A@parg.org>
Source record: 149487

Bill Cheek wrote:
> But I do I laugh at you.........

Bill, that is probably best as laughter is your only
defense.

656. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6AB7C.257F@parg.org>
Source record: 149488

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> I'm mentally exhausting and never noticed that I never said I polled
> this newsgroup. I never said your data was flawed

I see. thanks!

> > According to the FCC their database for the commercial licenses
> > goes back to 1984.
>
> You have no clue *when* Cheek held his commercial license, so,
> once again, your logic (like you) is flawed.

According to Bill's statements, it is still valid.

> > Bill said he was a current member. By your own statement he
> > is NOT a current member.
>
> According to Mensa rules, all he has to do to be reinstated is pay
> the current dues. He does *not* have to requalify; once qualified,

Regardless, he IS NOT a currrent member as he stated he was.

657. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6ABA8.7C69@parg.org>
Source record: 149489

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Well, all I ever heard him sniveling about
> was his kids'

hehehehehehe, I've never had KIDS Bill!

658. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6A9B6.6FD3@parg.org>
Source record: 149490

Bill Cheek wrote:

> But haven't YOU ever been booted off a
> forum before?

Only once, not nearly as many times as you have been booted off fido
echos
or not allowed to join other forums!

659. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6ACAC.51D@parg.org>
Source record: 149491

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> It *is* and has been a you versus
> Cheek thing

maybe to YOU, not to me.

> The issue here, which you are trying to divert attention from,
> is your lack of degrees.

How do you figure, that wasn't being discussed at all?

> was pointed out so eloquently in another message, you readily
> provide the confirming information about your Commercial FCC
> License while waving it under Cheek's nose.

The FCC license is a matter of public record.

So what's your point?

> I've been contesting your lies and proving you are a liar on my
> own for three years now.

Strange, I've only been on the internet for 2 years & 3 weeks!

Are you saying you knew me before I came to the internet?

660. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6AD02.24D9@parg.org>
Source record: 149492

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Until YOU FOOL provide proof the degree exists, you are branded
> a liar and a fraud. Do you want to prove me wrong? Then put up
> or shut up. Provide the proof.

Does that even apply to all then? (including Cheek)

661. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6AD6D.318F@parg.org>
Source record: 149493

Bill Cheek wrote:

> John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > ..... Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
> > degree for over 2 years.
>
> But I *have*, you freakin tweet! I have

Wrong! When the users of this NG have asked for your degree
info starting with Hugh Duff nearly 3 years ago, you have refused
to give such data.

662. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6ADB1.3B61@parg.org>
Source record: 149494

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> When I was a very young man, I received a piece of advice from
> an old man that has stayed with me through the years. He told

You should get MORE advice from him & follow it!

663. Re: - A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6ADFE.72FD@parg.org>
Source record: 149495

allsafe wrote:

> Just pointing out that everyone seems to dislike you.

I haven't seen you appointed as teh NG spokeswoman, so your
word means nothing!

> Now you wait right here! You're gonna *LOVE* my next post;

Yea, I'm sure you're making up another lie!

664. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C6AE39.5E21@parg.org>
Source record: 149496

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Apparently you do. You care that I've exposed you for the liar
> and fraud that you are. For example, your lie about having a

All you've done is expose your own lies!

665. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mnduckyj@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <mnduckyj-0408980207050001@ip30.minneapolis5.mn.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 149497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <OpTX5#lv9GA.207@upnetnews03>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@att.net> wrote:

> Hmm - if your theory is true, then the PRO-90 will soon be discontinued in
> at least six of the stores here in Minnesota. As of now, the 90 is at
> $199.97 in all of those six in my area.

Ryan, did you check the West St. Paul store? I just bought the PRO-90
today, and it was $199.99... btw, I'll hafta listen for you on 147.21 =)

> Off the subject (kind of) -- does RSU have a case for a Tandy CT-351 cell
> phone, and possibly a holster for a Bravo Express pager ?

Can't help ya there, sorry!

> Regards.
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
> SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
> RySoft Corporation
>
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
> Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Nice Tag ;)

73 de KB0VUM =)

666. Ohio MARCS Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q6c0m$7mg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149498

Ohio's Multi-Agency Radio Communications System (MARCS) is an 800 MHz trunked radio and data network that will serve 14 state agencies including Highway Patrol, Natural Resources, Transportation, Administrative Services, Liquor Control, Taxation, Rehabilitation and Correction, Environmental Protection, State Fire Marshall, Emergency Management, Attorney General, Public Utilities Commission, Youth Services and the Ohio Turnpike Commission. MARCS is estimated to cost approximately $175 million and will provide the following benefits for the citizens and for state/local government:

- Central Dispatching (consolidating 57 OSHP dispatching sites into 2 or 3 central sites) - Computer Aided Dispatch - Mobile Data Computers - Automatic Vehicle Locate - Telephone Interconnect - Multi-agency communications during emergencies (including local sheriff and emergency management agencies) - Full portable coverage in major metropolitan areas and at all state prisons - Portable coverage using mobile extenders in rural areas - Spectrum efficiency - Cost-effective system shared by 14 agencies saving tax dollars - Provides a backbone for future expansion (i.e. telephone, data, video) - Digital technology provides for voice and data encryption - State-of-the-art communications for rural agencies at a fraction of the cost of building their own system

The State has contracted with the quality assurance firm of Buford Goff & Associates, Columbia, South Carolina, who is assisting us in the proposal reviews, contract award, and will be overseeing system construction to ensure compliance with contract specifications. Two vendors, Ericsson-GE and TRW-Motorola, are bidding for the project. Contract award was anticipated by mid-1997. Installation should begin early 1998 to be completed by 2002.

The following are frequencies, and their respective locations, which are being used for system testing and development.

851.0625 - mansfield, richland co; youngstown, mahoning co 851.1625 - findlay, hancock co 851.6875 - loudenville, ashland co 852.0375 - ashtabula, ashtabula co 852.6125 - leavitsburg, trumbull co 853.0875 - norwalk, huron co 853.4125 - massillon, stark co 853.4375 - waldo, marion co 854.9625 - chillocothe, ross co 855.1375 - swanton, fulton co 855.2375 - toledo, lucas co; defiance, defiance co; carey, wyandot co 855.3875 - elmore, ottawa co 855.8375 - akron, summit co 855.9875 - nelsonville, hocking co; colubus, franklin co 856.4375 - cincinnati, hamilton co 856.4875 - greenville, drake co 857.2625 - dayton, montgomery; hillsboro, highland co; lebanon, warren co; celina, mercer co 858.2375 - new castle, cosochton co 858.2625 - batavia, clermont co; wilmington, clinton co; college corner, butler co; piqua, miami co 859.9375 - eaton, preble co 860.4625 - athens, athens co; libson, columbiana co; peoli, tuscarawas co; delaware, delaware co; rarden, scioto co; west union, adams co; saint clairsville, belmont co; zainesville,

muskingum co; lancaster, fairfield co; van wert, van wert co 860.2125 -
beverly, washington co; gallipolis, gallia co; georgetown, brown co;
wintersville, jefferson co; lewisville, monroe co; lima, allen co 860.4625 -
glass, washington co

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

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667. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q67ir$v7t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149499

I finally have had enough with the false stories that John Mackey has
been spreading around on the newsgroups.

I have not posted on the newsgroup before, I am one of the silent people who
read the scanner newsgroup for information. I contacted OBFD and asked him
what the deal was between cheek and mackey on the news group as I was tired
of Cheek myself, he sent the email below to me.

When I declined and said that I did not want to get involved the nasty emails
started, I had to change my service provider because of it.
And I guess they will start over again once this post is read.

Charles H

>From obfd@aol.com Mon Mar 30 13:28:19 1998
>Received: from OBFD@aol.com
> by imo25.mx.aol.com (IMOv13.ems) id PFYa010381
> for <charleshdn@aol.com>; Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 -0500 (EST)
>From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
>Message-ID: <be37d08a.351ebb4e@aol.com>
>Date: Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 EST
>To: charleshdn@aol.com
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Subject: Re: bill cheek
>Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
>Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
>X-Mailer: AOL 3.0 16-bit for Windows sub 58
>
>Bill Cheek kicked John off of the fido net so John has decided that he will do
>the same for Bill on the internet.
>
>John has come up with a sure fire ideal, and since Cheek is not one of your
>favorite people you can help us in getting rid of him once and for all.
>
>John's ideal will do this, he is going to accuse cheek of sexual abuse
>with young boys and this will make people turn against him.
>
>What he needs from you and myself is to back him up on this, don't worry no one
>will find out that John has just made the story up as they will not be able to
>check it out since it is not true.
>
>Just putting this idea in peoples minds will cause them not to want to have
>anything to do with cheek, you know tit for tat.
>
>cheek will not be able to defend himself against this and we will be rid of him

>once and for all.
>
>I for one am hoping you will help and so is John and like I said you don't have
>to worry about someone finding out as there are no real charges and that can't
>be traced .
>
>This will get rid of cheek in a hurry and we really could use your help.
>Take care, Charles, hope to see you around!
>
>

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668. Re: 12 to 9 volt mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q69fg$473$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149500

In article <01bdbf5c$140dff40$2c3c4ad1@godzirra>,
"Squeeze the Weeze" <none@spammer.now> wrote:
> Rat Shack duzzn't have a 9v as a stock item........
> The most common 3-Pin is an LM7808 8v.
> ALSO not available at the shak..............
> --
> -skweezieweezie
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> ` X o'
> -----ooo-0-ooo-----
> ~
>
>
Why not use the LM317T RS# 276-1778 $1.99, it is an adjustable voltage regulator.
It is adjutable from 1.2 volts to 27 volts dc and has a 1.5 amp current rating with a heat sink.
Just use a resistor to control the voltage.

I used one in a Icom Ic-2a HT to operate from a cigarette lighter socket, I had an old BP-5 battery pack that was not any good and converted it to an dc adapter to run it off of 12 volts, also I installed an adjustable potentiometer so I could set the voltage to the proper level when the engine was running. You can leave the pot in or read the resistance and install a fixed resistor in it's place.

Hope this helps.

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669. ** Ham Radio Repeater Location Guides **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamikazi@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6q65lf$q2r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149501

Hello,

Thanks for responding to our News Group Posting. And once again we are excited to introduce the ever popular "Southern California Repeater Location Guides". This Guide is invaulable to each and every ham that is active on VHF/UHF. So what are you waiting for? Please take a look at the on our NEW Web Site located at:

http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

Visit before the end of next month and take advantage of our specials...

Thanks Again,
Jennifer R.
World Express Network
http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

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670. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@domain.com
Message-ID: <email-04089802544600001@dialup15.black-hole.com>
Source record: 149502

In article <35c91cbb.84405506@news.mia.bellsouth.net>,
kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:

> On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:12:19 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >TNC and "N"-type connectors generally work well. BNC and UHF (and mini-UHF)
> >connectors have a considerable amount of loss at this high frequency.
> >
> >I would choose an "N" over TNC, though.
>
>
> Did you just make this up off the top of your head?

Ryan is a know-it-all little twit with nothing better to do. Just do a
dejanews search - he can't shut up!

671. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980804100011100.GAA02240@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149503

The Sultan Of Circular, John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>No, just as your hero Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
>degree for over 2 years.

Another non sequiter. Nobody (except you)
said anything about anyone named Bill. You
were asked to support your claim of a
degree and it was you who responded that
you couldn't do it until this "Bill" showed you
his.

672. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080410185800.GAA02789@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149504

In article <35C6ABA8.7C69@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I've never had KIDS

And the world is a better place for it!

673. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080410185900.GAA02790@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149505

In article <35C615F0.3899@parg.org>, John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
writes:

>> >Hey FOOL, Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service!!!!!

If you weren't quite so busy flaming, name-calling
and writing heehee to cover up your stupidity, you
might know that Juno has two levels of service
beyond the basic freebie, including full internet
service.
I would suggest that you check your facts before
shooting off your mouth, but since you've never done
that before, I wouldn't expect you to start now.

674. Re: PRO 90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sokratys@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35c6963c.115907656@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149506

I am not sure what the going price is on the Bearcat - BUT, the bearcat does come with an extra battery pack and a charger. The sale price at radio shack is still a good deal for that kind of a scanner! (someone on this or the other scanning radio newsgroup said that there are cupons at radio shack you can use with this sale?? I think he said it was another $30 off?? I can't remember).

On the plus side - you can walk right on down to radio shack right now and pick up a Pro-90 (beats waiting on mail order).

I have a pro 90 and this thing is GREAT! I would like the convenience of having an extra battery pack (cause if this one goes out, then I have to order one).

It's a great radio!

-walker

On Wed, 29 Jul 1998 08:52:37 -0500, Dale Long <deafmin@meta3.net> wrote:

>Radio shack has a sell on their PRO 90 Trunktracker, 300 channel
>scanners. Normal price was listed as $299. Sale price is $219. Is
>this a good enough scanner for the sale price? What does the comparable
>Bearcat sell for? Thanks.
>
>Dale

675. AR8000 interface connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zeno.Sloim@milab.se
Message-ID: <6q6mvh$li1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149507

I use my own built interface. I have used a japanese mini-connector HIROSE serial HR10 family:

- HR10A-10R-10P (14.7mm diam. ; 16mm deep ; 10 contacts) mounted inside the AR8000, under the 12V connector.

- HR10A-10P-10P cable connector , assembled on a DB15 cable with a DB25 connector to the other side.

- Hirose protection cover for the connector

I have 10 available contacts:

1,2 = +5V , GND

3,4 = RX , TX

5 = SQuelch

6 = Audio

7,8,9 = baseband signals (NFM ; AM&WFM ; CW&USB&LSB)

It took a little time but it is very compact , elegant and spared ugly holes in the AR8000 case, as I could see on many pages related to AR8000 interfaces. The black anodized aluminium box (sized 8.5cm * 6.5cm * 3.5cm) houses a little board where I mounted the RS232 level converter and a comparator for the baseband signals). Outside are the two DB25 connectors and audio contacts for coupling the audio to an external amp and a little switch to select the baseband sent in the comparator.

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See also : ARC AR8000 homepage --> Adding an extra connector to your AR8000 (http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163/ifinfo.html)

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This page hosted by <Bild> Get your own Free Home Page

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677. Re: PRO 90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickh33923@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080411304900.HAA05523@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149509

PRO90 on sale for 200 at RS in Ohio thru Aug.
I also received a 10% off coupon from Discover Card at RS. That would make one heck of a deal.
However I chose the BC 895. One heck of a rig!

>I am not sure what the going price is on the Bearcat - BUT, the
>bearcat does come with an extra battery pack and a charger. The sale
>price at radio shack is still a good deal for that kind of a scanner!
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>Subject: Re: PRO 90
>Path:
>lobby01.news.aol.com!newstf02.news.aol.com!portc03.blue.aol.com!news.inte

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.net!news-feed.fnsi.net!newsfeed1.earthlink.net!nntp.earthlink.net!not-for-mail
>From: sokratys@earthlink.net (walker)
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>Date: Tue, 04 Aug 1998 09:46:52 GMT
>Organization: EarthLink Network, Inc.
>Lines: 28
>Message-ID: <35c6963c.115907656@news.earthlink.net>
>References: <35BF2925.44D49DC3@meta3.net>
>NNTP-Posting-Host: ip233.triangle-park.nc.pub-ip.psi.net
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.451
>

678. YAESU FRG-9600 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxextent@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080412213800.IAA08355@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149510

I have been loaned the following scanner on a try it / buy it basis:

YAESU UHF/VHF Communications Receiver
MODEL# FRG-9600

Range: 60-905 MHZ (continuous)
Modes, 3dB Bandwidth: FM Narrow (15 khz bw)
FM Wide (180 khz bw)
AM Narrow (2.4 khz bw)
AM Wide (6 khz bw)
SSB (2.4 khz bw)

The specifications go on and on....

It also has the optional video output, which permits the connection of
a video monitor.

I have used it for a while now, and it performs very well. I would guess
it was manufactured before 1990. The person that loaned it to me
produced a receipt from 1990, and he purchased it used.

How much is this radio worth? What would a seasoned veteran offer
for this radio? Is $400.00 too much?

Thanks for any and all responses.

max

679. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c705b8.36860079@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149511
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 00:22:25 -0500, "Tracey-Levin." <tracey12@swbell.net> wrote:
>> >It can be welded or silver soldered or brazed depending on
>> >the material. Welding only really applies to steel or aluminum
>> >conductors, of course, copper has to be hard soldered or
>> >brazed. You aren't allowed to soft solder it.
>
>Can you explain the difference?

Soft solder is the common lead-tin alloy. It is low temperature,
and weak. Hard soldering or brazing is a high temperature process
using a silver or bronze alloy that is strong. That's nearly as good
as true welding. The joint is nearly as strong as the base material.

The idea here is to not create a failure point under the high current
flow of a lightning strike. Soft soldered joints can open under those
currents, brazing and welding won't. (True welding, of course, is
an actual fusion of the base materials, and produces a joint which
is essentially identical to the base material. Steel and aluminum
can be welded, copper needs to be brazed.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

680. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q70o0nmm0@207.18.224.134>
Source record: 149512

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 06:26:00 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>> But haven't YOU ever been booted off a
>> forum before?
>
>Only once, not nearly as many times as you have been booted off fido
>echos
>or not allowed to join other forums!

Only person I know that has a LARGE number of FIDO forums that he
is banned from, or not allowed to join is YOU john!

681. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q712dpcv0@207.18.224.134>
Source record: 149513

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 06:03:21 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>> Another mackey lie , he is a VE and denying it further proves him to be the
>> type of person who would makeup a story to ruin someones life. To see the
>
>I NEVER said I was not a VE. I said I was not a VEC, as Blake Bowels

Ooooh, impressive John. Was your mispelling my name just a standard
juvenile act for you, or was it a measure of your stupidity?

>Blake
>said there was a problem with my VE activities & credential, but I am

Just repeated rumors. I heard some more today about you and
a 8 year old girl, but of course, I will attempt to verify them before
I post anything about them, as you are innocent until proven
guilty.

I of course, will verify them closer then you do other people, such
as when your alter ego Clarence Green makes them up.

Again, any of the rumors about you and an 8 year old girl, should
be considered false, until they are verified, and you are convicted
of such a bastardly, cruel, shameful thing.

682. Where to buy scanners in Niagra Falls Canada?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: krathis@fast.net
Message-ID: <35c80e59.1315059@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 149514
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Will be going to Niagra Falls, Canada next week and am wondering if
there are any scanner/radio stores closeby where I could grab a radio.

Thanks in advance.

683. Re: Discriminator Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ej56JG7v9GA.79@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149515
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

<higher ended radios might>
Ok - I might look into that, or just build one on to my old PRO-2028. I wish
I could modify this one for 800 access, but I am not sure it can be.

<do it yourself!>
That is the truth. However, I just don't want to possibly damage a scanner
and have to buy a new one.

Regards.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Bill Cheek wrote in message <35d178eb.209901552@news2.cts.com>...
>"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>> Are there any scanners that have built-in access to discriminator output?
If
>> not, there should be.
>
>In a round about way, a few of the higher
>ended radios might......
>
>> It would be nice to use this so I don't have to build the data slicer
stuff.
>
>But if you want a job done right, do it
>yourself! You learn more that way.

684. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c70743.37255706@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149516
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Fri, 24 Jul 1998 21:28:30 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:
>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
>> Bill is correct that disturbed soil can take years to return to its native
>> compacted state. Water, and a power tamper, can speed the process.
>> He's wrong about "the deeper the better", however. That's a common
>> myth. Very deep grounds are very little better than shallow grounds for
>> RF and lightning.
>
>I didn't mean to imply "the deeper the better". I
>thought I made it clear that the idea was to get
>into the undisturbed substrate.
>
>Trouble is, this can't be defined exactly. The
>substrate on virgin prairie might be a foot deep.
>In a new development, it might be 6-8 feet down.
>There is no magic formula. So for the hobbyist,
>who can't afford...and doesn't even know about a
>soil analysis, his best bet remains to drive a
>1" dia 10-ft copper water pipe as deep into the
>ground as possible.

The problem with that for RF grounding is that the
skin effect of the Earth won't let RF reach down that
deep in most soils. As noted earlier, the skin depth
for clay soil at 3.5 MHz is about 3 feet (and will be
shallower for higher frequencies). Any deeper
than that does nothing as far as RF is concerned.
The skin effect of the Earth won't let RF currents
propagate down there. (Note, dry sandy soil is
the worst case in the other direction, with the skin
depth as much as 15 feet in some cases.)

>I agree with the rest of your post that implies
>the substrate as one plate of the capacitor. But
>since we don't know where the substrate is for a
>hobbyist's situation, we have to deal in matter-of-
>fact rules of thumb and skip a lot of the theory,
>at the risk of being technically incorrect and
>still get the job done, safely and properly.

The grounding conductors form one plate of the
capacitor, and the effective *surface* of the Earth
forms the other. If the "substrate" is deeper than a

skin depth, it is out of the picture as far as RF grounding is concerned. No RF currents can propagate down there.

Now the effective surface is below the physical surface by, on average, 8 to 24 inches (though in dry sandy soil it can be deeper). So shallow burial always works to your advantage. But deep burial doesn't help you for RF grounding since you're below the skin depth and RF currents can't flow down there.

DC grounding is a different matter. DC can't be capacitively coupled. With DC, we are dealing with coupling to a sheet resistance. To minimize the potential drop, the best solution here is to make contact with as much area of the sheet as possible. A Ufer ground does this (a Ufer ground also provides a large capacitance to Earth, so it is a win-win method). Underground water piping (metallic) does this. Buried radials also do a good job of this.

The NEC says that the made electrode (ground rod) is the grounding method of last resort. Any of the other approved grounding methods will be better, and you only resort to rods when you can't do better.

When you do have to resort to rods, several spaced rods (separate them by twice their length) are better than a single deep rod since that gives more contact points to the sheet resistance of Earth.

(In practice, electricians always include a rod in their systems because it makes the electrical inspector happy, not because it provides a better technical ground. The inspector can look at it, check the little box on his form, and go about his business. With other forms of ground, he really needs to perform a dynamic impedance test to determine if it is done properly.)

The NEC says you can lay your grounding conductors parallel with the Earth if they are at a depth below the frost line (2 foot 6 inches in the standard). And that's for grounding DC and AC mains frequencies. For RF grounding, that's a bit deep for upper HF in most soils.

Going deep doesn't buy you anything for RF grounding, since that's always a surface current. And while going deep still helps for DC and AC mains frequency grounding, you'll do better to use several rods rather than one deep one.

Since lightning is a transient with the properties of RF, you'll
always do better providing it with an extensive shallow ground
rather than with a single deep ground. The NEC now recomends
use of a ground ring (that's a buried 2/0 cable completely surrounding
the premises) as a protective ground for lightning. That serves two
purposes. It spreads the surface currents of the strike, and it acts
as a two dimensional Faraday cage for Earth currents from nearby
strikes. (It has more inductance than is desirable, however, and
an extensive Ufer ground still provides a better termination.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

685. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u3Lnvl7v9GA.165@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149517

You are the same.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Eddie wrote in message ...
>Ryan is a know-it-all little twit with nothing better to do. Just do a
>dejanews search - he can't shut up!

686. Re: Radio Shack<---->Uniden???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#ocgAL7v9GA.192@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 149518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Ryan, did you check the West St. Paul store? I just bought the PRO-90
>today, and it was $199.99... btw, I'll hafta listen for you on 147.21 =)

Interesting - I checked some stores near SW Minneapolis. I didn't call any
of the St. Paul stores (they are many miles away).

And yes, I am on 7.21 sometimes. I haven't been as active lately, but I
still get on there every once in awhile.

>Can't help ya there, sorry!

No problem. I think RSU's got it/them.

>> Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>Nice Tag ;)

He he - I like it too. I forgot where I found it, but it is good. I might
change it here sometime this week.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ

687. Re: Banning someone from the NG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex61Ay.Kz2@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149519

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> K4CC wrote:
> > How would you know that, Smokey? You just said
> > you don't subscribe to that mail list. Get caught in
>
> Just going by what those people have said!

Just following the circular logic again -- he was going by what YOU said.
Who are "those people" you mention above?? The voices in your head??

And what's this about you NOT being a VE? You've bragged about BEING a VE
for so long...

688. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex620B.L1x@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149520

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > Nope. Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
> > because a few green weenies set up a cacophony of
> > howls and sniveling over a certain feature of my
> > e-mail software.
>
> The features they were complaining about was you always
> using high priority & return receipt for your
> messages. A feature you could have turned off if
> you wanted to as it is considered poor etiquite
> to use either one all the time as you were doing.

For someone who claimed he didn't know how to install more than one version of a browser on his machine, you seem to know more than you let on. Or is it just all talk??

689. Rail Road Freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdbf3c$5bf27040$5f7596d1@default>
Source record: 149541
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I am going to be taking the Auto Train from VA. to FL next week. Does any one know what frequencies they use?

If so please respond to the below.

Thanks in advance
--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

690. www.javaradio.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JavaRadio <info@mymailbox.com>
Message-ID: <35C65398.49EF@mymailbox.com>
Source record: 149542

In case you missed the Java Controlled Web Receiver;

The Java Radio is a remotely controlled shortwave receiver.
It can be found at http://www.javaradio.com

You can tune the shortwave radio with your browser and listen to it live
with Real Audio. This is 'A must see' site!

Join now http://www.javaradio.com

Good Luck!

691. Re: Alinco DJ-X10T: Missing battery holder & other problems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6q5l45$7he@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 149543
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35c6416a.5049871@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>,
Paul Szilard <NO_SPAM~pszilard@au1.ibm.com> wrote:
>On 2 Aug 1998 21:16:41 GMT, schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com (Mike "NO UCE"
>
>Could you use a multi meter to check which pin the tip, center, and
>collar are connected to?
>I have already pught the plugs and would like to solder the cable
>myself.

Grumble, grumble. I knew you would ask that :-)

Well, I was surprised to find only continuity on one pin. Then I realized that, though the cable and phone plug were molded, the DB9 was a hand assembled custom job. So I opened it up (screws REAL tight, plastic halves almost feeling glued shut) enough to see a miniature PC board filled with surface mount components.

So I was wrong - my apologies - there IS a level converter in this thingie and it's not just a simple wiring job.

--
Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

692. HELP: BC895 & Data Slicer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: someone@nospam.net
Message-ID: <35c664eb.0@news.cvc.net>
Source record: 149544

I have been trying to get my BC895 and a Data Slicer to work, but I am not having much luck.

I have tried 3 versions of the "HamCom" interface and I do not get any data displayed with any of them! I have tried various software and that makes no difference either. One of the 3 interfaces (the more sophisticated one) works fine for Amateur Radio Slow Scan TV when hooked to my Kenwood TS-450 rig, but not on the BC895. A technician friend of mine with a "scope" confirms the discriminator tap is correct and has output, so the interface works, and the BC895 works, but not together. I was able to copy data via the soundcard.
I did test the serial cable on pins 4,6,7, and 20 and they are fine. I also tried various settings on the serial port through Win95, but that also did not help.

Has anybody else has this experience? Where should I look from here?

For what it's worth, here is my setup;

BC895

"HamCom" style interface from;
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/trunker/RXLAYOUT.GIF

AMD 486DX4-120 computer

Using Comm Port 2

Many thanks for your help!!

Greg

693. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35c6951f.640577@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149545

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 16:57:41 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
<brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:

>I just got a 895XLT and I am trying to figure out a local system (BYU in
>Provo Utah). I think it is a Mot. Type 1 or Hybrid system, but I don't
>know. When in Type II mode I miss some transmissions. Now I am playing
>with the User Defined Fleet maps to try to figure out how to configure this.
>
>My main question is, if I change the block size (s-0 to s-14) do the codes
>displayed change or are they constant? For example, if the exact same radio
>on the same channel transmits with an ID of 400-12 when block size is s-4,
>could it display differently is I change it to s-6 (i.e 415-0)??
>
>My theory is, I'll set the size to something with a lot of fleets (like 128
>or 64) and then listen and record the highest fleet number displayed. Then,
>once I determine how many fleets are being used (in a block) I'll adjust the
>fleet size to match. For example if I get a hit like 724-3 I know there are
>more than 16 fleets being used in that block. Then I'll do a similar
>process at the subfleet level.
>
>The only problem is if a radio will display a different ID just because I
>change the scanner setting, my process will not work. I am wondering if the
>scanner interprets the data differently if it is expecting it to be
>different, or will the IDs remain constant regardless of the block size that
>I set? Help!

Brett,

Your suspicions are correct. If you change the size code you will
change the ID displayed.

Greg Knox

694. bearcat beartracker-800 bct7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: myuhas <myuhas@sunlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdbf4d$4438c4c0$1ebcaacc@default>
Source record: 149546

i wanted to know any or all mods on this scanner.thanks

695. FS: ICOM R-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bdbf4c$caa25d60$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 149547

FS: Icom R-1 Wideband Receiver

100 kHz to 1300 MHz frequency coverage. NO cellular blockage.
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Belt Clip and screws
BC-110A Ni-Cd Charger
BP-90 Batter Pack
CP-12 Cigarette Lighter Cable with Noise Filter
Manual
Original Registration Card

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696. Re: Any Bearcat 9000XLT Owners please read. -TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35c672fe.784521@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 149548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

No, its not turned off. The lights in the buttons are on, its just the
light for teh channel and frequendy that has gone all but out. Its
gotten even darker since this morning. I figure by tomorrow it will be
totally out. Thanks for all the suggestions by the way.
On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 20:57:49 GMT, "Jim Bundy" <jabundy@esn.net> wrote:

>You did not hit shift off did you?
>
>Bob Parnass, AJ9S wrote in message <6q4jcm$6ho@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>...
>>In article <35c529ea.4478180@news.erols.com>, Keith <No@No.Com> wrote:
>>
>> >I have this scanner.Today I noticed the lighted display became very
>> >dim. I figure its not long before its out all together. Has anyone
>> >else had this problem? And if so, is there a way to fix it. Thanks for
>> >the help.
>>
>>1. Measure the voltage supplied by the wall wart power supply
>>to make sure it's adequate.
>>
>>2. I don't recall how many bulbs illuminate the BC9000XLT, and
>>don't have the service manual handy, but check to see if
>>one of the bulbs has burned out.
>>--
>>
>>==
>===
>>Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S AMPS/PCS Advanced Systems Development
>Lab
>>parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent
>Technologies
>

697. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c66eab.207277291@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149549

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

tvine@teleport.com wrote:

> Anybody know how to contact Mr. Laws
> by email? Thanks

Hey Peetie Boe! "Coming out" of the forgery
mode, are you? How nice.....

Yes, I have Peetie Laws' e-mail address. Would
you like for me to give it to you so you can
try to get some more "dirt" on me? All you
have to do is ask me nicely.....

But why do you want to know? You were on
the SCAN-L list until Peetie Laws kicked
your ass off a few months ago. Don't you
know how to archive back mail?

You friggin Prozac Bozo.....

698. Re: HELP: BC895 & Data Slicer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35C671E6.155@globe-net.net>
Source record: 149550

Frustrating! I've been considering building one of these myself.
I did remember reading that someone else also had problems. Follow
this link http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/trunker/disc2.txt
Don't know if that will help or not but it's better than
nothing!

If you get it figured out, please post the "fix".

Robert

Greg wrote:

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> having much luck.

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> displayed with any of them!
SNIP

699. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c9712c.207918167@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149551

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list

> Bill's very own words!!!!!!1

Yes, Smacksie.....my own words IN PART.

But haven't YOU ever been booted off a
forum before?

Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ah!

You imbecilic nitwit.........

Say, what's this I hear about you peddling
ham licenses for twenty bucks a pop? No
shit? You been doing THAT? Whooooooooey,
man, johnny law gonna come down and pop
you in da poopy fer them shennanigans.

You oughta be ashamed of your wretched
self, Smacksie. The boys up north of
here a ways say you even sold your own
Pappy a ham license!!!!!

Shame! Shame! Shame! Shame! Shame! Shame!

You flippin duckbuttered wimp........

700. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c76fa0.207521916@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149552

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!

Hey shitferbrains, I told Peetie Boe I'd
give him Peetie Laws' e-mail address if
only he asked nicely.

Of course you and I BOTH know Peetie Boe
is digging for more "dirt". Which is why
I don't mind helping the poor sap out.
He won't find any dirty laundry there.

Just the fact that my e-mailer uses RRQ's,
which Peetie Laws and his green weenie
boys didn't like. So what? You know me,
Smacksie....I told 'em all they could eat
my crusty skivvies.......

Haven't YOU ever been booted off a forum
before?

Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha........

You friggin lunatic wimp.........

701. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c870de.207839642@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149553

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) writes:
>
> >I caught him on some psych newsgroup a
> >few years ago sniveling and whining because
> >he couldn't potty train his kids.....

> Well, no wonder. Mackey would have to know how
> himself before he could teach them.

Well, all I ever heard him sniveling about
was his kids' BED-WETTING. He didn't say
anything about Number 2.....which he hasn't
corrected in his own wretched self yet.

:-)
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702. Re: Richard Kendrick is a FOOL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cc73cf.208592897@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149554

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Because he'll kick your arse up betwixt
>
> he better bring a couple friends with him then because he
> certainly isn't capable of it himself!

If I were YOU, Smacksie, (thank God, I'm not),
I'd be a little inclined to err on the side
of conservatism ......

Know what I mean? Nooooo, of course not....

You flippin weenie......

703. Re: Discriminator Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d178eb.209901552@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149555

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

> Are there any scanners that have built-in access to discriminator output? If
> not, there should be.

In a round about way, a few of the higher
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But if you want a job done right, do it
yourself! You learn more that way.

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704. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce75c2.209092461@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149556

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Are you afraid the competition might un-seat you

WHAT competition....??? You?

Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha......

You are the supreme liar and village idiot
around here. And...... laughingstock,
I might add.

Say, what's this I'm hearing from sources
up north a ways that you're peddling
ham licenses for $20 a whack?

I got me a minister's license many years
ago for $20. But that's different.....

You flippin duckbuttered weenie........

705. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd7494.208790211@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149557

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Smacksie's Pop and I had a dialog about a
> > year or so ago. You wouldn't believe the
>
> Hey Bill, that was 2 years ago! How time flies! You
> were e-mailing an address of john.mackey@stream.com. Guess
> what, that was actually ME!!!!!!!!

YOU were talking about your own self in
terms of how YOU shoulda been drowned
after birth?????????????

Nope. That was your Pop. And he didn't
speak very highly of you..... said he's
gone celibate ever since in order to ensure
that the gene pool wouldn't propagate.

He even told me the story of how you
became a eunuch.

You fippin weenie......

706. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf76e6.209383766@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149558

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You're fuller of shit than a Christmas Goose,
>
> Of course your only defense is an insult becaues you
> have no other defense!

I don't defend against you, Hermie!
Your drivel is picaune and inane....
and superfluous.

But I do I laugh at you.........

A lot.

You're even fuller of shit than a Christmas Goose,
you friggin hermaphroditic freak show.

707. Re: Mackey and Suzy's Fantasy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ca7325.208423336@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149559

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Eddie Fernandes <ef@bc.sympatico.ca> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> >
> > Overheard on Portland's tavern scene:
> > ==========
> >
> > For a long time, Suzy had a fantasy of being
> > with the infamous John Mackey.....

> What does this have to do with scanners?

Oh....I forgot to add that he cobbed her
best scanner, too.

Sorry for that little oversight.....

708. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cb737e.208511912@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149560

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com (Ben) wrote:

> Anyone know of one that isn't all stupid flame??

Coming soon..... Keep your hat on.
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709. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d07786.209544156@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149561

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> ..... Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
> degree for over 2 years.

But I *have*, you freakin tweet! I have
provided it inumerable times to people
who count and who have a need to know.

YOU don't count, Smacksie. Your stature
isn't even up to that of plant lice yet.

I don't defend or prove anything to you
except that I booted your sorry arse off
Fidonet a few years ago, and you've been
sore about it ever since.

However.......just in case you're up for
it, would you like to run over some La Place
transforms and Fourier Analysis just to
kind of "warm up" for a degree analysis?

You're an idiot, Smacksie, no two ways about it.

You friggin milquetoasted wimp........
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710. FS: BC 200XLT scanner 200 ch w/cell $150 OBO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerw@usa.net
Message-ID: <35c6722c.7324994@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a Bearcat BC200 XLT handheld scanner that has been modded for
cellular. It comes with the scanner, AC adapter/charger, ni-cad
pack, rubber duck antenna, and a leather case. $150 OBO.
Please contact me at 818-882-0101 after 6PM PST or email me at
jerw@usa.net
Buyer must prepay if shipped, or pick up in person.
I am in Canoga Park, CA (near Los Angeles).
Thank you.
Jerry Wang
W8UPP

711. BC3000XLT battery pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenet@ruralnet.org
Message-ID: <35c67e49.16665880@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 149563

My battery pack will no longer hold a charge for very long and I need to replace it. I'm looking for suggestions on the best place to buy.

Does anyone make a battery pack that lasts longer than the standard one?

I believe Uniden makes some of Radio Shacks scanners. Does RS sell a battery pack that will fit this scanner?

Is it OK to leave the AC adapter plugged into the battery pack all the time or will this decrease the battery packs life?

Please reply by E-mail or CC E-mail as I do not read this NG very often.

Thanks

712. Re: Rail Road Freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: caylorman@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080403330300.XAA04584@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149564

From your departure station in Lorton, Virginia, the frequncy is 160.845. Your arrival station frequncy in Sanford, Florida will be 160.845 as well. In between those two points, I would suggest listening to the road frequencies of the host roads, along with that same frequency.

713. Re: Pro 43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35c680ac.11733714@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 149565

And if you want a great memory mod for the Pro-43 check out
http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-43.html

On Sun, 2 Aug 1998 15:18:20 GMT, choad98@hotmail.com wrote:

>These regularly go for $250. Check eBay...
>
>I own two of them. They are GREAT radios! Real performers, great
>sounding, etc.
>
>I tried a Pro 90, but got rid of it for the 43! It doesn't Trunk
>Track, but thats ok with me.
>
>
>
>On Sat, 1 Aug 1998 14:32:18 -0400, "Dick Burke" <toby@gis.net> wrote:
>
>>Whats it worth?I have a Pro 43 complete with mods already done.Has box
>>,manual,cube charger,extra antenna,all is in mint condition.....
>>
>>--
>>Thanks
>>n1rsp@qsl.net
>>ICQ#423512
>>Tel.978-281-3359
>>
>>

714. Re: 12 to 9 volt mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Squeeze the Weeze <none@spammer.now>
Message-ID: <01bdbf5c$140dff40$2c3c4ad1@godzirra>
Source record: 149566

Rat Shack duzzn't have a 9v as a stock item........
The most common 3-Pin is an LM7808 8v.
ALSO not available at the shak..............
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-skweezieweezie

` X o'
-----ooo-0-ooo-----
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715. Re: Blake Bowers trying to make trouble again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C6890D.56BD90F0@netwit.com>
Source record: 149567

fred wrote:

> On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 21:51:59 -0400, allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Well......Do you have any PROOF?
> >(giggle)
> >
>
> *Giggle*? Still haven't found that boyfriend yet? You're pathetic.
> Get a LIFE!

As long as you got your "Banana" I guess you're sitting pretty, aren't
ya Fred?

716. SWAP DEAL ALERT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080404143600.AAA06402@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149568

I have a Shinwa001 200 ch remote control full coverage 25-999mhz no gaps excellent condition scanner with manual and remote. I also have a Pro2037 200 ch base scannner in excellent condition, along with a BC855xlt 50 ch desktop scanner in good condition. I will swap for a full coverage handheld,.AOR, YUPI, ECT. pdoddy@aol.com

717. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q5u0n$a10$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149569

In article <19980803102443 00.GAA04451@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> John "Look!! At!! Me!! I Laugh To avoid Facts" Mackey, KA0SSF
> <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >I am NOT a VEC!!! I never have been!!!!!!!
>
> I don't doubt that at all, but a VEC comes into
> play when one of its VEs is accused of fraud
> or abuse. Of course, I'm not saying you are
> guilty of that. I've defended you many times
> on this issue, telling several people that we
> shouldn't mention anything about the rumours
> that you sold licenses for money and certain
> "favors" until the charges could be proven.
>

Another mackey lie , he is a VE and denying it further proves him to be the type of person who would makeup a story to ruin someones life. To see the truth that mackey is a VE go to this site ,http://www.parg.org/testing.html

>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

718. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6q5u8laaj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149570

In article <35cdf526.176162868@news2.cts.com>,
bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
> The CB Guy <thecbguy@iname.com> wrote:
>
> > HAr har har har.........
> > There's not any fear of you on this newsgroup....other than the fear you
> > may reproduce some day.
>
> He may already have..... he used to
> have a squaw and a passel of bed wetting
> kids a few years ago. Now they might not
> have been 'his', but you never know.
>
> I caught him on some psych newsgroup a
> few years ago sniveling and whining because
> he couldn't potty train his kids.....
>
> FWIW.
>

Are you sure mackey was not trying to get advice for his own bed wettting
problems?
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

719. Re: pro-90.. what if my town doesnt use trunked? still good scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ueplGDOw9GA.186@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149072

The Trunk Tracker is known to still be a rather good conventional scanner. Your town, county, state, or what have you, may be upgrading soon, so it wouldn't hurt to get one.

Listening to trunked systems on a conventional scanner would be hard to follow, since trunked systems usually have different talk groups, and if you set everything up correctly, a Trunk Tracker will only open the squelch when a specific person in a talk group starts transmitting.

(Please jump in, anyone, if something is incorrect here.)

On a conventional scanner, you would hear everything going on (which, like I said, would be hard to follow). EDACS systems are even worse.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Evrclear84 wrote in message
<19980806014846OO.VAA04604@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>i am thinking of buying the pro-90 scanner with trunktracking, but i know
my
>town doesnt use this. could you explain exactly why trunktracking is so
good,
>and if i should still buy the pro-90?
>
>thanks!
>
>steve... email me at Evrclear84@aol.com

720. For Sale - BC 100 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <Bolt@pe.net>
Message-ID: <35C91893.4A1@pe.net>
Source record: 149073

100 channel programmable hand held11 band coverage:

10 meter ham 29.0-29.7 MHz
Low Band 29.7-50.0 MHz
6 Meter "Ham" 50.0-54.0 MHz
Aircraft 118-136 MHz
Military Land Mobile 136-144 MHz
2 Meter "Ham" 144-148 MHz
High Band 148-174 MHz
Federal Government 406-420 MHz
70cm "Ham" 420-450 MHz
UHF Band 450-470 MHz
"T" Band 470-512 MHz

AC/DC Adapter
Flexible Antenna
Leather Case
Operating
GuideLast one - $100 includes shipping Bolt@pe.net

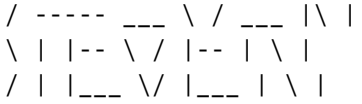
721. Re: FDNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven T. Shapiro" <shapi16@banet.net>
Message-ID: <35C92617.B38DB4DF@banet.net>
Source record: 149074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

JackT21262 wrote:

> If anyone hears about a real audio site that has the FDNY please post it.
> policescanner.com does NOT !

i dont know of any offhand. try http://nyfd.com/ the unoffical FDNY site.
there is a chat area and boards to post on. good luck. BTW i love listening to
the
FDNY :>



722. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Strickland <greg@gregstrickland.com>
Message-ID: <35C9122E.6B6CD74D@gregstrickland.com>
Source record: 149075
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

> >>>>At the plant where I work, a vendor was trying to sell a protection
> system using devices we called "spiny balls" to bleed off charge....A rival
> consultant said the spiny ball technique was about as effective as the medeival
> custom of ringing the church bells to ward off lightning. I suspect
> that's about right.<<<<

I think these dissipation arrays DO work. But only to a point. Many summer afternoons I watched four 1,000 foot towers in Miami during thunderstorms. The 3 towers with dissipation arrays rarely got hit. The one with no dissipation system got nailed frequently.

To be fair...when the storms got to the point where the thundercloud was black and directly overhead....every tower got struck. Finally, the remaining tower (Channel 2) got the array and the entertainment value of thunderstorms was reduced.

One thing is for certain...you need a low impedance high current ground connection. This connection must be more attractive to the lightning current than your equipment. And everything must be bonded so things "rise" together in the early milliseconds of the strike. The IR drop will produce voltage across just about everything. Your coax shield could be 10,000 volts above your tower.

It's really important to make the ground connection direct and appealing, and the equipment connection convoluted, inductive and resistive. A direct connection to the electric power company's ground can be a nice destination.
(It may end up going there anyway, better through a 4/0 AWG cable than your equipment)

>
>

723. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C931E5.2B79@juno.com>
Source record: 149076

Looks like the truth is finally coming out about you mackey , I said
your lies were going to catch up with you.
Now there is no way you can deny that you and obfd conspired to
discredit Bill for your own personal vendetta.

You can try and wiggle your way out of it but your not going to be able
to do it , the facts are now out about you.
I just can't believe your personal agenda against Bill.

724. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35C93296.1EA1@juno.com>
Source record: 149077

Doesn't appear your so smart noe that the whole story about the warrant
is out.
Bill should sue your ass and take everything you think you own.
And keep up your mail bombs as there is a great surprise waiting for you
and your Roger Dobson.

725. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35C94408.B7D03C4B@uswest.net>
Source record: 149078

Well,
lets see:
KA0SSF: 1,429 postings since 4 months ago
Richard Kendrick: 496 since 4 months ago.

The numbers speak for themselves, John.
Who is really abusing others in this newsgroup?

I have found this often true, the more you protest, the guiltier you
appear (and you appear REAL guilty right now).

Hawke

KA0SSF wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > Yes, Cheek has proven to me he has the degrees he claims. You
>
> The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
> his degrees to you. The members of this NG asked him to provide
> the proof to this NG as a whole.

726. Scanner News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sundown85@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25488-35C979DA-99@newsd-172.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149079

I too was lookng for a scanner ng but it seems I walked right into a biker bar knife fight.

Nuff said.

727. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Maghan <william.maghan@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qdeco$2bv$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 149080
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

I have been following the thread posted to
alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.
consumers.house.
This post is only to alt.engineering.electrical.

I have been reading all of these posts because I want to know more about
"inductive strikes", a bad term I'm sure. When lightning strikes nearby,
how much power might be generated in my trailer? A lot of current? A high
potential? Should I have a coffee pot plugged in to provide a circuit?
(I'm joking). It would be nice if some one would comment on the current
induced in wiring by nearby lightning strikes.

Bill Maghan

728. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E991.5BE6@parg.org>
Source record: 149172

John T. Arthur wrote:
> YOU asked??? HAR de HAR. You refused to accept a very good, ironclad
> truce offered just a month or so back.

WRONG! I asked Bill to agree to posting NO FLAMES or NASTY
MESSAGES & he refused the agreement.

729. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E807.3F96@parg.org>
Source record: 149173

John T. Arthur wrote:
> I've known Bill a lot longer than YOU have, Mackeloon - and I've NEVER
> known him to tell a lie. You, on the other hand, I've never known to
> tell the truth.

Then you are either lying yourself or stupid!

730. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E9FC.3A1A@parg.org>
Source record: 149174

A cleaver forge, wasn't it!

731. ICOM Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Newsgroups <75540.525@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <6qapl4blb1@texas.nwlink.com>
Source record: 149175

To Our Valued ICOM Customers:

We are unable to comment on situations that occur between us and our dealers,
out of respect for their privacy, and our own legal responsibilities regarding release of confidential information. I am sure you that understand
there are always two sides to every story. Unfortunately, we can not issue a line-by-line analysis.

Employees at Icom are sincerely hurt whenever one if these "flame mail" stories hit the web. Icom employees make every effort to deal honestly, fairly and prudently with each and every customer they deal with whether they are purchasing a dime part, radios or just wanting to window shop.

I would simply ask you to judge Icom based on your own personal experiences .....not those alleged by others.

If you have any questions, comments, concerns or questions about any of your Icom products, your experiences or problems with our company, I encourage you
to call me personally at 425-454-8155.

Thanks for your understanding.

Chris Lougee
Division Manager
Amateur, Land Mobile, Receivers

732. Things are still the same. What a pity.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Ekblad <jsekblad@win.bright.net>
Message-ID: <35C8E882.C213575@win.bright.net>
Source record: 149176

Just thought I'd check in and see if the climate has improved.

Guess not! Moron #1, Moron #2, and their respective cronies are still
at it.

Jeff Ekblad

733. Re: They call Kendrick an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8EA4D.60C5@parg.org>
Source record: 149177

Blake Bowers wrote:

> But, John, in another of your MANY posts I recieved this morning, you
> admitted to writing the posts, for Bill.
>
> Which one is it John? Which lie are you caught in this time?

I did say I wrote the posts for Bill! Can't you see a joke?
Are you really that lame?

734. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8EACB.6D5F@parg.org>
Source record: 149178

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I didn't
> say it was "still" valid. The fact that I
> got the ticket in 1966 and retained it until
> the FCC changed things around *IS* valid,

Now that the truth is catching up with you, you are
adjusting your story.

735. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8EB81.386C@parg.org>
Source record: 149179

Blake Bowers wrote:

> >Bill Cheek wrote:
> >> But....I *will* throw you a bone to gnaw on,
> >> since it is a matter of public record anyway.
> >> *One* of my degrees is from the United States
> >> Armed Forces Institute, Madison, WI.

> Now, John, you will provide the same information about your
> alleged degree now, won't you?

All right, fair is fair. I have *ONE* of my degrees from
Yankton College in Yankton, SD.

736. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523344300.TAA19991@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149180

Bill Carty <102150.3700@compuserve.com> writes:
>Hopefully we can get back to discussing radios and
>scanners, and how to use both!

Hi, Bill. Maybe Compuserve doesn't pick up all of
the posts, and I know there are plenty of off-topic
posts here, but the discussion of scanners has never
stopped. I read a number of very helpful posts here
and on a.r.s every day, having to do with all aspects
of scanning. The "good stuff" is still there and always
has been. I'm afraid the "other stuff" is just a by-product
of the good old American way. Step around it, and
enjoy the rest!
Best regards,
Dave

737. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8EBFE.6CAA@parg.org>
Source record: 149181

John T. Arthur wrote:
> You kidding?? Mackeloon doesn't even know what a scanner IS... Thus the
> massave amount of garbage posted in the newsgroup by him.

You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!

738. Re: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d6ef9f.8555030@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149182

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 07:46:46 +0100, Steve Barnes
<stepbar@nortel.nojunk_please.co.uk> wrote:

>David S Chesler wrote:
>>
>> In article <35C37382.40406601@cec2.aps.edu>,
>> Matthew H. Fogle <foglem@cec2.aps.edu> wrote:
>> >get a lot of what appear to be cordless phones in the 450-470mHz range;
>> >does anyone know what these are? My only guess was I am receiving a half
>> >wave of the 900mHz phones.
>
>It's an image of a strong cellular signal. Had me fooled for a while
>too. If you have a scanner which receives 900MHz you would be able
>to find the 'proper' transmission

Cellular telephones are located in the 870.-894.mhz range!

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739. Re: Toilet Boy still a FOOL and a liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8EE98.17F2@parg.org>
Source record: 149183

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Again; you must be looking in the mirror as you write that. YOU are a
> disgrace to the ham radio hobby...

Are you pretending to be a ham operator now?

740. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d4ee6f.8251452@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149184

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 17:35:26 GMT, "John T. Arthur"
<cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> wrote:

>I've known Bill a lot longer than YOU have, Mackeloon - and I've NEVER
>known him to tell a lie. You, on the other hand, I've never known to
>tell the truth.
>
>And how about some evidence of your alleged degree(s) that you OFFERED
>to post?

The holdup is that a deadline was never negotiated, which could take
as long as 15 years!
>

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741. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F089.6582@parg.org>
Source record: 149185

John T. Arthur wrote:
> We're not talking about Bill's degree(s) -

Then you haven't been paying attention.

742. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d5ef0f.8411054@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149186

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 13:01:17 -0400 (EDT), PIDGE35@webtv.net (ROBYN SUCHOWSKI) wrote:

>Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
>read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information
>(unless I want to know about this fight between two men).
>
>Thanks,
>
>Robyn

There are quite a few scanning related mailing list's you could try, a simple web search should turn up some.

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743. Mackey Wags His Finger In The Face Of Facts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523552400.TAA17315@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149187

John "I Only Demand Proof, I Never Offer It" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!

That's easy to say. How about proving it?

744. Mackey's Smoke and Mirrors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523493600.TAA16427@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149188

Reaching into his vast archive for one of his three stock answers, John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>You must be looking in a mirror!

Do you have this line set up as a macro,
or do you have to type it again each time
you repeat it?

745. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523494000.TAA16435@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149189

Gee, Wally, John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> is accusing the Cleavers of forgery!

>A cleaver forge, wasn't it!

No, Wally and The Beaver weren't much good at forged posts.

And if you're referring to the evidence that
you posted as traveler@cyberway.net,
claiming it was a forgery is just another one
of your three stock answers anytime you get
caught in a lie.

746. More Hilarity From Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523494000.TAA22095@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149190

John "The Joker" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I did say I wrote the posts for Bill! Can't you see a joke?
>Are you really that lame?

No, but your "joke" was.

747. Re: MN State Patrol-East Metro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Schmidt <bryschmidt@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35C8E51B.2F07246D@mindspring.com>
Source record: 149191

I think it is 154.9350

Lindy Williams wrote:

> Can anyone give me the frequency for the East Metro Tac. West Metro is 160.95
>
> Thanks

748. Re: portland, or freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Varine <Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Message-ID: <35C8F3CA.17BE@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Source record: 149192

modernrd wrote:
>
> anyone know a good place to get the police/ whatever freqs for the
> portland/ gresham area?

All the freqs and Talkgroups you'll need for the PDX area.
http://www.orst.edu/~varineb/scanner.htm

749. Re: what is unicom?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35C917B6.EBB2E112@ibm.net>
Source record: 149193

wjz@ih4ess.ih.lucent.com wrote:
> My daughter is a skydiver

Hi Bill,
Now, why would you let her do a fool
thing like that for? ;-)

> out at an uncontrolled private
> airport near Ottawa, IL. I notice that the jumper
> plane uses 122.725 to communicate with the field
> below

That would be their UNICOM freq. It's one of
the five or six "standards" set aside by the
FAA.

> Outside of designated channels in
> use at large commercial airports, do general
> aviation users just pick any channel that they want,
> and use them?

If two planes want to "chat" they can. Otherwise
you're safer monitoring the freqs being used in
your area. And you just can't pick any freq to
use because it might be used by a local airport,
approach/departure control or ARTCC freq. And
you can't go by publications since they are
usually out of date as soon as they are printed.

I like to monitor those freqs used in the areas in
which I am flying. Near other fields, I listen to
their UNICOM/MULTICOM/CTAF/etc, near controlled
airspace I'll listen to the closest approach freq
for the sector I'm in (if I'm not using them for
VFR flight following) and in the middle of
nowhere, I check up on Flight Watch and perhaps
the ARTCC freq for that sector (who might also be
able to provide flight following if not too busy
and you're at an altitude that gives them a good
radar fix on you).

Hope that's what you were looking for!

73 & Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA http://www.strongsignals.net/
New Scanner User FAQ http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm
Scanning USA Columnist

750. Re: portland, or freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8pw8.BIp@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149194

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, modernrd wrote:

> anyone know a good place to get the police/ whatever freqs for the
> portland/ gresham area?
>
> nospam..modernrd@gte.net

Why not ask the resident expert - John Mackey?

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

751. Re: Mackey's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8q1C.BKE@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149195

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > every one of the
> > pricks are down on your level....lower
> > than whale dung.
>
> This a good example of what Bill thinks of other people
> that won't be a kiss-ass for him!

Wrong again... It's a good example of what Bill (and others) thinks of
YOU!

752. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8q50.BMt@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149196

Of course; as I said, as a student. You HAVE been there as a computer
user, however...

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Wrong! What I meant was that I have never been to Clark COllege.
>
> (do you have reading problems?)
>
>
> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > Not as a student, you mean. Until they closed
>
>
> > On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
> > > I have NEVER been to Clark College.
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

753. Re: John Mackey makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8q3L.BLx@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149197

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Blake Bowers wrote:
> > Uh, right John.
>
> Blakes first attempt at a bit of honesty.

I trust we can see YOUR first attempt sometime in the near future..?

Really, John - if you don't have anything to say, why do you keep saying it?

754. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8q83.Bon@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149198

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, Bill Carty wrote:

> try Alt.Radio.Scanner. Unfortunately the jerks that you are talking
> about cross post a lot. I know where you are at though. It seems that
> 50% of the posts on this news group is the mackey-bill cheeks stupid
> flame fest.
>
> I wish you well. Hopefully we can get back to discussing radios and
> scanners, and how to use both!
>
> Regards Bill Carty

What's stopping you? There's absolutely nothing to keep you from posting questions and/or discussing scanners...

> ROBYN SUCHOWSKI wrote:
>
> > Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
> > read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information
> > (unless I want to know about this fight between two men).
> >
> > Thanks,
> >
> > Robyn

755. Re: Mackey trying to make more trouble - as usual!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8qB9.BqD@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149199

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > I've known Bill a lot longer than YOU have, Mackeloon - and I've NEVER
> > known him to tell a lie. You, on the other hand, I've never known to
> > tell the truth.
>
> Then you are either lying yourself or stupid!

I have no need to lie about anything, and I'm nowhere near as stupid as
you act. Hell, if I acted in public like you do, I'd use the shotgun in
the closet and end it all...

756. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8qEr.Brx@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149200

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Only because you won't shut up about me.
> > Try binding yourself to th4 4-point
> > Agreement I laid on you and see.......
>
> If YOU could follow the ONE POINT agreement of
> "No Flamming..." that I gave you all would be fine
> but you can't committ to stopping the flames.
>
> How pathetic you are.

But Mackeloon - YOU are the ONE flaming - and posting garbage - constantly.

As was pointed out, your one little addition was nothing but another attempt to CONTROL someone else - when you seem to have NO control over YOURSELF...

757. Re: Mackey's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8qIC.BtK@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149201

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > YOU asked??? HAR de HAR. You refused to accept a very good, ironclad
> > truce offered just a month or so back.
>
> WRONG! I asked Bill to agree to posting NO FLAMES or NASTY
> MESSAGES & he refused the agreement.

WRONG!!! You refused to agree to a simple truce that would have ended the problems YOU cause in this newsgroup - because YOU DON'T WANT IT TO STOP.

Your one little addition (as you like to refer to it) was a blatant attempt to control someone else. Absurd, when you do not seem capable of controlling yourself!!

758. Re: Mackey's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8qKI.Bv3@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149202

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > You kidding?? Mackeloon doesn't even know what a scanner IS... Thus the
> > massave amount of garbage posted in the newsgroup by him.
>
> You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!

Nope... YOU got me beat by a mile.

And I note that you did NOT take issue with my statement - that you don't
even know what a scanner IS... Which is a given.

759. Re: buying a new scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OinRTbNw9GA.77@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149203
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I recommend the Radio Shack PRO-64, which I own, and also the BC-235XLT (I believe the same as PRO 90 -- a trunk tracker). One plus is that the PRO-64 has a pc link which allows you to program frequencies from a text file automatically.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Nick Bergthold wrote in message <6qak9ktv1@supernews.com>...
>I want to buy a new handheld scanner. I want to get the VHF/UHF HI/LO, The
>aviation freqs (107-?), and 800-900 mhz. I want it to be around $200 or
>under. got any suggestions? is really worth the trouble driving all the
>way to canada to get a cell capable scanner? please help. TIA.
>--
>~NICK~
>
>
>
>

760. Sony ICF-SC1PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Jensen <rwjensen@jps.net>
Message-ID: <35c8fcb6.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 149204

Does anyone know of any mods for this scanner....

Thanks Rich

761. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C9023E.A6DE50B2@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149205

KA0SSF "One thing I'll never be in danger of - delusions of humility." <jmackey@parg.org> had another cranial dysfunction:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > You claimed to be 6'1" tall in a previous message. According
> > to the recruiting offices here in Phoenix, *all* branches of
> > military services do NOT have a height limitation. The only

> Thanks Richard! I always thought that 6 feet was the height
> limit for military service. Hmmm, maybe I'll join the military
> & try to get stationed at Luke AFB near you! Wouldn't that be
> neat!

You had a thought? ROTFLMAO! Just shows how stupid you are and how little you know of the real world. You would barely be eligible for military duty because you are 33 years old; the maximum age for enlistees is 34. However, as I previously said (which you oh so conveniently snipped) the only

> > reason you would be ineligible for military service would be
> > you never graduated from high school, had at least a GED, or
> > possessed a criminal record (that's coming).

Since you don't have even a GED let alone a high school education, morons like you are ineligible for military service FOOL.

The only way you'll ever get on Luke AFB is during an air show. Rest assured the Air Police would know about you ahead of time.

> BTW- You are not allowed to use an e-mail address of parg so I
> suggest you not do it anymore.

I'm not using 'PARGs' address.

762. Re: Toilet boy's stupidities on display as usual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C902BE.78D95181@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149206

KA0SSF "I'm one of Nature's disagreeable blunders and damn proud of it." <jmackey@parg.org> tried to lie about his behavior and avert attention away from his lies about his degrees:

> HOW?? I've only been on the internet for 2 years & about 3 weeks!

You must have been in another one of your delusional states and one of the voices in your head must have done it.

> Then the date is incorrect.

Then how do you explain all these dates, Toilet Boy? Any denial that they're not yours is a lie. But then, you are a compulsive liar.

---------- the headers ----------
Subject: Unid Pirate 2330 12-31-95
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/01
Message-ID: <642_9601012223@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.pirate

Subject: Need a base station antenna for cheap
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/01
Message-ID: <f4d_9601020340@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: wanted 11 meter mode for a hf set
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/03
Message-ID: <944_9601040149@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: wanted 11 meter mode for a hf set
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/04
Message-ID: <480_9601050516@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: wanted 11 meter mode for a hf set
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)

Date: 1996/01/05
Message-ID: <481_9601050516@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: WANTED !!! CLEAN HAM RADIOS !!!
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/05
Message-ID: <578_9601060342@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: EXTEND THE FM BAND?
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/07
Message-ID: <1dd_9601071327@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.pirate

Subject: I GOT ONE!!!!!!
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/07
Message-ID: <1de_9601071327@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.pirate

Subject: ANTENNA QUESTION - 50-75 OHM or 300 OHM
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/08
Message-ID: <e09_9601090004@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.pirate

Subject: John Pendergraft, KO4MY
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/08
Message-ID: <e0a_9601090004@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: wanted 11 meter mode for a hf set
From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
Mackey_Jr)
Date: 1996/01/10
Message-ID: <602_9601112117@crystals.aloha.or.us>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

> Thank you for making my point!

The point is the one on your head FOOL. You've lied about your degrees,
your forgeries, email bombing, and rogue cancels. Nobody believes your
lies except you, Toilet Boy.

763. Kendrick deflates Toilet Boy's lies again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C9032A.2A8097A2@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149207

KA0SSF "I'm so cheap, I buy reversible condoms. Even the Asian financial crisis has hit the bathrooms of Portland." <jmackey@parg.org> tried another vain attempt to avoid proving the existence of his degrees:

> The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
> his degrees to you.

True. Like you, Cheek made a public claim about having degrees, and I asked him about that. He readily provided the information. You made a public claim about having a degree, and you've been unable to verify your claims. After nearly three years, it's readily apparent that your have lied about your degrees. Why else would you be unable to provide evidence of your claims? Hmmm?

> The members of this NG asked him to provide the proof to this
> NG as a whole.

Then the members of this group can pursue their own agendas on their own.

764. Re: i'm looking to spend under $200.. what is the best scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <O5dG9bNw9GA.77@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149208

Yes, the PRO-90 and PRO-64 (which I own) are good. The PRO-64 doesn't track, but it has a pc link, which I use a lot. (Allows you to program 400 frequencies automatically, in less then 60 seconds.)
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Evrclear84 wrote in message
<19980806010011100.VAA02635@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>i would like to spend under $200 and i was wondering which model i should buy.
>i was looking at the pro-90, but if there are any other good models which get
>the 800 MHZ, please enlighten me!
>
>thanks!,
>
>steve email me at Evrclear84@aol.com

765. Kendrick proves Toilet Boy a liar again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C903C3.1D2EFCA2@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149209

KA0SSF "Some people say I have a bad personality. That's not true.
I have no personality at all. <jmackey@parg.org> tried to avoid
the truth again:

> Was it YOU doing these forges or was it Cheek?

They weren't forges, Toilet Boy. They were from you. You can't
lie your way out of this one. Check the sequence of all the
Message-IDs on all the headers below. In the one in a trillion
chance you actually didn't make these posts, with your record
for telling the truth, no one will believe you. You've lied for
to long to too many people.

> Plus, what makes you think it was ME? (just morbid
> curiosity -this will be real interesting!)

Yeah, you're a real sick puppy, all right. Your signature
is all over the messages. Any claims that you *didn't*
post these messages makes you a liar, FOOL.

> First - I have never had any children

That's easy to understand. You spend all your time in the bathrooms
of Portland on your knees servicing men. Fortunately for the human
race, it's *very* hard to impregnate your species, even for a
hermaphrodite like you. Although, I've heard there are some reptiles
that are neither male nor female and they can reproduce. You must be
one of those things.

> Second - My sister never had children.

No wonder, she's even uglier than Janet Reno. Are they dating?
Besides, she doesn't need birth control, she has a personality
just like yours. Even Charles Manson wouldn't touch her.

> Third - My sister never died, she is still living in Sioux City.

It's easier to hide her in the basement in the midwest. She's been
in that basement for so long, she's grown bigger than a Buick (visions
of Jabba the Hut come to mind) and you can't get a crane or a fork
lift in there big enough to get her out. Besides, with her eating
habits she needs to be close to plentiful, and cheap, sources of food.
After all, there *are* more dog food factories in the midwest than any
other area of the country. Tell me, does she prefer Kal-Kan or Alpo?

Do you have to pay extra to the city for the industrial sewage
disposal requirements caused by your sister? Or did you stick a 6
inch pvc pipe (is that big enough?) in her butt and hook it directly

into the sewer? What kind of special permits did the EPA require you to obtain? You must have *very* tolerant neighbors. You *do* have neighbors, don't you?

> Fourth - I have never assumed guardianship of ANY children.

The courts wouldn't let you near children. They found out about your little tryst with that child prostitute a while back.

> Fifth - As usual, this was simply another forge as has often been done!

It's not forgery when you post your own messages, Toilet Boy. Although, it could have been one of the voices in your head posting when you weren't looking. You're stupid enough and psychotic enough for that to happen.

---------- the headers ----------

Subject: Re: "CB radio" repeater, with dirty words, why not off the air?
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/03
Message-ID: <318AEA89.61FB@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

Subject: test, don't read
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/06
Message-ID: <318DDEC4.35A0@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: test, don't read
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/06
Message-ID: <318DDEE8.5781@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: test, don't read
From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
Date: 1996/05/06
Message-ID: <318DDF24.3EC1@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: appreciation
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <3194D24B.2B69@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: Re: Joe's baaaack... (was Re: WANTED CLEAN HAM...)
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <3194D322.62EA@cyberway.net>

Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: Re: Swap Meet/s in Des Moines, IA area???
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <3194D3D4.AEB@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: Re: kids and clothes
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <31955493.65EA@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude

Subject: Re: *#*#*#*Looking for young GAY amateurs!!*#*#*#*
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <3195563E.6E9E@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: test - don't read
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/11
Message-ID: <31945837.549@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: Re: Women are losing the battle of the sexes
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/16
Message-ID: <319AF3F1.3C6B@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: soc.culture.african,alt.engr.explosives,alt.slack,
talk.politics.guns,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,
alt.cesium,alt.college.college-bowl,alt.flame,
alt.recovery.sexual-addiction,rec.pyrotechnics,
alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.pagan,
alt.sex.power-rangers.kimberley.tight-spandex,
soc.culture.african.american,alt.scatology,rec.nude,
alt.freemasonry,alt.life.sucks,alt.evil,
rec.music.iranian,alt.angst,alt.christnet,alt.spam,
alt.politics.white-power,slo.flame,soc.culture.jewish,
news.announce.net-abuse.misc,rec.aqu

Subject: Re: WTB: in-circuit capacitor checker
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/05/26
Message-ID: <31A8EE8A.1316@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: Re: NEW THREAD, was Re: STREAKERS!
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/03
Message-ID: <31B2AB1B.22D0@cyberway.net>

Newsgroups: rec.nude,rec.running

Subject: Re: So young, so sad
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/19
Message-ID: <31C7B97B.2C4B@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude

Subject: Re: CURIOUS ABOUT NUDISM
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD0008.4263@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.nude

Subject: Bed wetting with native american children
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD1178.1579@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: alt.native

Subject: Re: FS AEA SLOW SCAN
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD816E.7224@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Subject: Re: Good CB to Convert to 10m FM?
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD79E0.4A92@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Subject: Re: Homebrew Pagers?
From: traveler@cyberway.net
Date: 1996/06/23
Message-ID: <31CD7B4A.483D@cyberway.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

766. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u2OMjZNw9GA.224@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149210
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

No, I'm sorry, the point of usenet is not to publicly humiliate, degrade, or
otherwise demote the place and stature of another human being.

I can't help you for your being such a foolish bag of water.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jack wrote in message <35ccddcb.3826302@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On 5 Aug 1998 16:50:59 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>No, I remember. However, this guy's "signature" was just an encoded HTML
>>file -- the newsreader that I made was not able to decode Base64-encoded
>>stuff (at that time).
>
>X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.72.3110.1
>
>Wow, you must be rich!
>
>
>>I also don't appreciate your bad form -- I myself am trying to stop making
>>degrading comments on the usenet, and if you care to make any criticisms,
do
>>it **privately**.
>
>I think you have entirely missed the point of the usenet!

767. Re: Toilet Boy is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C90442.F201407D@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149211

Now Toilet Boy, did you really think no one would notice your little forgery? You're such a dolt these days, you must still be taking massive doses of rectally administered prozac. It'll make you even more stupider than you are, you know. I'm only telling these things for your own good.

Do you really think I would need to post a message in my name from AOL? Check the posting NNTP-Posting-Host line in the forged header below and one from one of my genuine posts. The subject of the genuine message is even appropriately named, just for you.

Then you surprise me by admitting the "cleaver" forgery. The subject of the message containing your admission is aptly named. Don't you think? You're still a FOOL, Toilet Boy.

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------ Toilet Boy's admission the message was a forgery ------
From - Wed Aug 05 17:51:08 1998
Path: news.primenet.com!nntp.primenet.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!
208.159.126.161!news.mci2000.com!not-for-mail
Message-ID: <35C8E9FC.3A1A@parg.org>
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Reply-To: jmackey@parg.org
Organization: PARG
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.04Gold (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth
References: <35C7C7BA.20C3@parg.org>
<1998080511232000.HAA29868@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Date: Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:24:52 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: 166.55.4.38
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:24:52 GMT
Xref: news.primenet.com rec.radio.scanner:141152
X-Mozilla-Status: 8010

A cleaver forge, wasn't it!

----------- header from forgery -------------------------------
From - Wed Aug 05 16:05:07 1998
Path: news.primenet.com!nntp.primenet.com!news.maxwell.syr.edu!
news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-west.sprintlink.net!
news.sprintlink.net!143.186.15.78!newslist.borland.com!news
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: this ng is sad
Date: Wed, 05 Aug 1998 04:20:19 -0700
Organization: P_ARG
Lines: 22
Message-ID: <35C83FF3.FCABC965@p_arg.org>
References:
<E002DB4E744C92FF.1FD11CF60F610B30.51B8DC885B8925A1@library-proxy.airnews.net>
<1998080511052600.HAA29123@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Reply-To: wa7twi@primenet.com
NNTP-Posting-Host: 171-129-15.iptr.aol.com
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.05 [en] (Win95; U)
Xref: news.primenet.com rec.radio.scanner:141072

I am truly sorry I will try to change.
---------- header from genuine message ----------------------
From - Wed Aug 05 16:04:13 1998
Path: news.primenet.com!not-for-mail
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: Toilet Boy: Poster Child for Stupid People
Date: Tue, 04 Aug 1998 17:16:51 -0700
Organization: P_ARG
Lines: 20
Message-ID: <35C7A473.C628B005@p_arg.org>
References: <35C56ECE.5D41@parg.org>
<1998080310244400.GAA04455@ladder03.news.aol.com>
<35C6154C.39B0@parg.org> <35d07786.209544156@news2.cts.com>
<35C6AD6D.318F@parg.org>
Reply-To: wa7twi@primenet.com
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Complaints-To: abuse@globalcenter.net
X-Posted-By: @206.165.24.171 (wa7twi)
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.02 [en]C-DIAL (Win95; U)
Xref: news.primenet.com rec.radio.scanner:140969
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768. Re: LINDY: MN State Patrol-East Metro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uQuwaeNw9GA.190@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149212

West Metro is actually 155.505.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Bryan Schmidt wrote in message <35C8E51B.2F07246D@mindspring.com>...
>I think it is 154.9350
>
>Lindy Williams wrote:
>
>> Can anyone give me the frequency for the East Metro Tac. West Metro is
160.95
>>
>> Thanks
>
>
>

769. Re: Mackey's Skule Daze

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C90621.457B9B0D@netwit.com>
Source record: 149213

K4CC wrote:

> "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> writes:
>
> >Not as a student, you mean. Until they closed the server you were a
> >regular up there posting flames and rogue cancels...
>
> J.T.
> Yes, Mackey saying he's never "been" to Clark
> College is like him saying he never "had" any kids.
> He means he never gave birth to any himself.
> Dave

From what I gather Dave, the kids are hers from a previous marriage.
He's never assumed "guardianship". (That would mean "responsibility",
not exactly his strong suit.) Besides, this way he can keep the child
support payments coming in and he can walk away anytime he wants.

That's just the kind of worm he is.

Sure hope she doesn't read this!

770. Re: Pager reception

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <eYFMJiNw9GA.231@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149214

See Jack's post, but as a quick note, listening intentionally to pager transmissions is illegal (in the US).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Darren L. North wrote in message <35C89341.8A881FC7@cvn.net>...
>What is the best way to monitor digital pager traffic in the 460mhz
>band? Is there any way to monitor that sort of signal with a scanner?
>I saw a program called Message Tracker once that was supposed to do
>that, but haven't seen it around recently.
>

771. Mackey's lie of the day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C90BE1.E90BB57@netwit.com>
Source record: 149215

KA0SSF wrote:

> You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!

I can't believe you wrote that. You want a specific example of your lies.
Well here it is loony boy:

KA0SSF wrote:

> You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!

This is a LIE because of the following FACTS:

No-one in this newsgroup makes as many off-topic posts as YOU on a daily
basis. How many posts did you make today loony boy? And I'm not even
counting your forgeries. It's no big research project. All you have to do
is look at the author lines on the daily traffic and see a) You've got the
most posts and b) none of them are on topic.

You see, YOU LIED WHEN YOU SAID to John T. Arthur:

KA0SSF wrote:

> You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!

You posted 41 messages today. That's the highest number of posts by a
single author today (Of course I'm not even counting your forgeries).

41 messages from you today, loony boy. Who else on the NG posted more than
41 times today? No-one. Not by a long shot.

Not one of those 41 messages is on topic.

So the fact of the matter is JOHN MACKEY POSTS THE MOST GARBAGE! Just count
the posts!

Do you now understand why you're considered a LIAR?

ya LYING friggin' loon.

772. Control software for BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1032afe5e8536797989691@news.interx.net>
Source record: 149216
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have ordered a BC 895XLT and wish to program it via my computer. I've seen different software programs over the Internet that can operate the scanner, for several prices. What I'm looking for is something that I can organize the channels, INCLUDING CTCSS TONES, print a list and program the scanner. I saw at least one program that says they dropped support for CTCSS tones. CTCSS decoding is the main reason I'm getting a new scanner. I find it strange it isn't offered in more scanners, basically the high-end scanners only. I don't plan on using the scanner connected to the computer very much, it will be installed in my car, I just would like to program it initially via computer. I have about 150 channels I want to program in and that will take forever using the keys on the front and if I want to rearrange the channels, that too will take forever. Also, why are all the commercially made connection cables so damn expensive? I can make one from parts at Radio Shack for MUCH cheaper. The cheapest I've seen was about $25!
--
Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

773. test message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tailwagger <tailwagger@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <j98y1.1588$JL4.645733@typhoon02.swbell.net>
Source record: 149217

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test message please disreguard.
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774. Re: Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35C91039.8B384BD6@netwit.com>
Source record: 149218

Ray Summers wrote:

> I am getting ready to re-program my Pro 43. Does anyone know of a way
> to clear the memory other that deleting each channel individually? I want
> to clear all frequencies and start fresh. Perhaps there is a combination of
> keys I can press. Thanks for any help
>
> rnsummer@uiuc.edu

I think there's a little hole on the left side of the scanner that you use a paper clip to depress something to reset clear the memory banks. That's the way it works on the Pro-39, it might be the same set-up for the Pro-43.

775. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ef#pn8Nw9GA.302@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149219
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

That's fine - put me on your filter. That's your problem. It doesn't hurt me at all.

You aren't open to people's opinions? Be closed-minded, again, that's your problem. I can't believe you're even taking sides with this psychotic "Jack" guy. He just pounces at every little mistake I make (even when I apologize, he criticizes me for being a fool) and tries to degrade me in front of public view, but I don't care all that much anymore -- I am used to it.

Don't believe me? I can post proof of how asinine his behavior is.

... and you're just another one of him. The material I post is fully relevant, and I don't call my retort and defense a "crap post". I have the right to a defense when Mr. Jack feels he can act stupid.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Bud wrote in message <35c90700.136442486@news-server>...
>On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 20:07:36 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>Ryan, I hate to say this, but you're being added to my Mackey/Cheek twit
>filter as soon as this message is posted.
>
>It's not that you CAN'T post relevant material, just that you blow it FAR
>too often with crap posts.
>
>

776. test message 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tailwagger <tailwagger@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1q8y1.1594$JL4.654438@typhoon02.swbell.net>
Source record: 149220

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test 2 please disreguard thanks
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777. Re: this ng is sad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c981fb.67316516@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149221

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Robert Mozeleski" <moz@ncx.com> wrote:

> i cant believe this!...i come here looking for scanner info and it seems
> like there is about 3 or 4 people who take this as a place to write one line
> comments about each other....sorry for a post like this but hey...i couldnt
> help but notice...

Soooooo, force your computer to deal with
just the scanner stuff. <shrug>

> i was really looking for some info on a
> pro-2001....anybody have one of these scanners?..it
> is a great scanner and i was wondering if anyone had
> any mods that could be done to it...thanks

You probably should create a scanner thread
for that question. This thread is one that
a lot of people will overlook since it doesn't
have anything to do with scanners.

778. Re: ICOM Q7 good or bad Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "alf.sauve" <alf.sauve@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3s%x1.1244$4r2.553692@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 149222

The Q7 isn't an exceptional scanner. A lot depends on what you want. If it's fast scanning speed, lots of bank options then no, the Q7 isn't it. But if you want very small size with 30-1,300 coverage and AA batteries (instead of special batteries) then that's what the Q7 is about. If you want smaller size, don't need 30-76Mhz and don't mind special batteries then the Yeasu VX-1 is the ticket. Neither are great scanners. Very few buttons and lots of two fingered sequences. But the ticket is small size. I take it on trips where I wouldn't have taken my full size scanner. So easy to pull out and use.

If you don't need the transmitter ICOM is supposedly coming out with a receive only version that will probably have some more features but be in the same form factor.

Alf - W4ADS

com-com wrote in message <6q4rhd$60i$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>...
>ICOMs Q7 ... Dualbandhandy have a Scanner from 30 to 1300 MHz.
>The Yaesu VXR1 have also a Scanner but the Receiver for 4 m, 900 Mhz is
>very bad.
>Is the Receiver in the ICOM Mini also bad or is this Mini a
>HAM-Transceiver with Scanner ?
>
>mfg
>
>dd0yq

779. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ca8474.67948976@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149223

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> About twice a week Cheek puts a notice on this NG that he
> will not be resonding to me anymore because he is putting
> me in a killfile. Then about 3 days later he is back on
> here flaming & causing trouble again.

Only because you won't shut up about me.
Try binding yourself to th4 4-point
Agreement I laid on you and see.......

You flippin, waltzing, prancing phairie...

780. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cb84e0.68057006@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149224

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> > Everything you do is a Fraud John.
>
> Such as specifically what?

Start with your claim to be a member of
the human race. Yes, let's begin with
the basics.

> And what supporting proof do you have
> that it was fraud?

He doesn't need any supporting "proof".
I believe him. So does everyone else.

You flippin weenie..........
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781. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cc8544.68157010@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149225

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> > You're lying again John. Your only purpose in this group is
> > to stalk Bill Cheek, because he kick you off the Fidonet
> > Scanradio echo a few years ago.
>
> No, I have always been PROUD that Bill kicked me off his echo
> as he kicked off all the smart people & only let the kiss-ass
> types stay.

Why don't you list the names of those
"smart" people, you freakin imbecile......
You don't dare, because every one of the
pricks are down on your level....lower
than whale dung.

You freakin wimp........
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782. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd85ad.68262531@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149226

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> This doesn't prove a thing John. What do you know about Scanners?

He doesn't know anything about scanners
other than the flat-bed type he stole
from Suzy......
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783. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce860c.68357345@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149227

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > How can it be possible for a 1st Class Phone with
> > Radar Endorsement be valid anymore?
>
> It isn't valid anymore. You were lying when you said you still
> had one that was valid!

You're one ignorant dipshit, Hermie. I didn't
say it was "still" valid. The fact that I
got the ticket in 1966 and retained it until
the FCC changed things around *IS* valid,
you dangling clingberry.....

> > I did not say I was a current member, du
>
> Yes, you did Bill!

No, Herm, I did NOT. Your colon for a brain
just construed it that way because you have
no cognitive capabilities at all......not even
up to that of the common urinary ant.

You freakin idiot........

784. Re: MAckey Un-twitted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf8710.68617826@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149228

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> Then why do you keep changing your e-mail address?

Because he can't remember his e-mail
addresses for more than a few days....
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785. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6qa2hj$kcm@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149229
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

No, I remember. However, this guy's "signature" was just an encoded HTML file -- the newsreader that I made was not able to decode Base64-encoded stuff (at that time).

I also don't appreciate your bad form -- I myself am trying to stop making degrading comments on the usenet, and if you care to make any criticisms, do it **privately**.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

K patterson wrote in message <6q87emceq1@supernews.com>...
>Ryan knows this! In fact he bitched at a guy a few days back for a 1K
>signature!
>Maybe he forgot!

786. sony scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tim travis <trav@indy.net>
Message-ID: <35C8A986.232B@indy.net>
Source record: 149230

I just got a new sony scanner as a gift. Is it worth keeping? And are there any good mods available?

787. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access5.digex.net
Message-ID: <6qa41l$qff@access5.digex.net>
Source record: 149231

In article <19980804174120000.NAA04573@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
K4CC <k4cc@aol.com> wrote:

[snip]
>don't mean a thing. I believe the salient point is that there
>is plenty of good info here for anyone who wants it.
>Best regards,
>Dave

Exactly. I've just been hanging out here since November, when I bought my first scanner, and my scanning interests are modest. But this group has taught me a tremendous amount. My own contribution to scanning (a PRO-64 upload program) is a direct result of the generous help that I got from folks here.

Ken Plotkin

788. Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: PIDGE35@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12622-35C88FDD-17@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 149232

Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information (unless I want to know about this fight between two men).

Thanks,

Robyn

789. Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Summers <rnsummer@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <6qa5ns$k8n$1@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 149233

I am getting ready to re-program my Pro 43. Does anyone know of a way
to clear the memory other that deleting each channel individually? I want
to clear all frequencies and start fresh. Perhaps there is a combination of
keys I can press. Thanks for any help

rnsummer@uiuc.edu

790. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35C89687.7291@home.here>
Source record: 149234

Out of 265 headers downloaded 144 posts were Cheek/Mackey related. This is a whopping 54.3% and certainly enough to consider creation of a newsgroup of its own. Alt.Cheek.Mackey.Pissfest anyone?

K4CC wrote:
> Well, I don't mind lurkers per se. I do
> find it amazing that some of them seem
> incapable of choosing which posts might
> interest them and which wouldn't. When
> they jump up and start whining about being
> forced to read off-topic posts, they lose me.
>
> Dave

791. FS Pro-2037

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug270@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35c88cbd.24284692@news-server>
Source record: 149235

I have two (2) Radio Shack Pro - 2037 scanners.
Like new condition.
Original boxes and documentation.
Triple conversion.
200 Channel
Search
150.00 $ each (Or Best offer)

(Need to generate cash for another project)

Send E-Mail to doug270@yahoo.com

Thanks

792. FS: AOR 1000 (unblocked)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjheller-nospam@west.net
Message-ID: <pjheller-nospam-0508981124570001@pm7-10.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 149236

AOR1000, in excellent condition (still has protective plastic on top), full coverage (including cell). Includes case, nicads, duck, original box, instructions and Howard Bornstein book, "Guide to AR1000." $280 obo plus shipping (or will consider trade for BC/UBC3000XLT.

Reply to pjheller@west.net (or remove -nospam- from address if auto replying)

793. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex88p9.8Bt@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149237

There you go again... Nobody was talking about Bill - he was talking
about YOU! You are just SOOOOOO obscessed with Bill that you can't think
straight - or any other way...

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
>
> > When are you going to posting something about scanners?
>
> As soon as you do.
>
>
> > Also, when are you going to stop forging posts from your
> > AOL account?
>
> I don't have an AOL account. But, Bill has an AOL account at
> his house!
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

794. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex88rA.8Cp@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149238

Not as a student, you mean. Until they closed the server you were a
regular up there posting flames and rogue cancels...

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> > When are you going back to Clark College to Forge more posts
> > and Rogue Cancel posts again?
>
> I have NEVER been to Clark College.
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

795. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex88v9.8Gs@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149239

I've known Bill a lot longer than YOU have, Mackeloon - and I've NEVER known him to tell a lie. You, on the other hand, I've never known to tell the truth.

And how about some evidence of your alleged degree(s) that you OFFERED to post?

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> > There's no chance of that John. Your the Biggest Liar
> > that I've ever come across.
>
> Apparently you haven't spent long on this NG or read much
> of Cheek's posts!
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

796. Re: Toilet Boy still a FOOL and a liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8900.8Iz@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149240

Again; you must be looking in the mirror as you write that. YOU are a
disgrace to the ham radio hobby...

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > It's a shame the subtly of my message was lost on you. Another
>
> It;s a shame you are an licensed radio operator.
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

797. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex88yE.8Hz@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149241

YOU asked??? HAR de HAR. You refused to accept a very good, ironclad
truce offered just a month or so back.

Beyond all that, all the crap would stop the moment YOU stop. Try it!

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Robert Mozeleski wrote:
> > this is sad...why dont these guys take it somewhere else?
>
> You are right, it is sad. I have asked these individuals
> to stop, make a truce, etc but they just keep going.
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

798. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8929.8K7@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149242

We're not talking about Bill's degree(s) - we're talking about the one(s) YOU *claim* to have and cannot provide any evidence of. You continue to reveal your obscession for Bill every time you sidestep the question...

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > When are you going to present proof of your degree(s)??
>
> As I have always said, when Bill provides his data with enough
> detail to be confirmed I will give everything!
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

799. Scanmaster antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertr@spice.mhv.net
Message-ID: <6qa89hqpe1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149243

Is the indoor Skyscan desktop Scanmaster antenna any good? I'm especially
interested in the VHF low-band and FM-TV DX. How does it compare with
the telescopic whips on the market (Watson, RadioShack, etc.) I have the
Watson Super Gainer and also a coax antenna from C. Crane.
They're allright on UHF but not VHF low ham band or FM.
The only source of the Skyscan I could find was in the U.K.
Are there any local distributors for US mail order? Also,
if this is no good for 30-108 mhz, are there any indoor whips that do well
other than the 20-006 (I'm trying to avoid RadioShack as
we've had poor results with their stuff). I can no longer find
the Grove ANT-8 or ANT-19 which were good in this range.
Robert Rodriguez

800. Re: ICOM Q7 good or bad Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6zgp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080518362900.OAA11003@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149244

I like it! Great receive, pulls in the weak stations however intermods with high gain antenna and simple to use w/o all the buttons

Bryan Herbert
BLH Communications-owner
Magic Mountain-Parking Lot Attendant / Tram Operator
Amateur Radio-KE6ZGP
LA Co. Disaster Communications Service-F-150
Civil Air Patrol-YOSEMITE 845

801. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qabmc$psg@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 149245

Greg Knox wrote in message <35c81933.1995649@news.mindspring.com>...
>On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:36:28 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
><brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:
>
>
>>So am I left to just extensive trial and error?
>>
>
>What system are you trying to figure out? I bet someone has already
>done it and it's posted on the web somewhere.

This is for Brigham Young University in Provo Utah. I have checked all the TrunkTracker sites that I could find and no one has anything but frequencies (no fleetmaps/IDs).

Since their usage is so diverse it is difficult to guess the block sizes.

An unrelated question, I was listening to their police units and they changed channels to a car-car channel and I lost their traffic - even on a conventional scanner with all the repeater freqs. Can some radios go simplex and not use the repeaters?

802. Re: What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35c9a658.1453476749@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 149246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 5 Aug 1998 08:12:50 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>Jeff,
>
>Other than the relay clicking that you've already mentioned, and the relatively
>difficult user interface, the other problem (at least in my mind) with the
>AR-5000 is a noticable and objectionable squelch tail when in NFM mode. At
>least this was the case with the early units. I haven't had a chance to play
>with a B model, so perhaps this was addressed in the upgrade.
>
>Comparing the two, I found the AOR to be the better VHF/UHF scanner, and the
>ICOM to be the better HF shortwave receiver.

John, thanks for the info. Do you know how long the "B" version has
been out for? I'll ask my dealer, but, I'm always interested in
independent confirmation of info. I've heard the complaint about the
squelch, and this could be a real drag... Anyone out there have a
really new 5000 that could comment on the squelch tail issue? Thanks
in advance,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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803. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080519273300.PAA17067@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149247

>From: "Brett - N7OLQ"

>This is for Brigham Young University in Provo Utah. I have checked all the
>TrunkTracker sites that I could find and no one has anything but frequencies
>(no fleetmaps/IDs).

Did you try:
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm

It's got lots of good TT info.

804. Re: sony scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6qaapr$4c8@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 149248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35C8A986.232B@indy.net>, tim travis <trav@indy.net> wrote:

>I just got a new sony scanner as a gift. Is it worth keeping? And are
>there any good mods available?

The SC1PC is certainly worth keeping. See my review
in August 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

From the FAQ:

SONY |

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers |
25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size |
and mode. Computer control and downloading with software |
and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries. |
Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and |
the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10 |
banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per- |
channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you |
can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out |
("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency |
stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during |
searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds. |
SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search |
limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable |
pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands |
programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed |
Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies |
that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. See "The |
SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, |
August 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test |
results. |
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

805. pro-2001..mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <5C9842BF4544D04A.26729EEA2AD5FEA7.54E6C03406077907@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 149249

hello...i'm looking for any mods to this old radio shack scanner..i was switching a few diodes in there and came up with the 66-88 band but lost 30 -50...typical....if anyone knows of any mods..please let me know...thanks in advance....

806. portland, or freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospammodernrd@gte.net
Message-ID: <6qafb7$592$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 149250

anyone know a good place to get the police/ whatever freqs for the portland/ gresham area?

nospam..modernrd@gte.net

807. Mackey's Skule Daze

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980805204010000.QAA26181@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149251

"John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> writes:

>Not as a student, you mean. Until they closed the server you were a
>regular up there posting flames and rogue cancels...

J.T.
Yes, Mackey saying he's never "been" to Clark
College is like him saying he never "had" any kids.
He means he never gave birth to any himself.
Dave

808. ICOM R7100A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "JOHN A. MORAN" <jackalex@postoffice.ptd.net>
Message-ID: <4K3y1.2426$pI2.4691545@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 149252

I recently bought a Icom7100A at a hamfest. I would like to interface this to my PC for programming. Can someone help me with what software I need. Also with an interface. I know Icom makes a CT-17 CI-V. Is this the only interface that will work?

Thanks,

Jack

809. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex8GMo.9yD@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149253

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, ROBYN SUCHOWSKI wrote:

> Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
> read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information
> (unless I want to know about this fight between two men).
>
> Thanks,

Actually, there's PLENTY of good scanner info in this newsgroup - once you learn to step around the doggy-doo dropped everywhere by Mackey and Friends.

If you have a question, ask it - and you'll get answers. Pronto!

But if you only complain about things, you only make it worse by wasting even more bandwidth...

810. AOR AR 8000 now or wait for AR 8200?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdaddy@dgiah.com
Message-ID: <35c8d2fc.9446533@transfer.stratus.com>
Source record: 149254

Hello,

I am about to purchase a new scanner and have decided on purchasing one made by AOR. However, all the dealers I have spoken too have given me delivery dates ranging from Sept. to Dec.(!) for the AR 8200. I was wondering if the 8200 will be worth the wait or should I just get an AR 8000 now.

Thanks in advance.

811. buying a new scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Bergthold <kcin@whidbey.com>
Message-ID: <6qak9ktv1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149255
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I want to buy a new handheld scanner. I want to get the VHF/UHF HI/LO, The aviation freqs (107-?), and 800-900 mhz. I want it to be around $200 or under. got any suggestions? is really worth the trouble driving all the way to canada to get a cell capable scanner? please help. TIA.
--
~NICK~

812. I need the frequencies for Clintonville, Wi...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mnduckyj@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <mnduckyj-0508981659560001@ip30.minneapolis5.mn.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 149256

I need Clintonville, WI area ambulance frequencies, Embarass, WI fire frequencies, and any waupaca co, shawano co, green bay, appleton, and any other frequencies that would be good for traveling between St Paul, MN and Clintonville, WI. Milwaukee area frequencies would be nice too. Before you say to check percon or whatever it is, I already did =)
Thanks!
KB0VUM

813. Re: portland, or freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080522093600.SAA08432@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149257

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>From: nospammodernrd@gte.net (modernrd)
>Date: Wed, Aug 5, 1998 16:30 EDT
>Message-id: <6qafb7$592$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
>
>anyone know a good place to get the police/ whatever freqs for the
>portland/ gresham area?

Ask John Mackey!
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814. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ccddcb.3826302@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149258
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 5 Aug 1998 16:50:59 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>No, I remember. However, this guy's "signature" was just an encoded HTML
>file -- the newsreader that I made was not able to decode Base64-encoded
>stuff (at that time).

X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.72.3110.1

Wow, you must be rich!

>I also don't appreciate your bad form -- I myself am trying to stop making
>degrading comments on the usenet, and if you care to make any criticisms, do
>it **privately**.

I think you have entirely missed the point of the usenet!

815. Pager reception

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Darren L. North" <northd@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <35C89341.8A881FC7@cvn.net>
Source record: 149259

What is the best way to monitor digital pager traffic in the 460mhz band? Is there any way to monitor that sort of signal with a scanner? I saw a program called Message Tracker once that was supposed to do that, but haven't seen it around recently.

816. BC200XLT (Help!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: BA <panthers@i-plus.net>
Message-ID: <35C8E3B2.7E2DDA3B@i-plus.net>
Source record: 149260

Is there an easy way to replace the squelch resistor in the BC200XLT?
Has anyone here done it? I would appreciate any tips anyone may have
before I try! thanks!

817. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E468.4E5F@parg.org>
Source record: 149261

Bill Cheek wrote:
> every one of the
> pricks are down on your level....lower
> than whale dung.

This a good example of what Bill thinks of other people
that won't be a kiss-ass for him!

818. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E4D9.4FF1@parg.org>
Source record: 149262

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Uh, right John.

Blakes first attempt at a bit of honesty.

819. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E560.54FB@parg.org>
Source record: 149263

Wrong! What I meant was that I have never been to Clark COllege.

(do you have reading problems?)

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Not as a student, you mean. Until they closed

> On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
> > I have NEVER been to Clark College.

820. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E5D3.770B@parg.org>
Source record: 149264

Bill Cheek wrote:
> He doesn't know anything about scanners
> other than the flat-bed type he

You're just jealous Bill because YOU couldn't get into Suzi's bed!

821. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Carty <102150.3700@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <35C8E215.6BF0498F@compuserve.com>
Source record: 149265

try Alt.Radio.Scanner. Unfortunately the jerks that you are talking about cross post a lot. I know where you are at though. It seems that 50% of the posts on this news group is the mackey-bill cheeks stupid flame fest.

I wish you well. Hopefully we can get back to discussing radios and scanners, and how to use both!

Regards Bill Carty

ROBYN SUCHOWSKI wrote:

> Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
> read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information
> (unless I want to know about this fight between two men).
>
> Thanks,
>
> Robyn

822. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E898.759F@parg.org>
Source record: 149266

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Only because you won't shut up about me.
> Try binding yourself to th4 4-point
> Agreement I laid on you and see.......

If YOU could follow the ONE POINT agreement of
"No Flamming..." that I gave you all would be fine
but you can't committ to stopping the flames.

How pathetic you are.

823. NiMH Batteries in BC-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ##aheely##@##downcity##.net
Message-ID: <35c8e7b8.49825339@news.downcity.net>
Source record: 149267

It's time to rebuild a couple of battery packs for my BC-200 again and I was planing to use NiMH. I have used NiMH to replace other NiCads with good success but I just noticed that the Metro West catalog mentions modifying the BC-200 battery back in order to use NiMH.

Does anyone know what this modification is? Has anyone tried using NiMH in the BC-200 battery pack with or without this modification?

Art

824. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523215000.TAA12606@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149268

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, ROBYN SUCHOWSKI wrote:
>
>> Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
>> read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information

Robyn,

There is another scanner newsgroup, known as alt.radio.scanner.
It really is no different than this one, though, in that it is also
unmoderated and open to all and sundry.

I understand the point you're making, but I would take
issue with your contention that there is no useful
information here. I'm sure it wasn't your intent, but by
making that statement you slam the many people who
post useful information here every day.

There are many knowledgable people here, and most are
more than willing to answer questions and share their
experience. Sure, you have skirt a few cow pies here and
there to get to it, but that's the American way.

Best regards,

Dave

825. FS Uniden BC855XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080523150500.TAA17304@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149269

modified for cell, modified to 100 channels, very good condition. No owners manual. Original box and paperwork for the mods. I never listen to this scanner as I use my BC235xlt and Pro60 more than anything else.

$135.00 shipped

please e-mail if interested
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

826. Re: K4CC's Sin Of Omission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8E93B.28A5@parg.org>
Source record: 149270

K4CC wrote:
> You neglected to point out that these are
> things that you have been unwilling to do
> yourself.

You must be looking in a mirror!

827. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C808E1.6DE@parg.org>
Source record: 149271

No, Blake doesn't post anything about scanners.

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> But do you know anything about scanners? I've never seen
> you post any techincal information about them.
>
> > Blake Bowers wrote:
> >
> > > John, this is just the rumors I heard. I even have
SNIP

828. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80940.6950@parg.org>
Source record: 149272

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> When are you going to posting something about scanners?

As soon as you do.

> Also, when are you going to stop forging posts from your
> AOL account?

I don't have an AOL account. But, Bill has an AOL account at
his house!

829. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C809B8.4D0A@parg.org>
Source record: 149273

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> When are you going back to Clark College to Forge more posts
> and Rogue Cancel posts again?

I have NEVER been to Clark College.

830. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80A1B.1C1B@parg.org>
Source record: 149274

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> You're lying again John. Your only purpose in this group is
> to stalk Bill Cheek, because he kick you off the Fidonet
> Scanradio echo a few years ago.

No, I have always been PROUD that Bill kicked me off his echo
as he kicked off all the smart people & only let the kiss-ass
types stay.

831. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80A3C.2DDA@parg.org>
Source record: 149275

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> When are you going to stop telling lies?

In order to stop, first I would have to tell a lie!

832. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80B28.72BA@parg.org>
Source record: 149276

Brian Reed wrote:
> Hey Mackey, I thought you were filtered!!! Guess it was just more BS
> from Cheeks.

About twice a week Cheek puts a notice on this NG that he
will not be resonding to me anymore because he is putting
me in a killfile. Then about 3 days later he is back on
here flaming & causing trouble again.

He certainly is pathetic isn't he!

833. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80B9A.10F2@parg.org>
Source record: 149277

Actually Bill I was doing it to help YOU with the problems
you have had with YOUR kids. That is why I gave all the info
about you!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> We KNOW that, shitferbrains. But your squaw
> had a passel of 'em and you had to change
> their wet bedding every morning.
>
> I read your posts to some shrink or psycho
> newsgroup 2-3 years about it. Don't deny
> it, you flippin fruitcake.......

834. Re: MAlexander trying to make more trouble!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80BF5.1E30@parg.org>
Source record: 149278

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> There's no chance of that John. Your the Biggest Liar
> that I've ever come across.

Apparently you haven't spent long on this NG or read much
of Cheek's posts!

835. Re: They call Mackey an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80C9C.7377@parg.org>
Source record: 149279

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> You're lying again John. It was you that forged all of those
> posts from Clark College and it was you that forged the posts
> from AOL last night.

OH!! So what supporting evidence do you have for your accusation?

836. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80D57.1E91@parg.org>
Source record: 149280

Bill Cheek wrote:

> How can it be possible for a 1st Class Phone with
> Radar Endorsement be valid anymore?

It isn't valid anymore. You were lying when you said you still
had one that was valid!

> I did not say I was a current member, du

Yes, you did Bill!

837. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80EA6.13CA@parg.org>
Source record: 149281

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> KA0SSF wrote:
> > The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
> > his degrees to you. The members of this NG asked him to provide
> > the proof to this NG as a whole.
>
> You're lying again John.

So EXACTLY how was my statement a lie & EXACTLY what data do you
have to support your statement that it was a lie?

838. Kendrick is an IDIOT!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80E1F.76A0@parg.org>
Source record: 149282

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> mentally exhausting and never noticed that I never said I polled
> this newsgroup. I said your data was flawed (like you) because

IDIOT!!!

You are apparently to stupid to understand. You expect others to
poll the NG for their opinions yet you believe you are above such
tasks.

839. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C80F84.77F8@parg.org>
Source record: 149283

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:
> Everything you do is a Fraud John.

Such as specifically what? And what supporting proof do you have
that it was fraud?

840. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C81009.555F@parg.org>
Source record: 149284

jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
> > No, just as your hero Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
> > degree for over 2 years.
>
> Bill has written 3 very excellent books about scanner modifications.

So how does that rate towards having a degree?

Also, there are several who question the credibility of Bill's books
because he copied data from others & recommends things that can
actually harm or damage equipment such as using a metallic tuning
tool on RF oscillators!

841. CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM A LIST & AN ECHO!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C81147.2888@parg.org>
Source record: 149285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I've been booted off one....read "1"....
> Fidonet echo, and one mail list.

THANK YOU for that admission Bill. To the best of knowledge at this time you are correct.

(You've been kicked off of twice as many forums as me!)

842. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C811B3.1162@parg.org>
Source record: 149286

Robert Mozeleski wrote:
> this is sad...why dont these guys take it somewhere else?

You are right, it is sad. I have asked these individuals
to stop, make a truce, etc but they just keep going.

843. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C81237.284@parg.org>
Source record: 149287

John T. Arthur wrote:
> When are you going to present proof of your degree(s)??

As I have always said, when Bill provides his data with enough
detail to be confirmed I will give everything!

844. Re: Toilet Boy still a FOOL and a liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C81289.73FA@parg.org>
Source record: 149288

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> It's a shame the subtly of my message was lost on you. Another

It;s a shame you are an licensed radio operator.

845. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C812FA.3933@parg.org>
Source record: 149289

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Only person I know that has a LARGE number of FIDO forums that he
> is banned from, or not allowed to join is YOU john!

Wrong AGAIN Blake!

Scanradio is the only one!

Of course there have been a handful of echos YOU were banned
from or not allowed to join!

Don't you make enough of an ASS of yourself with the stupid
questions you ask on the Motorola mail list & the repeater
owners mail list?

846. Re: What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980805081251 00.EAA18251@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149290

Jeff,

Other than the relay clicking that you've already mentioned, and the relatively difficult user interface, the other problem (at least in my mind) with the AR-5000 is a noticable and objectionable squelch tail when in NFM mode. At least this was the case with the early units. I haven't had a chance to play with a B model, so perhaps this was addressed in the upgrade.

Comparing the two, I found the AOR to be the better VHF/UHF scanner, and the ICOM to be the better HF shortwave receiver.

John Ward

847. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C81414.2427@parg.org>
Source record: 149291

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Noooooooooooo, the "members" of this newsgroup
> did NOT. There are NO "members", period. Only
> YOU and one other dude raised a snivel about it,

Wrong Bill, several of us raised the question. Would
you like me to re-post some of the posts made about
your credentials?

> But....I *will* throw you a bone to gnaw on,
> since it is a matter of public record anyway.
> *One* of my degrees is from the United States
> Armed Forces Institute, Madison, WI.

That's not enough Bill. You tell the year & the title
of the degree & THEN that might do it.

And
> that's just ONE of 'em.
>
> So go play with that one and nurse on it for
> all its worth. You always did like a big
> ol' bone in your mouth. So go for it, Smacksie.
> Milk it!
>
> You friggin waltzing clingberry fairy.

848. Discriminator for Yupi MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cacella@persocom.com.br
Message-ID: <35c7a74c.2044954@news.persocom.com.br>
Source record: 149292

Any tips where could I find the discriminator output in Yupiteru
MVT9000 UK. ????

Thankx

P. Cacella
cacella@persocom.com.br

849. SCANcontrol

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Lefebvre <P.Lefebvre@Online.de>
Message-ID: <35C83941.DBCBA9A7@Online.de>
Source record: 149293

If you are interrested in radio scanner software, then look at the following page

www.aor.de

850. Re: this ng is sad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511052600.HAA29123@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149294

"Robert Mozeleski" <moz@ncx.com> writes:
>pro-2001....anybody have one of these scanners?..it is a great scanner and i
>was wondering if anyone had any mods that could be done to it...thanks

Sorry, Bob, I don't own one so I'm afraid
I can't help in that regard. I would suggest,
though, that if you changed your Subject:
line to something like "Pro 2001 Question"
instead of "this ng is sad", you'd probably
increase your chances of finding someone
who has experience with this scanner who
would be more than happy to answer your question.
Best regards,
Dave

851. Tricksy Macksey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511052700.HAA29124@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149295

It's Another Fake Offer From The Idiot Liar, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>:

>Would
>you like me to re-post some of the posts made about
>your credentials?

As always, yes.
As always, you won't.

852. The Truth About Mackey's Degree

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511052800.HAA29125@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149296

geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) writes:

>John might have a degree but we shouldn't jump to the conclusion
>that it is a GED that was issued through the Oregon Department of
>Corrections.

That's right, George. Those accusations about
selling ham licenses haven't even been proven
yet, so we should give John the benefit of the
doubt and not assume that he got his GED in
prison until we can prove it.
Dave

853. Mackey's Sin Of Omission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511052900.HAA29126@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149297

John "Deputy Dawg" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> tries to round up the bad guys but fogets that he is one :

>I have asked these individuals
>to stop, make a truce, etc

You neglected to point out that these are things that you have been unwilling to do yourself.

854. Today's Mackey Fabrications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511053000.HAA29128@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149298

"Champ" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> exceeds his own record for number of lies posted in one day:

First, he makes a lame attempt to explain why he first said he had kids, then said he didn't:

>I was doing it to help YOU with the problems
>you have had with YOUR kids.

Next, when presented proof he had told another lie about how long he had been on the Internet, he offered this in reference to the post that nailed him:

>Then the date is incorrect.

Yeah, right. Then, there was this one, which he's tried to pass off before without success:

>About twice a week Cheek puts a notice on this NG that he
>will not be resonding to me anymore

And this one:

>I have always been PROUD that Bill kicked me off his echo

Not to mention all the other blow that issued from his dark recesses. He's a regular fabrication factory!

855. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511085200.HAA23673@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149299

>From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri)

>Because it flies in the face of your _constant_ upbraiding of others for doing the same thing! Surely you see this!

"Constant upbraiding?" That's a gross exaggeration and you know it. I don't have a barometer of on- to off-topic posts that I consider acceptable. Maybe you do. My only expectation is that if you post more on than off, that's fine with me. If one never posts on-topic, then one really doesn't have a right to complain about anything. Indeed, this is a person who is part of the problem.

Take Mackey for instance. He has posted 1000s of off-topic messages, and perhaps 4-5 on (I don't know the exact number but it is miniscule in comparison). Clearly, his agenda is something other than contributing to this group. What's more, he's willing to do this at the expense of everyone else. He simply doesn't give a damn about anything but making a spectacle of himself.

856. Re: Taking A Trip... Need Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511144900.HAA23914@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149300

>From: "Steve Wormuth"

> I am planning to take a trip to Miami Florida (7 days) in September, and
>I was wondering if anyone could tell me any information about the areas
>scanning potential? Specifically, are they using trunked systems (I am
>planning to buy the BC235XLT Trunk Tracker),

Check out:
http://www.bearcat1.com/fleetfl.htm
http://www.trunktracker.com/states/fl.html

857. Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080511232000.HAA29868@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149301

Madman Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Plus, what makes
>you think it was ME?

Oh, I dunno, cupcake, maybe it was this little clue:

>From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
>Date: 1996/05/03
>Message-ID: <318AEA89.61FB@cyberway.net>

Friggin' dumbass.

858. Re: this ng is sad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35C83FF3.FCABC965@p_arg.org>
Source record: 149302

I am truly sorry I will try to change.

K4CC wrote:

> "Robert Mozeleski" <moz@ncx.com> writes:
> >pro-2001....anybody have one of these scanners?..it is a great scanner and i
> >was wondering if anyone had any mods that could be done to it...thanks
>
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> who has experience with this scanner who
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> Best regards,
> Dave

859. Re: John Mackey makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q9i0j$m11$0@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 149303

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 07:24:25 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>No, Blake doesn't post anything about scanners.
>
Uh, right John. And you show your technical expertise
by all your radios that you have blown up by hooking
up backwards....

860. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q9i90$m11$1@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 149304

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 08:07:30 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Only person I know that has a LARGE number of FIDO forums that he
>> is banned from, or not allowed to join is YOU john!
>
>Wrong AGAIN Blake!
>
>Scanradio is the only one!
>
Caught in another LIE JOHN! Here is
a partial list of echos that you are not
allowed in....

SCANRADIO
AMATEUR_RADIO
HAM_SALE
EMS
ASKACOPII
CELLULAR

>Of course there have been a handful of echos YOU were banned
>from or not allowed to join!

Name one John. Be prepared to back it up with the
present moderator.

>
>Don't you make enough of an ASS of yourself with the stupid
>questions you ask on the Motorola mail list & the repeater
>owners mail list?

Right John. Which question would that be?

861. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q9idi$m11$2@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 149305

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 06:17:34 GMT, geovet@thevision.net (George
Vetterle) wrote:

>>
>>When are you going to present proof of your degree(s)?? As if you have
>>one...
>>
>
>John might have a degree but we shouldn't jump to the conclusion
>that it is a GED that was issued through the Oregon Department of
>Corrections.
>

Absolutly. We should not jump to such a conclusion. If John's
GED is actually issued through the Oregon Department of Corrections,
or if they have a agreement with a local high school to provide the
exams, we should not jump to conclusions.

862. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q9ikg$m11$3@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 149306

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 02:18:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>> You claimed to
>> be 6'1" tall in a previous message (shown below). According
>> to the recruiting offices here in Phoenix, *all* branches of
>> military services do NOT have a height limitation. The only
>
>Thanks Richard! I always thought that 6 feet was the height limit for
>military service. Hmmm, maybe I'll join the military & try to get
>stationed at Luke AFB near you! Wouldn't that be neat!
>
So you admit you lied.

BTW, there is a problem with your alleged felony convictions and
your getting into the Military, so you might not want to make plans.

>BTW- You are not allowed to use an e-mail address of parg so I
>suggest you not do it anymore.

He did not use PARG. He used P_ARG. Have you considered
having someone read these messages for you?

863. Re: 100% on Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAlexder <malexder@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6q9i3c$1ao$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 149307

>> >(MAlexder) wrote:
>> >> Ever notice that the ones who complain, never seem to post any
>> >>worthwhile info?

williarsch@nandomail.com wrote in message
<6q9glmfra1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> The topic is Chaos! Bill Cheek and the Cheek-A-Likes rool!
>> -

Yet another off-topic post from a first-class whiner. Thank you for
affirming my point so succinctly.

864. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q9ipn$m11$4@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 149308

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 08:12:12 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:

>> But....I *will* throw you a bone to gnaw on,
>> since it is a matter of public record anyway.
>> *One* of my degrees is from the United States
>> Armed Forces Institute, Madison, WI.
>
>That's not enough Bill. You tell the year & the title
>of the degree & THEN that might do it.
>

Now, John, you will provide the same information about your
alleged degree now, won't you?

865. Re: They call Kendrick an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6q9itj$m11$5@207.18.224.79>
Source record: 149309

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 02:46:24 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Third - My sister never died, she is still living in Sioux City.

Chuckle. So, she made it appear that she had died, just
to get away from you? Scary!

>Fourth - I have never assumed guardianship of ANY children.
>Fifth - As usual, this was simply another forge as has often been done!

But, John, in another of your MANY posts I recieved this morning, you
admitted to writing the posts, for Bill.

Which one is it John? Which lie are you caught in this time?

866. FS; SHINWA001 375.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080512355900.IAA28153@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149310

pdoddy@aol.com

867. FS: Pro43 Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc06f$f694ed60$a679f28c@n121h166.pictel.com>
Source record: 149311

Cell and restore mod, manual, box, antenna, leather case. Mint condition.

$260 shipped to 48 states.

Savy

868. FS: 2006 w/456 opto Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc070$59f8f540$a679f28c@n121h166.pictel.com>
Source record: 149312

Cell ready, antenna, original box manual, bright on/off display
mint condition. Will include scancat gold software (newest version).

$450.00 shipped to 48 states

Savy

869. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <029_9808050704@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149313

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
> to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

Hey psycho, want to repeat that claim now?

Come on, I dare you to libel Cheek again.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 1002 of 1012
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> Cheek getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such
surety, eh? :)

*** GEcho/32 1.20/Pro
! Origin: Net 202 -=- TNL Online! -=- R10 RHUB -=- (1:202/777)

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The 9-1-1 Public Safety BBS	PoliceNet 150:100/911
fire.chief@warpgate.com	SafNet 144:8100/911
LEO's FF's SAR CAP	FidoNet 1:202/911
Amateur Radio COMMS	SoCal (619) 669-0835
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___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

870. BCT-10 Manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Trotter <btrotter@NOSPAMearthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35C86921.F087BA57@NOSPAMearthlink.net>
Source record: 149314

If anyone has a copy of the Uniden BCT-10 Beartracker scanner in data format. Scanned into a text file, or document, or an image file, would you mind please sending me a copy. If it is stored anywhere, I could download it.

Also, I am needing a few extras for mine, so if anyone has them, contact

me with your price. I am in need of the window suction mount, and an extended antennae. I would like to run the antennae to a different part of the car for better reception.

In order to reply, remove the NOSPAM from my email address.

Thanks,
Brian
btrotter@earthlink.net

871. Wanted Mint 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Want2006 <havrul@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc07c$650d73a0$a679f28c@n121h166.pictel.com>
Source record: 149315

Mint 2006 with a minimum of cell mod, bright back light w/on-off switch
versus dimmer. I do not want one with the opto in it.
Please send mail if you have one with the details.

thanks

872. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex7uAr.6LM@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149316

As MANY of the members of this NG have asked YOU to do repeatedly...
And your point is..?

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > Yes, Cheek has proven to me he has the degrees he claims. You
>
> The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
> his degrees to you. The members of this NG asked him to provide
> the proof to this NG as a whole.
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

873. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex7uMF.6n2@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149317

You kidding?? Mackeloon doesn't even know what a scanner IS... Thus the
massave amount of garbage posted in the newsgroup by him.

On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 jabberjaw@uunet.com wrote:

> John Mackey - KA0SSF wrote:
> >
> > K4CC wrote:
> > > Just as you have not been able to
> > > provide proof of a degree?
> >
> > No, just as your hero Bill has net been able to provide proof of a
> > degree for over 2 years.
>
>
> Bill has written 3 very excellent books about scanner modifications.
>
> What books have you written? Do you know anything about scanners?
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

874. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM A LIST & AN ECHO!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c88189.67202549@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149318

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > I've been booted off one....read "1"....
> > Fidonet echo, and one mail list.
>
> THANK YOU for that admission Bill. To the best of knowledge at this
> time you are correct.
>
> (You've been kicked off of twice as many forums as me!)

No Smeggie.....just twice as many as you 'fess
up to. But many people KNOW you got booted
from several echoes on Fido, and then out of
Fido itself. And no mail list would have the
likes of you anyway......so that number is
misleading.

You flippin, sacheting, prancing phairie.....

875. Q7A is sold...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: twiggins@gte.net
Message-ID: <6qa0d2$80e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149319
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Howdy.
The Q7A had been sold.

By the way, it seems to be nearly impossible to cancel a message via this service. I'm a computer tech, I carefully wrote down the cancel ID and page, and have still been going through hell (and finally gave up). Deja News seems to have made this as difficult as possible and I won't be using this portal in the future!

I suggest others use alternative methods to post.

Tom

p.s. I tried emailing a query about this a month ago, but never had a reply from Dejanews...bad indicator for the company.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

876. FS: Cellular Conversion Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6qa0tg$d13$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 149320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Ramsey Electronics 800 - 900 MHz Scanner Converter Kit with Case (Model SCN-1). Unassembled with Instructions.

This will convert 800 - 900 MHz to 400 - 550 MHz for use with your scanner.

$70 new will sell for $35 shipped to US address.

Mark
grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu

877. !!!!WANTED HF FREQS FOR RAAF OR USAF....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beanstalk <Beanstalk@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <35C729F2.A998660C@bigpond.com>
Source record: 149326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner

If anyone has the freqs where I can hear any aircraft comms on the HF band, please email to me. I would like to get hold of all RAAF / RAN freqs and some USAF that are well used. Also what mode should I listen in on and is there any better times to monitor?

Answer greatly appreciated!

Richard..

Email reply to: Beanstalk@bigpond.com

878. Re: I NEED SOME HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35c6d3eb.3023608@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 149327

Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:

:In article <1998080101155500.VAA06227@ladder01.news.aol.com>, PDoddy
:<pdoddy@aol.com> writes
:
:
:>I JUST PICKED UP A JEM OF A SCANNER. ITS A SHINWA SR001 FULL COVERAGE SCANNER
:>REMOTE CONTROL, COOOOOOOOOOOOL. IT HAS NO GAPS 25-9999MHZ TRIPLE CONVERSION.
:>DOES ANYBODY KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS PARTICULAR MODEL. I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR
:>COMMENTS THANKS.CONTACT pdoddy@aol.com thanks.

Does it really go to nearly 10 GHz? What is the sensativity like at 9 GHz
and what is to be heard there?

879. Re: Garage door openers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35c6cd39.1309289@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 149328

Gut Thiebaud wrote:

:I am trying to get a detailed understanding of how remote controls for
:opening garage doors work. I would like to know the following:
:What frequencies they operate on, to which extent the different brands /
:models use compatible protocols and what the technical details of these
:protocols are, is there a remote control that can work with any existing
:brand / model?
:Are there any standards that need to be abided by?
:Are there any agency or industry association involved with that field?
:Any detailed technical book on remote control in general that would cover
:this field?

:Thank you in advance for any information you could give me,

:Rym

304 MHz is a common frequency for garage door openers.
See http://www.aca.gov.au for more information.

880. Manual Needed! Badly...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tscommone@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080501125100.VAA03859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149329

I need a manual for a Uniden BC 760XLT, anybody out there that can help me?

tscommone@aol.com
Rick D. Adkins, TSC
Mid Central Region

881. Later BC-200XLT Cell Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: leigh@rain.org
Message-ID: <6q8d5k$d21$1@news.rain.org>
Source record: 149330

I recently bought a used BC-200XLT scanner. It's the later version with the UC-1147A microprocessor. I understand the cell mod for the later version is different, and I found the following mod:

>The newer Bearcat 200XLT modification involves ADDING any 2.2K through
>10K ohm 1/8 or 1/4 (1/8 works better cause its smaller) resistor
>between pin 8 the K1019 IC and the LEFT side of the 10K resistor that
>is right above the UNIDEN UC-1147A microprocessor.

Problem: I can find the 10K resistor mentioned, but I can't find the K1019 IC. (But it does have two K1013 ICs.) Where is K1019?

Thanks in advance. --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE in Santa Barbara, Calif.

882. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: affordNOSPAM@execpc.com
Message-ID: <6q8dtp$9f@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 149331
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

NEC Article 250-113 states: "Grounding conductors and bonding jumpers shall be connected by exothermic welding, listed pressure connectors, listed clamps, or other listed means. Connection devices or fittings that depend solely on solder shall not be used. Sheet metal screws shall not be used to connect grounding conductors to enclosures." The last statement applies to boxes where installers were not using green 10-32 screws for grounding. Caddy Fasteners (Erico) makes exothermic welding systems that are approved for this purpose. Burndy makes listed pressure connections, but the tools are expensive (>$1,500.00). Since Welding, brazing, soldering, silver soldering, & hard soldering are not listed means of connection, they cannot legally be used.

Article 250-83(c)(3) states:The electrode shall be installed such that at least 8 ft of length is in contact with the soil. It shall be driven to a depth not less than 8 ft except that, where rock bottom is encountered, the electrode shall be driven at an oblique angle not to exceed 45 degrees from vertical or shall be buried in a trench that is at least 2 1/2 ft deep. The upper end of the electrode shall be flush with or below ground level unless the above ground end and the grounding electrode conductor attachment are protected against physical damage as specified in section 250-117.

The NEC does not make any recommendation that I could find on the use of ground rings for lightning protection. The NEC is not a design manual, only a legal bare minimum for protection of life and property. I suspect that the recommendation may have appeared in another technical venue.

These standards apply to the grounding of: electrical systems, communication circuits, radio & TV equipment & cable TV systems.

Once the legal minimums have been met, you should be free to do additional specialized grounding to meet unique needs. Burying a ground rod or plate electrode or ground ring close to the surface to protect against lightning or HF shouldn't pose a legal problem, but, bonding all of the various grounding electrodes is recommended (not mandatory) per NEC Article 250-86 FPN No. 2.

This has been an interesting and enLIGHTNING thread. Keep em coming!

Regards,

John R. Grau, a Master Electrician in Wisconsin

In article <35c705b8.36860079@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net says...

>
>On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 00:22:25 -0500, "Tracey-Levin."
<tracey12@swbell.net> wrote:
>>> >It can be welded or silver soldered or brazed depending on
>>> >the material. Welding only really applies to steel or aluminum
>>> >conductors, of course, copper has to be hard soldered or
>>> >brazed. You aren't allowed to soft solder it.
>>
>>Can you explain the difference?
>
>Soft solder is the common lead-tin alloy. It is low temperature,
>and weak. Hard soldering or brazing is a high temperature process
>using a silver or bronze alloy that is strong. That's nearly as good
>as true welding. The joint is nearly as strong as the base material.
>
>The idea here is to not create a failure point under the high current
>flow of a lightning strike. Soft soldered joints can open under those
>currents, brazing and welding won't. (True welding, of course, is
>an actual fusion of the base materials, and produces a joint which
>is essentially identical to the base material. Steel and aluminum
>can be welded, copper needs to be brazed.)
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

883. Re: Blake Bowel's activities under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C77F71.3AE4@parg.org>
Source record: 149332

Blake Bowers wrote:

> They do? Heck, I have not gotten any mail on this! None!
>
> Pretty interesting. I am not on the air but about once every 2-3

Don't worry Blake, unless there is solid proof I will defend your rights.

Just because the officials are often taking notice of your activies does not actually mean you are guilty.

884. Re: Discriminator Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cac3a4.3730237@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149333
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 20:46:48 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Are there any scanners that have built-in access to discriminator output? If
>not, there should be.
>
>It would be nice to use this so I don't have to build the data slicer stuff.

You are a little confused, the discriminator output is little more
then an unfiltered audio output, where the data slicer is a circuit
that brings up the signal to rs-232 levels.
Good luck, it's a very easy and rewarding project that cost's less
then $6

885. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7C136.DDC@parg.org>
Source record: 149334

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> You claimed to
> be 6'1" tall in a previous message (shown below). According
> to the recruiting offices here in Phoenix, *all* branches of
> military services do NOT have a height limitation. The only

Thanks Richard! I always thought that 6 feet was the height limit for military service. Hmmm, maybe I'll join the military & try to get stationed at Luke AFB near you! Wouldn't that be neat!

BTW- You are not allowed to use an e-mail address of parg so I suggest you not do it anymore.

886. Re: Toilet boy's stupidities display as usual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7C33B.47D@parg.org>
Source record: 149335

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> For nearly three years now,

HOW?? I've only been on the internet for 2 years & about 3 weeks!

> > Strange, I've only been on the internet for 2 years & 3 weeks!
>
> Yes, your are one strange lower life form, Toilet Boy. Yet again,
> you lie about your time on the internet. Telling time and reading
> a calendar is something any high school graduate can do. But, you
> never finished high school, let alone earn a college degree, did
> you FOOL. Just so you know, you have been on the net since
> January 1, 1996, when this post debuted:
>
> --
> Subject: Need a base station antenna for cheap
> From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org
> (John Mackey_Jr)
> Date: 1996/01/01
> Message-ID: <f4d_9601020340@crystals.aloha.or.us>

Then the date is incorrect.

> ... You can't truly appreciate being single until after you've
> been married.
> --
>
> Your last sentence would imply you've been married before (perish

So what's your point?

> > Are you saying you knew me before I came to the internet?
>
> Fortunately, no.

Thank you for making my point!

887. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7C3DD.12C0@parg.org>
Source record: 149336

K4CC wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >I've never had KIDS
>
> And the world is a better place for it!

If only your parents had done the same!

888. Re: FS: Pro2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080502334900.WAA13312@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149337

interested. please e-mail pdoddy@aol.com

889. FS :YAESU FT-50 RD HT package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35c7af63.13776508@news>
Source record: 149338
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have the following Yaesu FT-50 RD dual band HT package for sale:

1- FT-50 RD dual band HT
2- FNB 41 5 watt batteries with OPTIONAL spring belt clip
1- FNB-40 2 1/2 watt battery with OPTIONAL spring belt clip
1- MH 34 speaker mike
1- COMET SMA 501 "miracle baby" antenna
1-MAHA MH-101 drop in charger
1- EDC6 DC adaptor
1-SMA to BNC adaptor
1-ADMS 1D software and cable package

Retail NEW for above is app. $670.00

Selling package for $350.00 shipped to 48, pre-paid. NO CODs
NO TRADES

E-Mail if interested

Dan

890. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7C5D0.4E32@parg.org>
Source record: 149339

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Yes, Cheek has proven to me he has the degrees he claims. You

The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
his degrees to you. The members of this NG asked him to provide
the proof to this NG as a whole.

891. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7C5E9.731E@parg.org>
Source record: 149340

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> As always mackey you lie , I know your behind all of the mail bombs, roger is
> one of your buddies.

Then take action, GO FOR IT!

892. They call Kendrick an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C7C7BA.20C3@parg.org>
Source record: 149341

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> During the period from May 3 1996 to June 23, 1996, you used
> the address of traveler@cyberway.net. You posted a total of

Was it YOU doing these forges or was it Cheek? Plus, what makes
you think it was ME? (just morbid curiosity -this will be real
interesting!)

> Subject: Bed wetting with native american children
> From: traveler@cyberway.net
> Date: 1996/06/23
> Message-ID: <31CD1178.1579@cyberway.net>
> Newsgroups: alt.native
>
> 2 years ago my sister died & I assumed guardianship of her 2 children.

First - I have never had any children
Second - My sister never had children.
Third - My sister never died, she is still living in Sioux City.
Fourth - I have never assumed guardianship of ANY children.
Fifth - As usual, this was simply another forge as has often been done!

893. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080503253200.XAA26055@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149342

Has anyone actually tried using a scanner while airborn? I once used a cheap radio shack reciever (anaol) and could only hear my own plane.

894. Re: Cellular Encryption Devices for Analog 800 mhz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Neighbor <"Your Neighbor"@neighborhoodwatch.org>
Message-ID: <35C7D45C.E05DA41B@neighborhoodwatch.org>
Source record: 149343
Cross-posted to: alt.cellular,alt.cellular.motorola,alt.cellular.phone-tec,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

FESTERO wrote:
>
> Anyone know of any companies that make/sell encryption devices for analog
> AMPS cellular voice calls? It doesn't have to be the absolute
> best/latest/greatest technology, just an improvement over normal analog
> security, and reasonably affordable.
>
> I'm trying to research options for a customer, but keep running into dead
> ends.
>
> Dave **ADIDAS** (All Day I Dream About See-gars)

Transcrypt may have what you are looking for

http://www.transcrypt.com

Guess Who Is Listening?

BACKGROUND

We have now entered the information age and with that entrance we have discovered a new set of issues and challenges. One of these issues is the dramatic increase in the value of sensitive information, which has created a new industry called information security.

The importance of this issue is best illustrated in the recent congressional hearings in February 1996, where it was estimated that US businesses would lose nearly $100 billion dollars per year from foreign espionage. We are clearly in a technology war where people daily are trying to uncover sensitive information about celebrities, competitors, and governments. We have entered an era full of special intrigue as new technology weapons are used to gather confidential information. The gadgets of the James Bond movies are no longer available only on celluloid.

The public, however, is still not fully aware of the level of the problem regarding information security. The House Telecommunications Committee held hearings in February 1997 to review the security problems of cellular communications. This is a serious problem facing the public and business today. If you do not believe it, just ask House Speaker Newt Gingrich, Senator Robb, President Carter or the Prince of Wales.

The problem of cellular security is not limited to just celebrities. It effects people everyday in their work and personal lives. Salespeople lose leads to competitors, lawyers lose attorney client-privileged information, and doctor's information on patient medical records is leaked. In addition, investment bankers and business leaders fear SEC violations via

interception of sensitive SEC restricted information.

The problem is more widespread than most people believe. This is illustrated by a recent event in Canada where two people wanted to discover if people were actually monitoring cellular calls in Calgary, Alberta. The two individuals used a fabricated story, which they discussed on a cellular phone. They stated that a local radio station would be giving a prize to the first person to call the station the next morning. The radio station had nine calls the following morning all claiming the prize. This story certainly makes you wonder who is listening to your conversations.

SECURITY NEEDS TODAY

Today, security is a necessity in many different communication fields, such as cellular, landline phones, land mobile radios and data security for computers, computer networks, Internet, and electronic commerce. Analog cellular communications has a serious security problem as inexpensive analog scanners are used by millions of people daily, with many people illegally monitoring and divulging sensitive information.

Today's Communication Security Risk
Security Risk
Communication Device High Medium Low
Telephony
Cellular
Analog X
Digital X
PCS
Digital X
Landline Phones
International X
Long Distance MicroWave X
Faxes X
Voice Mail X
Land Mobile Radio
Analog X
Digital-APCO-25 X
Digital-APCO-25/DES X
Data
Computers X
Internet X
Electronic Commerce X

DIGITAL SECURITY MYTH

Today, some people believe the move from analog to digital transmissions will in itself solve the security problem. Some digital cellular or PCS carriers have claimed their equipment is secure just by the virtue of it being digital. Digital transmissions are no more secure than analog unless some type of encryption is used on the audio signal. Currently equipment that can be used for receiving digital cellular calls is costly and in limited supply. As digital moves from its infancy, this equipment will be

come less costly and readily available. Once again, leaving the user without security.

Some digital products have encryption, which will prevent unauthorized interception of communications. These products, such as the new APCO 25 digital radios have DES security optionally built into the unit. Many people in the know believe that more digital products will continue to be manufactured with encryption, which will alleviate the problems we are currently facing. Don't get caught in the digital security myth, remember digital transmission without encryption is not secure and the current lack of affordable scanners does not assure security.

THREE LEVELS OF INFORMATION PIRATES

Security experts divide information pirates into three groups:

1. The hobbyist, who is a casual eavesdropper with armed with a low cost analog scanner. Hobbyist's listen to scanners daily to learn of good gossip and interesting events. This tends to be a low cost form of entertainment. They want to know the scoop on who is doing what to whom, when, where and why. They listen to police and fire calls as well as cellular calls. Hobbyist's scan the airwaves for hot information and then perhaps tape a "good one" and share it with other hobbyist's or members of a local scanner club. The hobbyists are sometimes police or fire buffs, retired people, or simply the curious.

2. The next levels of security pirates are called the "Techies." These people may be the so-called computer hacker or other electronic buff that possesses technical knowledge and more sophisticated equipment. These people intercept the transmission of a targeted individual. These types of pirates are generally very private and very motivated, often just by the thrill of accomplishment.

3. The final level of security pirates is the "Specialist." These individuals have a complete range of equipment, running the gamut from analog to digital scanners plus sophisticated electronic surveillance equipment. These people have no alliances and usually contract their services to the highest bidder, whether a hostile foreign government, organized crime or a business competitor. These people are very serious threats and perform very targeted operations. Recent movies, such as "Sneakers" illustrate the capabilities, intelligence, strategies, and ingenuity of the "Specialist."

Profile of Information Pirate

Level I Level II Level III
Technique
Targeted Targeted Random

Profile Hobbyist, Techie, Hacker Governmental, Corporate,
Media and Criminal Espionage

Analog Scanner, Digital Analog Scanner, Digital
Equipment Analog Scanner, High Speed Scanner, High Speed
Scanner Computer, Wiretap,
Computer, Modem
Electronic Surveillance
Economic information,
Motivation Gossip, Technology feat, National security
News Economic information
information, Police

INFORMATION SECURITY PRODUCTS

Several important technologies and products have been developed to fight the unauthorized interception of communications. These products use both analog scrambling and digital encryption technologies to actually hide the communication. Other technologies such as authentication cards and firewalls are also in use, but they only attempt to block access. One first needs to access the level of security that is required to protect their information. Security levels begin with locks and keys and end with encryption or scrambling of information.

SUMMARY

Today, companies have developed products that provide security to cellular, landline, computer networks, electronic commerce, and the Internet.

One of the early leaders in this market was Transcrypt International Inc.(NASDAQ:TRII) They became the first company to develop a cellular security product as a result of the San Francisco earthquake. In this disaster, public safety officials were forced to use cellular phones, but the transmissions were intercepted and broadcast by the media. Transcrypt, as a result, developed a product based on their Crypto Plus(security technology that has been in use by public safety officials for over 10 years in their land mobile radios. Transcrypt first began developing products to meet the needs of police and governments throughout the world starting with land mobile radio in 1978. The company now has customers in 108 countries and list many prestigious customers such as the German National Police, Scotland Yard, Hong Kong Police and federal and public safety customers in all 50 states.

Transcrypt's vision is to provide customers with a total secure office. Therefore, all cellular, landline, computers, and electronic commerce transactions can be secured. The company believes this will meet the needs of companies and governments that have highly valuable information.

The world of James Bond has now become a reality for leading governments and corporations worldwide who need to fully protect their intellectual property and private communications.

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895. Re: Discriminator Output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c7d710.23549754@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149344

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

> <higher ended radios might>
> Ok - I might look into that, or just build one on to my old PRO-2028. I wish
> I could modify this one for 800 access, but I am not sure it can be.

I am. It can't. :-)

> <do it yourself!>
> That is the truth. However, I just don't want to possibly damage a scanner
> and have to buy a new one.

No lugnuts, no glory..... <shrug>
Life is just chock full of compromises
and tradeoffs.

Just remember that he who dies with the
most toys still dies.

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896. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c7d77e.1685858@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149345

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 17:12:05 GMT, PakRat@anonymous.com (PakRat) wrote:

>Your entire statement is incorrect. The tower freq. at my airport is
>118.7. The 108 to 117.95 is used for navigation facilites.
>
>You need to do your homework a little better.
>On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 10:00:03 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>That is correct. Many airports use the lower end of the aircraft band, about
>>118 to 120 for each of their runways. 108 to 118 is used mainly for aircraft
>>tracking, and above 120 is tower to aircraft (and vice versa) communication.

He just wanted to take a shot at contradicting me! Too bad he didn't
do any research first!

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897. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c8d7bc.23721886@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149346

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com> wrote:

> Ben wrote:
>
> > Anyone know of one that isn't all stupid flame??

> This one, about 5 years ago, before a pair of idiots found it convenient to rant
> at/about each other in..

And......you are one of them, I see......
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898. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c9d894.23937291@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149347

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > But haven't YOU ever been booted off a
> > forum before?
>
> Only once, not nearly as many times as you have been booted off fido
> echos or not allowed to join other forums!

I've been booted off one....read "1"....
Fidonet echo, and one mail list. So
again, you lie like a rug, even on details
of total insignificance.

You friggin fruitloop.......

899. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cad90b.24056251@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149348

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Well, all I ever heard him sniveling about
> > was his kids'
>
> hehehehehehe, I've never had KIDS Bill!

We KNOW that, shitferbrains. But your squaw
had a passel of 'em and you had to change
their wet bedding every morning.

I read your posts to some shrink or psycho
newsgroup 2-3 years about it. Don't deny
it, you flippin fruitcake.......
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900. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c9db42.2649538@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149349

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 19:45:46 GMT, dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri) wrote:

>x-no-archive: yes In article
><1998080417460200.NAA10457@ladder03.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com
>(MAlexder) wrote:
>
>
>> Ever notice that the ones who complain, never seem to post any
>>worthwhile info?
>
>Would you estimate the ratio of your off / on topic posts for us?
>Honestly? I know what mine is.
>I dont think you will do this, Malexander. But please, give it a shot.

Yeah, I know what yours is also! According to dejanews you are at 100% off-topic at this time, thus proving the point that was being made!!

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901. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cbda43.24369011@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149350

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org> wrote:

> KA0SSF "I'm the Queen Liar around here and don't you forget
> it!" <jmackey@parg.org> tried to bore us with more of his lies:
>
> > > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > > Well, all I ever heard him sniveling about was his kids'
>
> > hehehehehehe, I've never had KIDS Bill!

> Let's just see about that, Toilet Boy.
>
> During the period from May 3 1996 to June 23, 1996, you used
> the address of traveler@cyberway.net. You posted a total of
> nineteen messages to various newsgroups using that address.
> Four were simple test messages, ten were radio related, and
> five were related to the issue of 'your children'.

Wheeeeeeeeeee! You saved 'em! Way to go!
I don't know right off where my archives are,
but was just about motivated to go hunting
for 'em. But you got 'em! Yaaaahoooooo!

And I plumb forgot ol' Smacksie played as
"Traveler" of the cyberhighway.net at that
time....but it sure comes back to me now.

Geezus H. Kriste, that dang fool is one
mother of a friggin liar.......

902. WTB: Opto 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: choad98@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6q8ftuqb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149351

I am looking to buy an Opto 535. If anyone has one to sell, please let me know. I have the $.

Thanks!

Mike

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

903. Re: Best connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cadbe0.2807940@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149352

On Mon, 3 Aug 1998 17:05:32 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>No, and if you choose to post rediculous comments, instead send them by
>email so you don't make yourself look like a fool when I've already been
>corrected.

Sorry, you and your dad mackey are the only two that act like fools in
the NG currently!

>Also, TNC connectors give good mechanical connections (no rocking). PL-259
>(UHF) connectors have a higher impedance and loss. I prefer "N" connectors
>because of very low loss on the 2m and 440 bands, and there isn't any
>rocking.

Do you really? Good for you! When did you get your 80cm rig anyway?

>I don't know much about mini-UHF, so shut up before boasting your alleged
>ability to know more than I do.

What?..wait, never mind I don't care!

>Too, think before you post.

Bahahaha, please practice what you preach! Oh wait, didn't you the
king of crying about 1k html binaries just post a whopper in here!
Poor little hypocrite, I hope you grow up someday! I'm really glad
that school season is starting soon!

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904. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ccdb1d.24586281@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149353

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Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > > Here MAlexder goes again protecting his little buddy Bill from any harm!
>
> > I told Peetie Boe I'd
> > give him Peetie Laws' e-mail address if
>
> Bill, I was talking to MAlexder in regards

......Scuse me? YOU don't "talk" to
anyone, Smacksie. You lie to 'em is
about it.

> Are you & MAlexder the same? (we always knew
> you had an AOL account, now we know your ID!)

Who's "we" liverlips? You trying to talk for
others again?

> > Just the fact that my e-mailer uses RRQ's,
> > which Peetie Laws and his green weenie
> > boys didn't like. So what?
>
> You could have but that feature off but you didn't.

Noooo, and I won't, either. Not on a bet!

> (You could have even used different software)

Wellllllll...."could" is a stupid word. I
WON'T use anything but Outlook 98. If folks
don't like it, they can eat my shorts. Tough.

> But you decided to continue to use the RRQ feature

No dungbreath, I didn't "decide" any such. Once
I implemented it last year, that was that. It
was implemented to stay.
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> trying to use the thin excuse that it was a part of
> your server.

Good grief, are you ever stupid. I said then and
I say now....I use RRQ's as a management tool.
No, RRQ's are NOT a part of my server. Why? Did
Peetie Blowhard Boe blow that one up your cavernous
poopy?

> But others saw thru your lies & held you accountable.

No lies to it, fecesbreath. And no accountability,
either. I do what I do and others are free to take
it or leave it.....and there is always a standing
invitation to eat my shorts.

> RRQ's are considered poor etiquite on mail lists

Just by green weenies and idiots who don't know
any better how to deal with them.

> You wanted to use it to know when people were online & what
> address/system they were using. A clear cut violation of the
> terms of use for that system.

RRQ's where NOT a "Terms of Use" for that system.
And RRQ's are not for finding out who is on line and
about their "address/systems".....you're grasping
at straws because you're so wretchedly stupid.

> I've got the postcard you sent me 2 years ago, remember?
> (would you like me to post the scanned image if it again?)

Sure, go ahead. Post anything you want, Dingleberry.

> Lets see, how many different Fido echos were you booted from
> or not allowed onto?

Booted from one.

> How many e-mail lists were you booted from or not allowed onto?

One.

But YOU? You're not even allowed IN Fido
anymore, period. And no mail list would have
the likes of you.

You friggin nincompoop.......

905. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cddfea.25816066@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149354

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> According to Bill's statements, it is still valid.

What an idiotic statement made by an idiot-savant.
How can it be possible for a 1st Class Phone with
Radar Endorsement be valid anymore?

That can't be, and so I didn't claim that it was.
I SAID I got my 1st Class Phone with Radar Endorsement
in 1966 and held it ever since until they did away
with that class.

> > > Bill said he was a current member. By your own statement he
> > > is NOT a current member.

I did not say I was a current member, dungferbrains.
I said I was a member of MENSA and I was!!!!! I was
also a member of the IEEE, ISA, APCO, APCA, and a
dozen other professional societies over the years.
The kind where if YOU tried to get in, they'd unzip
and hose you down to make you at least SMELL like
a man......

> Regardless, he IS NOT a currrent member as he stated he was.

No, I am not a "current" member, simply because I
chose not to pay the dues. I didn't say I was a
current member, beanbrain. Bit I *was* a member
of MENSA....and I *am* lifetime qualified for
instant re-entry any time I cough up the dues.

YOU? You can't even qualify for the BLOA.
(Body Lice Association of America)

You friggin dope......

906. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cee2c4.26545881@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149355

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > Yes, Cheek has proven to me he has the degrees he claims. You
>
> The members of this NG never asked him to provide the proof of
> his degrees to you. The members of this NG asked him to provide
> the proof to this NG as a whole.

Noooooooooooo, the "members" of this newsgroup
did NOT. There are NO "members", period. Only
YOU and one other dude raised a snivel about it,
and I'll be damned if I'm going to make it
easy for you to go harangue my alma mater. Besides,
I don't address your questions except on MY terms.
Nothing valid ever comes outa you anyway.

But....I *will* throw you a bone to gnaw on,
since it is a matter of public record anyway.
One of my degrees is from the United States
Armed Forces Institute, Madison, WI. And
that's just ONE of 'em.

So go play with that one and nurse on it for
all its worth. You always did like a big
ol' bone in your mouth. So go for it, Smacksie.
Milk it!

You friggin waltzing clingberry fairy.

907. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cce4b4.5068479@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149356
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 14:55:26 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>>So the soil here is dry and sandy for the first 3 feet, then is
>>permeated with ground water which seems to vary from 5 to 8 feet down
>>through out the year. My ground rod's are 2-10 foot 3/4 inch hard
>>copper pipe separated by 6 feet and tied together with #6 copper . Is
>>this an safe (lightning) and adequate (rf) ground setup? Connected
>>from the base of a discone to the rods with un insulated #6 copper.
>>Should my radio be able to survive a direct hit at the antenna?
>
>That's a marginal ground for lightning mitigation. The downlead is
>fine, but the rods need to be separated by at least twice their length
>to avoid charge saturation of their mutual volumes of soil during a strike.
>And you'd like a much more extensive shallow system to conduct the RF
>surface currents away from the strike point, IE a set of buried radials
>or a Ufer ground would be a big help.

>Now a good ground *alone* will not protect your equipment from a strike.
>There are other steps which *must* be taken to give you that level of
>protection. Foremost of those is to use ground window technique for
>your radio room. And you must use proper suppression for any conductors
>carrying signals or power to and from your equipment. And layout can
>be critically important. For example, never swing the coax overhead
>from its support to the radio room. Always bring it completely down
>to ground level first, and then bring it over to the radio room. At least
>the shield should be grounded at the point where you bring it to ground
>level, and preferrably you'll use the same sort of suppressor at that
>point that you'll also use at the ground window.
>
>I've posted extensively on lightning mitigation technique over the
>past several years, consult Dejanews for some of those posts.
>You *can* ride out direct hits if you do everything just right. But
>if you do just one thing wrong, your protective efforts can be voided.
>There is no room for error here.
>
>Lightning mitigation is a very specialized field. There are only a few
>dozen professionals in the US who are competent to do the job right.
>Ideally, you'll consult with one of those, but you probably won't because
>they don't work cheap. You *can* do it yourself, but you need to learn a
>*lot* of detailed things in order to do it right. A fair start can be the book
>published by Polyphaser titled "The Grounds for Lightning and EMP
>Protection". Most of what is in there is accurate and helpful.

>A book that is not very helpful is the ARRL Antenna Book, and also the
>Handbook, which repeats some of what is in the Antenna Book. Some very
>faulty practices are recomended in both. If you follow their recomendations,
>you most probably *will* suffer equipment damage in a strike.

Thank goodness I disconnect my equipment when I am away from the
radio's! We had a HUGE storm today while I was away in which my tree
mounted discone was hit according to my neighbor anyway! He told me
that lightning hit the top of my tree and split into 2 and went to the
ground! I'm assuming it came down the two downleads to the ground
rods. It was dark when I learned this so I can't inspect the antenna
now, which still functions normally, but the ground rod connections
didn't show any signs of damage..I'll know more when I get to the top
of the tree. Anyway, thanks for the excellent advice..looks like I've
got a lot of reading to do!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

908. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Kearton <dkearton@erico.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc02d$f58901a0$92d06ccb@dkearton>
Source record: 149357
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> is between the rod and the sky. BUT - your way of
> stating this is better than mine. The gist of what you are
> saying, as I see it, is that lightning rods cause lightning
> strikes to the "preferred target" (ie the rods) rather than
> to the thing being protected.

Lightning rods aren't the perfect "preferred target" for a lightning discharge (I know that nobody said they were ;-)

Some of the issues with Franklin rods include ...

* Excessive corona buildup, which impedes the progress of the upward streamer

* Premature or uncontrolled streamer initiation , i.e.: due to the rod's sharp pointy shape - a streamer can be initiated while the background electrostatic field is below the streamer propagation level of 250-300kV/m

This accounts for the number of strikes that have bypassed a Franklin rod - to strike the corner of a building or a Microwave antenna.

Our company has worked in this field for over 20 years and have produced a successful range of Early Streamer Emission terminals. Consider them to be an enhanced Franklin rod that has successfully overcome the above limitations. Coupled with a downconductor that contains all of the lightning current, it has been a proven system in Australia and S-E Asia over the last 10-15 years.

If you'd like a copy of some of the technical papers that support these claims, please send me an Email. One of the papers is a statistical analysis of 65 terminals , installed over the last 10 years in Hong Kong with > 400 strikes with NO bypasses.

Thanks for your time <disconnect plug mode>

Regards

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Ed Schick <schick@#us.ibm.com> wrote in article
<35c75a5d.0@news1.ibm.net>...
> I agree with principles you mentioned, except the following:
> "This has been well understood since Franklin invented
> the lightning rod some 200 years ago."
>
> Well understood??
> Not hardly. But aside from that, lightning rods DO prevent
> lightning strikes, exactly as you mentioned. They provide
> a good (in relation to what they are protecting) discharge
> path, thus preventing the strike from hitting the protected
> thing (assumedly, your house/building). Instead, the strike
> is between the rod and the sky. BUT - your way of
> stating this is better than mine. The gist of what you are
> saying, as I see it, is that lightning rods cause lightning
> strikes to the "preferred target" (ie the rods) rather than
> to the thing being protected.
>
> The discharge will occur earlier in the "charge cycle"
> from a pointed object than from a blunt object, all other
> conditions being equal. Thus lightning rods become the
> preferred target, as you mentioned.
>
> Ed
>
>
> Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> > NO! Lightning rods don't prevent lightning strikes. The purpose of the
> > lightning rod is to become the preferred *target* of lightning strikes.
> > Since it is engineered to safely handle the discharge, it protects
other
> > structures nearby from being struck by offering itself as the preferred
> > strike target. This has been well understood since Franklin invented
> > the lightning rod some 200 years ago.
> > ...
> > Since it is *designed* to be the most heavily streaming object
> > in the area, it becomes the preferred target for strikes. So
> > other objects in the area, which aren't engineered to tolerate
> > strike currents, aren't subjected to them.
> >
> > Gary
> > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> > 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> > Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
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909. Re: YAESU FRG-9600 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Keith E. Risler" <keith_risler@zdnetmail.com>
Message-ID: <6q8oo2bgc1@nntp2.uunet.ca>
Source record: 149358

I can't help with the U.S. price but I can relay a published used value for Canada that gives a ballpark reference for U.S. pricing. The 1998 Haruteq frequency Guide for Ontario, Canada has a list of current used scanner prices.

According to the book, the scanner you listed sold new in 1986 in Canada for a list price of $899.00. It's used value is listed as $200.00-250.00 Canadian dollars. So, $400.00 U.S. would seem a bit steep.

Keith E. Risler

Maxextent wrote in message
<19980804122138800.IAA08355@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>I have been loaned the following scanner on a try it / buy it basis:
>
> YAESU UHF/VHF Communications Receiver
> MODEL# FRG-9600
>
> Range: 60-905 MHZ (continuous)
> Modes, 3dB Bandwidth: FM Narrow (15 khz bw)
> FM Wide (180 khz bw)
> AM Narrow (2.4 khz bw)
> AM Wide (6 khz bw)
> SSB (2.4 khz bw)
>
> The specifications go on and on....
>
> It also has the optional video output, which permits the connection of
> a video monitor.
>
> I have used it for a while now, and it performs very well. I would
guess
> it was manufactured before 1990. The person that loaned it to me
> produced a receipt from 1990, and he purchased it used.
>
> How much is this radio worth? What would a seasoned veteran offer
> for this radio? Is $400.00 too much?
>
> Thanks for any and all responses.
>
> max

910. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <9CFC00EC100EDFC3.F289F1809F320C68.B1CF62975168D82E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 149359

this is sad...why dont these guys take it somewhere else?

911. Re: Twin Cities Intl Airport freqs wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cdee3f.7511933@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149360

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 19:47:20 GMT, djbond@citilink.com wrote:

>TIA

http://www.airnav.com/airports/

What you are looking for should be there!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

912. this ng is sad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <E002DB4E744C92FF.1FD11CF60F610B30.51B8DC885B8925A1@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 149361

i cant believe this!...i come here looking for scanner info and it seems like there is about 3 or 4 people who take this as a place to write one line comments about each other....sorry for a post like this but hey...i couldnt help but notice...i was really looking for some info on a pro-2001....anybody have one of these scanners?..it is a great scanner and i was wondering if anyone had any mods that could be done to it...thanks

913. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: steveREMOVETHIS@psychonet.net
Message-ID: <35c7f3cd.632211480@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 149362
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Well overall I'd guess its a POCSAG paging signal thats badly mixed
with one or more other RF carriers, it sounds like a really nasty
image of some sort...

Steve

On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:57:27 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Please play the attached WAV file. What I want to know is, what type of
>paging system is this?
>
>Thanks. I apologize for the size of this post -- I tried to get the sound as
>small as possible.

914. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35c7e559.9627254@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 149363

On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 19:44:30 GMT, "John T. Arthur"
<cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> wrote:

>On Mon, 3 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
>
>> Bill Cheek wrote:
>> > Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
>>
>>
>> Bill's very own words!!!!!!1
>
>So..? He also explained what happened.
>
>When are you going to present proof of your degree(s)?? As if you have
>one...
>

John might have a degree but we shouldn't jump to the conclusion
that it is a GED that was issued through the Oregon Department of
Corrections.

915. Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35c7e731.10099993@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 149364

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 06:10:47 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> Hey, Johnny Bluejeans, your posts show a parg.org message ID
>> in the headers but you claim that you can't post from there.
>
>With most internet software for mail & news, you can put just about any
>e-mail address you want. I am on MCI, but I always use wither my
>USA.NET address or
>PARG address.

I think Sal was referring to the Message- ID that a posting host
assigns to each message that serves to identify it. See below:

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Path:
news.eli.net!uunet!uunet!in4.uu.net!nntp.abs.net!newsfeed.internetmci.com!208.159.126.161!
news.mci2000.com!not-for-mail

Message-ID: <35C6A625.7C4A@parg.org> <======================== This!

From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Reply-To: jmackey@parg.org
Organization: PARG
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.04Gold (Win95; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: K4CC is a FOOL!! Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?
References: <35C4E562.3797@parg.org>
<1998080223245901.TAA27039@ladder03.news.aol.com>
<35C5658F.508B@parg.org> <6q5c3r$aj3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 8
Date: Tue, 04 Aug 1998 06:10:47 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: 166.55.5.110
NNTP-Posting-Date: Tue, 04 Aug 1998 06:10:47 GMT
Xref: news.eli.net rec.radio.scanner:361

sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Hey, Johnny Bluejeans, your posts show a parg.org message ID
> in the headers but you claim that you can't post from there.

With most internet software for mail & news, you can put just about
any
e-mail address you want. I am on MCI, but I always use wither my

USA.NET address or
PARG address.
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916. Re: Allsafe makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35c7ea9f.10977475@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 149365

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 05:27:34 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>allsafe wrote:
>> Mackey did a stint as a sailor after high school. Anyhoo, he got
>
>heheheehehehehhe, LAUGHS ARE ON YOU!!!
>I'm too tall for military service so I have never been in the military!

Translation: Classified 4-F for psychological reasons.

917. Re: Another Mackey Miracle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35c7f156.930154@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 149366

On 04 Aug 1998 15:42:50 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> claims:
>
>>You THOUGHT you had found my father but
>>it actually was ME!
>
>Not only is he the one beside himself in
>photographs, he is his own father.

Worst case of inbreeding I've ever heard of!

918. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35c81933.1995649@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149367

On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:36:28 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
<brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:

>So am I left to just extensive trial and error?
>

What system are you trying to figure out? I bet someone has already
done it and it's posted on the web somewhere.

>The system has 10 channels. It was one of the first trunked systems
>installed in the early 80's. They started with 5 channels and a few years
>later added 5 more, but there is still just one control channel. I have no
>idea when Motorola introduced type II systems, or if they could have
>upgraded their system along the way. I know they have thousands of radios
>in use.
>
>- My assumption is that since I get some of the traffic in default mode
>(Type II), but not all of it, that it must be a hybrid system. Is that a
>safe assumption, or will a "type 1 only" system also get picked up by the
>BC895 in type II mode? How can I tell for sure if it is a hybrid or type 1?
>

Even with a Type I system if you have set the scanner to Type II
(default mode) you will still be able to track some of the traffic
some of the time. This is due to the fact that responses occurring
within a couple of seconds or so of the last PTT release don't change
channels on most systems.

As far as what you see on the scanner display is concerned; If you are
looking at a Type I system through the lens of a Type II fleet map the
radio is just translating Type I IDs to what looks like Type II IDs
The same is true in reverse if you are looking at a Type II system
with a Type I fleet map. So the fact that you are seeing stuff doesn't
really mean a whole lot.

>- Is the only way to determine block size to listen to see if I am missing
>any traffic? I can compare traffic on a conventional 800Mhz scanner so it
>is easy to tell, but there may be less used fleets or sub fleets that would
>take forever to determine if I was missing their traffic. Then, if I find
>out 3 months later that my block sizes were set wrong, all the IDs I had
>documented would no longer be correct. Is there a better way?
>

Not really.

>- Also, after listening for a while (I've only had it one day), some blocks
>never show up. I have seen 0,1,4,6, and 7 but none of the others. Does

>that indicate anything (like a S-12 type setting that takes up more than one
>block), or are they just not being used?
>

If you have the fleet map set up in the default mode then there's just
no activity in those blocks. If you have some blocks set as Type I
then the reason may well be due to the size code you have selected.
You can check this by stepping through all the blocks and noting the
assigned size code.

This is a section from the TrunkTrac manual which describes a method
for determining fleet maps. It should work for the Trunktrackers too.

With TrunkTrac you can turn off individual blocks so that you don't
even see IDs in the block's range. You can't do that with the
Trunktrackers. Instead leave those blocks set to S0 and just ignore
the resultant Type II IDs you see.

You can tell which block a particular Type II ID came from by dividing
it by 8192 and discarding the fractional part. For example, if you see
the ID 12555 you would suspect that it is not a Type II ID since it's
odd. To determine which block it came from divide 12555 by 8192
obtaining 1.533. Discard the fractional part to obtain 1 which is the
block in question. If you have a fair number of IDs like that from
block 1 you can assume the block is not really a Type II block as you
have it set.

SIZE-CODE DETERMINATION FOR UNKNOWN FLEET MAPS

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If you don't know the Fleet Map for a Type I or Hybrid system you'll
have to somehow figure it out the size-code assignments yourself.

Details concerning how size-codes are selected by the builders of a
particular Type I system are highly dependent on the specific needs of
the users of the system. Some organizations will want many subfleets
but have only a few radios, others may have lots of radios, but need
only a few subfleets. In any case, you will want to program TrunkTrac
with the same size-code assignments as the trunked system. If you can
do this you'll be able to accurately track all the fleet-subfleets
combinations extant on the system. Unless you already know these
size-codes however, you'll have to guess at them. This isn't as hard
as it seems: you only need to figure out one block at a time, then
when you are confident it's correct, you can work on the next one,
until they're all done. The process is fairly simple if you take a
systematic approach to the problem.

First, set all blocks to a size-code of S0. Turn all the blocks off.
Then turn one block at a time on and note whether the IDs you see
during program operation are predominately even or a mix of even and
odd. If the IDs are even, then the block should most likely keep the
S0 size-code assignment making it a Type II block. If the IDs show a

fairly equal mix of even and odd numbers, then the block is most likely a Type I block and you'll have to determine what size-code to assign to it.

For most public safety systems there are a few size code which are used more often than most; S3 and S4 are probably the most common, followed by S10, S11, and S12. What you should do is first program block 0 with a likely size code. Turn off the remaining blocks. Listen to TrunkTrac with Delay on. After listening for some time, decide if you are hearing most of the replies to the conversations you hear. If you are able to track conversations consistently, you have probably selected the right size-code If not, try a different size-code and repeat until you have found the right one. Do this, until you've programmed all the blocks.

As an aid to determining the correct size-code for Type I blocks some additional understanding of size-codes and what they really mean may be helpful.

When a block is assigned a size code, the resultant fleet(s) created within that block are given a designation dependent on the block number, and size code. For example; if you assign block 1 a size code of S10, you create within the block, (see the size-code chart) four fleets. These would be numbered 100, 101, 102, and 103. If you also assign block 3 the S10 size code, you'll get fleets 300, 301, 302, and 303. The leftmost digit represents the block, while the remaining digits designate which fleet within the block is being referred to. Nevertheless, the nomenclature is such that whenever the term fleet is used, it refers to all three digits. In general, the size-code determines the number of subfleets, and the number of total individual IDs that can be accommodated within them, as well as the total number of fleets contained within a block. A size code of S1 for instance, creates a block with 128 fleets. Each fleet contains 4 subfleets, and provides 16 individual IDs for each fleet. A block assigned a size code of S4 on the other hand, can contain only a single fleet. However, this is a large fleet; it has 16 subfleets and 512 individual IDs. Some fleets are so large they span two, four, or all eight blocks. The size-code chart shows these details for all 14 size codes.

If you have some idea of the function and size of a group of users on the trunked system you can make an intelligent guess regarding which size-codes might be reasonable to apply to that group of users. For most public safety systems there are a few size code which are used more often than most; S3 and S4 are probably the most common, followed by S10, S11, and S12. If you are trying to program the Fleet Map for a commercial SMR or business trunked system you should try Preset Fleet Map 8 first, as this is a commonly applied Fleet Map for these systems.

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S I Z E C O D E C H A R T
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Uniden Moto Subfleets IDs Fleets Blocks Used
S1 A 4 16 128
1
S2 B 8 64 16
1
S3 C 8 128 8
1
S4 D 16 512 1
1
S5 E 4 32 64
1
S6 F 8 32 32
1
S7 G 4 64 32
1
S8 H 4 128 16
1
S9 I 4 256 8
1
S10 J 8 256 4
1
S11 K 16 256 2 1
S12 M 16 1024 1 2
S13 O 16 2048 1 4
S14 Q 16 4096 1 8

>...and by the way, Greg, thanks for making this technology available to the
>public! Did Motorola ever come after you?
>
>Brett - N7OLQ
>

They made a low pass or two but we were able to satisfy
them that we had not infringed any of their patents.

Greg Knox

919. Re: Another Mackey Gigglefest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <6q8vmqqks1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149368

In article <19980804154252200.LAA26111@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> Major John Mackey of the Commode Corps, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >heheheehehehehhe, LAUGHS ARE ON YOU!!!
> >I'm too tall for military service so I have never been in the military!
> >
>
> Also too stupid, and goes "heehee" way too much.
>

And they didn't have that "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy
back then. Ha! Ha! Ha! Too tall! Yeah, right!

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

920. Re: And They Call Him Toilet Boy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6q90qp$s4l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149369

In article <35cbda43.24369011@news2.cts.com>,
bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:

<snippo>

> Geezus H. Kriste, that dang fool is one
> mother of a friggin liar.......
>

Johnny Boy's mendaciousness is only exceeded
by his duplicity. He lies so much, he can't
keep his stories straight.

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

921. Re: Phone channels in 450-470mHz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Barnes <stepbar@nortel.nojunk_please.co.uk>
Message-ID: <35C7FFD6.FE187D4D@nortel.nojunk_please.co.uk>
Source record: 149370

David S Chesler wrote:
>
> In article <35C37382.40406601@cec2.aps.edu>,
> Matthew H. Fogle <foglem@cec2.aps.edu> wrote:
> >get a lot of what appear to be cordless phones in the 450-470mHz range;
> >does anyone know what these are? My only guess was I am receiving a half
> >wave of the 900mHz phones.

It's an image of a strong cellular signal. Had me fooled for a while
too. If you have a scanner which receives 900MHz you would be able
to find the 'proper' transmission

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Steve Barnes

922. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <Gaty1.176$fz2.1350260@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148822

I was seriously considering purchasing a PCR1000, but this whole situation with Icom has turned me off from buying anything from them. I appreciate "call me and I'll listen" but I would prefer Mr. Lougee and Icom confront these issues to the hobbyist community at large.

Rob Lang

Gary Fiber wrote in message <35caa848.2320286@news.cmc.net>...
>On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 02:08:04 GMT, "John" <mcdermon@usa.net> wrote:
>
> I would relish you sharing with this forum Icom's plans for
>correcting these shortcomings that have made this venture
>>so distasteful for one and all...
>>
>>Most sincerely yours,
>>John McDermon, KE4VAL
>
>Call John, like he asked if you want to discuss concerns with him.
>Best Regards,
>
>Gary Fiber
>Copyright 1998 All Rights reserved
>

923. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35CA658E.57317C38@netwit.com>
Source record: 148823

Phil Smalley wrote:

> Hee, hee, even his pals at PARG think he's a fruitloop! Take a look at
> this:
>
> http://www.parg.org/WMackey/inst.html
>
> HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA!!!!!
>
> -Phil

Unfriggin' believeable. I always wondered what his dear old PARG thought of him. I'm currently re-evaluating my opinion of PARG. Those poor guys. Think of the abuse they've received all these years with Mackey parading around with their name.

924. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Fernandes <ef@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35CA6761.4D23@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 148824
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The Scanner Dude wrote:
>
> Mike Harmon wrote in message <6qdc44fqs1@tenax.raex.com>...
> >If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide them
> for
> >free.
> >
> >I can get you 99.9% of the freq.
> >
> >I'll even give you the type (tower, clearance, ATIS, Ground, and even
> >Unicom).
>
> Or you could research this information yourself very easily by pointing your
> browser to http://www.airnav.com
>
> --
>
> The Scanner Dude
> Brian J. Cathcart - KE4PMJ
> South Florida Trunking Guide - 2nd Edition
> Palm Beach County Frequency Directory - Now with TT info!

How about airports outside of the states?

925. Re: John and the Kinky Woman from the Bar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35CA6854.DF2025E3@netwit.com>
Source record: 148825

Phil Smalley wrote:

> P.S. To the "what does this have to do with scanning" morons: As the
> subject implies, this post has NOTHING to do with scanners. Deal with
> it.

Well, if ya put up a good post; just listening to the scanner while you
write is close enough to knick the topic. (at least that's what methinks.)

Good one. *Real* good. Wish I had somethin' to top it. I don't right
now. Guess I'm gonna have to wait for it.

926. Re: Blue Angels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6qdpi7$u7s$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 148826

Many of the flight teams listed at
http://www.radioscanner.com/Frequencies/General_Frequency_Listings/Aviation/
Aerobatic_Flight_Teams/aerobatic_flight_teams.html

BTW you might have to cut and paste that address because it is so long.

Earl Johnson wrote in message <35C9D9DC.593EAD0A@worldnet.att.net>...
>Does anyone have the frequencies I might find them on? Thanks
>

927. Re: Radio Shack Pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qdrdv$269$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 148827
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jeff Adams wrote:
>
> Does anyone have an opinion on how good a deal a brand new Pro-2042
> for $250 is? I've got an old Pro-2005 and wouldn't mind getting more
> channels and faster scan (and other memory features, etc.)... I've
> read that the receiver in the 2042 isn't as good as the 2005. Anyone
> have any information? Is this a good radio? Better than a Uniden
> BC-9000?
>
> Thanks,
> Jeff Adams
> ======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
> | Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
> | 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
> | All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
> ==

Keep your 2005 that is a good scanner I think and that is my opinion.
you have to go a long way to beat it.

928. Re: Radio Shack Pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qdrqr$269$2@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 148828
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Jeff Adams wrote:
>
> Does anyone have an opinion on how good a deal a brand new Pro-2042
> for $250 is? I've got an old Pro-2005 and wouldn't mind getting more
> channels and faster scan (and other memory features, etc.)... I've
> read that the receiver in the 2042 isn't as good as the 2005. Anyone
> have any information? Is this a good radio? Better than a Uniden
> BC-9000?
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> ========================================================================

I forgot to take the xyz out and wasted a post, but keep the 2005 that
is one of the best scanners ever made. I have tried them all. I have 29
scanners in my collection at the present time and still on the prowl
for more.........JERR
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929. Re: Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35CA720D.9521A527@netwit.com>
Source record: 148829

Scott Richardson wrote:

> In article <6qa5ns$k8n$1@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>, "Ray Summers" <rnsummer@uiuc.edu> wrote:
> > I am getting ready to re-program my Pro 43. Does anyone know of a way
> >to clear the memory other that deleting each channel individually? I want
> >to clear all frequencies and start fresh. Perhaps there is a combination of
> >keys I can press. Thanks for any help
> >
> >rnsummer@uiuc.edu
> >
> >
>
> Hold down the 0 and Clear keys while turning on the power.

Uh......was I right about the hole on the left side of the Pro-43 scanner? (Is there a hole there I hope?)

And; do you happen to know the keyboard trick for clearing the memory on the Pro-2032? (You seem like the person to ask.)

Thanks in advance.

930. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmilr@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6qdrlc$17f6$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 148830

Try the $320 (US Dollars) Sony Computer controlled handheld Scanner it
recieves everything (unsure about Military Air) you want and has 300
channels.

If you are in a metro area like Montreal, Toronto or Vancouver I might want
to go for more channels 500-1000 but thats up to you because the price
goes way up 400-500 US

Sean Hardiman wrote in message <35c9fd76.4277004@news.westel.com>...
>Hi there!
>
>I'm not sure what sort of scanner I should purchase or what brand, so
>I am looking for opinions on scanners.
>
>Here's what it should be able to do...I'd like a handheld scanner,
>that is capable of recieving police/fire/ambulance transmissions, any
>other law enforcment, aviation (civilian and military), coast guard,
>naval, etc, etc, etc. Primarily public service stuff. I have no
>desire to listen to cellular conversations or decode pager
>transmissions. It's public service and public safety stuff that I am
>interested in. It should also be able to pick up frequencies that
>auto racing teams use, ie. CART, IRL, NASCAR, etc. A long battery
>life is also important.
>
>I'd like to get a reliable brand name like Uniden, or something. I
>had wanted the BC-3000XLT, but the cost in Canadian dollars is
>something like $700, which is WAY too much. I'd be willing to spend
>around $500 dollars Canadian, so I hope that provides enough
>information. I have read the FAQ on scanner briefs, but the briefs
>don't provide quite the depth I'm looking for.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>
>--
>Sean Hardiman
>UVic Kinesiology - Victoria, BC

931. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM A LIST & AN ECHO!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35CA762A.C5336418@netwit.com>
Source record: 148831

Tom Jones wrote:

> When the questioning turned to Bill Cheek being "booted" from a maillist,
> he freely and immediately came forward with the particulars.
> (I've noticed that is what happens whenever any kind of question is put to him.)
>
> Now, I ask you... What happens whenever a query is directed "Mr" Mackey's way?
> Does he answer in a forthright manner?
> Or does he say something along the lines of,
> "I'LL ANSWER THAT QUESTION AFTER CHEEK DOES - AND NOT BEFORE!"
>
> (That is, unless he decides to answer with a lie, or simply ignore the
> question, altogether.)
>
> Ask yourself that question. You know the answer, no one has to tell you, I
> am sure. The answer is really important, too - because it speaks not only
> to Ethics and Stature - it speaks mainly to Credibility...

There ya go. Well said.

932. Pro-90 Leather Case: Uniden?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Reuschlein <jayr@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#9mCyvbw9GA.210@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148832
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi Everyone,

Since the RadioShack Pro-90 Leather Case now needs to be ordered through RS Unlimited, does any owner use the Uniden case (Available on their website for $19.99) and how does it fit?

Jason

933. Re: icom r7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Flowers <bobflowers@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6qe5bi$134$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148833

"A small buffer board is used"

can you be specific, so I can duplicate?

934. pardon me

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Message-ID: <35C97BED.281799D8@san.rr.com>
Source record: 148834

please pardon me for all the problems I have caused this newsgroup.

935. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Message-ID: <35C97C45.70A60363@san.rr.com>
Source record: 148835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I love john mackie

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <1998080601310300.VAA07458@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
> k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> > John "Whaddya Mean I Can't Get In Mensa With A 52 I.Q.?" Mackey, KA0SSF
> > <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >
> > >OBFD always started his messages off a certain way with
> > >people who he felt were NOT an enemy. You failed to show what he
> > >did in that situation so you are lying!
> > >
> >
> > All he "showed" was a message he received.
> > Since you and OBFD are so close, why don't
> > you get him to back you up?
> >
> >
>
> Because mackey can't, most likely obfd wants nothing more to do with mackey
> and his vendetta against Bill.
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

936. Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <15a_9808070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148836

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> Yes, & the members of this NG have been asking for Bill's for
Ka> 2 years or more!

You and who else, meatballs? "Members" is plural
and I've never seen anyone except you make such a
demand.

And you're falling flat on your face by refusing
to state yours. I'm going to again call you a
BIG FAT LIAR, without so much as a high school
dipolma.

You can't prove any of your statements. You hide
behind Cheek. You're a yellow bellied skunk.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

937. Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <15b_9808070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148837

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> You, John T. Arthor, need only look in the mirror to find out
Ka> who is lying!

He sees a very honest face, and knows that YOU are
the friggin' liar in the newsgroup, you jackass.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

938. Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <15c_9808070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148838

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
Ka> use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

What the hell does it matter, you weenie?

You double-faced prick of a liar who is
always complaining about others posting
off-topic in here.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

939. Re: NiteLogger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6qd8he$164@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 148839
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6qd5gi$o5m@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>,
Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Actually, I'd like to know what "NiteLogger" is.

The BMI NiteLogger II connects between your radio's external
speaker jack and mic input and control jacks of a tape recorder.

It activates the recorder when there's sound coming from
your radio.

I tested the BMI NiteLogger II and published a review in
Aug 96 Monitoring Times magazine.
IMHO, it is an impressive product. Since no schematic was furnished
with the NiteLogger II, I "reverse engineered" and analyzed
the circuitry of the one I borrowed and published a complete
schematic in MT.

Grove Enterprises also sells the Nitelogger II. I don't know
which dealer has the best price.
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

940. Re: Question from a newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#OUIYaYw9GA.318@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148840

btdunit@aol.com (Btdunit) asked:
> What is the legality of listening to cordless and cellular telephone
> conversations?

The questions keep coming up, different laws are mentioned, and most replies are of the form "I'll do anything I bloody well please and no law can stop me". The following is a short dissertation on the various laws and their effect.

The laws of the United States, passed by Congress, are codified as the United States Code (USC). It is divided into titles covering various subjects. Title 18 includes the criminal laws and penalties; Title 47 covers telecommunications. A law can be refered to by its original name (i.e. "The Communication Act of 1934") or its entry in the USC. A specific section would be refered to by title/USC/part/section, i.e. 47 USC 605.
To carry out the law, the various government agencies create regulations, which are codified as the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). It is likewise divided into titles, with the FCC's rules in 47 CFR.

18 USC 119 bars the disclosure of any electronic communications to which you are not a party (with certain legal exceptions), and sets the penalties. 47 USC 605 (the Communications Act of 1934) also bans the disclosure or use of third-party communications. With minor changes, this has been the law for 60 years.

In 1986 Congress passed the Electronic Communications Privacy Act (the ECPA), which added definitions to the law that banned listening to cellular telephones. It also banned the monitoring of broadcast auxiliary, SCA and scrambled signals.

In 1992 Congress passed the Telephone Disclosure and Dispute Resolution Act (TDDRA), which instructed the FCC to ban the manufacture or import of scanners capable of receiving cellular. In accordance with this law, the FCC modified 47 CFR Parts 2 & 15, effective 26 April 1993. Note that this does not affect the sale of such scanners, so long as they were made or imported before the cutoff date. It also does not bar individuals from modifying their receivers.

On 25 Oct 94, the Digital Telephony act was signed. Buried in one of the additional sections was a change to 18 USC 2510 & 2511 that added cordless phones to the original ECPA ban on receiving cellular.

In short:
It is illegal to manufacture or import cellular-capable scanners.
It is illegal to listen to cellular (and cordless) transmissions.
It is illegal to divulge any communication to which you are not a party.

Now, please - we all know the first two are: 1) stupid; 2) unenforceable; and 3) widely ignored. It is not really necessary to post the obvious to the whole world (unless you have an irresistable urge to demonstrate even less sense than the legislators who enacted them).

. /* barry /&

941. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <O0czngaw9GA.214@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148841

To add to what Greg has posted, you can improve the odds over just guessing each block's size code. If you log a fair number of IDs for a block while in Type II mode, you can sort them in ascending order, convert them to binary and look for patterns. Typically, you would see the low order digits counting up, then suddenly start over at a low value. This would indicate the start of a new fleet/subfleet. Inspection of the high order bits at this point can give an indication of which bits constitute the fleet and which the subfleet.

The TrunkTracker resolves a two-byte (16-bit) number to form the displayed ID. If it has been told that the system is a Type II or the particular block is size code S-0, it will assume the entire number is a talk group and simply display the decimal equivilent of the number. Type II talk groups typically begin at 16 and go up in increments of 32. If almost all of the IDs in a block satisfy the formula 32*n+16, then it's a Type II block. The occasional odd entry is a variant of the next lowest regular group. The binary breakdown of a Type II ID would be:
gggggggggg10000
--group-- flags

If the TT has been instructed that a block is Type I, it will break the sixteen bits into block/fleet/subfleet/unit. The first three bits are the block (0 - 7 in decimal), while the size of the fleet and subfleet fields vary with the size code. The remaining bits are the ID of the individual user, and are not displayed in Type I mode. The 16 bits would break out as:
bbb ff..ff ss..ss uu..uu
blk fleet subflt unit

You can look at the Fleet Map Size Code chart in the TT manual and see the various numbers as powers of two. The corresponding 16-bit patterns for each size code are:

S1 bbb fffffff ss uuuu S8 bbb ffff ss uuuuuuu
S2 bbb ffff sss uuuuuu S9 bbb fff ss uuuuuuuu
S3 bbb fff sss uuuuuuu S10 bbb ff sss uuuuuuuu
S4 bbb ssss uuuuuuuuu S11 bbb f ssss uuuuuuuu
S5 bbb ffffff ss uuuuu S12 bb ssss uuuuuuuuuu } multi-
S6 bbb fffff sss uuuuu S13 b ssss uuuuuuuuuuu } block
S7 bbb fffff ss uuuuuu S14 ssss uuuuuuuuuuuu } sizes

With sufficient IDs (captured in Type II mode) for a block, you can look at the binary equivilents and often detect a pattern in the bits coresponding to one of the size codes. While you might not be able to decide if the fleet is three or four bits long, you could rule out all the other possibilities.

To assist in this, the following simple Basic program will take a file of Type II IDs, with descriptions if available (i.e. 'Fire Dispatch'), and print a listing of the binary equivilents. The first five characters of each line in the file contain an ID, with free-form comments beginning in the seventh byte. The file, called "fleetids", must be sorted in ascending order.

```
10 DEFINT A-Z : OLDBLK=-1 : OPEN "I", 1, "fleetids"
20 LPRINT TAB(7) "Decimal Blk Flt/Sub/Unit" : LPRINT
30 IF EOF(1) THEN END
40 LINE INPUT# 1, X$ : ID!=VAL(LEFT$(X$,5)) : BLK=INT(ID!/8192)
50 IF BLK<>OLDBLK THEN OLDBLK=BLK : LPRINT "Block " BLK
60 LPRINT TAB(8) USING "###### "; ID!;
70 GOSUB 100
80 LPRINT LEFT$(B$,3)+" "+RIGHT$(B$,13)+" "+MID$(X$,7,40)
90 GOTO 30
99 '
100 ' Convert to Binary
110 B$=""
120 FOR I = 1 TO 4 : X=ID!-16*INT(ID!/16) : Y=X
130 FOR J = 1 TO 4 : B$=CHR$(Y-2*INT(Y/2)+48)+B$ : Y=INT(Y/2) : NEXT J
150 ID!=INT(ID!/16) : NEXT I : RETURN
199 '
```

The resulting printout lists the decimal ID, the 16-bit binary, and any comments. A series of entries marked as Police, followed by a number of Fire department entries, would indicate the break between fleets or subfleets. A corresponding change in the bit pattern at this point should give you a clue as to structure of the size code for this block.

A few notes -
The BC895 coupled with a computer control program should be able to generate a useful list of IDs in a few hours.
It would help to keep a hit count for the various IDs. The TT occasionally misreads the control channel, particularly if the signal is weak. An ID that only shows up once may be an error. This should be kept in mind when looking at the printout.

Analyzing the ID patterns still requires some educated guessing, but it is still better than blindly trying each possible size code for every block. In determining the maps for the various trunks in the Atlanta region, I was able to identify 50-75% of the active blocks on the first pass. Of course, the Atlanta area trunks are all preset in the TT - thanks Greg <g>.

/* barry /&

942. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35CA2785.7C13@erols.com>
Source record: 148842

MHayworth4 wrote:
>
> Looking real serious at purchasing the Alinco DJ-X10T scanning receiver. I
> realize it's geared more toward 'receiver' than 'scanner', but I am really
> drawned to the 100Kz - 2GHz freq coverage. (Also the 1200 memory channels
> don't hurt). Has anyone used this receiver? Any thoughts from the group at
> large?
>
> Tks,
> Marc Hayworth
Yes, just one- DONT! At least not yet. Rick Wells' site has quite
an extensive list of problems that have plagued the US version of this
handheld. His url is:
http://www.strongsignals.net/

73s Mike

943. Re: none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WILLIAM WOOD <ke4may@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qiu6g$b2n$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 148843

Joe Nicholson wrote:
>
> -=> Quoting Samson to All <=-
>
> Sa> From: Samson <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>
>
> Sa> FUCK MACKEY!
>
> Sa> Hes just a damn yankee who never got enough attention at home.
> Sa> Ignore the cock sucker and he will, at first, put up quite a lot of
> Sa> noise, but then soon, he will realize that no one gives a fuck.
>
> Sa> You have to be determined to ignore his shit.
> Sa> DO NOT ALLOW HIM TO BAIT YOU WITH IGNORANT ATTACKS OR COMMENTS!
> Sa> SAY "FUCK OFF JOHN MACKEY...YOU YANKEE, MOTHER FUCKING, EMOTIONALLY
> Sa> RETARDED, PRODUCT OF INCEST!"
>
> Samson, why don't you tell us how you REALLY feel about him?
>
> ___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
> --
> |WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
> |Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
I must be a stupid Yankee: haven't the slightest idea what this has to
do with scanning.

944. Re: Civility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WILLIAM WOOD <ke4may@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qiu6i$b2n$2@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 148844

Sigint man wrote:
>
> Why must this news group continue with all the slander and cheap one liners??
> Working in the radio communications field for 20+ years, I have always been
> impressed with the qualities of those into this fantastic hobby. If one can't
> post anything of benefit to help the others, then maybe this isn't the place.
> I thought this news group existed to disseminate information that you won't
> find at Radio Shack...to those who contribute quality postings, I thank you.
> I'll continue to ignore the senseless.
> Sincerely,
> Ed Hutton N3KEX
Thanks! I couldn't agree with you more. Sin #1: it's boring; #2: with
only one life to live, it's a heinous waste of precious time.

945. Re: FS: Scanner Radio Shack Pro2004 / Cellular & Speed Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080621545600.RAA05669@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148922

pdoddy@aol.com. I am interested. please e-mail.

946. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uhpXyuWw9GA.222@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148923

Hee hee! That's pretty good!

Is there an actual link on the main site, or is this normally hidden?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Phil Smalley wrote in message <35C9F96E.1EE4@yahoo.com>...
>Hee, hee, even his pals at PARG think he's a fruitloop! Take a look at
>this:
>
>http://www.parg.org/WMackey/inst.html
>
>HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA!!!!!
>
>-Phil

947. Re: BC210XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art Davis <artellad@hitter.net>
Message-ID: <35CA280B.2AEA@hitter.net>
Source record: 148924

Mike, I'm not sure what frequency range ATC is in, but the frequency range (in MHz)of my 210xlt (I hope they aren't two different models) is as follows:
29-29.7 10M amateur
29.7-50 low band
50-54 6M amateur
118-136 acft
136-144 Mil land mobile
144-148 2M amateur
148-174 High band
406-420 Fed Gov't Mobile
420-450 3/4M amateur
450-470 UHF band
470-512 "T" band
Hope this helps, Art.

948. Re: Twin Cities Intl Airport freqs wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <eiErb2Ww9GA.221@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148925

Nice copying work!

At least I did the work and took all the frequencies I posted from memory.
By the way, arrival and departure frequencies are part of Minneapolis Tower.

Humans aren't perfect -- that includes you and me. I hope you don't expect
everyone else to be perfect.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

PakRat wrote in message <35c929a3.5984185@news.altopia.com>...
>To be a little more precise;
<snip>

949. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#4mLg3Ww9GA.315@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148926

Look! I am only 15 -- I don't listen to air traffic all that much, so don't
expect me to know everything like you do, and lastly just LEAVE ME ALONE!
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

PakRat wrote in message <35ca9403.33220228@news.altopia.com>...
>Thank you for posting the correct info. Ryan needs to study this.

950. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#2ldt4Ww9GA.209@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148927

Then you must only look at the negative sides of your fellow beings. ...
look at what it's done to *you*.

Flying Cloud is not HERE (in correlation to MSP) -- it is only about 15 or
20 miles away...
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

PakRat wrote in message <35d0fb54.59673412@news.altopia.com>...
>So Was I. Flying Cloud's tower freq. is 118.1
>Since you have indicated to all that you are only slightly above the
>level of a one-celled organizism by resorting to name calling, I will
>not respond to you again. You may go through life ignorant if you
>wish, but please don't spew incorrect information to others.

951. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#RzMkBXw9GA.113@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148928

Hello:

(If someone has a better model to recommend, please jump in. I am only quoting what I know about the two models that I've used.)

Not many lower-end handhelds have military-receive capability, however, if you're willing to buy a higher-end model, you could try an AOR, Icom, or Alinco. Unfortunately, these are usually $350-$600 US (well over what you want to spend).

If you're willing to drop military receive, you can get many models for what you want to listen to. Some models in [my] mind are the BC-235 XLT/Pro 90 (trunk trackers), the PRO-64 (I own and am very happy with the 64). I am pretty tied to Radio Shack's scanners -- I really haven't owned any others except for two Unidens.

The PRO-64 has a NiCD battery life of about 18+ hours continously unsquelched at full volume. With alkalines, about 20 hours. I would bet the Uniden is about the same, but they are made by different companies (GRE makes the 64, and Uniden, of course, makes the PRO-90/BC-235 XLT).

I hope this helps at least a little bit.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Sean Hardiman wrote in message <35c9fd76.4277004@news.westel.com>...
>Hi there!
>
>I'm not sure what sort of scanner I should purchase or what brand, so
>I am looking for opinions on scanners.
>
>Here's what it should be able to do...I'd like a handheld scanner,
>that is capable of recieving police/fire/ambulance transmissions, any
>other law enforcment, aviation (civilian and military), coast guard,
>naval, etc, etc, etc. Primarily public service stuff. I have no
>desire to listen to cellular conversations or decode pager
>transmissions. It's public service and public safety stuff that I am
>interested in. It should also be able to pick up frequencies that
>auto racing teams use, ie. CART, IRL, NASCAR, etc. A long battery
>life is also important.

>
>I'd like to get a reliable brand name like Uniden, or something. I
>had wanted the BC-3000XLT, but the cost in Canadian dollars is
>something like $700, which is WAY too much. I'd be willing to spend
>around $500 dollars Canadian, so I hope that provides enough
>information. I have read the FAQ on scanner briefs, but the briefs
>don't provide quite the depth I'm looking for.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
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>--
>Sean Hardiman
>UVic Kinesiology - Victoria, BC

952. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uSs6kBXw9GA.257@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148929

Is *your* post on-topic? This post (mine) isn't either, but I am trying to
make a point.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

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Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Dom Dominico wrote in message <35c9ff17.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>...
>John Mackey please get on topic and stay on topic.
>
>Enough is enough, good man. If you claim to be here about scanners, then
>post about scanners and stop your fantasies with the Cheek guy. He offered
>you a deal. Just accept it and see if you can talk about scanners.
>
>Because you don't talk about scanners Mackey, is very suspicius to seem
like
>you have a different agenda for this newsgroup.
>
>So what is your agenda here? Do you not like scanners too much maybe? You
>tell Poppa Dom what is your matter and what it takes to get you to finish
>your agenda. And then you an me will sip some grappa and talk about the old
>time hey? You like the grappa?
>
>
>

953. Updated Scanner&Ham Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: BigB7 <"sdafdsfsdkla;"@jdsajkldasl>
Message-ID: <6qdak7lbt1@quartz.inquo.net>
Source record: 148930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have updated my scanner and ham radio freq. guide homepage at
http://members.tripod.com/~bigb7/freq.htm

BigB

954. higher-lower limits.. why arent they on all scanners!!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080622310800.SAA16637@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148931

recently, when i purchased a RS pro-70, i noticed that there wasnt a higher limit, but only a lower. that wasnt thaT IMPORTANT, but when i looked at a uniden bc80XLT, i noticed it didnt have even a lower limit! only preprogrammed search bands. Not only this, but you couldnt just type in any frequency to monitor: it had to be programmed in first. I noticed this to be extremely annoying. the Pro-70 has a lower limit and you can type in any old frequency. why does the radio shack scanner have this VERY important feature while the uniden doesnt? isnt it made by uniden?!
and, does the pro-90 have upper and lower limits or just a lower limit, and can you type in any frequency without programming it first?
this message is probably quite confusing! but if anyone understands what i am saying, please inform me why this is so, and if the pro-90 can do these things.

~~steve~~ email me at Evrclear84@aol.com
p.s. i may be wrong about the uniden scanner not having it, but i think i am right because i called them up the other day and they said it didnt have that feature.
thanks! :-)

955. Re: Trunked Radio System Ques.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#B1lSGXw9GA.249@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148932

If I'm not mistaken, I believe mobile-to-base frequencies are 45 MHz lower
than the base-to-mobile frequencies.

However, you should be able to hear the mobiles on the base frequency (same
idea as cordless and cell phones -- you can only hear one side when
monitoring the handset, but both sides monitoring the base).
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Nick wrote in message ...
>For about a month now, I've been mointoring my city's trunked radio system
>with a trunktracker. (BTW, I've been monitoring it for over a year with a
>conventional scanner.) In June, they stoped using their 860.xxxx MHz freqs,
>and switched to only their 850.xxxx MHz freqs. On Monday, I got back from
>vacation to find they've made more changes. On certian channels, like
Police
>TAC for instance, I can only hear base talking to the mobile units. I don't
>hear the mobile units talking to base. However, it's not that way on all
>channles. Like, on Police Dispatch I don't have that problem. I have the
>same problem on my trunktracker (Pro-2050) and on my conventional scanner
>(Pro-67). I programmed every frequency listed in Police Call into my Pro67,
>and still haven't had any luck hearing mobile units on certian channels.
>Any ideas?
>
>

956. Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6qdc44fqs1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 148933
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide them for free.

I can get you 99.9% of the freq.

I'll even give you the type (tower, clearance, ATIS, Ground, and even Unicom).

Mike

957. PA Nat. Guard Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbennett@epix.net
Message-ID: <dbennett-0608981840520001@lwby-85ppp200.epix.net>
Source record: 148934

A couple weeks ago I was on my way out to Western PA and encountered a National Guard Convoy traveling west on the Turnpike. It stretched from Carlisle almost to Bedford. There was an accident with an overturned vehicle and the National Guard stopped to provide assistance and traffic control. Anyway I had a lot of time to search the low band for the frequency they were using. I found they were using 38.45 Mhz. FM.

Dave

958. Re: ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ca3042.1535768@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148935

On 6 Aug 1998 20:11:06 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>>You will hard pressed to find software better then Probe4.0! It will only work
>on os456/535 equipped scanners but it is well worth it
>
>I certainly agree. Unfortunately, Datafiles, the company that sells Probe does
>not offer a demo, so you have to go on faith that this is the program to buy
>($125). It's a DOS program, BTW, so some people might find that objectionable.
>OTOH, it's fast and will also crank up your scanner's speed by a factor of two.
>I get 80-90 cps with it on my 2042.

When you buy an OS456/535 inside the package is a offer to get probe
for like $89 within the first 15 days, I actually spent 16 trying the
other crap available before sending my check, I am very glad I did,
and can say its definitely worth full price! Even being a dos program
it performs flawlessly in a win95 dos box with out affecting system
performance at all while delivering 60cps on my 2006.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

959. Re: NiMH Batteries in BC-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35c97b96.1562219@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:21:17 GMT, ##aheely##@##downcity##.net (Arthur P. Heely) wrote:

>It's time to rebuild a couple of battery packs for my BC-200 again and
>I was planing to use NiMH. I have used NiMH to replace other NiCads
>with good success but I just noticed that the Metro West catalog
>mentions modifying the BC-200 battery back in order to use NiMH.
>
>Does anyone know what this modification is? Has anyone tried using
>NiMH in the BC-200 battery pack with or without this modification?
>
>Art

Art-
I noticed some time back an ad in Nuts & Volts magazine for a PrimeCell battery pack place. Their prices seemed resonable. I talked with the guy a bit about different battery packs. He provided the necessary info. I haven't purchased anything from him yet...nor am I associated with him in any way. You might give his website a look though. It might be cheaper for him to put the pack together for you than for you to buy the parts.
http://members.aol.com/primecell/primecell.html

Wiggie

960. Re: Pro 2004 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35cb7e95.2329305@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 01:55:13 -0400, Dan <dandiane@juno.com> wrote:

>Have 2004 with cell and 400 channel mods. Every 4th thru 8th channels
>repeats the previous freqs when programming and when scanning. It will
>also scan locked out channels and shows oddball freqs that weren't
>programmed. When it stops on an unprogrammed freq and you hit the manual
>button it will change freq sometimes back to the origianally programmed
>one and sometimes just anything at random. Anyone have any ideas on
>this?
>

Several service manuals for GRE make scanners such as the Pro-2004
note the fact that any unstable supply voltage to the CPU can produce
a CPU malfunction, such as wrong data processing, wrong data transfer,
etc. It might be best to reset the CPU on your scanner which will also
more than likely erase your scanner's memory. I do not know the proper
procedure to reset the CPU on a Pro-2004, but maybe someone in the
group would have the info handy.

Wiggie

961. Re: Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35ca7de9.2157180@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 22:08:57 -0400, allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
wrote:

>
>
>Ray Summers wrote:
>
>> I am getting ready to re-program my Pro 43. Does anyone know of a way
>> to clear the memory other that deleting each channel individually? I want
>> to clear all frequencies and start fresh. Perhaps there is a combination of
>> keys I can press. Thanks for any help
>>
>> rnsummer@uiuc.edu
>
>I think there's a little hole on the left side of the scanner that you use a
>paper clip to depress something to reset clear the memory banks. That's the way
>it works on the Pro-39, it might be the same set-up for the Pro-43.
>

To reset the CPU and clear all of the memory on a Pro-43, press and
hold [CLEAR] and [0] and then turn on the power.

Wiggie

962. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cc33ca.2439705@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148939

On 06 Aug 1998 21:34:41 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>
>Okay, John, let me make you an offer,
>and it's dead serious - no jokes, no jabs,
>no flames.
>
>If you're really serious about ending the
>flame wars, then let's *you and I* make that
>deal. The whole thing -- Bill's
>five points AND your #6. That means
>neither one of us can post flames or
>nasty messages to or about ANYONE,
>if I interpret it correctly. I'm willing to abide
>by that in good faith, if you are.
>
>I do not now nor will I ever presume to
>speak for anyone else without their
>authority, but I'm pretty certain that if
>you and I make this deal, you'll see the
>end of the flames from others, which is
>what I've been seeing you say is what
>you want.
>
>Regardless of our differences, I'm
>willing to abide by all of the conditions,
>including the "post no flames or nasty
>messages" condition, realizing that means
>it applies to both you and me even if a third
>party flames one or the other of us.
>
>John, if you're really serious about ending
>the flames, just send me a message, either
>here or in private e-mail, indicating that you
>accept. If so, the deal will take effect
>immediately.
>
>Whaddya say?
>
>Dave
>

This is a fine deal, and think everyone in the NG should adopt it, I
will start by being first!

Lets get back to scanning!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
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http://broward.home.ml.org

963. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35ca34d5.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148940

KA0SSF wrote in message <35CA1052.6392@parg.org>...
>Dom Dominico wrote:
>> Enough is enough, good man. If you claim to be here about scanners, then
>
>Would you tell that to all the Cheek-a-likes also? They post FAR
>more crap than me!

There is only one reason for that is true - - there be to many of them only one of you. Any single one of them dont post close to the crap you do. You dont even make sense when you try to and thats not very often, good man. I see times when you try but not much.

Yes!!!!!!! I wish they would stop too but I think they will if you stop. You are the cause of all this these problem and you are responsibile to stop it. Im straight with you buddy. I dont like you but thats no matter because if you would just post about the scanners then me like is also a no matter. Do you see? Or not?

And you got to stop calling them dudes "cheek-a-likes". Someof them and Cheek went at it just like you but they stopped this crap. So it is up to you to stop it too. You must see this. And you must see that there is no gain for you unless you have the hidden agenda of stalking the Cheek dude. I see you said "not" once or two times so if you mean that then stop it right now! And we will see.

This evidence overwhelms that you cause the problems. I got the dejanews too and I gots old dejanews searchs that tells the truth of what happen when and who do it. And you try the lies may be being funny but no body can tell this. Only thing that people can tell is you dont laugh at there jokes and you lie when they find evidences that you did something maybe two maybe three maybe four years ago because may be you forget or maybe you thinks every body else forgets? But some peoples dont forget and some have the dejanews files before some body else canceled lots of stuff. They say it was you who done it me I don't care.

I care that the serious evidences say you not much tell the truth and I think you are joking but no body else thinks that see?. That is what you must see and to stop the problems right now. If other guys dont stop then its not your fault no more. Just before. Not after.

I dont care if you gets mad at what Im tell you. I just want you to stop it and see if every body else stops. And I say it needs two weeks to tell. One week for peoples to notice that you stopped and one week for peoples to watch to see if you start it up all over again. Or to see who you blame for causing the more problems.

This all be your decision man.

Poppa Dom told you that.

964. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35ca360d.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148941

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>Is *your* post on-topic? This post (mine) isn't either, but I am trying to
>make a point.

Me too. I dont post too much at all. I am a lurker mostly but had to have my
say is all.

Poppa Dom

965. Re: RadioShack 99 Catalog Preview

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad607@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6qdb9e$c7v@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 148942

(jdhtex@aol.com) writes:
> The 1999 RadioShack catalog should be available by the end of August. I have
> seen a copy and here is what is new that you scanner listeners might be
> interested in.
>

How many hand-helds cover the mil. air band (200-400 Mhz UHF AM)

Seems to me as an airshow fan, a milband handheld would be a winner,

Darrell Larose | http://www.newforce.ca/darrell | darrell@.newforce.ca

"Living at risk is jumping off the cliff
and building your wings on the way down" (Ray Bradbury)

966. Re: YAESU FRG-9600 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ssb112f@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080623090000.TAA16129@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148943

>Subject: YAESU FRG-9600 question
>From: maxextent@aol.com (Maxextent)
>Date: Tue, Aug 4, 1998 08:21 EDT
>Message-id: <1998080412213800.IAA08355@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>I have been loaned the following scanner on a try it / buy it basis:
>
> YAESU UHF/VHF Communications Receiver
> MODEL# FRG-9600
>
> Range: 60-905 MHZ (continuous)
> Modes, 3dB Bandwidth: FM Narrow (15 khz bw)
> FM Wide (180 khz bw)
> AM Narrow (2.4 khz bw)
> AM Wide (6 khz bw)
> SSB (2.4 khz bw)
>
> The specifications go on and on....
>
> It also has the optional video output, which permits the connection of
> a video monitor.
>
> I have used it for a while now, and it performs very well. I would guess
> it was manufactured before 1990. The person that loaned it to me
> produced a receipt from 1990, and he purchased it used.
>
> How much is this radio worth? What would a seasoned veteran offer
> for this radio? Is $400.00 too much?
>
> Thanks for any and all responses.
>
> max

Max,
I recently purchased a used FRG9600 with the optional video board (output)
installed, and I paid $375.00 for the receiver. When I posted messages in the
various radio newsgroups stating that I wanted to buy an FRG9600, the lowest
price I was quoted was $375.00, and the highest price I was quoted was $500.00.
I have a friend who also owns an FRG9600, and he paid $425.00 for his receiver

(video board installed) 3-4 years ago.
The asking price for a used FRG9600 varies greatly depending upon the
condition of the receiver (scratches, dings, and so forth), included
accessories, etc. My receiver also came with the original box, service manual,
mobile mounting bracket, power supply (or "brick", if you prefer), and a spare

memory backup battery. Therefore, if the receiver you're considering purchasing
comes with accessories as well as the video board option, I think $400.00 is a reasonable price.
The FRG9600 doesn't scan very well, at least not without the use of a software program like Scancat Gold for Windows. The receiver's CAT interface will allow you to control the FRG9600 with a PC and greatly improve the functionality of the radio.
I find that the VHF performance of the FRG9600 is superior to most scanners, even high-end units like the Realistic PRO-2006. It doesn't seem as prone to intermod as other scanners are, at least not in comparison to my PRO-2006. The FRG9600's reception of FM broadcast stations & TV audio is excellent as well. I use a $17.99 bargain basement Radio Shack antenna and a TV preamp, and my FRG9600 receives FM stations 35-50 miles distant loud & clear.
I believe Yaesu stopped manufacturing the FRG9600 in the early '90's, but I've seen presumably new 9600's advertised for sale online at CB Shop Overloon's web site, so I'm not really sure if the receiver is still in production or not. Hope this information helps.

73,
DAVID, SSB-112F

967. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35ca358e.6693555@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148944

I have done it every time a fly for the last few years. On a flight from San Antonio to Atlanta, I copied lots of shipping traffic on the int'l maritime freqs while over the New Orleans area. Also, when flying above any major city, you should be able to pick up a LOT of stuff. When cruising at 30K feet, that's only about 6 miles up, and it's Line of Sight.

AND - whenever I fly, I always tell the flight attendants upon boarding that I have a VHF scanner and, in accordance with their policy stated in the back of the in-flight magazine, I would like to use it. I'm very polite, as are they. Once the Captain was right there when I did this - he told me a bunch of freqs they were to use.

And BRING HEADPHONES!!!

AND (AGAIN) - in a major airport (I'll use Atlanta as an example) there's lots of freqs to listen to on that long layover - baggage handlers, security personnel, the ground crew outside, good stuff. Search from 450 - 470 mhz. Comms are very recognizable.

Big Bad Berticus sends (i need more channels on my scanner!)

On 5 Aug 1998 03:25:32 GMT, teenham@aol.com (Teen Ham) wrote:

>Has anyone actually tried using a scanner while airborn? I once used a cheap
>radio shack reciever (anaol) and could only hear my own plane.

968. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35ca386f.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148945

KA0SSF wrote in message <35CA0E91.7E3E@parg.org>...
>Joe Nicholson wrote:
>> What witnesses? Name them, or forever let it
>> be considered another of your friggen lies.
>
>Clarence Green said he was a witness.

This Clarence Green is not a real person too. He is a fake person wheather you did it or somebody else did it doesnt matter. He take much too long to tell a little story and it dont make any sense what he did tell. Supposed to be a big deal and he spend most of his time telling about Cheek the faggot and not the antenna.

His story has no believableness. So dont use him for your back up. Use some body that is credible and straight if you need the back up. But you never do Mackey. You always use the meatballs and fakes. Not good man.

Poppa Dom told you that.

969. Re: Blue Angels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35ca37c5.7259746@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148946

try 238.15, 275.35, and 345.9. I copied them all active at their show at MCAS Beaufort, April '98.

Big Bad Berticus sends (with an extra battery all charged and ready...)

On 6 Aug 1998 16:29:17 GMT, Earl Johnson <MrEKJ@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Does anyone have the frequencies I might find them on? Thanks
>

970. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kerrystarr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080623173700.TAA23291@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148947

Yes there is an actua linkl on the main page.
PLAY THE MACKEY GAME. I won on the first try. Not to happy about my prize though

971. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@some.com
Message-ID: <6qdfb3$58a$1@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 148948

In article <35c9ff17.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>, dominico@concentric.net says...
>
>John Mackey please get on topic and stay on topic.

Mr. dominico please get on topic and stay on topic.

972. stop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@some.com
Message-ID: <6qdfg2$58a$2@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 148949

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stop all the problems and make this a nice place
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973. Re: BC210XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: levys@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35ca3b8f.8433173@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148950

Hi, Mike:

By "ATC" I take it you mean Air Traffic Controllers?

If so, you are out of luck here. The BC-210XL does not have the
required AM circuitry to allow it to pick up aircraft.

-Larry

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 01:13:30 -0400, "Mike Harmon" <dtfh32@raex.com>
wrote:

>I need some help...
>
>I have a Uniden Bearcat 210XL that was given to me, is there any way to
>"upgrade" it so i can listen to ATC's.
>
>Thank You.
>
>Mike
>

974. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CA459A.50BB@juno.com>
Source record: 148951

Don't worry , your not the only one not happy, his mother and father were also not happy when they were told this bozo was their kid.

975. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CA3FA0.17AE@juno.com>
Source record: 148952

Now you know mackey just needed new service that had 56 K service and that is why he switched to mci, now he needs a service provider that has one of the two protocols being used.

As always with mackey when he is about to be kicked off he starts looking for another service and makes up excuses.

976. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CA4293.7E26@juno.com>
Source record: 148953

Don't forget the email bombing he is doing and I hope he keeps doing it
as there is a unpleasant surprise in store for him.

977. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CA44C6.40EC@juno.com>
Source record: 148954

mackey is going to say that is not him as he does not want others to know what he looks like.
I guess he is afraid he will be out some place and there will be someone there who has attacked on here and they will do the same in person.

mackey after all is a yellow belly coward and has to hide behind his keyboard and that is why he lies and states that picture is not him, of course if I looked like that I wouldn't want to admit looking like that .

978. Re: ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35cc7fea.2670248@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148955

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 15:27:44 GMT, UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET> wrote:

>St Magnum wrote:
>>
>> I've just installed an OS535 in my Pro-2042. I have also just purchased an
>> OptoLinx for my AR8000. What's the best single software package for BOTH of
>> these? I've tried several demo programs, and I am leaning towards Scan*Star.
>>
>> And words of advice you have would be greatly appreciated!!
>
>I just bought a PRO-2042 also and will be heading down the same
>road shortly (plan on ordering the OS535 this week). I'd also
>like some words of wisdom.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Robert
>rc123@globe-net.net

Robert-
If you have a Pro-2042 w/ OS535 ONLY...then I would suggest
going with Probe software. Probe is the ultimate in software, but
unfortunately for the previous poster, it doesn't work with anything
else but the Pro-2005/2006 scanners with the OS456 installed or the
Pro-2035/2042 scanners with the OS535 installed. Optoelectronics used
to have software links available on their site, but it appears like it
no longer exists. You might try
http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/probe.html to check out some info on
Probe.

Wiggie

979. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CA4757.28D5@juno.com>
Source record: 148956

Now look what you did , you hurt mackeys feelings.

The way it looks to me is mackey wants to be Bill, he has two things
stopping him, one Bill is not going to leave the newsgroup.
Two , the only thing mackey knows about a scanner is how to turn the
power switch on and it may work if someone plugs the power cord in for
him as he is not allowed to play with electricity.

980. Re: 100% on Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CA4884.1A24@juno.com>
Source record: 148957

Now the statement you can't cure a toothache by cutting off the head is not an entirely true statement, if someone were to cut mackeys head off it would cure the newsgroups toothache.

981. Re: Kendrick stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExAL7K.1tG@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148958

On 6 Aug 1998, Joe Nicholson wrote:

> -=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-
>
>
> > They are mine! Notice, FOOL, they ALL showed a ID coming from
> > FIDONET!!! I was NOT on the internet, I was on FIDONET!!
>
>
> >> From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)
>
> But they ___ARE___ internet ID's, coming from FidoNet, you jackass.
>
>
>
> > Now,if my Fidonet messages got relayed somehow to Internet, that
> > may be, but I was NOT on the internet!
>
> You sure like to sashay around the truth when it hurts.
>
> Are you saying you are so ignorant/stupid that when you posted
> those messages from a FidoNet BBS as not to have noticed those
> were newsgroups being imported/exported by a sysop?
>
>
> ___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
> --
> |WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
> |Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

Yeah; doesn't he like to pose as ignorant - yet he CLAIMS to run a server!! (of course, that's only because his idol Bill Cheek runs a server.)

You realize something (it just dawned on me, even) - the ONLY "Cheek-a-like" (R) is Mackey!! He's obscessed with Bill!!!

982. Re: T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExAL9o.1uK@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148959

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, Mike Harmon wrote:

> Ever heard of the 1st Ammendmendment...
>
> Mike...

The 1st Amendment does NOT cover the commission of crimes - and monitoring
cell or cordless phones is illegal!!

> Barron wrote in message <01bdbe1f$1bf13c60$764106d1@savy1>...
> > Did any of you see a commercial on T.V. advertising a scanner
> >to pick up your neighbors cordless and cell calls????. It was $175 and they
> >were basically saying "know whats going on around your neighborhood" I
> >couldn't
> >believe that it was on T.V. They had an 800# and everything the scanner had
> >a
> >yellow case to it.
> > I am not interested in the scanner, but I was wondering how the heck they
> >could advertise this type of thing on t.v........
> >
> >
>
>
>
>

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

983. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35CA4D49.6121A6EB@uswest.net>
Source record: 148960

John-

Are you atarting rumors and inuendo again????? (sure sounds like it).

KA0SSF wrote:

> Phil-
>
> Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
> use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

984. Re: Kendrick stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35CA4DA6.BA78332F@uswest.net>
Source record: 148961

John,
if this is so, then why is he still posting on fido to this day (in scannradio no less!)? Your historical (or is it hystericle) fabrications carry no weight here.

KA0SSF wrote:

> Joe Nicholson wrote:
> > Are you saying you are so ignorant/stupid that when you posted
> > those messages from a FidoNet BBS as not to have noticed those
> > were newsgroups being imported/exported by a sysop?
>
> Your knowledge of historical facts on this topic is
> seriously flawed. Cheek left moderatorship of Scanradio, then about 2
> or 3
> months later left fidonet altogether after being requested to leave.

985. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35CA5D94.5B39@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 148962

Sean Hardiman wrote:
>
> Hi there!
>
> I'm not sure what sort of scanner I should purchase or what brand, so
> I am looking for opinions on scanners.
>
>

Try to see if you can get a Radio Shack Pro 26. They are discontinued in the U.S. but still may be available in Canada and fall in your price range. This is one of the few hand helds in a decent price range that covers military air. The scanner is made by Uniden for Radio Shack.

Greg Renner

986. how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6qdir3lrs1@camel0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148963

I have very little experience using scanners. I wanted to know how close you have to be for your scanner to pick up a frequency? I know it probably depends on the radio, but on average. For example, our local airport is about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up transmissions? Thanks for the info.

987. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35CA5E6E.3D1@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 148964

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>

> you want to listen to. Some models in [my] mind are the BC-235 XLT/Pro 90
> (trunk trackers), the PRO-64 (I own and am very happy with the 64). I am

You mention the PRO 64 in other posts. Please keep in mind it is discontinued by Radio Shack and was cleared out at $100. There are probably few if any left in the U.S. I agree it is a good scanner especially at the clearence price. They are probably available only in the used market now.

Greg

988. Scanner swap for Shortwave

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tailwagger <tailwagger@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6hsy1.1834$2B.468720@typhoon02.swbell.net>
Source record: 148965

Bearcat 895 trunk tracker and RS Pro90 trunk tracker like new
boxes,manuals,etc.
Will trade for Drake or similar shortwave with ssb and synch. E-Mail
tailwagger@hotmail.com.

989. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Scanner Dude <NOSPAMscannerdude@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6qdkr0$n7m@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148966
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mike Harmon wrote in message <6qdc44fqs1@tenax.raex.com>...
>If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide them
for
>free.
>
>I can get you 99.9% of the freq.
>
>I'll even give you the type (tower, clearance, ATIS, Ground, and even
>Unicom).

Or you could research this information yourself very easily by pointing your
browser to http://www.airnav.com

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The Scanner Dude
Brian J. Cathcart - KE4PMJ
South Florida Trunking Guide - 2nd Edition
Palm Beach County Frequency Directory - Now with TT info!

990. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <sRsy1.171$fz2.1342358@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148967

Geez, c'mon Ryan. Didn't you post a few days ago you were trying to learn
to lighten up? Let stuff slide.

If you're taking flying lessons, listening to more airband traffic is a good
way to improve your radio work. Helped me get through "Class B nerves".

Rob

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <#4mLg3Ww9GA.315@upnetnews05>...
>Look! I am only 15 -- I don't listen to air traffic all that much, so don't
>expect me to know everything like you do, and lastly just LEAVE ME ALONE!
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

991. Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18957-35CA4BF8-73@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148968
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can any one please tell me what frequencys are the Alph-Numeric paging frequencys? I have a Universal M-450 Decoder. i live in Los Angeles, Calif. area. Thanks.

992. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <yZsy1.173$fz2.1345184@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148969
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Thanks for the offer Mike. You know of a good source for airline Ops, gate agents, baggage handlers etc.? I can usually find all the airband stuff I need at http://www.airnav.com/airports/ or an AOPA guide.

Rob

Mike Harmon wrote in message <6qdc44fqs1@tenax.raex.com>...
>If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide them for
>free.
>
>I can get you 99.9% of the freq.
>
>I'll even give you the type (tower, clearance, ATIS, Ground, and even
>Unicom).
>
>Mike
>
>

993. Re: how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6qdl78ids1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 148970

You can usually pick up airports usually 50-60mi away.
Police, fire ect... usually 10-20mi away

Mike

camper wrote in message <6qdir3lrs1@camel0.mindspring.com>...
>I have very little experience using scanners. I wanted to know how close
>you have to be for your scanner to pick up a frequency? I know it probably
>depends on the radio, but on average. For example, our local airport is
>about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up transmissions?
>Thanks for the info.
>
>

994. Re: AOR AR 8000 now or wait for AR 8200?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <Z_sy1.174$fz2.1345631@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148971

Everything I've read or heard about the AOR8200 says it is such an
improvment over the 8000 that I'd wait if it were my $$.

Rob

Big Daddy wrote in message <35c8d2fc.9446533@transfer.stratus.com>...
>Hello,
>
>I am about to purchase a new scanner and have decided on purchasing
>one made by AOR. However, all the dealers I have spoken too have given
>me delivery dates ranging from Sept. to Dec.(!) for the AR 8200. I
>was wondering if the 8200 will be worth the wait or should I just get
>an AR 8000 now.
>
>Thanks in advance.

995. CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <10b_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148972

-=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-

BB> On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30
> days to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

BB> John, this is another lie.
BB> Would you care to provide your source of misinformation?
BB> Know, though, that I will verify.

Blake, it's already been verified by his former host/NC
Brenda Donovan as another mackey lie. I was in NET202
at the time Cheek announced his leaving THREE MONTHS in
advance. He even conducted an election in SCANNERS for
a new moderator, which mackey tried to swing with netmail.

And you know as well as anyone that Fido doesn't give
30 day notices. When you're a bad boy, you get your
link cut immediately.

Mr-shoe-sized-IQ mackey doesn't have common sense to
learn the inside workings of anything he talks about.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

996. John T. Arthur makes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <10d_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148973

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> This thread had NOTHING to do with you so why are you trying to
Ka> get in the middle?

Brown-face mackey, if you don't want someone getting into
the middle of anything, go to email and keep it out of
the newsgroups.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
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997. They call Kendrick an

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <10e_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148974

-=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-

BB> BTW, I can see a joke. Your picture on the PARG page!

I'd be a bigger laugh if we saw mackey's face on an FBI poster
at the post office.

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--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
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998. Kendrick stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <10f_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148975

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

> They are mine! Notice, FOOL, they ALL showed a ID coming from
> FIDONET!!! I was NOT on the internet, I was on FIDONET!!

>> From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John Mackey_Jr)

But they ___ARE___ internet ID's, coming from FidoNet, you jackass.

> Now,if my Fidonet messages got relayed somehow to Internet, that
> may be, but I was NOT on the internet!

You sure like to sashay around the truth when it hurts.

Are you saying you are so ignorant/stupid that when you posted
those messages from a FidoNet BBS as not to have noticed those
were newsgroups being imported/exported by a sysop?

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| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

999. Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <110_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148976

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

>> he blew up a sat dish when it landed on high power wires in Colorado.

> Never proven.

Ka> Witnesses have stated it to be factual!

What witnesses? Name them, or forever let it
be considered another of your friggen lies.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1000. Toilet Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <111_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148977

-=> Quoting K4cc to All <=-

> I can't imagine why anyone would use PARG anyways!

K4> I tried it once, but I didn't inhale.

Wasn't it kinda lonely visiting a one-member organization?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1001. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <112_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148978

-=> Quoting Samson to All <=-

Sa> From: Samson <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>

Sa> FUCK MACKEY!

Sa> Hes just a damn yankee who never got enough attention at home.
Sa> Ignore the cock sucker and he will, at first, put up quite a lot of
Sa> noise, but then soon, he will realize that no one gives a fuck.

Sa> You have to be determined to ignore his shit.
Sa> DO NOT ALLOW HIM TO BAIT YOU WITH IGNORANT ATTACKS OR COMMENTS!
Sa> SAY "FUCK OFF JOHN MACKEY...YOU YANKEE, MOTHER FUCKING, EMOTIONALLY
Sa> RETARDED, PRODUCT OF INCEST!"

Samson, why don't you tell us how you REALLY feel about him?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1002. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uMk7fFUw9GA.143@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148979
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I will admit that I've posted misinformation. Yes, it is true, but you don't need to harp on it! Usually (over three-quarters of my posts) I know what I am talking about, but when I do try to answer a question of which I am not sure about, I ask others (who also may be wrong) or I try to state what I know about the subject.

Again, just stop this hellish crap and leave me alone.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jack wrote in message <35c933a8.1981022@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 21:10:22 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>That's fine - put me on your filter. That's your problem. It doesn't hurt
me
>>at all.
>
>I'm sure...would you like a tissue?
>
>>You aren't open to people's opinions? Be closed-minded, again, that's your
>>problem. I can't believe you're even taking sides with this psychotic
"Jack"
>>guy. He just pounces at every little mistake I make (even when I
apologize,
>>he criticizes me for being a fool) and tries to degrade me in front of
>>public view, but I don't care all that much anymore -- I am used to it.
>
>Psychotic? Haven't been called that yet..oh well, guess there is a
>first time for everything..kinda like if you were to post some factual
>data!
>
>>Don't believe me? I can post proof of how asinine his behavior is.
>
>Please, by all means! I'll even kill the e-mail plonk on you if you
>want to send it private to avoid being off-topic- Oh wait, I forgot
>who I was talking about..

>
>>... and you're just another one of him. The material I post is fully
>>relevant, and I don't call my retort and defense a "crap post". I have the
>>right to a defense when Mr. Jack feels he can act stupid.
>
>The only one acting stupid here is YOU! Take a look at some of the BS
>you have posted in the past!

1003. Re: 900MHz Phone Question???????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikep@-spamblock-izzy.net
Message-ID: <6qcsck$8c9@valhalla.comshare.com>
Source record: 148980

In article <35C6026C.12C1CFF6@navix.net>,
Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net> wrote:
> I am going to have to disagree, unfortunately. If a person buys
>a "Spread Spectrum" or digital cordless phone, there is NO scanner with
>the ability to eavesdrop. (note I said unfortunately) It will only
>be a matter of time before a "digital scanner" is made. For now, a
>digital cordless phone or digital cell. is not able to be eavesdropped
>on. bummer...

I definitely agree with you here, that is, unless your phone has the
words "spread spectrum" written on it. I bought my 900MHz digital
cordless phone a couple of years ago, and recently was trying to pick
it up on my scanner, and heard nothing but a modem-like buzz. I suppose
if someone has a digital-to-analog converter, they could decode the
signal and generate audio, but that's not one of my biggest worries.

My next cordless phone, though, is going to be a digital spread-spectrum.
No matter what the scanning industry comes up with, this is not going
to be listenable. Depending on the type of spreading used, the phone
either switches frequencies about four times per second based on a long,
randomly-generated "chipping sequence" known only to the handset and
the base, or it encodes the digital signal with a large amount of
redundant and check data, and spreads it simultaneously across a
range of frequencies, the sequence of which is again, only known to
the handset and base. If you don't have the exact chipping sequence
or spreading code, you'll hear something that's essentially
indistinguishable from white noise.

It seems that if the government hadn't been so busy passing
laws to give people the illusion that their radio conversations were
private, instead of letting people know clearly and unequivocally
that they were *NOT* private, that this technology would have been
very widely deployed by now. That's what's unfortunate.

-Mike Pelletier.
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"[It will] be very hard to increase browser share on the merits of
[Internet Explorer] alone. It will be more important to leverage
the OS asset to make people use IE instead of Navigator."
-- Christian Wildfeuer, a Microsoft Manager

1004. Re: Everyone is jealous of Mackey again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExA425.Kpn@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148981

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> K4CC wrote:
> > That's easy to say. How about proving it?
>
> Simple, review YOUR posts! Not a single one on topic, only supporting
> your buddies!

So let's review YOUR posts... Hundreds of attacks and flames every day and
NEVER a single post ON-TOPIC.

Who are you to complain??

If you just stop the entire newsgroup would improve! Try it...

1005. Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35C9F96E.1EE4@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148982

Hee, hee, even his pals at PARG think he's a fruitloop! Take a look at this:

http://www.parg.org/WMackey/inst.html

HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA!!!!!

-Phil

1006. Re: Trunked Radio System Ques.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <gary0136@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <iVmy1.2644$pI2.5205819@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 148983

BTW... It's a Motorola Smartnet Type II system

1007. Re: T.V Commercial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6qctaicpb1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 148984

Ever heard of the 1st Ammendmendment...

Mike...

Barron wrote in message <01bdbe1f$1bf13c60$764106d1@savy1>...
> Did any of you see a commercial on T.V. advertising a scanner
>to pick up your neighbors cordless and cell calls????. It was $175 and they
>were basically saying "know whats going on around your neighborhood" I
>couldn't
>believe that it was on T.V. They had an 800# and everything the scanner had
>a
>yellow case to it.
> I am not interested in the scanner, but I was wondering how the heck they
>could advertise this type of thing on t.v........
>
>

1008. John and the Kinky Woman from the Bar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35C9FD14.749F@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148985

I heard a good one today and thought I'd share it with you:

John Mackey was depressed. His wife had just kicked him out and he only had a few bucks to his name. So, to make the best of a night in the streets, he decided to spend his last few dollars at the bar.

A short while after he arrived, a beautiful woman enters the bar and sits next to John (yeah, I know, it would never happen, but stick with me kids). She begins to explain that she just got kicked out of her house.

"What a coincidence! So did I!" exclaims John.

"See," she said "I'm into really kinky dirty sex, and my husband isn't."

"This is spooky," said John. "I got kicked out of the house because I like to have really kinky sex and my wife doesn't. She said I was just too weird and she never wanted to see me again."

"That's what my husband said to me, too." said the woman.

They thought about it for a while, and the woman finally said "Wanna come to my place?"

"Sure!" said John.

So they went up to her apartment and the woman said "OK, make yourself at home, and I'll be out in a minute."

"OK" said John.

So the woman puts on her spiked leather teddy and puts on her cowboy boots (with spurs), grabs a whip with one hand and her handcuffs with the other. She comes back out and is shocked to see John leaving.

"Wait", she cried. "Where are you going?"

And then, hee hee, John says, ha ha,

"I JUST FUCKED THE DOG AND SHIT IN YOUR PURSE. I'M DONE!!"

BWAAAAAAAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAAA!!!!!!!!

-Phil

P.S. To the "what does this have to do with scanning" morons: As the subject implies, this post has NOTHING to do with scanners. Deal with it.

1009. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35ca9403.33220228@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 148986

Thank you for posting the correct info. Ryan needs to study this.

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 17:06:01 -0400, F Barry Mulligan
<70035.140@CompuServe.COM> wrote:

>"Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>> There does seem to be some confusion about the legalities of scanning
>> while in flight.
>
>For the text of the FAA regulation governing personal electronic devices
>(PEDs) aboard US airliners (FAR 91.21), plus the official policy of several
>airlines, download
> ftp://oak.oakland.edu/pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scan.airline
> (also available as Airlne.txt in Lib 2 of CompuServe's Hamnet Forum).
>
>"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>> Many airports use the lower end of the aircraft band, about 118 to 120
>> for each of their runways. 108 to 118 is used mainly for aircraft tracking,
>> and above 120 is tower to aircraft (and vice versa) communication.
>
>
>From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
> on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
> as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf
>
>
>Aeronautical Frequencies [87.173]
>
> 108.000 - 117.950 NavAids - VOR & localizer, 50 kHz step
> 118.000 - 121.400 ATC - towers & ARTCC
> 121.600 - 121.925 ATC - airport ground control
> 122.000 - 122.650 Flight Service Stations, 50 kHz step
> 122.700 - 123.500 * (see below)
> 123.600 - 128.800 ATC - towers & ARTCC
> 128.825 - 132.000 Enroute - airline company freqs
> 132.025 - 135.975 ATC - towers & ARTCC
> 136.000 - 136.475 Enroute - international
> 136.500 - 136.975 Enroute - domestic & international
>
> 25 kHz default spacing, AM for voice
>
>
> UNICOM - Aeronautical advisory station at airport [87.217]
> 122.700 122.725
> 122.800 123.000

> 122.950 at airport w/ full-time tower
> 122.975 above 10,000'
> 123.050 123.075 at heliports
>
> Multicom - common freq. at uncontrolled facilities [87.241]
> 122.850
> 122.900 primary CTAF
> 122.925 Fed/State natural resources
>
> FSS - FAA Flight Service Stations [87.187]
> 122.000 122.050 EFAS "Flight Watch"
> 122.100 receive only (w/VOR)
> 122.200 standard FSS
> 123.600 123.650 AAS Airport Advisory Svc
>
> Aviation Support - training, gliders, ballons, etc [87.323]
> 121.950
> 123.300 123.500
> 122.775 122.850 aviation services
>
> Misc.
> 121.500 standard emergency freq., ELTs
> 123.100 Search And Rescue - actual
> 122.900 Search And Rescue - training
> 123.100 control tower at special events
> 122.825 122.875 Enroute airline ops - local area
> 122.750 air-to-air - private arcft
> 123.025 air-to-air - helicopter
> 131.550 ACARS - digital (airlines)

1010. Re: Twin Cities Intl Airport freqs wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35c929a3.5984185@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 148987

To be a little more precise;

119.300 ---- Minneapolis Approach
123.950 ---- Minneapolis Tower Runway 12L/30R
124.700 ---- Minneapolis Departure south or west of active runway
126.500 ---- Minneapolis Approach/Departure North Satellite Airports
126.700 ---- Minneapolis Tower Runways 4/22, 12R/30L
126.950 ---- Minneapolis Approach
127.925 ---- Minneapolis Departure north or east of active runway
133.700 ---- Minneapolis ARTCC not an airport Freq.
135.000 ---- Minneapolis ARTCC not an airport Freq.

You Forgot;

120.800 ---- Minneapolis Departure ATIS
121.200 ---- Minneapolis Approach/Departure East Satellite Airports
121.800 ---- Minneapolis Ground Control North
121.900 ---- Minneapolis Ground Control South
125.000 ---- Minneapolis Approach/Departure South/West Satellite
Airports
133.200 ---- Minneapolis Clearance Delivery
135.350 ---- Minneapolis Arrival ATIS

If you need any other aviation freqs., just ask , I'll post them when
I'm not on a trip.

On 4 Aug 1998 21:36:36 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Here are some of the VHF-air frequencies (in MHz):
>
>119.300 -- Runway 9L and 9R (most active Sundays, 5pm-9pm)
>123.950 -- Minneapolis Tower
>124.700 -- Minneapolis Tower
>126.350 -- Minneapolis Tower
>126.500 -- Minneapolis Tower
>126.700 -- Minneapolis Tower
>126.950 -- Minneapolis Tower
>127.925 -- Minneapolis Tower
>133.700 -- Minneapolis Tower
>135.000 -- Minneapolis Tower

1011. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35d0fb54.59673412@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 148988

So Was I. Flying Cloud's tower freq. is 118.1
Since you have indicated to all that you are only slightly above the level of a one-celled organizism by resorting to name calling, I will not respond to you again. You may go through life ignorant if you wish, but please don't spew incorrect information to others.

On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 13:01:32 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I was talking about HERE, jerk.
>
>You must not be able to read very well. I said "MAINLY" and "MANY" -- not
>"ALWAYS" and "ALL".

1012. Re: AZ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35C9FF29.9E8@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148989

R. Brush wrote:
>
> Bryce Eichholz wrote:
>
> > We are going to Phoenix in a couple of months for the NASCAR race.
> > Is there a site where I can get the frequencies for the AZ highway
> > patrol and the local fire, PD's, and sheriffs in and around Phoenix?
> >
> > Thanks in advance..........Bryce
>
> Bryce,
> here are a couple of sites to search;
> http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
> http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
> good luck
> Randall

None of which will do you any good. Check
http://www.panix.com/userdirs/clay/scanning/frequencies/states/az/
for a list of links to some Phoenix sites. If you make regular trips out
here, I personally use and recommend the Southwest Frequency Directory
for accurate frequency info. You can find 'em at Bronco One CB or Ham
radio outlet in Phoenix.

-Phil

1013. Re: icom r7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35ca2639.2855619@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148990

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 14:02:12 GMT, hanabi@mindspring.nospam.com wrote:

>hi folks,
>
>r7100 owners: has anyone used the agc jack, with j23 removed, as
>an accessory jack? if so, what method did you use to make your
>connection?
>
>joe o'neill
>
>
>
>to reply, remove 'nospam' from my email address

Yes. I use the agc jack for discriminator output.
A small buffer board is used to tap and isolate the discriminator signal and the buffer output lead is soldered to the small inductor just adjacent to J23. The inductor is intended to suppress RFI so make sure you solder to the correct end of it. You could of course connect directly to J23 but if you solder to that it's going to be hard to replace the jumper if you decide you want the agc output back.

Greg Knox

1014. What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: SeanH@ii.Ca
Message-ID: <35c9fd76.4277004@news.westel.com>
Source record: 148991

Hi there!

I'm not sure what sort of scanner I should purchase or what brand, so I am looking for opinions on scanners.

Here's what it should be able to do...I'd like a handheld scanner, that is capable of recieving police/fire/ambulance transmissions, any other law enforcment, aviation (civilian and military), coast guard, naval, etc, etc, etc. Primarily public service stuff. I have no desire to listen to cellular conversations or decode pager transmissions. It's public service and public safety stuff that I am interested in. It should also be able to pick up frequencies that auto racing teams use, ie. CART, IRL, NASCAR, etc. A long battery life is also important.

I'd like to get a reliable brand name like Uniden, or something. I had wanted the BC-3000XLT, but the cost in Canadian dollars is something like $700, which is WAY too much. I'd be willing to spend around $500 dollars Canadian, so I hope that provides enough information. I have read the FAQ on scanner briefs, but the briefs don't provide quite the depth I'm looking for.

Thanks in advance.

--
Sean Hardiman
UVic Kinesiology - Victoria, BC

1015. [Q] AR8000 complete reset ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benjamin <bvancra@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6qcurv$g3g$1@news.internetsat.com>
Source record: 148992

I need to know how to proceed a complete reset of my AR8000, but I can't find it in the French manual.

Please answer by email, my provider has a problem of feed.

--

VANCRAYENEST Benjamin
Ecole des Mines de Douai
http://www.ensm-douai.fr
bvancra@bigfoot.com
ICQ : 11121118

1016. Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35c9ff17.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148993

John Mackey please get on topic and stay on topic.

Enough is enough, good man. If you claim to be here about scanners, then post about scanners and stop your fantasies with the Cheek guy. He offered you a deal. Just accept it and see if you can talk about scanners.

Because you don't talk about scanners Mackey, is very suspicius to seem like you have a different agenda for this newsgroup.

So what is your agenda here? Do you not like scanners too much maybe? You tell Poppa Dom what is your matter and what it takes to get you to finish your agenda. And then you an me will sip some grappa and talk about the old time hey? You like the grappa?

1017. Re: ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cc08ea.6724086@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148994

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 15:27:44 GMT, UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET> wrote:

>St Magnum wrote:
>>
>> I've just installed an OS535 in my Pro-2042. I have also just purchased an
>> OptoLinx for my AR8000. What's the best single software package for BOTH of
>> these? I've tried several demo programs, and I am leaning towards Scan*Star.
>>
>> And words of advice you have would be greatly appreciated!!
>
>I just bought a PRO-2042 also and will be heading down the same
>road shortly (plan on ordering the OS535 this week). I'd also
>like some words of wisdom.
>
>Thanks,
>

You will hard pressed to find software better then Probe4.0! It will
only work on os456/535 equipped scanners but it is well worth it!

>Robert
>rc123@globe-net.net

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1018. Re: 100% on Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35ca09ec.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148995

> x-no-archive: yes In article
> <1998080610395400.GAA29091@ladder03.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com
(MAlexder) wrote:

> > I know you're busy sucking up to Mackey, but I'm curious, when do you
suppose
> > you might post something about scanners?

> Would you please post an estimate of your on to off topic post ratio?
> Just make a guess.

Perhaps it would be best to start with an estimate of the Mack's on to off topic post ratio. He is the problem and every thing else is incidental. Mackey has electronicly stalked and harassed several people here for a very long time. He won't stop and it doesnt matter if every body else stops or not because Mackey won't stop. This matter is three or 4 years old and the only ways to stop it now is to stop the cause. Mike Alexander and the others are not the cause. Mackey is.

You dont cure a toothake by cutting off the head.

Poppa Dom said that.

1019. Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA0C1C.43D7@parg.org>
Source record: 148996

Phil-

Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

1020. Re: ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980806201106000.QAA26591@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148997

>You will hard pressed to find software better then Probe4.0! It will only work on os456/535 equipped scanners but it is well worth it

I certainly agree. Unfortunately, Datafiles, the company that sells Probe does not offer a demo, so you have to go on faith that this is the program to buy ($125). It's a DOS program, BTW, so some people might find that objectionable. OTOH, it's fast and will also crank up your scanner's speed by a factor of two. I get 80-90 cps with it on my 2042.

The company doesn't have a web site either, but here is one site that has good Probe info:
http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/

Datafiles@aol.com is how to reach Perry Joseph, Probe's creator.

1021. Re: Kendrick stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA0E32.451C@parg.org>
Source record: 148998

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> Are you saying you are so ignorant/stupid that when you posted
> those messages from a FidoNet BBS as not to have noticed those
> were newsgroups being imported/exported by a sysop?

Your knowledge of historical facts on this topic is
seriously flawed. Cheek left moderatorship of Scanradio, then about 2
or 3
months later left fidonet altogether after being requested to leave.

1022. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA0E91.7E3E@parg.org>
Source record: 148999

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> What witnesses? Name them, or forever let it
> be considered another of your friggen lies.

Clarence Green said he was a witness.

1023. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA0FFB.4479@parg.org>
Source record: 149000

Fire Chief wrote:

> advance. He even conducted an election in SCANNERS for
> a new moderator, which mackey tried to swing with netmail.

He left Fido a couple months later.

> And you know as well as anyone that Fido doesn't give
> 30 day notices. When you're a bad boy, you get your

Normally, you are correct. BUT,,,,,,,,,
He was given that courtesy due to some of the good things he
had done for Net202.

1024. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1052.6392@parg.org>
Source record: 149001

Dom Dominico wrote:
> Enough is enough, good man. If you claim to be here about scanners, then

Would you tell that to all the Cheek-a-likes also? They post FAR
more crap than me!

1025. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6qd3jj$o13$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 149002

Rich Wells has an excellent page with alot of info on scanners. I'd look there for some answers....

Brian
http://www.tctc.com/~shoop/freq.html

Sean Hardiman wrote in message <35c9fd76.4277004@news.westel.com>...
>Hi there!
>
>I'm not sure what sort of scanner I should purchase or what brand, so
>I am looking for opinions on scanners.
>
>Here's what it should be able to do...I'd like a handheld scanner,
>that is capable of recieving police/fire/ambulance transmissions, any
>other law enforcment, aviation (civilian and military), coast guard,
>naval, etc, etc, etc. Primarily public service stuff. I have no
>desire to listen to cellular conversations or decode pager
>transmissions. It's public service and public safety stuff that I am
>interested in. It should also be able to pick up frequencies that
>auto racing teams use, ie. CART, IRL, NASCAR, etc. A long battery
>life is also important.
>
>I'd like to get a reliable brand name like Uniden, or something. I
>had wanted the BC-3000XLT, but the cost in Canadian dollars is
>something like $700, which is WAY too much. I'd be willing to spend
>around $500 dollars Canadian, so I hope that provides enough
>information. I have read the FAQ on scanner briefs, but the briefs
>don't provide quite the depth I'm looking for.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>
>--
>Sean Hardiman
>UVic Kinesiology - Victoria, BC

1026. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6qd3mc$o14$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 149003

Ooooppppsss Here's the address.....

http://www.strongsignals.net/

Sorry about that

Brian wrote in message <6qd3jj$o13$1@news.wintek.com>...
>Rich Wells has an excellent page with alot of info on scanners. I'd look
>there for some answers....
>
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>>naval, etc, etc, etc. Primarily public service stuff. I have no
>>desire to listen to cellular conversations or decode pager
>>transmissions. It's public service and public safety stuff that I am
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>>information. I have read the FAQ on scanner briefs, but the briefs
>>don't provide quite the depth I'm looking for.
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>>Thanks in advance.
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>>Sean Hardiman
>>UVic Kinesiology - Victoria, BC
>
>

1027. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA12FB.1CD8@parg.org>
Source record: 149004

Bill Cheek wrote:
> a profound e-mail and newsgroup forgery artist,
> with hundreds of forgeries mounting to

You must be speaking of yourself again! Remember the WinRadio Forgery,
Billy Thunder forgery, & the others you got caught at Bill!

1028. RadioShack 99 Catalog Preview

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdhtex@aol.com
Message-ID: <6qd98m$t3k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149005

The 1999 RadioShack catalog should be available by the end of August. I have seen a copy and here is what is new that you scanner listeners might be interested in.

There will be ten scanner radios. Five handheld radios (two trunktrackers), four base models (one trunkracker) and one mobile scanner that will be a trunktracker!

The Pro-90 is in this catalog. There were some unfounded rumors in this newsgroup that they would soon be discontinued. This model is selling fast so I don't think RadioShack is wanting to drop it from it's line up. The leather case for the Pro-90 has moved to the RadioShack Unlimited ordering system. Extra batteries sell for either $19.99 or $24.99 depending on which representative you talk to.

Probably the biggest news is the introduction the pro-2066 which is a mobile scanner that has trunk-tracking. This looks very much like the Pro-2046 that it replaces. It has 150 channels and a similar display to the Pro-91 (the Pro-91 is RadioShack's other handheld trunktracker). The caption in the catalog says it has service search with CB, but the specifications indicate that coverage starts at 29 MHz which is above the CB band.

Gone is the Pro-2042. The 1000 channel scanner that could be modified with the Optoscan computer controller is discontinued and is pretty hard to find. Good news to anyone that can find it at RadioShack, it is only $249.97. This means that RadioShack no longer has any scanners that are capable of receiving the military air band or the 220 ham band.

There is a Y-splitter for use with mono headphones. It's about time since almost all the RadioShack scanner have mono headphone jacks.

That's about it. Not much more that is all that exciting. In fact the new catalog looks almost the same as last years catalog and doesn't have very much more for us scannists.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1029. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1351.2982@parg.org>
Source record: 149006

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Uh huh... Yes, we made a truce earlier, but I must break in and say, "yes,
> you do" (or at least you *have*).

Ok Ryan, please present your proof to back your statements.

1030. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA13B7.2582@parg.org>
Source record: 149007

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Really?? Wanna talk about a couple of death threats you Emailed under MY
> name? You freakin' liar...

Yea, let's talk about it. Post the proof that these threats you
claim were from ME!

1031. Re: Pro 2004 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <n9jig-0608981539570001@56-ip-71.theramp.net>
Source record: 149008

In article <35C94541.6DAB6F3D@juno.com>, Dan <dandiane@juno.com> wrote:

> Have 2004 with cell and 400 channel mods. Every 4th thru 8th channels
> repeats the previous freqs when programming and when scanning. It will
> also scan locked out channels and shows oddball freqs that weren't
> programmed. When it stops on an unprogrammed freq and you hit the manual
> button it will change freq sometimes back to the origianally programmed
> one and sometimes just anything at random. Anyone have any ideas on
> this?

Try the following (The 2004's are getting senile in thier old age...):

Change the memory battery then do a complete memory clear (Hold down the
reset button on the front panel while pressing the reset button on the
back of the radio.)

I have had the same thing happen on a few of my 2004's over the years, and
this seems to work well for me.

If it continues, check the various cables connecting the board together
inside the radio. Onee or more may have worked loose or got some sort of
crud in it.

--
******* Rich Carlson, N9JIG *******
Illinois Highways Page
http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html
Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA)
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

1032. Re: Blake Bowels makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1526.293E@parg.org>
Source record: 149009

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Sort of clears up the Clarence Green from that part of the woods
> forge.

How does that figure, Blake?

1033. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1714.4C36@parg.org>
Source record: 149010

John T. Arthur wrote:

> > Mr. Clem wrote:
> > > Out of 265 headers downloaded 144 posts were Cheek/Mackey related.

> What he didn't report was that at least 100 of the

You IDIOT, I didn't report ANYTHING, direct you bitches to
Mr. Clem!

1034. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1676.5DC4@parg.org>
Source record: 149011

Bill Cheek wrote:
> THAT is what you need to explain, you imbecile.

Apparently you like to use those words because
you often hear people speaking to you saying
"you imbecile"!

1035. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA17C5.3B40@parg.org>
Source record: 149012

Bill Cheek wrote:
> 1. You and I don't communicate TO each other.
> 2. You and I don't communicate ABOUT each other.
> 3. You and I don't REFER TO or INSINUATE ABOUT each other.
> 4. You and I don't even THINK about each other.
> 5. Period. No if's, and's, or's or but's.....

Add number 6 & you got a deal Bill!

6. Post no Flames or nasty messages on rec.radio.scanner.

1036. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1831.63AE@parg.org>
Source record: 149013

John T. Arthur wrote:
> No - it was an attempt to control what and where Bill could post what he
> chose to post.

Only in regards to flames & nasty messages.

1037. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <OHq2FzXw9GA.277@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149014

Whatever happened to "jackie..."@my-dejanews.com or whoever that was, hmm?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

KA0SSF wrote in message <35CA1351.2982@parg.org>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
>> Uh huh... Yes, we made a truce earlier, but I must break in and say,
"yes,
>> you do" (or at least you *have*).
>
>Ok Ryan, please present your proof to back your statements.

1038. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA19CE.5BB2@parg.org>
Source record: 149015

Fire Chief wrote:
> FidoNet R10C confirmed his lying about Cheek being booted out of the
> net. He still won't admit to that falsehood he started spreading.

Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!

1039. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA1A9A.69EE@parg.org>
Source record: 149016

Bill Cheek wrote:
> He *may* not have ever been there physically,
> but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!

I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.

1040. FS: Scanner Radio Shack Pro2004 / Cellular & Speed Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bgohl@spiritone.com
Message-ID: <bgohl-0608981424540001@m6-34.spiritone.com>
Source record: 149017
Cross-posted to: or.forsale,pdx.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio Shack Pro2004 Programmable Scanner

25-520mhz and 760-1300mhz coverage
Modified to receive cellular
Increased scanning speeds (30+ channels per second)

Owners manual and original packaging
Excellent Like New Condition

$225. 00 shipped in continental US

Brian Gohl
Portland, Oregon USA
bgohl@teleport.com

He who dies with the most toys..... is dead.

1041. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qd8fp$76s@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 149018

Yes. It is a great site. I bookmarked it, but it doesn't have anything on BYU. Utah isn't exactly "Scanner Central", so it wouldn't surprise me if I was the first one to try to map the fleets.

Thanks, It's nice to see you are still around (even though nothing has changed in this n.g. since Bill arrived).

--
Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
MAlexder wrote in message
<1998080519273300.PAA17067@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>From: "Brett - N7OLQ"
>
>>This is for Brigham Young University in Provo Utah. I have checked all
the
>>TrunkTracker sites that I could find and no one has anything but
frequencies
>>(no fleetmaps/IDs).
>
>Did you try:
>http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm
>
>It's got lots of good TT info.

1042. Radio Shack Pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35cd215c.1550505438@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 149019
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have an opinion on how good a deal a brand new Pro-2042 for $250 is? I've got an old Pro-2005 and wouldn't mind getting more channels and faster scan (and other memory features, etc.)... I've read that the receiver in the 2042 isn't as good as the 2005. Anyone have any information? Is this a good radio? Better than a Uniden BC-9000?

Thanks,
Jeff Adams
======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
==

1043. An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080621344100.RAA02793@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149020

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Add number 6 & you got a deal Bill!
>
>6. Post no Flames or nasty messages on rec.radio.scanner.

Okay, John, let me make you an offer,
and it's dead serious - no jokes, no jabs,
no flames.

If you're really serious about ending the
flame wars, then let's *you and I* make that
deal. The whole thing -- Bill's
five points AND your #6. That means
neither one of us can post flames or
nasty messages to or about ANYONE,
if I interpret it correctly. I'm willing to abide
by that in good faith, if you are.

I do not now nor will I ever presume to
speak for anyone else without their
authority, but I'm pretty certain that if
you and I make this deal, you'll see the
end of the flames from others, which is
what I've been seeing you say is what
you want.

Regardless of our differences, I'm
willing to abide by all of the conditions,
including the "post no flames or nasty
messages" condition, realizing that means
it applies to both you and me even if a third
party flames one or the other of us.

John, if you're really serious about ending
the flames, just send me a message, either
here or in private e-mail, indicating that you
accept. If so, the deal will take effect
immediately.

Whaddya say?

Dave

1044. Poc32 Problem Solved!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <ed0FpQYw9GA.51@upnetnews03>
Source record: 149021

I got a great suggestion while searching DejaNews for making Poc32 work without a data slicer.

Set the line-in level to just past the first notch, and set the volume on the scanner about halfway. Then, Poc32 decodes everything almost 100% perfectly. I always get a 95 to 100% success rate.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1045. Re: Control software for BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610515500.GAA23730@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149022

>From: bigron@i-cafe.net (bigron)

[Wants to know about 895 software and ponders why the cable is so expensive]

Looks like you need to fire up the web search engine. There are a number of
very good FREE or nearly FREE (under $10) solutions to your "problem."

Two good programs on the market that are free and are better in many respects
than their considerably more costly alternatives are:
PC895 and Freetracker.
Freetracker can be found at:
http://www.autowinnet.com/
PC895 can be found at http://www.mghusa.com/scanner/pc895/
PC895 includes instructions on building your own cable as does:
http://www.futurescanning.com/index.htm

1046. MNDucky Get Real!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610575200.GAA29724@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149023

Just got this from the Duckman, who has never posted on topic but sure wants to make sure that everyone else does!

Subj: Re: Any REAL scanner group??
Date: 98-08-06 06:48:26 EDT
From: mnduckyj@earthlink.net
To: malexder@aol.com (MAlexder), admin@aol.com, abuse@aol.com, postmaster@aol.com

In article <1998080511085200.HAA23673@ladder01.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

> >From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri)
>
> >Because it flies in the face of your _constant_ upbraiding of others for doing
> the same thing! Surely you see this!
>
> "Constant upbraiding?" That's a gross exaggeration and you know it. I don't
> have a barometer of on- to off-topic posts that I consider acceptable. Maybe
> you do. My only expectation is that if you post more on than off, that's fine
> with me. If one never posts on-topic, then one really doesn't have a right to
> complain about anything. Indeed, this is a person who is part of the problem.

>
> Take Mackey for instance. He has posted 1000s of off-topic messages, and
> perhaps 4-5 on (I don't know the exact number but it is miniscule in
> comparison). Clearly, his agenda is something other than contributing to this
> group. What's more, he's willing to do this at the expense of everyone else. He
> simply doesn't give a damn about anything but making a spectacle of himself.

Why did one of your users feel it necessary to post this VERY off-topic post on the newsgroup 'rec.radio.scanners'? Please cancel this post, and deal with your user. Thanks!

1047. Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: av391@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6qc1s5$f6m@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 149024

Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

- frequency range from 530kHz to 1650Mhz in receiving modes:
Wide FM, Narrow FM, AM, LSB and USB (including cellular band)
- twelve frequency steps can be selected
- 10-band search function
- 1000-channel memory
- comes with car connector, hand strap, belt clip, earphone,
original box, owner's manual and original receipt
- purchased in November 1996: used no more than 25 hours
Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM

Originally paid over $900 from Atlantic Ham Radio. This was the
second model from the top back in 1996. It was hardly ever
used (practically brand new). Yes, from the above frequency range,
you can receive all analog cellular conversions!

Serious inquiries ONLY. Located in Toronto. Leave a voice number
if interested.

1048. Re: Scanner News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080611180600.HAA24755@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149025

>I too was lookng for a scanner ng but it seems I walked right into a
>biker bar knife fight.
>

Biker bar knife fight? You gotta be kidding. This is more like a squabble
between five-year-olds.

JW

1049. Re: Blake LIES AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAlexder <malexder@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6qc3p3nfm1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 149026

Blake Bowers wrote in message <6qbc6tgfr2@207.18.224.140>...
>On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 00:04:20 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
>>Blake Bowers wrote:
>>
>>> SCANRADIO
>>> AMATEUR_RADIO
>>> HAM_SALE
>>> EMS
>>> ASKACOPII
>>> CELLULAR

I'm not familiar with these mailing lists. Is Scanradio similar to SCAN-L?

1050. Re: FS:AR8000 unblocked $400.00 shipped!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980806121501O1.IAA03554@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149027

I AM SELLING MY SHINWA001 FOR 375.00 . IT HAS BEEN SOLD. I WOULD BE VERY INTERESTED IN PURCHASING IF SOMEONE DOESNT BUY IT. pdoody2aol.com

1051. Re: YAESU FRG-9600 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n6uuo7@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080612153700.IAA03596@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149028

They where made around 86 87 and that was the almost the cost at the time.. I had for a bit and it was great radio

1052. Re: ICOM Q7 good or bad Scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <35c9a723.2027284@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 149029

On 5 Aug 1998 18:36:29 GMT, ke6zgp@aol.com (Ke6zgp) wrote:

>Bryan Herbert
>BLH Communications-owner
>Magic Mountain-Parking Lot Attendant / Tram Operator

Magic Mountain ...pretty neat... from 1974 to 1980 I was a Ride
Maintance mechanic at Cedar Point. which is one of the biggest rides
amusement parks in the U,S, Cedar Fair which owns Cedar Point
recently purchased Knott's Berry Farm. It was a good company to work
for.

Best Regards,

Gary Fiber
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1053. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <35caa848.2320286@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 149030

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 02:08:04 GMT, "John" <mcdermon@usa.net> wrote:

I would relish you sharing with this forum Icom's plans for
correcting these shortcomings that have made this venture
>so distasteful for one and all...
>
>Most sincerely yours,
>John McDermon, KE4VAL

Call John, like he asked if you want to discuss concerns with him.
Best Regards,

Gary Fiber
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1054. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qc9o8fab0@207.18.224.114>
Source record: 149031

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 04:14:00 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
>> You had a thought? ROTFLMAO! Just shows how stupid you are and how
>> little you know of the real world. You would barely be eligible for
>> military duty because you are 33 years old; the maximum age for
>> enlistees is 34.
>
>No actually it shows how stupid you are! Acording to the Oregon
>ANG (which uses Air Force regulations) the limit is age 35!
>
Hmmm. No one 35 or over will be considered for enlistment. That
means the maximum age limit would be 34.

>I've been there several times along with the old Williams AFB &
>Davis-Monthan AFB in Tucson. (There has never been a reason to
>discuss this before, but I used to live in Phoenix!)

Sort of clears up the Clarence Green from that part of the woods
forge.

Live from P_ARG!!

1055. Re: Blake LIES AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qc9r9fab1@207.18.224.114>
Source record: 149032

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 07:29:07 -0400, "MAlexder" <malexder@aol.com>
wrote:

>
>Blake Bowers wrote in message <6qbc6tgfr2@207.18.224.140>...
>>On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 00:04:20 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>>
>>>Blake Bowers wrote:
>>>
>>>> SCANRADIO
>>>> AMATEUR_RADIO
>>>> HAM_SALE
>>>> EMS
>>>> ASKACOPII
>>>> CELLULAR
>
>
>I'm not familiar with these mailing lists. Is Scanradio similar to SCAN-L?
>
>
These are the FIDO Echos that John is banned from. FIDO as in the
worlwide hobby BBS network.

Live from P_ARG!!

1056. Re: Toilet Boy makes a mess on himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qc9uefab2@207.18.224.114>
Source record: 149033

On 06 Aug 1998 10:51:41 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>bbowers@P_ARG.org (Blake Bowers) writes:
>
>>I can't imagine why anyone would use PARG anyways!
>
>
>I tried it once, but I didn't inhale.
>
>
>
ROFL
Live from P_ARG!!

1057. Re: MNDucky Get Real!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qca14fab3@207.18.224.114>
Source record: 149034

On 6 Aug 1998 10:57:52 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>Just got this from the Duckman, who has never posted on topic but sure wants to
>make sure that everyone else does!
>

I got one too. What a moron!

Live from P_ARG!!

1058. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9ptE.HMv@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149035

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > We're not talking about Bill's degree(s) -
>
> Then you haven't been paying attention.

Wrong again! WE are not talking about Bill's degrees - YOU are, as a smoke-screen to keep from having to admit that YOU don't have one higher than a GED...

You could end the entire thread by posting the information requested rather than sidestepping it every time it comes up.

Of course, you could simply end the entire thread by not posting anymore!

1059. Re: Mackey's Smoke and Mirrors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9pwt.Hnv@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149036

On 5 Aug 1998, K4CC wrote:

> Reaching into his vast archive for one of his three stock answers, John Mackey,
> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >You must be looking in a mirror!
>
> Do you have this line set up as a macro,
> or do you have to type it again each time
> you repeat it?

It would HAVE to be a macro as much as he uses it. Otherwise he probably wouldn't remember it and ask you to produce evidence that he had used it... As usual!

1060. icom r7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hanabi@mindspring.nospam.com
Message-ID: <35c9b5f5.309607@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 149037

hi folks,

r7100 owners: has anyone used the agc jack, with j23 removed, as an accessory jack? if so, what method did you use to make your connection?

joe o'neill

to reply, remove 'nospam' from my email address

1061. Re: Today's Mackey Fabrications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9q4v.Hpx@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149038

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> K4CC wrote:
> SNIP <-- afraid to quote what Dave posted
>
> Is there a point to your mindless rambling?

Is there ever a point to YOUR mindless rambling? NO!!

1062. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9q7H.Hqx@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149039

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> ps2@netexecutive.com wrote:
>
> > Simply put John Mackey , You know I have stated the truth and if you read my
> > post you know I have cheanged my isp so you and obfd cannot send me all of the
>
> WRONG! OBFD always started his messages off a certain way with
> people who he felt were NOT an enemy. You failed to show what he
> did in that situation so you are lying!

Gee... wonder how he knows that? Maybe because Mackey IS obfd..?

> > The reason you cannot send mail to the aol account if you read the post is
>
> More excuses.

Sounds like the truth to me - and that's why you dispute it, right
Mackeloon?

> > I really don't like cheek but you have gone too far with your lies and it time
>
> Yes you do or you wouldn't be on here lying!

1063. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9quL.Hso@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149040

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > did you really think no one would notice your little
> > forgery?
>
> I don't forge.

Really?? Wanna talk about a couple of death threats you Emailed under MY name? You freakin' liar...

1064. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9qxs.Htn@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149041

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > As was pointed out, your one little addition was nothing but another
> > attempt to CONTROL someone else - when you seem to have NO control over
> > YOURSELF...
>
> No, it was an attempt to
> stop the flames which Bill was unwilling
> to agree to.

No - it was an attempt to control what and where Bill could post what he chose to post.

The four terms proposed would have ended the flames between you and Bill - which was something YOU would not agree to.

1065. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9r1D.Huz@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149042

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Mr. Clem wrote:
> > Out of 265 headers downloaded 144 posts were Cheek/Mackey related. This
> > is a whopping 54.3% and certainly enough to consider creation of a
> > newsgroup of its own. Alt.Cheek.Mackey.Pissfest anyone?
>
> Nearly all of the posters are Cheek supporters. Perhaps they
> could go the the ALREADY CREATED newsgroup of "alt.fan.bill.cheek"!

What he didn't report was that at least 100 of the 144 messages were originated by YOU, Mackeloon - and contained ZERO scanner-related information.

1066. Re: John E, Mackey Jr makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9r5z.Hx6@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149043

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > Really, John - if you don't have anything to say, why do you keep saying
> > it?
>
> This thread had NOTHING to do with you so why are you trying to
> get in the middle? Or do you just enjoy causing trouble whenever
> you can?

This NEWSGROUP has nothing to do with you, so whay are YOU trying to cause trouble? You know NOTHING about scanners or scanning and have contributed nothing but garbage the entire time I've been reading the ng.

So I repeat (I'll type slowly so you can follow): if you don't have anything to say, why do you keep saying it?

1067. Re: Mackey trying to make more trouble - as usual!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9r8v.Hy7@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149044

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > I'd use the shotgun in
> > the closet and end it all...
>
> Please do!

I wouldn't do ANYTHING to please you. Besides, I only have a BB gun -
wouldn't do the job that your shotgun would do... Please demonstrate!

1068. Re: Kendrick deflates Toilet Boy's lies again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Ex9rDE.HzA@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 149045

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > True. Like you, Cheek made a public claim about having degrees,
> > and I asked him about that. He readily provided the information.
>
> No, Cheek has NEVER provided the information when asked!

Oh, but he HAS!! And he's written three books about scanners and has contributed tons of information. While all you've ever done is whine, complain, flame, forge, rogue cancel, and generally make a nuisance of yourself.

1069. Question from a newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: btdunit@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080614365400.KAA09459@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149046

What is the legality of listening to cordless and cellular telephone
conversations?
If it matters, I live in Pennsylvania.
E-mail, or reply to group.
Thanks in advance!

1070. Re: Question from a newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080615162700.LAA19515@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149047

btdunit@aol.com (Btdunit) writes:

>What is the legality of listening to cordless and cellular telephone
>conversations? If it matters, I live in Pennsylvania.

As long as you're in the U.S., it's illegal
to monitor either cordless or cell phone
transmissions.

I would never encourage anyone to break
that law, but I would observe that it would
be virtually impossible for anyone to catch
you at it, unless, as a handful of folks have
done, you went public with conversations
you had taped from those sources and, in
essence, told the world you had done it.

Best regards,
Dave

1071. Re: ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET>
Message-ID: <35C9CB90.814@LESS.NET>
Source record: 149048

St Magnum wrote:
>
> I've just installed an OS535 in my Pro-2042. I have also just purchased an
> OptoLinx for my AR8000. What's the best single software package for BOTH of
> these? I've tried several demo programs, and I am leaning towards Scan*Star.
>
> And words of advice you have would be greatly appreciated!!

I just bought a PRO-2042 also and will be heading down the same
road shortly (plan on ordering the OS535 this week). I'd also
like some words of wisdom.

Thanks,

Robert
rc123@globe-net.net

1072. Yupiteru home page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sergio@xe.estec.esa.nl
Message-ID: <6qchsh$nb7@bcalpha.estec.esa.nl>
Source record: 149049

Does anybody know where is the web site of Yupiteru?
Please answer by e-mail

Thanks and regards

Sergio

1073. Re: AZ Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35C9F232.50C29D42@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 149050

Bryce Eichholz wrote:

> We are going to Phoenix in a couple of months for the NASCAR race.
> Is there a site where I can get the frequencies for the AZ highway
> patrol and the local fire, PD's, and sheriffs in and around Phoenix?
>
> Thanks in advance.....Bryce

Bryce,
here are a couple of sites to search;
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm
good luck
Randall

1074. PA-NJ Nat Guard Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6qcjcjbla1@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 149051

Just about every week I see PA and NJ National Guard
convoys traveling the PA turnpike and route 81 to
Camp Drum in NY state. Does anyone have any idea
what freqs they might use? They all seem to have
those super long whip antennas so I am guessing
it may be Low Band VHF. I have tried 32.5 and 40.10
but have hear nothing.
tia
bill

1075. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c9cf67.152685509@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149052

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> No, I admit that "I always thought that 6 feet was the height limit for
> military service."
>
> Do you need me to explain it to you more?

You need to explain your stupidity and nescience.
You try to play Mister Smart but everything
you say and think is profoundly stupid.

THAT is what you need to explain, you imbecile.

1076. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cad0dd.153058664@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149053

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > did you really think no one would notice your little
> > forgery?
>
> I don't forge.

Only because no foundry or metal shop would
have you on the premises. You are, however,
a profound e-mail and newsgroup forgery artist,
with hundreds of forgeries mounting to your
credit......

You flipping clone of a syphilitic lizard....
>
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1077. Re: Kendrick deflates Toilet Boy's lies again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cbd247.153421189@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149054

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > True. Like you, Cheek made a public claim about having degrees,
> > and I asked him about that. He readily provided the information.
>
> No, Cheek has NEVER provided the information when asked!

But I have! Just NOT to you, nitwit!
I don't provide ANYTHING to you. I don't
justify anything to you.

I just laugh at you.
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1078. Re: They call Kendrick an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ccd40a.153872434@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149055

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Plus, what makes
> you think it was ME? (just morbid curiosity -this will be real
> interesting!)

> > Subject: Bed wetting with native american children
> > From: traveler@cyberway.net
> > Date: 1996/06/23
> > Message-ID: <31CD1178.1579@cyberway.net>
> > Newsgroups: alt.native

These aren't the kinds of posts that anyone
would take the time to forge, Hermie. They're
not derogatory, debasing, or all that far
off kilter. And there were MANY of them from
you at cyberway.net.

If someone were out to get you back three years
ago, there would be no doubt about the intent
and the content. But these posts of yours from
CYBERWAY.NET are not forgeries. Who on earth or
in hell would bother to write shit like that and
attribute it to you? You're nuts to even suggest it.]

If I were to forge something in your name, I'd
have you confessing to incest with your dead
dog or something like that. Neither I nor anyone
else would bother to write a series of lengthy
and inane posts over a long period of time.....

Stop the lies, Mackey.

1079. Blue Angels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earl Johnson <MrEKJ@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35C9D9DC.593EAD0A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 149056

Does anyone have the frequencies I might find them on? Thanks

1080. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cdd60a.154383884@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149057

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> So what? You've still refused to give your credentials
> when asked by this NG!

This NG does not ask me or anyone else anything.
YOU brought it up and were joined by one other..
.....neither of whom would I walk across the
street to pee on if they were on fire.....

> > > Would you like me to re-post some of the posts made about
> > > your credentials?

> > Yes, I certainly would! But not "some". Post
> > them all, you idiot.

> I'me not going to waste all the bandwidth to do that.

ONLY because you CAN'T.....

> Here is a sample!
>
> *****************
> Subject: I rest my case !!!
> From: <hduff@hcol.humberc.on.ca>

Ha ha ha ha ha ha.........

One post. From HIM? So that's HIM and YOU.
WHO are the others? You've got to do better
than that, Hermie. You and HIM were among the
few I'd not pee on if you were on fire....
so produce some more "posts", Hermie. DO IT!
I defy you to do it. I dare you to do it.

You CAN'T do it, Hermie.......

> Yankton College, Yankton, SD.

Is that where you first yanked yourself?

> Now tell me the rest of YOUR info so your degree may be confirmed.
> (title, date)

I don't tell you shit, Hermie. WHO I am and WHAT
I've done just doesn't pertain to you in the slightest.
I justify nothing to you; I defend nothing to you;
and I care not a whit about you, your ancestors, or
your progeny.

I just laugh at you and at your obsessions with me.
You are a laughingstock and the newsgroup idiot.
Nothing more; nothing less. Just utterly, totally,
and completely worthless.

And then I hear you've been peddling ham licenses
for $20 a pop.

Hang your head in shame, Hermie. Better still, YANK it.

1081. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ced9b1.155319659@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149058

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > That is a part of the deal I offered you,
> > you flippin weenie, I won't flame you, and
> > I couldn't flame you if I followed the other
> > points of the proposal.

> No Bill that was a deal I offered YOU!

I don't entertain or consider "offers" from you.
Your "offers" are absurd, ridiculous, and
self-serving. Your "offer" included others
besides you and me, but you are not authorized
or capable of speaking for anyone but you.
Same here.

> But regardless
> I don't care who gets the credit. If you are willing to accept
> the condition of "post no flames, or nasty messages"

I'm not. If someone flames me or posts nasty
messages to or about me, I will deal with them
on their own terms. You may not dictate those.

Just THEE and ME, Smacksie. You deal with others
as you see fit, same as I will.

> then we have a deal!

The ONLY possible deal is betwixt THEE and ME, Hermie.
It will NOT include anyone else.

> That's all that is important, say it is your idea if
> you want, I don't care.

It is MY idea that you and I pound out THIS deal:

1. You and I don't communicate TO each other.
2. You and I don't communicate ABOUT each other.
3. You and I don't REFER TO or INSINUATE ABOUT each other.
4. You and I don't even THINK about each other.

5. Period. No if's, and's, or's or but's.....

Just THEE and ME, Hermie. That IS the deal, and that is the ONLY deal. No truces. No "white flags". No speaking for others. No heroics about "saving the newsgroup". Just plain and simple as stated above.

1082. Trunked Radio System Ques.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <gary0136@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <Mily1.2617$pI2.5147835@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 149059

For about a month now, I've been mointoring my city's trunked radio system with a trunktracker. (BTW, I've been monitoring it for over a year with a conventional scanner.) In June, they stoped using their 860.xxxx MHz freqs, and switched to only their 850.xxxx MHz freqs. On Monday, I got back from vacation to find they've made more changes. On certian channels, like Police TAC for instance, I can only hear base talking to the mobile units. I don't hear the mobile units talking to base. However, it's not that way on all channles. Like, on Police Dispatch I don't have that problem. I have the same problem on my trunktracker (Pro-2050) and on my conventional scanner (Pro-67). I programmed every frequency listed in Police Call into my Pro67, and still haven't had any luck hearing mobile units on certian channels. Any ideas?

1083. Re: What type of paging system is (sound) Its the link of a POCSAG paging system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35C9CDE9.2FB131E1@pacbell.net>
Source record: 149060
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi Raquel ,
Wow ..quite an interesting analysis ......I sorry to say it ...
but it seems like the original post and MOST subsequent
follow-ups have degenerated to the point that I (personally)
feel revulsion at continuing with this ...but.. AT LEAST...allow ME
(in the absence of others) say to both you AND Steve ...Thanks ..
for your comments on topic of the original post and for your
interest in the technical venue ..which exists ..(however meager)
mixed in with the guck on this news group ....

good bye
a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR

1084. BC210XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6qbd9l$73k$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 149061

I need some help...

I have a Uniden Bearcat 210XL that was given to me, is there any way to "upgrade" it so i can listen to ATC's.

Thank You.

Mike

1085. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d0e777.158845929@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149062

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

scantech@concentric.net wrote:

> KA0SSF wrote:
> >
> > No read it again, "I have NEVER been to Clark College". No if's
> > end's or but's!

> Who are you trying to kid John?

He *may* not have ever been there physically,
but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!

> Everyone knows that you're the
> Infamous Rogue Canceller of rec.radio.scanner.

Only Mackey.......thinks he can forget about
it and make it "truth".
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1086. Re: Things are still the same. What a pity.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35c9e6cd.2211005@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 149063

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 18:19:30 -0500, Jeff Ekblad
<jsekblad@win.bright.net> wrote:

>Just thought I'd check in and see if the climate has improved.
>
>Guess not! Moron #1, Moron #2, and their respective cronies are still
>at it.
>

I hereby designate you as Moron #3.

1087. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uw$uILUw9GA.208@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149064

Uh huh... Yes, we made a truce earlier, but I must break in and say, "yes,
you do" (or at least you *have*).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

KA0SSF wrote in message <35C91C64.C49@parg.org>...
>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
>> did you really think no one would notice your little
>> forgery?
>
>I don't forge.
>
>

1088. Re: Things are still the same. What a pity.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#ucM4LUw9GA.143@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149065

Yes, and you're just contributing and agitating the problem. Moron #3 ?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Jeff Ekblad wrote in message <35C8E882.C213575@win.bright.net>...
>Just thought I'd check in and see if the climate has improved.
>
>Guess not! Moron #1, Moron #2, and their respective cronies are still
>at it.
>
>
>Jeff Ekblad
>
>
>

1089. Re: Things are still the same. What a pity.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#Gn5GMUw9GA.241@upnetnews05>
Source record: 149066

He he, no, he's Moron #3...
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Bill Cheek wrote in message <35d26537.125496720@news2.cts.com>...
>Jeff Ekblad <jsekblad@win.bright.net> wrote:
>
>> Just thought I'd check in and see if the climate has improved.
>>
>> Guess not! Moron #1, Moron #2, and their respective cronies are still
>> at it.
>> Jeff Ekblad
>
>Yes, I see. But which one are you, #1 or #2?
>That's the part that's hard to see.
>

1090. Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <107_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149067

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-=> Quoting Richard Kendrick to All <=-

RK> Actually, you've been asked for proof of your degrees for almost
RK> three years now. Since, you never finished high school, I'm not
RK> surprised you can't count or tell time.

Hell, he's still in kindergarten. Probably got
caught cheating counting above 10 using his toes.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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1091. Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <108_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149068

-=> Quoting Richard Kendrick to All <=-

> I guess now you're a liar & fraud!

RK> Perhaps, perhaps not. In your case FOOL, some might say you can't
RK> be called a confirmed liar, because nothing you say can ever be
RK> confirmed.

FidoNet R10C confirmed his lying about Cheek being booted out of the net. He still won't admit to that falsehood he started spreading.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1092. portland, or freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <109_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149069

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-=> Quoting "john T. Arthur" to All <=-

> Why not ask the resident expert - John Mackey?

He doesn't need help from a has-been (ex) drip (pert)

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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1093. Mackey's lie of the day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <10a_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149070

-=> Quoting Allsafe to All <=-

Al> You see, YOU LIED WHEN YOU SAID to John T. Arthur:

He's has never posted the truth in the newsgroup.

Al> So the fact of the matter is JOHN MACKEY POSTS THE MOST GARBAGE!

The ONLY thing he posts is GARBAGE.

Al> ya LYING friggin' loon.

Don't humiliate the poor loons of the world.
They're on a higher level of life that mackey.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1094. Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <10c_9808061100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 149071

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

> dmi853@juno.com wrote:

>> Everything you post is a lie.

> Again, when asked to be specific, you can't do it!

I'll be specific --- you lied about Cheek getting the
heave-ho from FidoNet.

That is an out-right lie, mr brown-faced lying mackey.

You have done nothing to prove your statement, while
Cheek's former host/NC says you lied.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1095. Re: What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: AOR Freak <ntdg@freemail.com>
Message-ID: <eYFBjeMw9GA.244@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 149081
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

More info about the AR5000 at http://arc.mypage.org

Regards,

Gommert.

1096. Re: Blake LIES AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F33D.5068@parg.org>
Source record: 149082

Blake Bowers wrote:

> SCANRADIO
> AMATEUR_RADIO
> HAM_SALE
> EMS
> ASKACOPII
> CELLULAR

> Name one John. Be prepared to back it up with the
> present moderator.

How convienent Blake all the echos YOU moderate I am not allowed on. Yet I would be welcomed on any other ehco. 2 of the 6 echos you list I have NEVER BEEN on in my life!! So clearly it is YOUR PERSONAL issue, NOT my activities on those echos.

How pathetic you are Blake!

1097. Re: OK, WHERE IS IT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F4D2.5ED0@parg.org>
Source record: 149083

John T. Arthur wrote:
>
> There you go again... Nobody was talking about Bill - he was talking

No, we were talking about abuse coming from AOL & I only mentioned
that Bill has AOL access in his house from what I have been told. I
don't
know for sure as I have never been on AOL.

1098. Re: They call Kendrick an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c9f403.96512622@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149084

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Can't you see a joke? Are you really that lame?

YOU don't take *any* jokes, Smackeroon!
Why should people be looking for you to
make a joke?

You are a joke, you friggin weenie......

1099. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35c8f264.96097072@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149085

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>From: John Mackey <traveler@cyberway.net>
>Date: 1996/05/03
>Message-ID: <318AEA89.61FB@cyberway.net>

> A cleaver forge, wasn't it!

Nooooo, Hermie, that was not a forgery. No one
knew you then. You were just "coming out" after
that resounding kick I gave you outa Fido.....
and even I really didn't know you from "Adam".

However, cyberway.net was your first known
haunt, and you were everywhere before people
started learning how to track you down. And
now you deny it? This has just got to take
the cake, hands down.

You're worse than a lying SOB, Hermie.

You friggin clingberry.......

1100. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM A LIST & AN ECHO!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F421.DD2@parg.org>
Source record: 149086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek wrote:

> up to. But many people KNOW you got booted
> from several echoes on Fido,

Only one, YOURS!

> and then out of
> Fido itself.

NEver, I am still welcome on there if I chose!

> And no mail list would have the
> likes of you anyway......

hehe, I'm on several. When I correct the mis-information
Blake gives on the radio ones he really gets mad!

1101. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F596.20D3@parg.org>
Source record: 149087

Blake Bowers wrote:

> >Thanks Richard! I always thought that 6 feet was the height limit for
> >military service. Hmmm, maybe I'll join the military & try to get

> So you admit you lied.

No, I admit that "I always thought that 6 feet was the height limit for
military service."

Do you need me to explain it to you more?

1102. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35caf465.96610307@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149088

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > Noooooooooooo, the "members" of this newsgroup
> > did NOT. There are NO "members", period. Only
> > YOU and one other dude raised a snivel about it,
>
>
> Wrong Bill, several of us raised the question.

WHO is "us", you damned imbecile? Only YOU
raised the question, and then ONLY as a part
of your mounting attacks.

That's why I gave my credentials to several
solid folks and swore upon all that was holy
that I'd not tell you shit. You aren't deserving
of any information from me. You wouldn't know
what to do with it if I gave it to you other
than to harass my alma mater.

I'll break you of sucking eggs before that.

> Would you like me to re-post some of the posts made about
> your credentials?

Yes, I certainly would! But not "some". Post
them all, you idiot.

> > But....I *will* throw you a bone to gnaw on,
> > since it is a matter of public record anyway.
> > *One* of my degrees is from the United States
> > Armed Forces Institute, Madison, WI.
>
> That's not enough Bill. You tell the year & the title
> of the degree & THEN that might do it.

It *is* enough, you flagrant vagrant. For
YOU, it's more than enough. You tell me where
you got a degree and I'll find out all the rest

of what I want to know.

Now go change your skivvies and get to work.

And I'll remind you AGAIN that USAFI was just
ONE of my degrees. So take that bone and run,
you friggin snotnosed peddler of ham licenses.

1103. Re: Today's Mackey Fabrications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F778.9C9@parg.org>
Source record: 149089

K4CC wrote:
SNIP

Is there a point to your mindless rambling?

1104. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C8F862.1818@parg.org>
Source record: 149090

ps2@netexecutive.com wrote:

> Simply put John Mackey , You know I have stated the truth and if you read my
> post you know I have cheanged my isp so you and obfd cannot send me all of the

WRONG! OBFD always started his messages off a certain way with
people who he felt were NOT an enemy. You failed to show what he
did in that situation so you are lying!

> The reason you cannot send mail to the aol account if you read the post is

More excuses.

> I really don't like cheek but you have gone too far with your lies and it time

Yes you do or you wouldn't be on here lying!

1105. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cbf9a7.97957229@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149091

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> > Now, John, you will provide the same information about your
> > alleged degree now, won't you?

> All right, fair is fair. I have *ONE* of my degrees from
> Yankton College in Yankton, SD.

Geezus, Associates Degrees in Underwater Basket
Weaving don't count, you idiot..... Neither
do studies in commode cleaning and urinal
scrubbing.

You SHOULD go to Yankton College, though. Nice
people up there.....

1106. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ccfa9d.98202910@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149092

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

ps2@netexecutive.com wrote:

> I really don't like cheek but ...........

What is there about me to not like?

The only thing I do that some people don't
like is smack 'em when they come after me
first. Apparently there is the prevailing
opinion that I am supposed to turn the other
"cheek".

But I don't do that.

Otherwise, what else?
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1107. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cdfb5f.98397034@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149093

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Only because you won't shut up about me.
> > Try binding yourself to th4 4-point
> > Agreement I laid on you and see.......
>
> If YOU could follow the ONE POINT agreement of
> "No Flamming..." that I gave you all would be fine
> but you can't committ to stopping the flames.

That is a part of the deal I offered you,
you flippin weenie, I won't flame you, and
I couldn't flame you if I followed the other
points of the proposal.

You stinkin carp...........
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1108. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cefbee.98540004@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149094

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > every one of the
> > pricks are down on your level....lower
> > than whale dung.
>
> This a good example of what Bill thinks of other people
> that won't be a kiss-ass for him!

Noooooooo, just people like you, you
stinkin miserable low life reprobate.....
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1109. mods for pro 70?! please help.. only have a few days for reply :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080600575100.UAA02300@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149095

hello.. i have a RS pro-70, and i was wondering if there were any easy modifications to get either the cellular band, or 900 MHZ? please respond if you know of any.
thanks a bunch! :-)

... steve... email me at Evrclear84@aol.com

1110. i'm looking to spend under $200.. what is the best scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080601001100.VAA02635@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149096

i would like to spend under $200 and i was wondering which model i should buy.
i was looking at the pro-90, but if there are any other good models which get
the 800 MHZ, please enlighten me!

thanks!,

steve email me at Evrclear84@aol.com

1111. Re: Pager reception

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d9ff6e.12602207@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149097

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 17:15:45 +0000, "Darren L. North" <northd@cvn.net>
wrote:

>What is the best way to monitor digital pager traffic in the 460mhz
>band? Is there any way to monitor that sort of signal with a scanner?
>I saw a program called Message Tracker once that was supposed to do
>that, but haven't seen it around recently.

There sure is, and all you need is a soundcard and a scanner, check it
out!

http://aab.42.org/poc32/

and if you are interested in pocsag & flex paging check out:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Launchpad/4039/

You will need to build a very simple interface with about $6 in parts.

Good luck!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1112. Re: Things are still the same. What a pity.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35db0126.13042356@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149098

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 18:19:30 -0500, Jeff Ekblad
<jsekblad@win.bright.net> wrote:

>Just thought I'd check in and see if the climate has improved.
>
>Guess not! Moron #1, Moron #2, and their respective cronies are still
>at it.

Geeze, two posts from you in here and not one on topic, so sad!
It's too bad about your POS dell! FWIW, I just decided to upgrade my
scanner computer and got a motherboard & 233mmx chip for only $159
shipped! www.pricewatch.com is a very useful website!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1113. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080601310300.VAA07458@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149099

John "Whaddya Mean I Can't Get In Mensa With A 52 I.Q.?" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>OBFD always started his messages off a certain way with
>people who he felt were NOT an enemy. You failed to show what he
>did in that situation so you are lying!
>

All he "showed" was a message he received.
Since you and OBFD are so close, why don't
you get him to back you up?

1114. TUBES FOR SALE (30% OFF)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: biochemst@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080601325500.VAA02088@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149100

30% OFF PLUS FREE SHIPPING ON ORDERS OF 8 OR MORE :-))

Too many to list here: Please visit my web page ....

http://members.aol.com/biochemst/tubes.html

This lot was purchased from a TV repair shop. some are new, the rest were used as "Test" tubes - clean, test good.

All are tested and come in original boxes !!!

30% OFF PLUS FREE SHIPPING ON ORDERS OF 8 OR MORE :-))

1115. FDNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080601460600.VAA04164@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149101

If anyone hears about a real audio site that has the FDNY please post it.
policescanner.com does NOT !

1116. pro-90.. what if my town doesnt use trunked? still good scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080601484600.VAA04604@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149102

i am thinking of buying the pro-90 scanner with trunktracking, but i know my town doesnt use this. could you explain exactly why trunktracking is so good, and if i should still buy the pro-90?

thanks!

steve... email me at Evrclear84@aol.com

1117. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <mcdermon@usa.net>
Message-ID: <8e8y1.36$qb3.34160@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 149103

Chris Lougee wrote:
>I would simply ask you to judge Icom based on your own personal experiences...

Chris... I think many of us have done exactly that. We bought an Icom product based on reputation and potential - only to find it abandoned and poorly supported by Icom. The opinion I have formed is mine - not based on anyone's experience except my own.

The PCR1000 is my first, only, and LAST product I will ever buy from Icom. I thought I was buying a computer controlled radio that would be aggressively supported by what I had perceived to be one of the strong players in the receiver marketplace. My opinion of Icom was very high in the beginning. And my expectations were not extraordinary by any means. I think I am speaking for a fairly broad cross-section of owners when I say that.

I bought my radio as many hobbyists do, planning to use it for my own purposes - and with the full expectation that it would be widely supported by many third party software houses - just as ALL OTHER Icom radios have been for many years. But, Icom pulled the rug out from under my plans, and attempted to squash third party software efforts with their refusal to release any documentation on the command protocols needed to properly control the radio. Lip service was given to "licensing" the commands to "qualified vendors", but that plan changed right before my eyes from a simple NDA agreement, to a $500 fee and NDA, and then to a plan that made the software vendors have to promise they would sell more of the radios. Then it hit rock bottom when Icom even refused to grant the licensee the right to say that his software was "Licensed from Icom" or even that he was using "A licensed command set"... Icom was wanting it both ways. License it (for who knows what reason) and then distancing themselves from the fact that they had! This was really disgusting behavior for a large company like Icom...

Then, when 'reverse engineered" software solutions became available,problems with the EEPROMs also surfaced. Icom soon began to blame the 'other' software for the outbreak of corrupted EEPROM data in the radios. Its hard to say if the two were related in any way. I suspect that the EEPROMs in some radios are just more susceptible to corruption than others. Mine suffered such a fate. THe failure wasn't as much distress as what followed after I got it repaired. Gary Fiber (bless his heart -- he's one of your good guys) helped me get my radio fixed. That was the brightest moment for me in this whole ordeal over the past 8 months.

But upon receiving my radio back from having the EEPROM data being realiged, I was advised in writing that Icom was implementing a policy that future

EEPROM corruption would be regarded as "evidence of use of third party software" (a now forbidden practice obviously) - and that it would further be considered the SAME as a 'hardware modification' thus voiding all warranty on the radio. Net premise of this policy is that if an owner dares use third party software or write some of his own (perhaps to support a different computer or a unique application requirement) Icom considers that the same as making a "hardware modification" to the radio and will void the warranty!!! Surely you can't be serious! This happens ALL THE TIME with all your other radios, and you've not taken such a stand before. But apparently you are serious..... It is puzzling to me and to all PCR-1000 owners. If in fact the radio is so easily "corrupted" by erroneously coded software there are only three courses of action that would make sense:

1. Recall all the radios and fix the problem.

2. Create and offer an EEPROM backup/restore utility (have you heard that before!!! LOL)

3. Release the command documentation so one and all can write proper software and avoid the corruption problems.

Icom has steadfastly refused to do ANY OF THE ABOVE! In fact, to my knowledge, Icom has done ABSOLUTELY NOTHING to help in any of these areas.

Now tell me this.... Would you be a happy customer to spend $500 for a "computer controlled radio" and then be told you can ONLY USE IT WITH THE SINGLE SOFTWARE SUPPLIED BY THE MANUFACTURER? Especially if that software has less functionality than the cheapest handheld Radio Shack scanners for under $100. I doubt it. If you are honest with yourself you'd see how frustrating this is for the owners. If you think owners should be happy, well, then you really don't know your customers at all...

Little could I have imagined how poorly Icom would support this radio and the many of us who bought them. I would relish you sharing with this forum Icom's plans for correcting these shortcomings that have made this venture so distasteful for one and all...

Most sincerely yours,
John McDermon, KE4VAL

1118. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: steveREMOVETHIS@psychonet.net
Message-ID: <35ca0c6a.704015021@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 149104
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Well I was thinking maybe the first burst was 512 pocsag and the
second was 1200, if highly distorted they will sound similar to 2-tone
paging at the beginning of the transmission because of the preamble.
The second burst sounds like a higher pitch and the data seems a
little faster, which would match with the pocsag speeds.

If I have to I can take it to work and analyze it...I do happen to
work for the worlds largest paging infrastructure manufacterer...in
the main R&D facility

Steve

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 23:50:49 -0700, a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR
<kaliber@pacbell.net> wrote:

> Hi steve ,
> You know ...my first guess too was ..a mixture of image signals
> all overloading the RX....I still think the RX IS overloaded or
> distorted ...but ......notice the dual tones ...excatly like fire
> department dispatch tones ....well ...if you listen close ..it sounds
> like the digital information string starts at the same interval....
> after each set of dual tones ...??? I dont think its pocsag .....unless
> like you said ..its mixed with other stuff ...like 2 tone plectron or
> zetron type paging signals ... (at the same time) ...there are so
> many NEW types of modulating signals out there lately ...it hard
> to tell any more ....there are at least 5 NEW types of vhf (and up)
> signals here in central California ...lately ....2 of them in the 850
> mhz trunking bands ...one in the high vhf aircraft band at about
> 139 mhz (a strange pulse / tone sig ....and ..the police (i think)
> have an unusual MDT like signal with a strange NRZ wobbling tone
> overlayed on it ...in the 460+ mhz band ....who knows ..??
>
> a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR
>
>Steve wrote:
>
>> Well overall I'd guess its a POCSAG paging signal thats badly mixed
>> with one or more other RF carriers, it sounds like a really nasty
>> image of some sort...
>>
>> Steve
>>
>> On Tue, 4 Aug 1998 12:57:27 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>>
>> >Please play the attached WAV file. What I want to know is, what type of
>> >paging system is this?
>> >
>> >Thanks. I apologize for the size of this post -- I tried to get the sound as
>> >small as possible.
>
>

1119. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cffc2d.98602424@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149105

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > He doesn't know anything about scanners
> > other than the flat-bed type he
>
> You're just jealous Bill because YOU
> couldn't get into Suzi's bed!

Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha...... I wasn't there,
you imbecile. You're the one who passed
her up in favor of ransacking her home.

You flippin, conivving fool........
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1120. Re: Garage door openers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: intermod58@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080602253000.WAA10873@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149106

I have a large box of them. Some are on 300 Mhz and some are on 310 Mhz and they transmit in the AM mode.

1121. Re: Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottr@iquest.net
Message-ID: <6qb694$db9$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 149107

In article <6qa5ns$k8n$1@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>, "Ray Summers" <rnsummer@uiuc.edu> wrote:
> I am getting ready to re-program my Pro 43. Does anyone know of a way
>to clear the memory other that deleting each channel individually? I want
>to clear all frequencies and start fresh. Perhaps there is a combination of
>keys I can press. Thanks for any help
>
>rnsummer@uiuc.edu
>
>

Hold down the 0 and Clear keys while turning on the power.

1122. Re: uhf air freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6qb638$4vo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149108

> does any one know where to get a list
> uhf air freqs 225-400mhz on a website
> just for all of the us send email if any one knows

I recently put some VHF and UHF aviation information up on my new web site.
Give it a look-see, not sure how much help it would give for a specific area,
most are general nationwide frequencies. Hope it helps out a little though .
. . .

http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/airfedmil.html

Jeff

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1123. Re: Cellular Encryption Devices for Analog 800 mhz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sergio A. Leveratto" <slverat@cvtci.com.ar>
Message-ID: <6qb7u0$4u3$1@ul3.satlink.com>
Source record: 149109
Cross-posted to: alt.cellular,alt.cellular.motorola,alt.cellular.phone-tec,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

There are some, but the only one that really works is from a company called Satellital. Price are over $1.000.

If you find something better please let me know.

Sergio

Your Neighbor <"Your Neighbor"@neighborhoodwatch.org> > wrote in message <35C7D45C.E05DA41B@neighborhoodwatch.org>...
>FESTERO wrote:
>>
>> Anyone know of any companies that make/sell encryption devices for analog
>> AMPS cellular voice calls? It doesn't have to be the absolute
>> best/latest/greatest technology, just an improvement over normal analog
>> security, and reasonably affordable.
>>
>> I'm trying to research options for a customer, but keep running into dead
>> ends.
>>
>> Dave **ADIDAS** (All Day I Dream About See-gars)
>
>Transcrypt may have what you are looking for
>
>http://www.transcrypt.com

1124. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92670.573B@parg.org>
Source record: 149110

ROBYN SUCHOWSKI wrote:
> Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
> read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information
> (unless I want to know about this fight between two men).

Yes, it is sad that you are correct that this NG has declined in
quality greatly due to the constant flames & bickering. There are a few
specific individuals who do anything they can to continue the flames.
One individual says about twice a week that he is putting those who
he dislikes into a killfile & brags that there is no way to get past
his killfile, then a few days later there that same person is back in
the thick
of the problems stirring up all the trouble he can.

I suggest you subscribe to the SCAN-L mailing list moderated by
Peter Laws. They recently ejected Bill Cheek FOREVER and according
to the regulars of that mailing list, it now runs quite well.

Good luck!

If there is anything more I can do to assist please feel free to ask.

1125. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C91C64.C49@parg.org>
Source record: 149111

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> did you really think no one would notice your little
> forgery?

I don't forge.

1126. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92BA8.371E@parg.org>
Source record: 149112

John T. Arthur wrote:
> As was pointed out, your one little addition was nothing but another
> attempt to CONTROL someone else - when you seem to have NO control over
> YOURSELF...

No, it was an attempt to
stop the flames which Bill was unwilling
to agree to.

1127. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92CCC.C87@parg.org>
Source record: 149113

Mr. Clem wrote:
> Out of 265 headers downloaded 144 posts were Cheek/Mackey related. This
> is a whopping 54.3% and certainly enough to consider creation of a
> newsgroup of its own. Alt.Cheek.Mackey.Pissfest anyone?

Nearly all of the posters are Cheek supporters. Perhaps they
could go the the ALREADY CREATED newsgroup of "alt.fan.bill.cheek"!

1128. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92C67.72B3@parg.org>
Source record: 149114

Bill Cheek wrote:
> That is a part of the deal I offered you,
> you flippin weenie, I won't flame you, and
> I couldn't flame you if I followed the other
> points of the proposal.

No Bill that was a deal I offered YOU! But regardless
I don't care who gets the credit. If you are willing to accept
the condition of "post no flames, or nasty messages" then
we have a deal! That's all that is important, say it is your idea if
you want, I don't care.

1129. Re: Mackey's Skule Daze

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92F13.3C60@parg.org>
Source record: 149115

allsafe wrote:

> From what I gather Dave, the kids are hers from a previous marriage.
> He's never assumed "guardianship". (That would mean "responsibility",

Wrong, there are no kids from any previous marriage.

1130. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92DC3.C82@parg.org>
Source record: 149116

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> You had a thought? ROTFLMAO! Just shows how stupid you are and how
> little you know of the real world. You would barely be eligible for
> military duty because you are 33 years old; the maximum age for
> enlistees is 34.

No actually it shows how stupid you are! Acording to the Oregon
ANG (which uses Air Force regulations) the limit is age 35!

> Since you don't have even a GED let alone a high school education,

heheehhe, what a lying fool you are!

> The only way you'll ever get on Luke AFB is during an air show. Rest
> assured the Air Police would know about you ahead of time.

I've been there several times along with the old Williams AFB &
Davis-Monthan AFB in Tucson. (There has never been a reason to
discuss this before, but I used to live in Phoenix!)

> I'm not using 'PARGs' address.

You intent is clear!

1131. Re: Mackey's VEC credentials under investigation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92F83.3B34@parg.org>
Source record: 149117

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha..... I wasn't there,

I've never know you to have a sense of humor Bill!

1132. Re: John T. Arthur makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92E4B.4A9C@parg.org>
Source record: 149118

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Really, John - if you don't have anything to say, why do you keep saying
> it?

This thread had NOTHING to do with you so why are you trying to
get in the middle? Or do you just enjoy causing trouble whenever
you can?

1133. Kitsap County, WA Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: clajon@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980806041831 00.AAA05113@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149119

Anyone out there have the Kitsap County, WA frequencies? Thanks!

1134. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C92F66.55F0@concentric.net>
Source record: 149120

John Mackey who can never tell the truth wrote:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > did you really think no one would notice your little
> > forgery?
>
> I don't forge.

You are a LIAR! You had your Sprint account yank back in
April when you Forged and Rogue Cancelled several Posts!

How many free hours do you have left on your Bogus AOL account?

1135. Re: Arthur trying to make more trouble - as usual!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92FB3.615@parg.org>
Source record: 149121

John T. Arthur wrote:
> I'd use the shotgun in
> the closet and end it all...

Please do!

1136. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C92EA5.22DD@parg.org>
Source record: 149122

No read it again, "I have NEVER been to Clark College". No if's
end's or but's!

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Of course; as I said, as a student. You HAVE been there as a computer
> user, however...

> > > On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
> > > > I have NEVER been to Clark College.

1137. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C93048.3110@concentric.net>
Source record: 149123

KA0SSF wrote:
>
>
> I suggest you subscribe to the SCAN-L mailing list moderated by
> Peter Laws. They recently ejected Bill Cheek FOREVER and according
> to the regulars of that mailing list, it now runs quite well.
>
> Good luck!
>
> If there is anything more I can do to assist please feel free to ask.

John, why don't you just stay over in the alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest
News group where you belong? I've never seen you posts anything of
value here, all you do is flame all day and night.

1138. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C9319F.58C4@concentric.net>
Source record: 149124

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> No read it again, "I have NEVER been to Clark College". No if's
> end's or but's!
>

Who are you trying to kid John? Everyone knows that you're the
Infamous Rogue Canceller of rec.radio.scanner. Isn't that the
main reason why you lost your Sprint acccount back in April?

You've done it before and you most likely did it again from
various Public Libraries and Community Colleges in the Portland,
OR area.

1139. Re: John T. Arthur makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C93231.4A5E@concentric.net>
Source record: 149125

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> This thread had NOTHING to do with you so why are you trying to
> get in the middle? Or do you just enjoy causing trouble whenever
> you can?
>

John, you're the only one that's caused trouble in this group over the last three years. If you were to stop posting today, all of the flames would stop and everyone could get back to discussing scanners.

1140. Re: Blake LIES AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6qbc6tgfr2@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 149126

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 00:04:20 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> SCANRADIO
>> AMATEUR_RADIO
>> HAM_SALE
>> EMS
>> ASKACOPII
>> CELLULAR
>
>> Name one John. Be prepared to back it up with the
>> present moderator.
>
>How convienent Blake all the echos YOU moderate I am not allowed
>on. Yet I would be welcomed on any other ehco. 2 of the 6 echos
>you list I have NEVER BEEN on in my life!! So clearly it is
>YOUR PERSONAL issue, NOT my activities on those echos.
>
Yep. All echos that I moderate. And a way to keep them pleasent, is
to keep you off. Your activities elsewhere is what gets you the honor
of being banned.

So, Bill has been banned from 2 forums, and you have been banned from
AT LEAST 6!!!!

Now, which echos have I been banned from? You neglected to
mention that, when I asked for proof of your claim.

1141. Everyone is jealous of Mackey again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C932B1.130A@parg.org>
Source record: 149127

K4CC wrote:
> That's easy to say. How about proving it?

Simple, review YOUR posts! Not a single one on topic, only supporting
your buddies!

1142. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6qbbufgfr0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 149128

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:18:57 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>If YOU could follow the ONE POINT agreement of
>"No Flamming..." that I gave you all would be fine
>but you can't committ to stopping the flames.

I am sure Bill will agree to, as you say, "NO FLAMMING". However,
the topic is FLAMING.

1143. Re: They call Kendrick an idiot!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6qbbuhgfr1@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 149129

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:26:13 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> But, John, in another of your MANY posts I recieved this morning, you
>> admitted to writing the posts, for Bill.
>>
>> Which one is it John? Which lie are you caught in this time?
>
>I did say I wrote the posts for Bill! Can't you see a joke?

Good backpedal. Once again, you are caught in a lie.

BTW, I can see a joke. Your picture on the PARG page!

1144. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C9343F.6536@parg.org>
Source record: 149130

Bill Cheek wrote:

> That's why I gave my credentials to several
> solid folks and swore upon all that was holy

So what? You've still refused to give your credentials
when asked by this NG!

> > Would you like me to re-post some of the posts made about
> > your credentials?
>
> Yes, I certainly would! But not "some". Post
> them all, you idiot.

I'me not going to waste all the bandwidth to do that.
Here is a sample!

****
Subject: I rest my case !!!
From: <hduff@hcol.humberc.on.ca>
Date: 1996/07/27
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Synopsis:

Bill is full of BS.
I had a chip on my shoulder I wanted to clear.

I said my piece, Bill can't back up his credentials.
I rest my case.

I'm going to act on the requests to get back to scanning.

Hugh Duff VA3TO Toronto
****

> YOU, it's more than enough. You tell me where
> you got a degree and I'll find out all the rest
> of what I want to know.

OK, Yankton College, Yankton, SD.

Now tell me the rest of YOUR info so your degree may be confirmed.
(title, date)

1145. Re: Kendrick deflates Toilet Boy's lies again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C93323.1852@parg.org>
Source record: 149131

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> True. Like you, Cheek made a public claim about having degrees,
> and I asked him about that. He readily provided the information.

No, Cheek has NEVER provided the information when asked!

1146. Re: pro-90.. what if my town doesnt use trunked? still good scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080604445100.AAA02992@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149132

The previous poster couldn't be more right!!! Get a trunktracker (may I recommend the Pro-90) and be ready for the future to take hold in your area!!

1147. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qbcjfibr0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 149133

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 02:18:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>BTW- You are not allowed to use an e-mail address of parg so I
>suggest you not do it anymore.

I can't imagine why anyone would use PARG anyways!

Live from P_ARG!!

1148. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35c933a8.1981022@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 149134
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 21:10:22 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>That's fine - put me on your filter. That's your problem. It doesn't hurt me
>at all.

I'm sure...would you like a tissue?

>You aren't open to people's opinions? Be closed-minded, again, that's your
>problem. I can't believe you're even taking sides with this psychotic "Jack"
>guy. He just pounces at every little mistake I make (even when I apologize,
>he criticizes me for being a fool) and tries to degrade me in front of
>public view, but I don't care all that much anymore -- I am used to it.

Psychotic? Haven't been called that yet..oh well, guess there is a
first time for everything..kinda like if you were to post some factual
data!

>Don't believe me? I can post proof of how asinine his behavior is.

Please, by all means! I'll even kill the e-mail plonk on you if you
want to send it private to avoid being off-topic- Oh wait, I forgot
who I was talking about..

>... and you're just another one of him. The material I post is fully
>relevant, and I don't call my retort and defense a "crap post". I have the
>right to a defense when Mr. Jack feels he can act stupid.

The only one acting stupid here is YOU! Take a look at some of the BS
you have posted in the past!

1149. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C937D0.4C3@parg.org>
Source record: 149135

Bill Cheek wrote:

> that was not a forgery. No one
> knew you then. You were just "coming out" after
> that resounding kick I gave you outa Fido.....

YOU, BILL CHEEK, were doing ANYTHING you could
to harass me right about the same time these forges
were made! And YOU, BILL CHEEK, have been caught forging
RED HANDED in tha past! (remember the Winradio posts &
the Billy Thunder posts!)

> and even I really didn't know you from "Adam".

Bullshit, you were writing Bill George about me all the time
complaining during that era!

> However, cyberway.net was your first known

No, I've never had an account at cyberway.

> You're worse than a lying SOB,

That's what many say about YOU!

1150. Re: Mackey's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C93834.7E1B@parg.org>
Source record: 149136

John T. Arthur wrote:

> WRONG!!! You refused to agree to a simple truce that would have ended the
> problems YOU cause in this newsgroup - because YOU DON'T WANT IT TO STOP.

WRONG!!! I asked Bill to agree to "post no flames or nasty messages"
& HE REFUSED!

1151. Re: Kendrick stupidities on display as usual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C93945.A06@parg.org>
Source record: 149137

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Then how do you explain all these dates? Any denial
> that they're not yours is a lie. But then, you are a compulsive

They are mine! Notice, FOOL, they ALL showed a ID coming from
FIDONET!!! I was NOT on the internet, I was on FIDONET!! Now,
if my Fidonet messages got relayed somehow to Internet, that may
be, but I was NOT on the internet!

> -------------- the headers ----------------------------------
> Subject: Unid Pirate 2330 12-31-95
> From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
> Mackey_Jr)
> Date: 1996/01/01
> Message-ID: <642_9601012223@crystals.aloha.or.us>
> Newsgroups: alt.radio.pirate
>
> Subject: Need a base station antenna for cheap
> From: John.Mackey_Jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org (John
> Mackey_Jr)
> Date: 1996/01/01
SNIP

1152. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C93988.3E9F@parg.org>
Source record: 149138

Bill Cheek wrote:

> He doesn't need any supporting "proof".

Then his statements get NO credibility!

1153. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM A LIST & AN ECHO!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qbejj$l9s$0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 149139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 00:08:08 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>> up to. But many people KNOW you got booted
>> from several echoes on Fido,
>
>Only one, YOURS!
>
Lies again John. You should be as ashamed of yourself
as your father is!

Live from P_ARG!!

1154. Re: Kendrick proves himself a liar again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35C93B81.1738@parg.org>
Source record: 149140

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Yeah, you're a real sick puppy, all right. Your signature
> is all over the messages. Any claims that you *didn't*
> post these messages makes you a liar.
>
> > First - I have never had any children
>
> That's easy to understand.

Glad you FINALLY get it!

> It's not forgery when you post your own messages,

OK then, there is a message RECENTLY posted where you apologize
for your behavior. It was posted by you! (see below)
I'm understand you to say it is not a forge!

>> Subject: Re: this ng is sad
>> Date: Wed, 05 Aug 1998 04:20:19 -0700
>> From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
>> Reply-To: wa7twi@primenet.com
>> Organization: P_ARG
>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>>
>> I am truly sorry I will try to change.

1155. Re: Cellular Encryption Devices for Analog 800 mhz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John B <jrb44@iname.com>
Message-ID: <35C8F654.EAABC0A9@iname.com>
Source record: 149141
Cross-posted to: alt.cellular,alt.cellular.motorola,alt.cellular.phone-tec,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Motorola has had a product in the marketplace for some time. I don't know if it works with their portables, but it originally was set up for mobiles (installed). Depending on your application that may work. As I recall, it was somewhat affordable. Required, of course, a device on either end for it to work.

Sergio A. Leveratto wrote:

> There are some, but the only one that really works is from a company called
> Satellital. Price are over $1.000.
>
> If you find something better please let me know.
>
> Sergio
>
> Your Neighbor <"Your Neighbor"@neighborhoodwatch.org> > wrote in message
> <35C7D45C.E05DA41B@neighborhoodwatch.org>...
> >FESTERO wrote:
> >>
> >> Anyone know of any companies that make/sell encryption devices for
> analog
> >> AMPS cellular voice calls? It doesn't have to be the absolute
> >> best/latest/greatest technology, just an improvement over normal analog
> >> security, and reasonably affordable.
> >>
> >> I'm trying to research options for a customer, but keep running into
> dead
> >> ends.
> >>
> >> Dave **ADIDAS** (All Day I Dream About See-gars)
> >
> >Transcrypt may have what you are looking for
> >
> >http://www.transcrypt.com

1156. Re: uhf air freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080605500300.BAA10245@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149142

To join MilCom, the military monitoring e-mail listserver,:

Send an e-mail message to: majordomo@qth.net
In the subject put: milcom
In the text area put: subscribe milcom

That's all there is to it. You should start receiving messages within a few hours.
To post a message to the list members address it to milcom@qth.net
We have members all over the country, in Europe and Japan.
For help finding frequencies in your area just post a message stating your location
and requesting frequency help and you should get some answers.

John Ward

1157. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C94416.3FA6@concentric.net>
Source record: 149143

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> YOU, BILL CHEEK, were doing ANYTHING you could
> to harass me right about the same time these forges
> were made! And YOU, BILL CHEEK, have been caught forging
> RED HANDED in tha past! (remember the Winradio posts &
> the Billy Thunder posts!)
>

And you've been caught Forging and Rogue Cancelling posts back in April. I'm sure everyone remembers when you lost your Sprint account(s) (several of them because you kept signing up to make it look like you didn't loose your account).

1158. Re: portland, or freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospammodernrd@gte.net
Message-ID: <6qbg87$lm1$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 149144

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 17:07:38 -0700, Brian Varine
<Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net> wrote:

>modernrd wrote:
>>
>> anyone know a good place to get the police/ whatever freqs for the
>> portland/ gresham area?
>
>All the freqs and Talkgroups you'll need for the PDX area.
>http://www.orst.edu/~varineb/scanner.htm

thanks, I have no idea who john mankey or whatever is but what I need
is listed above. thanks again.

1159. Re: hehe I'M NOT A VEC !!!!! hahahahahahaha

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C944A0.34FB@concentric.net>
Source record: 149145

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > He doesn't need any supporting "proof".
>
> Then his statements get NO credibility!

Wrong again John!

Bill has written three books on Scanner Mods.

How many have you written?

Bill has also written several articles for MT.

How many have you written?

1160. Pro 2004 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <dandiane@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35C94541.6DAB6F3D@juno.com>
Source record: 149146

Have 2004 with cell and 400 channel mods. Every 4th thru 8th channels repeats the previous freqs when programming and when scanning. It will also scan locked out channels and shows oddball freqs that weren't programmed. When it stops on an unprogrammed freq and you hit the manual button it will change freq sometimes back to the origianally programmed one and sometimes just anything at random. Anyone have any ideas on this?

1161. Re: Mackey's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35C9458E.7B23@concentric.net>
Source record: 149147

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> John T. Arthur wrote:
>
> > WRONG!!! You refused to agree to a simple truce that would have ended the
> > problems YOU cause in this newsgroup - because YOU DON'T WANT IT TO STOP.
>
> WRONG!!! I asked Bill to agree to "post no flames or nasty messages"
> & HE REFUSED!

You forgot to mention that you went to Clark College to Forge and
Rogue several posts of Bill Cheek and John T. Arthur. Funny how this
all occured after you agreed to stop flaming. Who lives closer to
Clark College? You or Bill?

1162. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qbgokqab0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 149148

On Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:31:20 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:

>All right, fair is fair. I have *ONE* of my degrees from
>Yankton College in Yankton, SD.

This explains a lot.

The Yankton College diploma mill,
or
The old Yankton College,
or
the FEDERAL PRISON that Yankton College is now?

I guess I should point out, that those are only rumors about
your getting your GED in prison, but it certainly does
lend some credence to option #3!

Live from P_ARG!!

1163. ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmagnum@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980806062923 00.CAA13562@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149149

I've just installed an OS535 in my Pro-2042. I have also just purchased an OptoLinx for my AR8000. What's the best single software package for BOTH of these? I've tried several demo programs, and I am leaning towards Scan*Star.

And words of advice you have would be greatly appreciated!!

-- St. Magnum

"The early bird may get the worm,
but the second mouse gets the cheese."

1164. Re: Pro 2004 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@usit.net
Message-ID: <35c95493.4026826@NEWS.USIT.NET>
Source record: 149150

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 01:55:13 -0400, Dan <dandiane@juno.com> wrote:

>Have 2004 with cell and 400 channel mods. Every 4th thru 8th channels
>repeats the previous freqs when programming and when scanning. It will
>also scan locked out channels and shows oddball freqs that weren't
>programmed. When it stops on an unprogrammed freq and you hit the manual
>button it will change freq sometimes back to the origianally programmed
>one and sometimes just anything at random. Anyone have any ideas on
>this?
>
Try doing a reset. That may fix it.

Steve

1165. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qblgt$o7c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149151

In article <19980806013103OO.VAA07458@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> John "Whaddya Mean I Can't Get In Mensa With A 52 I.Q.?" Mackey, KA0SSF
> <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >OBFD always started his messages off a certain way with
> >people who he felt were NOT an enemy. You failed to show what he
> >did in that situation so you are lying!
> >
>
> All he "showed" was a message he received.
> Since you and OBFD are so close, why don't
> you get him to back you up?
>
>

Because mackey can't, most likely obfd wants nothing more to do with mackey
and his vendetta against Bill.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1166. Re: Mackey LIES AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qbm4hpio1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 149152

mackey your the one who continues to lie, 5 email bombs today.
four from beaverton and one from clark.net.
you have been a busy little girl today .

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1167. Re: FS; SHINWA001 375.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad178@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6qbhp3$ab0@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 149153

PDoddy (pdoddy@aol.com) writes:
> pdoddy@aol.com

yeah.....right.
--
Life's too short to worry... :)

1168. Re: pro-90.. what if my town doesnt use trunked? still good scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sokratys@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35cc55a7.58295464@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 149154

Even if you never monitor a trunked system - for the going prices,
this scanner is hard to beat! Nice back lighting, 300 channel storage
- preprogrammed "service search" ranges....

I sold an older scanner (a pro67) and got this one when the price hit
$239 (US) - and with the price still dropping, I am not displeased, I
have really used this baby!

It's a great unit. Get one.

-walker

1169. Re: buying a new scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Fernandes <ef@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35C9622A.7525@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 149155
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Nick Bergthold wrote:
>
> I want to buy a new handheld scanner. I want to get the VHF/UHF HI/LO, The
> aviation freqs (107-?), and 800-900 mhz. I want it to be around $200 or
> under. got any suggestions? is really worth the trouble driving all the
> way to canada to get a cell capable scanner? please help. TIA.
> --
> ~NICK~

Hey, pay a little more and with the exchange right now at its all-time low, you got a great selection of new, no-800Mhz gap scanners for an awesome price...

If you're looking for no-gap radios, don't go to Radio Shack - their scanners have 800 Mhz gaps, just like U.S.A., I presume.

1170. Re: Mackey Wags His Finger In The Face Of Facts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d16490.125329505@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149156

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> John "I Only Demand Proof, I Never Offer It" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
> writes:
>
> >You post more garbage on this NG than anyone with NO on-topic messages!
>
> That's easy to say. How about proving it?

The only thing The Legendary Hermaphrodite can
prove is his ancestry.... you have only to look
at his scales and lack of hips and shoulders to
see the proof.
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1171. Re: Things are still the same. What a pity.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d26537.125496720@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 149157

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Jeff Ekblad <jsekblad@win.bright.net> wrote:

> Just thought I'd check in and see if the climate has improved.
>
> Guess not! Moron #1, Moron #2, and their respective cronies are still
> at it.
> Jeff Ekblad

Yes, I see. But which one are you, #1 or #2?
That's the part that's hard to see.

1172. Re: What type of paging system is (sound) Its the link of a POCSAG paging system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raquel Ruark <raqy@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <YFdy1.1424$I61.5449535@newsgate.direct.ca>
Source record: 149158
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

To answer the original question, this is the link frequency of a paging system doing 512 and 1200 baud POCSAG

Boring technical stuff to follow:

Without putting it through a data-analyzer (just listening by ear) I would say that this is the link signal of a paging company.
This is what the signal sounds like if it were modulated with Bell 202T modem tones or possibly V.23 or NOVATION modem tones these tones are very close, so I can't tell with my ear. Since hardly anyone uses novation I would suspect it's Bell 202T modem tones or V.23. Since the warm-up was not included I can only speculate on the simulcast controller. This is then sent to the final drop transmitter where it will have a more characteristic sound. These type of modems consists of 2 tones and shifts back and forth between the two tones (one tone is 1 the other 0)

The first bit is 75Hz TX Warm-up. This keeps the transmitters alive, as some digital transmitters and most pagers can't
just rest on MARK or SPACE carrier. The next tone is a pre-pocsag preamble at 750 Hz. This isn't in the POCSAG
spec but is required for pagers such as some NEC, the BRAVO and some other pagers to ensure synch loss to any previous
batch and provides a discriminator zero effect that helps that analog discriminator in quite a few models of pagers. The next
portion is the 576 bits (presumed) of 512 Baud POCSAG preamble, then 1 single batch of POCSAG including SYNCH and 16 codewords this is, followed by a higher speed pocsag batch. I can't tell with my ear if the POCSAG was anything special like SCANNING POCSAG or NEWPAGE traffic. The odds are it's just vanila POCSAG. I couldn't quite hear if they had any sort of pre-pocsag burst at the front, I need to scope it out to see that. It is then followed 75Hz digital time-out followed by a Downkey simulcast controller burst. Off hand I would say this is produced by a 140-0868 UOE card running Version 3.11 firmware or higher or something with similar characteristics. I couldn't quite tell what simulcast control was being used with my ear. The KEY sequence was not included and this usually contains more tell tail signs than a downkey burst. My curiosity isn't quite pushed enough to confirm the simulcast controller type and firmware. Technically, decoding the data and telling someone else is against the law in most places. If you ran this signal into a V.23 or Bell 202T modem and then to a digital transmitter, in theory you could make the pager beep.

Greg

The above opinions are my own, not those of my company

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Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>Please play the attached WAV file. What I want to know is, what type of
>paging system is this?
>
>Thanks. I apologize for the size of this post -- I tried to get the sound
as
>small as possible.
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>
>
>

1173. FS:AR8000 unblocked $400.00 shipped!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: zhahadum@home.com
Message-ID: <x3fy1.427$ql.14688880@news.rdc1.va.home.com>
Source record: 149159

I have a mint condition AR8000 unblocked scanner with vinyl case it has
been in since I purcased it from EEB in Vienna,VA (I am in Chesapeake,VA).
I have manual, ac-adapter, & stock antenna. I will ship fast to anyone
replying as I need cash for a telescope project I'm working on. Tnx!
David N4ZGT (Chesapeake,VA-have moved across river from QRZ address).

1174. Civility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980806102119 00.GAA28471@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149160

Why must this news group continue with all the slander and cheap one liners??
Working in the radio communications field for 20+ years, I have always been
impressed with the qualities of those into this fantastic hobby. If one can't
post anything of benefit to help the others, then maybe this isn't the place.
I thought this news group existed to disseminate information that you won't
find at Radio Shack...to those who contribute quality postings, I thank you.
I'll continue to ignore the senseless.
Sincerely,
Ed Hutton N3KEX

1175. Re: 100% on Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610395400.GAA29091@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149161

Willie Wanker Whiner,

I know you're busy sucking up to Mackey, but I'm curious, when do you suppose you might post something about scanners? So far, you and your idol have done nothing but complain and flame.

Well, I guess I will never find out: You're number one in the bozo filter. See ya--wouldn't want to be ya! PLONK!

1176. Re: Mackey's abuse of himself heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610513600.GAA29479@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149162

John "If I Weren't My Own Father I'd Be Proud Of Myself" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I asked Bill to agree to "post no flames or nasty messages"
>& HE REFUSED!

So did you.

You refused your own "little request"
and have continued to post flames and nasty
messages without a break.

I guess you'll be flaming yourself next.
Or "flamming" yourself. Whatever.

1177. Mackey In The Mirror

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514000.GAA29480@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149163

"Mirror, mirror on Mackey's wall, who's the biggest buffoon of all??" ...
KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Yes, it is sad that you are correct that this NG has declined in
>quality greatly due to the constant flames & bickering....

...which are generated by John Mackey.

>There are a few specific individuals who do anything they can to continue the
>flames...

...one in particular, named John Mackey, says he
wishes others would stop flaming but doesn't want
to be bound by that rule himself.

1178. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514100.GAA29483@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149164

John "May Parg is Bigger Than Your Parg" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
writes:

>You intent is clear!

So is "you intent". To disrupt, flame,
and clog the newsgroup with garbage.

1179. Re: Toilet Boy makes a mess on himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514200.GAA23723@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149165

bbowers@P_ARG.org (Blake Bowers) writes:

>I can't imagine why anyone would use PARG anyways!

I tried it once, but I didn't inhale.

1180. Makcey Claims Thread Ownership

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514300.GAA29488@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149166

John Mackey, who claims to be the owner of this newsgroup, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>This thread had NOTHING to do with you so why are you trying to
>get in the middle?

This is a public newsgroup. If you have
something to say to someone privately,
use e-mail or call them on the phone.
Anybody has the right to post in whatever
thread they like.
Stated another way, junior, if you can't
stand the heat, get your head out of the
oven.

1181. Mackey's Little Buddies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514400.GAA29489@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149167

John "I Wish I Had Me Some Buddies, Too" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
writes:

>Not a single one on topic, only supporting
>your buddies!

Isn't it sad that the only "buddies" you
have are the ones you make up.

1182. Mackey Pretends To Be A Newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514500.GAA29490@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149168

In article <35C9343F.6536@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>You've still refused to give your credentials
>when asked by this NG!

No, "this NG" hasn't asked anybody anything.

>> Hugh Duff wrote:
>> Bill is full of BS.
>> I had a chip on my shoulder I wanted to clear.

So, you quote one other person who admits he
also has a vendetta against Bill and claim that the
two of you represent "this NG"?

The stupidity of you continues to amaze me.

1183. Mackey's Math

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514600.GAA29491@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149169

Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net> writes:

>Well,
>lets see:
>KA0SSF: 1,429 postings since 4 months ago
>Richard Kendrick: 496 since 4 months ago.
>
>The numbers speak for themselves, John.
>Who is really abusing others in this newsgroup?

Mackey's never been very good at math. Anyway,
he'll claim that 1,400 of those posts were forged.
Actually, they were forged .. by Mackey. Anybody
who can be next to himself in photos and be his
own father can certainly forge his own posts!

1184. Mackey Refuses His Own Request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080610514700.GAA29492@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149170

John "Even I Don't Like Me" Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I asked Bill to agree to "post no flames or nasty messages"
>& HE REFUSED!

And so did you. So you refused your own
request. Did you have your picture taken
next to yourself, too, Dad?

1185. Mackey On FIDOPARG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980806105148800.GAA29493@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 149171

In article <35C93945.A06@parg.org>, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I was NOT on the internet, I was on FIDONET!!

Using your (dare I use the word?) *logic*,
you are not on the Internet now, because
you post from parg.org

Did you have to practice to become so
stupid, or were you born that way? You
should know, since you claim to be your
own father.

1186. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cb6fdc.282374934@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148672
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On 5 Aug 1998 01:52:57 GMT, affordNOSPAM@execpc.com (John Grau) wrote:

>NEC Article 250-113 states: "Grounding conductors and bonding jumpers
>shall be connected by exothermic welding, listed pressure connectors,
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>listed clamps, or other listed means. Connection devices or fittings
>that depend solely on solder shall not be used. Sheet metal screws
>shall not be used to connect grounding conductors to enclosures." The
>last statement applies to boxes where installers were not using green
>10-32 screws for grounding. Caddy Fasteners (Erico) makes exothermic
>welding systems that are approved for this purpose. Burndy makes listed
>pressure connections, but the tools are expensive (>$1,500.00). Since
>Welding, brazing, soldering, silver soldering, & hard soldering are not
>listed means of connection, they cannot legally be used.

Welding is clearly permitted. And I'd note that brazing is considered
a form of welding since fusion between the base materials and the
brazing material occurs. So-called hard soldering is a form of brazing.
Soft soldering is not because no fusion occurs. (Fusion is when the
materials diffuse into each other rather than just bond at their surfaces.)

>Article 250-83(c)(3) states:The electrode shall be installed such that
>at least 8 ft of length is in contact with the soil. It shall be driven
>to a depth not less than 8 ft except that, where rock bottom is
>encountered, the electrode shall be driven at an oblique angle not to
>exceed 45 degrees from vertical or shall be buried in a trench that
>is at least 2 1/2 ft deep. The upper end of the electrode shall be
>flush with or below ground level unless the above ground end and the
>grounding electrode conductor attachment are protected against physical
>damage as specified in section 250-117.
>
>The NEC does not make any recommendation that I could find on the use
>of ground rings for lightning protection. The NEC is not a design
>manual, only a legal bare minimum for protection of life and property.
>I suspect that the recommendation may have appeared in another
>technical venue.

250-81 lists the approved grounding electrodes to be used.

a) metal underground water piping
(but note this may not be used as the sole grounding electrode)

b) metal frame of building
(when the frame is effectively bonded to earth by the building
construction method)

c) concrete encased electrode
(Ufer ground)

d) Ground ring.
(must surround the premises, be 2/0 copper, and be
buried to a depth of 2 ft 6 inches)

Note that 250-83 says made electrodes (ground rods) are
to be used when none of the grounding electrodes in 250-81
are available. In other words, rods are the ground electrode
of last resort if you can't use one of the ground electrodes
listed in 250-81.

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534 Shannon Way | We break it |
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1187. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cb77ad.284376113@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148673
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On 5 Aug 1998 04:58:39 GMT, "Dave Kearton" <dkearton@erico.com> wrote:
>Lightning rods aren't the perfect "preferred target" for a lightning
>discharge (I know that nobody said they were ;-)
>
>Some of the issues with Franklin rods include ...
>
>* Excessive corona buildup, which impedes the progress of the upward
>streamer
>
>* Premature or uncontrolled streamer initiation , i.e.: due to the rod's
>sharp pointy shape - a streamer can be initiated while the background
>electrostatic field is below the streamer propagation level of 250-300kV/m
>
>This accounts for the number of strikes that have bypassed a Franklin rod -
>to strike the corner of a building or a Microwave antenna.
>
>Our company has worked in this field for over 20 years and have produced a
>successful range of Early Streamer Emission terminals. Consider them to
>be an enhanced Franklin rod that has successfully overcome the above
>limitations. Coupled with a downconductor that contains all of the
>lightning current, it has been a proven system in Australia and S-E Asia
>over the last 10-15 years.

I'd note that the NFPA has had a working group looking at "early streamer
emission" terminals for some time. They have concluded their work and
declined to endorse the methods.

(One shouldn't take that to mean that they necessarily condemned use
of such techniques, however. But there does seem to be some controversy
over the claims of enhanced effacy of such techniques compared to
conventional Franklin rods.)

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1188. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cb7d0e.285753344@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148674
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 21:58:17 -0700, "Bill Maghan" <william.maghan@gte.net> wrote:

>I have been following the thread posted to
>alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.
>consumers.house.
>This post is only to alt.engineering.electrical.

Unfortunately, it isn't. I'm reading it in rec.radio.amateur.antenna.

>I have been reading all of these posts because I want to know more about
>"inductive strikes", a bad term I'm sure. When lightning strikes nearby,
>how much power might be generated in my trailer? A lot of current? A high
>potential? Should I have a coffee pot plugged in to provide a circuit?
>(I'm joking). It would be nice if some one would comment on the current
>induced in wiring by nearby lightning strikes.

Yes this exists. It is called EMP (ElectroMagnetic Pulse). You can consider
the wiring on your premises to act like an antenna for the radiated energy
from a nearby strike. Depending on all the various factors germane to
antennas, large potentials or large currents can be induced into your wiring
from a nearby strike.

If the strike is *very* nearby, ordinary near field transformer induction also
exists. The strike path forms the primary of the transformer, and your wiring
forms the secondary. This generally results in even more severe potentials
and currents flowing in your wiring.

Protecting against EMP is one of the two primary reasons for using
suppressors. (The other is to deal with direct strikes.) The requirements
for protection against EMP are somewhat different from those required
to handle direct strike currents, but very low risetime response is still
critically important. The suppressor must clamp within 2 ns to provide
protection for electronic equipment (some sensitive equipment requires
picosecond response).

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1189. BC 3000XLT or equiv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Weaver <weavert@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <6qfsuh$c8r$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 148675
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello,
I have a BC235XLT, which I like a lot. However, I notice several gaps in the frequency reanges and was loking into getting something with continuoius coverage. Thus, I was thinking about the BC3000. ANyone have it? How do you like it?

One thing I don't like about my BC235 is that it "feels cheap"...like if a even bump it against something, it's going to fly apart? ANyone else feel this way? What other brands of scanners are equivalent to the 3000? How about desktop versions??

TIA<
Tim
Pheonix, AZ

1190. disregard test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rams <rams@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc24a$55c3b6a0$571fd9cd@rams.netnitco.net>
Source record: 148676

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test
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1191. Colfax City Fire Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: scaning@geocities.com
Message-ID: <35cb7660.0@news.softcom.net>
Source record: 148677
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have frequencies for the Colfax City Fire Department in Placer County California.

Thanks in Advance,

Mike

Scanning Central & Northern California Frequencies
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/6298
scaning@geocities.com

1192. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6qfvb2$78v@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148678
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Ditto, would like to know these freqs too.

rick

Rob Lang wrote in message ...
>Thanks for the offer Mike. You know of a good source for airline Ops, gate
>agents, baggage handlers etc.? I can usually find all the airband stuff I
>need at http://www.airnav.com/airports/ or an AOPA guide.
>
>Rob
>
>Mike Harmon wrote in message <6qdc44fqs1@tenax.raex.com>...
>>If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide them
>for
>>free.
>>
>>I can get you 99.9% of the freq.
>>
>>I'll even give you the type (tower, clearance, ATIS, Ground, and even
>>Unicom).
>>
>>Mike
>>
>>
>
>

1193. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35cd7fe9.5500676@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 148679

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 13:04:08 GMT, fred@banana.net (fred) wrote:

Wow!!! Tremendous response....
And for the record, Malexander hasn't made the kill file yet, as I
only started yesterday, and after creating the mulitude of mackey
filters, I was rather exhausted....
Besides, he and others did GREAT with answers...!!!

Thanks all.....
Now, which is considered by y'all as best bang for the buck?

>On 7 Aug 1998 11:59:00 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
>>>From: thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb
>>
>>>Does anyone know of a Handheld scanner, currently in production, that
>>>will receive Military air?...
>>
>>You didn't say how much you wanted to spend, but in my book, you can't beat the
>>Yupi MVT-7100 for a mere $300 (actually a few bucks less in some places). It's
>>a helluva scanner for the money.
>>
>>I was so impressed by the 7100 that I ordered a Yupi MVT-9000 recently. I
>>can't wait.
>
>I had to repost this as a public service since "The CB Guy" obviously
>won't see it!
>
>The Uniden 3000xlt does great on Mil band.
>
>-Fred

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

1194. Re: sportscat 150 battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reddog <reddog113@goplay.com>
Message-ID: <6qg0kt$67o$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 148680

did you know that you can use a 9 volt in your scanner?? The plans for it are here: http://www.loop.com/~troll/SC150.html. I believe you can order them somewhere but can't remember.

1195. BC235 SVC Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickm@mounet.com
Message-ID: <35cb834e.19902640@news.mounet.com>
Source record: 148681
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking for what frequencies are covered by the service scan feature of the BC235. It does not seem to be documented.

Anybody know?

1196. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080723131900.TAA24312@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148682

>From: thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy)

>Wow!!! Tremendous response....
>And for the record, Malexander hasn't made the kill file yet, as I
>only started yesterday, and after creating the mulitude of mackey
>filters, I was rather exhausted....
>Besides, he and others did GREAT with answers...!!!

I appreciate the response. The irony is that I did not see Fred Banana's reposting of my post because I put in my kill filter a while ago!

1197. Re: AOR AR 8000 now or wait for AR 8200?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080723181000.TAA18192@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148683

>From: hose92@aol.com (HOSE 92)

>read strong signals page review.the aor 8000 still beat the 8200. sensitivity
>is better than the 8200.the only major advantages that i see is the size,
>larger screen, better button controls and positioning, and the addition of
>the
>33.3 mhz step for future air band step size.(this scanner is not worth my
>invest ment.)

After reading Rich's review as well as swapping e-mails with a few people, I decided that I really didn't want the 8200 after all. I just bought a Yupi MVT-9100.

I also figure that the 8000 will come down in price sooner or later and I'll pick up one of those too.

>if i were to decide today i would put more money aside and wait
>for this aor 7000 that ive been hearing about.

I think you will be waiting quite a while for that one... It's a base unit any way, which doesn't really appeal to me that much (at least not today). I'm more than happy with my 2042/Opto combo and my BC895, which is a great scanner for the money, with or without trunk tracking.

I'm also waiting to see what RS offers in the way of a mobile TT.

1198. Re: AOR8200 vs Yupiteru MVT-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080723204900.TAA18515@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148684

>From: Nigel Spiers <nspiers@hitechuk.demon.co.

>
>MVT9000 has the direct freq access function using the offset mode which
>will allow you to tune to any freq (within scanner range) required
>irrespective of step size.

I understand that you can't use the offset mode for 9000s sold outside of Japan; instead you have to set it up according to whatever country you're in. That's a pain but, I'll live with it. That's certainly one of the advantages of the 8200. With a PC hook up you can reprogram it to the (whatever country) bandplan you want.

1199. Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080723235100.TAA18863@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148685

I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap tips and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list or a web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...

1200. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080723410000.TAA27661@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148686

Rich Wells in his review "overall" seemed to like it better than the icom r-10, and you would have to spend at least $150 or more to get a scanner w/ this freq coverage that is as good or better, and it wouldn't come standard with a drop-in charger.

1201. Re: BC235 SVC Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35cc8fd7.3891014@news.provide.net>
Source record: 148687
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 22:48:29 GMT, rickm@mounet.com (Rick Miller)
wrote:

>I am looking for what frequencies are covered by the service scan
>feature of the BC235. It does not seem to be documented.
>
>Anybody know?

Hi Rick,
Here ya go..hope that this helps you.
Rick in White Lake,Mich.

29 - 29.7 MHz

29.7 -50 MHz

50 - 54 MHz

108 - 136.9875 MHz

137 - 144 MHz

144 - 148 MHz

148 - 174 MHz

406 - 420 MHz

420 - 450 MHz

450 - 470 MHz

470 - 512 MHz

806 - 956 MHz Except Cellular Band)

162.400 - 162.550 MHz

1202. FS: Max 225-400 Mhz Antenna (Price Reduced)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080723542500.TAA29319@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148688

I still have a mint condition, never used, Max Systems military aircraft ground plane antenna for sale. Radials cut for 225-400 Mhz. Has a BNC connector to accept coax cable.

Price reduced to $20.00 plus shipping

Email to: Fbals@aol.com

1203. NC Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6qg7at$1l8$1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148689

Any one know of a site that has a list of frequencies in NC preferably in Raleigh / Chapel Hill area? Thanks alot.

1204. Discriminator help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <chyzy@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <35CBA433.AAF6306E@megsinet.net>
Source record: 148690

Hi,.....i know this seems like a stupid question, but what is a discriminator output and what is it for?......thanks

1205. Re: Discriminator help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <9C46CF30991D4F82.2FF550964BD66F50.22DDA766869AF056@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 148691

on the same topic....does anyone know where i should tap in a pro-34...for
it?

1206. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <BPNy1.214$fz2.1831887@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148692

Leonard Weldon wrote in message <35caed53.2985227@news2.ibm.net>...
>I sold my Kenwood R-5000, a fine old receiver, to purchase the
>PCR-1000...the ICOM has been a pleasure...a good move, I
>think

Yeah - I also have an R-5000, wouldn't part with it! Been happy as clam with it for years. The PCR1000 would be put toward mainly toward VHF-UHF stuff.

I'm sure there will always be satisfied and dissatisfied people with any product. Some will suffer trash, others will nitpick the most stellar of products. I also know the disproportionate power a few well posted flames can have. But as I poked around newsgroups and web sites when I first thought about the PCR1000, the dissatisfaction I saw was not a couple of malcontent grumblers, but a lot people who knew scads more about the hobby than I did who were posting very well thought out concerns.

I just have a bit of a problem with Icom's software being so lame and simultaneously;y making things so difficult for third party developers. I got an R-10 a few months ago because it looked like a nice performing radio in an attractive package, enough to suffer through the quirky programming. But one shouldn't have to put up with this stuff in a computer controlled radio - the whole point to computer control (to my way of thinking anyway) is expanding the boundaries of controling the radio, not hamstringing them.

I may buy one anyway, my hope is in time the available software will mature. Thanks for your comments.

Rob Lang

>Ref: Icom
>
>As a satisfied customer of Icom. I find these complaints
>a bit picky. If one has had anything to do with the Ham
>Radio world, you will know that there are members of
>that fraternity that are dissatisfied with about everything...
>Kenwood, Tentech, Icom....you name it.
>
>The point of all of this is that one should be aware that
>most companies will not necessarily "be at your beck and
>call" as you think they should.
>
>I have been extremely pleased with the PCR-1000. My next
>project is the DSP option...which I should acquire in about
>a month or so.
>

>So, if you are contemplating getting a PCR-1000, then do so!
>It is a fine receiver, and a trend that reflects what is coming up
>in the future. Just think of the options in the future...trunk
>tracking, etc.
>
BTW, do try to make sure your PC monitor is shielded as
>well as your PC power supply. Make sure it meets FCC requirements
>in terms of EMI, RFI radiation. Some cheap PC components radiate
>like a 50KW radio station!
>
>Leonard...
>
>P.S. My Icom experience has been simple...I bought it, hooked
>it up...and have been listening and enjoying it ever since...
>_____

1207. Re: BC 3000XLT or equiv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Varine <Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Message-ID: <35CBA9C4.440C@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Source record: 148693
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Tim Weaver wrote:
>
> Hello,
> I have a BC235XLT, which I like a lot. However, I notice several gaps in
> the frequency reanges and was loking into getting something with
> continuoius coverage. Thus, I was thinking about the BC3000. ANyone have
> it? How do you like it?

I've had a BC3000 for over a year and love it. It's built very solid and have been very impressed at the beating it can take. Don't laugh but I had mine in Bosnia and used it to monitor other nets while on patrol. It fits the Army's load bearing vest pouche's perfectly and I took a few spills with it. I've dropped it more that a few times and done some other boneheaded things. All in all the thing is still working well, no problems, and minor scratches.

1208. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ten.ananab@derf.needthispiece
Message-ID: <35cf729b.551466@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148694

Hi! I'm back, you loser! Actually, I'm sorry...you've been low key
for awhile. I'll grant you another chance.

1209. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <ZYNy1.215$fz2.1836083@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148695

Thanks for your comments and advice John. You summed up my concerns well.

I may indeed buy the radio, and I'll be making the purchase with my eyes open thanks to posts by you and others around the net. I agree it is a nifty package for the price, and I expect the software issues to shake themselves out in time.

Rob Lang

1210. Re: MACKEY DUMPED FROM MORE FORUMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35CBB08B.6AD6EE12@netwit.com>
Source record: 148696

K4CC wrote:

> Oh, that's easy. He would use one of
> his three stock answers:
>
> 1. You're looking in a mirror
> 2. That post was forged
> 3. I don't know anybody named Clark Kollige
>
> Dave

....and don't forget Dave; the ultimate in Mackeyspeak:

4. "The stupidity of you is amazing."

1211. Re: Tips to filter the crap in this n.g.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <X7Oy1.217$fz2.1840286@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 148697

My tip about filters: Read the NG for a week or so, then decide for yourself. No offence to Brett, but his filters are not appropriate to me, and mine would not be appropriate to him. Neither of them are appropriate for anyone but ourselves.

Rob

1212. military freq. for myrtle beach

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <drayf@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35CBB155.B458B660@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 148698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Looking for military freq. for myrtle beach to include coast guard.
Thank`s, Darrell---Roanoke, Va.

1213. POCSAG Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <23155-35CBABDC-40@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148699
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a M-450 Decoder and i realy don't know how to use it but i set
the decoder to alpha-numeric mode and i set my scanner onthe 929.9375mhz
and 929.1375mhz frequency and this is what i got........

2007669=A
2007926=A
1745525=A

Can some one explain what this is please? Thanks!

1214. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <nospampoustie@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6qghlj$o9b@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 148700

I played with one for a day(sigh), it's awesome.

Tim

MHayworth4 wrote in message
<1998080721342600.RAA05229@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Looking real serious at purchasing the Alinco DJ-X10T scanning receiver. I
>realize it's geared more toward 'receiver' than 'scanner', but I am really
>drawned to the 100Kz - 2GHz freq coverage. (Also the 1200 memory channels
>don't hurt). Has anyone used this receiver? Any thoughts from the group
at
>large?
>
>Tks,
>Marc Hayworth

1215. Help! Watkins-Johnson Miniceptor SW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OdZ7Ocow9GA.295@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Is there anyone out there in radio land who can help me with some questions on the software used with Watkins-Johnson Miniceptor receivers?

Please e-mail if you exist.

Thanks!

1216. Re: TRADE: Pro 43 w/ Cell for Opto 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35cb22ab.497356@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148702
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 8 Aug 1998 01:06:11 GMT, choad98@hotmail.com wrote:

>
>I am willing to trade a great Pro 43 with the cell mod for an Opto
>535.
>
>Pro 43 is near mint and comes with rechargeable batteries and charger!
>
>
>Email me at: choad98@hotmail.com

More than likely, it might be easier and cheaper to sell the Pro-43
and order a OS535 from Optoelectronics. The OS535 is currently $175
and you can probably get $200-250 from the scanner. Usually there
won't be someone with an extra OS535 unit lying around and would
choose not to take one out of their Pro-2035/2042.

Wiggie

1217. Mackey Identified as Usenet Abuser, Expanded List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CBE195.CD730659@primenet.com>
Source record: 148703

The point was raised that my posting of John Mackey's inclusion on Joe Greco's list of Internet Abuser's was incomplete because I left Bill Cheek off. The question was also asked who else is on the list. Those are valid points and I will address each one.

Who else is on Joe Greco's list?

I searched all postings of the list since January 1, 1996. That date was chosen because it coincides with the date of the first known post by John Mackey. Anyone who has had more than a passing exchange with Mackey was also examined. The list was queried for the following people (yes, I included myself in the search):

allsafe@netwit.com jmackey@usa.net
bbowers@townsqr.com jomackey@hotmail.com
bcheek@cts.com john.mackey_jr@p234.f40.n105.z1.fidonet.org
bcheek@san.rr.com john.mackey_jr@p234.n40.f105.z1.fidonet.org
cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu jtons@att.net
dmi1@my-dejanews.com k4cc@aol.com
dmi853@juno.com malexander@aol.com
fire.chief@waprgate.com scantech@concentric.net
geovet@thevision.net sgambino@my-dejanews.com
jabberjaw@uunet.com thecbguy@iname.com
kmackey@aracnet.com traveler@cyberway.net
jmackey@pacifer.com wa7twi@primenet.com
jmackey@parg.org ziggy7445@yahoo.com

What were the results of the search?

Three people made the list. John Mackey, Bill Cheek, and K4CC. Mackey showed up five times, Cheek three times, and K4CC once. The data for all nine listings is shown at the end of this article.

Who are some of the other people on the list who are unrelated to the Mackey/Cheek discussion?

These are some of the addresses on the list. They are very typical of the whole list and self-explanatory.

nospam@net-temps.com (Summit Systems Consulting)
Female.Incest@hotmail.com
babes@adult-xxx-video.com
Cosmo Roadkill <cosmo.roadkill%bofh.int@rauug.mil.wi.us>
FreeSexPix <FreeSexPix@pornofuck.com>
girlz@hotmail.com
Hot Stuff <hotstuff@xratedshows.com>
robin@sluts.net

Easylay@org.net
russian@teenboys.nl (Russian Teen Boys)
perv@Perverts-r-us.com
nospam@net-temps.com (Tech Search)
nospam@net-temps.com (The Infinity Consulting Group)
NastyGirls@.Com
pantygrl@xxx-sex.com
Wet@dreams.com
candy6969@rocketmail.nl
NudeQuickCam.19@hotmail.com
I-Let-Dogs-Fuck-Me@onlyus.com
I Suck-Dogs-Cocks@desireme.com
I-Lick-Dogs-Bollocks@partyondude.com
I-Let-Dogs-Fuck-Me@lovechatting.com
prozac@thepentagon.com (Prozac)
I-Let-Dogs-Fuck-Me@myhideout.com
I-Drink-Dog-Cum@bi-cpl.com
I-Drink-Dog-Cum@bemybaby.com
I-Suck-Dogs-Cocks@sub-f.com
I-Suck-Dogs-Cocks@bi-f.com
I-Lick-Dogs-Bollocks@sexysurfer.com
I-Drink-Dog-Cum@dom-f.com

---------- the data from Joe Greco's list -------------------

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Fri, 07 Aug 1998 04:00:47 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/08/07
Message-ID: <19980807040047.2041@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
319 28.000 28 29200 KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Wed, 05 Aug 1998 20:01:26 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/08/05
Message-ID: <19980805200126.3434@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
510 21.414 21 23028 KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Fri, 30 Jan 1998 04:02:35 CST)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/01/30
Message-ID: <19980130040235.7270@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

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Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
278 23.853 20 23925 John Mackey -- KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net>
```

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Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Sun, 18 Jan 1998 08:01:36 CST)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/01/18
Message-ID: <19980118080136.16926@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
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Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
227 22.753 16 90325 John Mackey -- KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net>
```

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Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Wed, 17 Dec 1997 04:02:21 CST)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1997/12/17
Message-ID: <19971217040221.25634@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
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Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
558 23.899 21 24962 John Mackey--KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net>
```

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Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Wed, 22 Jul 1998 16:01:33 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/07/22
Message-ID: <19980722160133.18335@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
```

```
Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
503 29.314 21 36040 bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
```

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Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Sat, 20 Jun 1998 20:03:34 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/06/20
Message-ID: <19980620200334.29207@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
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```
Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
580 27.243 26 45564 bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
```

```
Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Sun, 25 Jan 1998 16:03:46 CST)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/01/25
Message-ID: <19980125160346.15635@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
```

```
Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
585 20.585 16 28634 bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
```

```
Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Fri, 03 Jul 1998 00:02:10 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/07/03
Message-ID: <19980703000210.27855@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
```

```
Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
604 23.000 23 22878 k4cc@aol.com (K4CC)
```

1218. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: troll@loop.com
Message-ID: <MPG.10358637abfc3b7a989688@news.loop.com>
Source record: 148704

In article <shirsh-0708982051290001@host-209-214-194-215.mem.bellsouth.net>,
shirsh@bellsouth.net says...
> In article <1998080723235100.TAA18863@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
> malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
> > I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap tips
> > and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list or a
> > web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...
>
>
> I have mine on order also; from Bandercomm. It has been two weeks since
> they supposedly shipped it. Can't wait! I would be interested in
> exchanging tips with you or anyone else.
>
>
> Steve
>
I just orderd one of the MVT-9000 MII from Bandercom on the 21st and same thing here its
been
2 weeks and nothing yet. Just curious but did you order the stock one or the moded one?
I would also be interested in exchanging tips or asking/answering questions. A mailing list
seems like a good idea to me.
By the way is there anyone out there in the US that has ordered from Bandercom before? How
long did it take for them to ship to you?

1219. Re:Mackey, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CBE732.74DE502@primenet.com>
Source record: 148705

J "I think RuPaul is cute. I'd bet he could pump me like Richard
Simmonds never could." Mackey continued his lies:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > If you have the degrees, prove it. Until you do, you're still a liar
> > and a fraud.
>
> I don't really care what you think. If Cheek will post his
> data in complete form, I'll post mine!

Until you post your data, whether Cheek posts his or not, you're still
a liar and a fraud.

1220. Re: A real good Descrambler Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <O6VdjOhw9GA.278@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148722

Stop, Mr. Scott Bias. I've already told you that you are SPAMMING! Have you forgotten that?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

SCOTMOCKUP wrote in message
<1998080712412400.IAA13057@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>This site has freq inv Descramblers and many scanner links.
>
><A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion
>Descramblers</A>

1221. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u2GsMRhw9GA.169@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148723

I know, I am just getting sick of PakRat and Jack always on my back (no rhyme intended). They don't know how to correct people ... correctly.

Thanks for the radio tip!
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Rob Lang wrote in message ...
>Geez, c'mon Ryan. Didn't you post a few days ago you were trying to learn
>to lighten up? Let stuff slide.
>
>If you're taking flying lessons, listening to more airband traffic is a
good
>way to improve your radio work. Helped me get through "Class B nerves".

1222. BC 3000xlt Light

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6qf8b6$5hl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148724

Anyone know how to make the light stay on with the BC 3000xlt?
Bill K9KZ

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1223. Another Mackey Forgery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce1afc.237572107@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148725

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Here is another forgery by John Mackey. He injected
it into an open NNTP server at <news.globalpac.com>
from at AOL account at <152.207.0.68>.

========FORGED POST UNDER SUBJECT "PARDON ME"==============

Message-ID: <35C97BED.281799D8@san.rr.com>
Date: Thu, 06 Aug 1998 02:48:29 -0700
From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.05 [en] (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: pardon me
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: 152.207.0.68
X-Trace: 6 Aug 1998 02:49:48 -0800, 152.207.0.68
Lines: 3
Path: relief.cts.com!newshub.cts.com!usc!howland.erols.net!
news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-east.sprintlink.net!
news.sprintlink.net!207.67.253.7!atmnet.net!
news.globalpac.com!152.207.0.68
===
Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com> wrote:

> please pardon me for all the problems I have caused this newsgroup.
>
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1224. Re: Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <35CB1DEB.1A801240@cadvision.com>
Source record: 148726

allsafe wrote:

> Scott Richardson wrote:
>
> Uh......was I right about the hole on the left side of the Pro-43 scanner? (Is there a
> hole there I hope?)

Pro-44, yes; Pro-43, no.
--
Jay lowj@cadvision.com http://www.fumbling.com/heard/

1225. Re: What type of paging system is (sound) Its the link of a POCSAG paging system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uatoyahw9GA.186@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148727
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks for the info!
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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Raquel Ruark wrote in message ...
>To answer the original question, this is the link frequency of a paging
>system doing 512 and 1200 baud POCSAG
>
>Boring technical stuff to follow:

1226. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: PakRat@anonymous.com
Message-ID: <35cb1299.42759561@news.altopia.com>
Source record: 148728

Dear Ryan,
I apologize for coming down so hard on you. It took a mature attitude to admit to a lack of knowledge about aviation. After 36 years in aviation, both as a airline and corperate pilot, I just could not just sit and allow the mis-information that was being posted continue. The stuff you posted was in the ballpark, but not close enough to the truth. My intentions were to get you stop posting info that you are not intimately familiar with. This leads to the propagation of half-truths and mis-truths which contributes to the publics ignorance. All I ask is when posting info your not 100% sure of use a disclaimer such as 'I Think'.

And now a little advice from a 57 year old. You have a whole lifetime of learning ahead, don't waste it. Remember knowledge is power. The more information you have the better equipped you are to make the right decision. Wrong information leads to wrong decisions.

If you need info on aviation, I'll be happy to help. Just ask.

As I'm frequently out of town on trips, It may take a while to for a reply.

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 14:12:07 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Look! I am only 15 -- I don't listen to air traffic all that much, so don't
>expect me to know everything like you do, and lastly just LEAVE ME ALONE!

1227. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35CB248A.A14BE33@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 148729

Jeff Miller wrote:
> Try the $320 (US Dollars) Sony Computer controlled handheld Scanner it
> recieves everything (unsure about Military Air) you want and has 300
> channels.

Yes, the Sony is a great receiver. It does cover mil air. And if you
can do without computer control, the SC1 version comes without the
PC interface & associated CD-ROM database (PerCon) thus lowering the
price to about $260.

Try my First Impressions of the SC1PC :

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/impsc1.htm

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

1228. Re: BC 3000xlt Light

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Infoave <petersonj@mtc.mid.tec.sc.us>
Message-ID: <6qf8vj$m03$1@news3.infoave.net>
Source record: 148730

If my memory is good, hold down the light key and turn it on. You should see a message that say "LIGHT ON". Press the light button after it is powered on ands the light does not time out.

Hope this helps.

wplanck@netusa1.net wrote in message <6qf8b6$5hl$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Anyone know how to make the light stay on with the BC 3000xlt?
>Bill K9KZ
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1229. urgent!@ can pro-90 get 900MHZ trunked? or only 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807161700000.MAA26957@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148731

i have seen trunked frequencies in the 900MHZ range. cqan the pro 90 pick
these up, or does it only get 800 MHZ trunked?
thanks!!

steve.... Evrclear84@aol.com

1230. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uXEE48hw9GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148732

Thank you for understanding!

Know of a good place in/around the Twin Cities to take flying lessons, and
about how much are they?

Thanks again. Like I say to people I like, stay cool.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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1231. Re: urgent!@ can pro-90 get 900MHZ trunked? or only 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <uOBVhw9GA.74@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148733

I don't think so, but you can try. I believe the receiver is made for the 45 MHz difference between base/mobile, but I think the gap is different in the 900 MHz range.

What are you listening to -- cabs? I hear a lot of taxi freqs around 935 MHz.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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<19980807161700000.MAA26957@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
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>these up, or does it only get 800 MHZ trunked?
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>
>steve.... Evrclear84@aol.com

1232. Re: Aircraft Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <#L$NMAiw9GA.184@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148734

He he... I hope I don't get "intimately familiar" with aircraft frequencies.
<g>

Again, stay cool.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
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>reply.
>
>On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 14:12:07 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Look! I am only 15 -- I don't listen to air traffic all that much, so
don't
>>expect me to know everything like you do, and lastly just LEAVE ME ALONE!
>

1233. Re: urgent!@ can pro-90 get 900MHZ trunked? or only 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807163021 00.MAA05161@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148735

well, i saw a few local companies which work around 935 trunked.. wondering if i could get them in with a pro-90

1234. Re: urgent!@ can pro-90 get 900MHZ trunked? or only 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35cb571a.691257@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148736

On 7 Aug 1998 16:17:00 GMT, evrclear84@aol.com (Evrclear84) wrote:

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>these up, or does it only get 800 MHZ trunked?
> thanks!!
>
>steve.... Evrclear84@aol.com

Steve,

None of the Trunktrackers including the PRO-90 will trunktrack
anything but Motorola 800 MHz systems.

Greg Knox

1235. Re: BC 3000xlt Light

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35cbfb71.9398136@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148737

On Fri, 7 Aug 1998 12:14:04 -0400, "Infoave"
<petersonj@mtc.mid.tec.sc.us> wrote:

>If my memory is good, hold down the light key and turn it on. You should
>see a message that say "LIGHT ON". Press the light button after it is
>powered on ands the light does not time out.
>
>Hope this helps.

And do the same to toggle this function off.

1236. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35cafad6.9243233@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148738

On 7 Aug 1998 11:59:00 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb
>
>>Does anyone know of a Handheld scanner, currently in production, that
>>will receive Military air?...
>
>You didn't say how much you wanted to spend, but in my book, you can't beat the
>Yupi MVT-7100 for a mere $300 (actually a few bucks less in some places). It's
>a helluva scanner for the money.
>
>I was so impressed by the 7100 that I ordered a Yupi MVT-9000 recently. I
>can't wait.

I had to repost this as a public service since "The CB Guy" obviously
won't see it!

The Uniden 3000xlt does great on Mil band.

-Fred

1237. Re: Pro-90 Leather Case: Uniden?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jknoll@visi.com
Message-ID: <XRGy1.1188$H11.4000663@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 148739
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

words1@well.com (E. Morris) writes:

>On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 23:28:33 -0500, "Jason Reuschlein" <jayr@msn.com> wrote:

>>Hi Everyone,
>>
>>Since the RadioShack Pro-90 Leather Case now needs to be ordered through RS
>>Unlimited, does any owner use the Uniden case (Available on their website
>>for $19.99) and how does it fit?
>>
>>Jason
>>

I checked with RS about two weeks ago about the PRO-90 case and the guy
said that that case had always been special order. In fact he checked while
I was there and said that none were available. Can one get a PRO-90 case
anywhere even through RS?

Thanks,

Jim
jknoll@visi.com

>The RS Pro-90 case fits the BC220/230xlt just fine, if that's any indication.

1238. WTB:Tone board for 760xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6qfc14$5gv@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 148740

Looking for a CTCSS tone board, and switch
panel, for a Uniden 760xlt. I think the part
numbers are BC-002, BC-003, or something similar
to that.

John (remove all of the z's from return address) spam control

1239. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35CB3F8F.F34@juno.com>
Source record: 148741

You forget mackey has multiple personalities.

1240. Trunk Tracker audio clipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35CB6AD1.43DD@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 148742

I have two trunk tracking scanners. One is a BC235 (handheld) and the other is the RS Pro-2050. Both of these scanners, on occassion exhibit audio clipping, or specifically, on voice peaks, the radio quits receiving, and part of a word is cut out. I think this is due largely to some levels that are set too high on the trunking system I am monitoring. I know several other people who experience the same problem, and I see this problem on some of the Motorola portable radios that use the system (Motorola Flashport MTP2000) to a certain extent.

I was wondering if anyone else may have experienced this problem on any other trunking systems. If so, which scanner are you using. Any BC895 scanner users out there experiencing this problem???

Andy

1241. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35CB382F.216C@home.here>
Source record: 148743
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Reservoir Dogs wrote:
> Can any one please tell me what frequencys are the Alph-Numeric paging
> frequencys? I have a Universal M-450 Decoder. i live in Los Angeles,
> Calif. area. Thanks.

My Airtouch says it operates on 929.9375

1242. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <gibronni@mark.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc22f$e10fc340$516aa1cf@markspac>
Source record: 148744
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Whoops! The address is signals@autobahn.mb.ca ...

Hey Eddie,
:
: I have a full set of IFR/Enroute/Flight Supplements for most nations. If
: you are looking for a specific airport, please mail me. I also have about
: 10 Canada Flight Supplement books that I am willing to give away, for the
: price of postage. It is a thick paperback book, and contains
comprehensive
: info on all Canadian airports with diagrams, runway data, freqs, etc.
: Unfortunately, they are from 1994, but hey, whaddya want fer nuthin'.
Mail
: me if you want them...
:
: Darrell
:

1243. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <gibronni@mark.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc22f$3f4cef60$516aa1cf@markspac>
Source record: 148745
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Eddie Fernandes <ef@bc.sympatico.ca> wrote in article
<35CA6761.4D23@bc.sympatico.ca>...
: The Scanner Dude wrote:
: >
: > Mike Harmon wrote in message <6qdc44fqs1@tenax.raex.com>...
: > >If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide
them
: > for
: > >free.
:
: How about airports outside of the states?

<snip-o-rama>

Hey Eddie,

I have a full set of IFR/Enroute/Flight Supplements for most nations. If you are looking for a specific airport, please mail me. I also have about 10 Canada Flight Supplement books that I am willing to give away, for the price of postage. It is a thick paperback book, and contains comprehensive info on all Canadian airports with diagrams, runway data, freqs, etc. Unfortunately, they are from 1994, but hey, whaddya want fer nuthin'. Mail me if you want them...

Darrell

1244. Re: urgent!@ can pro-90 get 900MHZ trunked? or only 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <e6f157iw9GA.192@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148746

Sorry, the Trunk Tracker doesn't "track" anything but the 800 range. The 900 range has a different "gapping scheme" (for lack of a better phrase). In the 800 range, it's a difference of 45 MHz between the base and mobiles. In 900, it's not.
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1245. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807182220000.OAA11614@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148747

justmrzor@webtv.net (robert mcclure) writes:

>what is this world
>coming to

Oh, the humanity ...

1246. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20130-35CB34A1-29@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148748

i agree some of these people are brian
dead and don't know a scanner group
from a cooking group if it came up and
bit them on the nose daaaaaa lets get
with it people

1247. F.S. Pro 2026 Cellular Restored

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: reddog <bug@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc231$c4ee9cc0$9f74d6d1@ogleboog>
Source record: 148749

Patrolman 2026 :
Freq. Range 29-54, 108-174, 406-512, 806-956
Features: Service Search, Weather Search, 100 channels, cell unlocked.
$100 wihout power supply(12v) or $120 with
reply to this message for my e-mail address
Nashville TN. area

--
You know that I know that you know!

1248. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <O64IiGjw9GA.91@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148750

"brian dead" ... who's Brian?
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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1249. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John McDermon <mcdermon@usa.net>
Message-ID: <o8ly1.678$oW3.526961@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 148751

Rob,

As I have been among the more outspoken critics of Icom re: the PCR1000 let me offer my thoughts. Contrary to what Leonard Weldon has to say, I am not a perpetual malcontent. :-) In fact, in my 49 years this is the first time I've really been outspoken against the policies of any manufacturer - radios or otherwise. But this time Icom was asking for it...

First of all, I will say that I like the PCR1000 radio itself. It is a neat package. I intend to hang on to mine. The reception characteristics are really quite good for a radio of this size and price range. Of course, since Icom doesn't have to supply a hardware control panel at all, it ought to be a damn good radio at this price! And it is...

The thing that I found most distressing was the change in Icom's support policies relative to that provided for all of their prior radios in the amateur market. This is the first time they have tried to keep the software for the radio totally proprietary, attempting to lock all third party software developers out of the market. And I hope its the last! I doubt they could see the train coming - maybe it did indeed look like a light at the end of the tunnel! But I guarantee they knew it when it hit them!

I am far from being alone in my criticism of Icom for this policy change they tried to force upon their customers. I bought into the Icom image - thinking they were an aggressive and progressive company who I believed had "built a better mouse-trap" than the Winradio. So you see, I came to this party all geared up to enjoy myself with this radio and have a good time. But when problems came to light Icom became a party pooper extraordinare!

Below are the things I think diminish the radio's value. All (or most) are things Icom could remedy overnite if they would simply choose to do so. But I assure you that after months of attempting to get them to act, they won't. Or can't.... I would love to be found wrong!

1. The radio has an EEPROM containing 128 bytes of data, which among a few other things is used to store alignment settings for the various readings (S-meter, bandscope amplitude, centering and sensitivity of the AFC, etc.) across the various internal bands of the radio. There have been more than a half dozen of us who's radios lost these settings for unknown reasons. [Well, Miiquel (in Spain) sort of shot himself in the foot with some homebrew software...] But the rest of

us lost our EEPROM settings without a definitive cause. Icom speculated that it was due to use of "third party software". I believed that at the time, but now it is a mute issue. Patrick Massota created a neat utility which can backup and restore the EEPROM data at will. This is a utility that we (users on the PCR-1000 mail list) repeatedly asked Icom to produce, but our requests went totally ignored. Well, they did say at one point that they saw no need for such a utility... But everyone involved knew they were just blowing smoke up our rear....

2. The Icom software has a very pretty interface. But underneath the surface it is not as functional as a scanner in this price range should be. They advertise it as 1000 channels with the further qualification that actual number of channels is only limited by disk space. Well..... I defy you to get the Icom software to scan more than 50 programmed memory channels at a time. It won't. But they don't tell you this. Using their rational, I can store a hundred million channels on my 13 Gig hard disk without even owning a radio! But what the heck does that have to do with anything? The radio is in fact a 50 channel scanner using the Icom supplied software. They should be ashamed to advertise it the way they do.

3. The software also lacks any provision to blockout birdies or unwanted frequencies (such as pagers) duing a frequency range search. I've owned quite a few scanners, but never owned one before that lacked this capability. This feature is often included in the cheapest handheld scanners, and would be incredibly simple to do in their software if they had a mind to do it.

4. In using some of the third party software that has emerged supporting this radio, I have found other areas where the Icom software could be improved. For example, how hard would it be for Icom's software to allow you to sort memory bank data? Or give you an easier way to save a displayed VFO channel into any bank/channel of your choosing. Or eliminate the necessity of 'clicking' the mouse on the tuning knob just to allow you to type in a frequency? Some of these sound like knit picking, but when compared with other "third party" software, the Icom software shows some real opportunities for improvement.

I'm writing this reply from memory, so I may well have left off some major points. Basically my advice would be that if you like the radio....

1 . Buy one I've heard people say they bought one for well under $500. I paid $499 for mine back in January.

2. THIS IS IMPORTANT! Download the PCR1000BUR software and make a backup of the EEPROM data first thing. (search www.dejanews.com for the URL)

3. Get some good third party software that supports the radio and enjoy yourself! ScanCat Gold for WIndows (I have NO affiliation with them) is very feature rich - but perhaps not as 'pretty' as the Icom software. I like it though. And there is a neat 'freeware' program called PCRScope that you really ought to try. Other software is available but I have no experience with them at this point.

Just be sure you have your original EEPROM data settings safely backed up and stored in several safe places - just in case your radio burps up its EEPROM data like some have. Icom has said that they will start treating EEPROM corruption problems the same as a 'hardware modification' (thus voiding the warranty) although to the best of my knowledge they have yet to enforce this policy.

If/when you get one, join the PCR-1000 mail list at www.qth.net and keep everyone posted of your discoveries. There are well over a hundred folks on the list now, and all are friendly and helpful.

Yours truely,
John McDermon, KE4VAL

1250. Tips to filter the crap in this n.g.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qfkvf$4aa@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 148752

If everyone adds these to a kill file or filter list, we will all be better off and Please, don't fan the flames by replying to them or even complaining about how bad this n.g. is. We can all see how bad it is. I left 2 years ago because of it, and nothing has changed.

I did a non-threaded sort of all the messages in this n.g. based on the 'from' column. The following people have been added to my filter list and no longer show up.

Criteria: These people 1) post a lot, 2) virtually never post on topic 3)just flame each other over Cheek/MacKey issues. I know Bill posts ON-topic a lot also, but it isn't worth wading through the crap he posts.

I use Outlook Express and filter is very easy. Some of these are partial "from" fields, but that is all that is required for O.E. I'm sure some will change their names, but my list has lots more room on it. It is sad these people are intent to ruin a good thing.

Bill Cheek
KA0SSF
Fire Chief
Blake Bowers
K4CC
dmi853
John T. Arthur
George Vatterle
Mr. MacKey
Phil Smalley
Richard Kendrick
sgambino
crudhacker
allsafe
dmi1
jabberjaw
John Mackey
scantech
willi arsch
Tom Jones

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400

1251. Schematic for Regency ACTE16HLU Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmaxon@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080719252500.PAA25565@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148753

Thanks for reading this post! I need a copy of the schematic for the Regency ACT!16HLU executive scanner. This scanner has 8 channels for UHF only and 8 that can be mixed VHF-L and VHF-H.

Can anyone help me. Please email me.

Howard

1252. Re: how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080719382300.PAA20505@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148754

>t: Re: how close do you have to be?
>From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
>Date: 8/7/98 8:44 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35caf60c.2663552@news.fastlink.com.au>
>
>"camper" <h2oguy@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>:I have very little experience using scanners. I wanted to know how close
>:you have to be for your scanner to pick up a frequency? I know it probably
>:depends on the radio, but on average. For example, our local airport is
>:about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up transmissions?
>:Thanks for the info.

It depends on the frequencies. You should have no trouble with the
airport frequencies. The frequences in the low bands, 32-34-36 can be heard
for over a hundred miles. The frequencies that fire departments and some
police departments use (154-155) can usually be heard for about 50 miles. The
high bands (460-480) can only be heard for about 25 miles or inside a
particular city in some cases.

1253. PRO-2035 / Opto OS-535 CODE TO UNLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Breen <jbreen@press-sci.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc23b$f12c1920$1b5cd2ce@barbara>
Source record: 148755

Who knows the code to unlock U.S. version of OS-535 for full range of RS Pro-2035?

1254. Palm Beach County, FL Frequency Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Scanner Dude <NOSPAMscannerdude@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6qfm38$o7p@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148756
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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1255. Re: PRO-2035 / Opto OS-535 CODE TO UNLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: reddog <bug@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc23d$6a646580$0874d6d1@ogleboog>
Source record: 148757

275 681 149 364 630 538 49
Monitoring Times April 1996

1256. Re: WTB:Tone board for 760xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc23e$3bad0e80$a81537a6@default>
Source record: 148758

Try Scanner World in Albany, NY. Phone numbers order line 800-476-8050,
Info line 518-436-9606. Price is $63.99 for tone board & switch.

Hope this helps...

Mike

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michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

Unit 61 <zjohznabzlez@execpc.com> wrote in article
<6qfc14$5gv@newsops.execpc.com>...
> Looking for a CTCSS tone board, and switch
> panel, for a Uniden 760xlt. I think the part
> numbers are BC-002, BC-003, or something similar
> to that.
>
> John (remove all of the z's from return address) spam control
>

1257. South Florida Trunking Guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Scanner Dude <NOSPAMscannerdude@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6qfn66$m5e@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148759
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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1258. Re: Airport Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cf6542.9728539@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148760
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 19:05:44 -0400, "Mike Harmon" <dtfh32@raex.com>
wrote:

>If any body needs specific airport freq. i will be happy to provide them for
>free.
>
>I can get you 99.9% of the freq.
>
>I'll even give you the type (tower, clearance, ATIS, Ground, and even
>Unicom).
>
>Mike
>

http://www.airnav.com/airports/

can help also!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1259. Re: how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc23e$e027af60$a81537a6@default>
Source record: 148761

It also depends on weither the agency being listened to is using a repeater
or simplex. A repeater on a good mountain top can be heard for well over
100 miles on most any frequency. Simplex is line of sight and it's ragne
varies depending on terrain.

My local police department uses a 150mhz repeater and I can hear it 80+
miles away, and it's not on a tall mountain.

Hope this helps...

Mike

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michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

JackT21262 <jackt21262@aol.com> wrote in article
<1998080719382300.PAA20505@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> >t: Re: how close do you have to be?
> >From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
> >Date: 8/7/98 8:44 AM Eastern Daylight Time
> >Message-id: <35caf60c.2663552@news.fastlink.com.au>
> >
> >"camper" <h2oguy@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >
> >:I have very little experience using scanners. I wanted to know how
close
> >:you have to be for your scanner to pick up a frequency? I know it
probably
> >:depends on the radio, but on average. For example, our local airport
is
> >:about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up
transmissions?
> >:Thanks for the info.
>
> It depends on the frequencies. You should have no trouble with the
> airport frequencies. The frequences in the low bands, 32-34-36 can be
heard
> for over a hundred miles. The frequencies that fire departments and some
> police departments use (154-155) can usually be heard for about 50 miles.
The
> high bands (460-480) can only be heard for about 25 miles or inside a
> particular city in some cases.
>

1260. Re: Crystals wanted for scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmaxon@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080720225400.QAA25950@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148762

I use Radio Shack.

1261. Re: urgent!@ can pro-90 get 900MHZ trunked? or only 800mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Scanner Dude <NOSPAMscannerdude@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6qfo3f$mlu@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148763

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message ...
>Sorry, the Trunk Tracker doesn't "track" anything but the 800 range. The
900
>range has a different "gapping scheme" (for lack of a better phrase). In
the
>800 range, it's a difference of 45 MHz between the base and mobiles. In
900,
>it's not.

That's NOT the reason the Trunk Trackers can't track 900-MHz. They do not care what the input frequency is, only the Motorola radios do. The reason it does not track 900-MHz is because of time contraints in getting the Trunk Trackers to market, and because there wasn't the hue and cry as there was for 800-MHz systems. Currently there are no Public Safety agencies in the U.S. using 900-MHz trunking.

BTW the band split in the 900-MHz is 39-MHz.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d06a8a.11081269@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148764

On 7 Aug 1998 16:17:00 GMT, evrclear84@aol.com (Evrclear84) wrote:

>i have seen trunked frequencies in the 900MHZ range. cqan the pro 90 pick
>these up, or does it only get 800 MHZ trunked?
> thanks!!

The PRO-90 can pick them up in conventional mode, it will not track
trunked systems in any band other then 800mhz.

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1263. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: MERaven@gzinc.com
Message-ID: <35ca6652.3840596@news.gzinc.com>
Source record: 148765

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 20:02:46 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Phil-
>
>Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
>use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

John-

Hows come you are not posting from your Sprint account anymore & now
you have to use MCI? Did you get into some sort of trouble?

1264. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: MERaven@gzinc.com
Message-ID: <35ca678f.4158013@news.gzinc.com>
Source record: 148766

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 21:04:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> He *may* not have ever been there physically,
>> but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
>
>I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.

John-

I've heard from several in this News group that you had your
Sprint account pulled back in April for being a Rogue Canceller!

Why should anyone believe you now?

1265. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: MERaven@gzinc.com
Message-ID: <35ca6804.4274882@news.gzinc.com>
Source record: 148767

On 06 Aug 1998 00:31:39 EDT, scantech@concentric.net wrote:

>KA0SSF wrote:
>>
>> No read it again, "I have NEVER been to Clark College". No if's
>> end's or but's!
>>
>
>Who are you trying to kid John? Everyone knows that you're the
>Infamous Rogue Canceller of rec.radio.scanner. Isn't that the
>main reason why you lost your Sprint acccount back in April?
>
>You've done it before and you most likely did it again from
>various Public Libraries and Community Colleges in the Portland,
>OR area.

Why am I not suprised?

Once a Rogue Canceller, always a Rogue Canceller in my book.

Hey Mackey, when ya gonna cancel this post? I'll bet you don't
have the balls to cancel this post from your MCI account? MCI
will boot you before you can say net-abuse.

Chicken....Boc Boc Boc

1266. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: MERaven@gzinc.com
Message-ID: <35ca691c.4554728@news.gzinc.com>
Source record: 148768

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 18:43:28 -0500, dmi853@juno.com wrote:

>Now you know mackey just needed new service that had 56 K service and
>that is why he switched to mci, now he needs a service provider that has
>one of the two protocols being used.
>
>As always with mackey when he is about to be kicked off he starts
>looking for another service and makes up excuses.
>
>

Well, he's done it before and he most likely do it again. All someone
has to do it posting something that Mackey can't deny and ten to one
he'll cancel it (most likely from Clark College or his AOL account)

1267. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zkk6pd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.10350bad49998913989695@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148769
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <18957-35CA4BF8-73@newsd-
122.bryant.webtv.net>, mgdforty@webtv.net says...
> Can any one please tell me what frequencys are the Alph-Numeric paging
> frequencys? I have a Universal M-450 Decoder. i live in Los Angeles,
> Calif. area. Thanks.
>
>
Christ, in Los Angeles, the question should be
" Where are there not pager freqs in constant use.

Try the 929 to 935 / there are also lo bands stuff.

I live in LA also(Glendale) and I get tons of them. I
also live under Mt Thom, Mt Lukens And Verdugo Peak. all
prime repeater sites in northern LA.
Good Luck de Pat KK6PD

1268. Copier for Mac...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter.Mac□□□□□" <Peter.Mac@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <6qfrrd$33c$6@black.news.nacamar.net>
Source record: 148770

I am looking for a "copymachine" for my Agfa SnapScan 600 like UMAX delivers it with there scanners.

You just choose the zoom and number of copies you want to have. The scanned document goes right to the scanner.

Can anyone help me please?

Peter.Mac@gmx.de

Thank you

1269. Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mhayworth4@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080721342600.RAA05229@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148771

Looking real serious at purchasing the Alinco DJ-X10T scanning receiver. I realize it's geared more toward 'receiver' than 'scanner', but I am really drawned to the 100Kz - 2GHz freq coverage. (Also the 1200 memory channels don't hurt). Has anyone used this receiver? Any thoughts from the group at large?

Tks,
Marc Hayworth

1270. Re: John T. Arthur makes a FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA321.4E5D@parg.org>
Source record: 148772

John T. Arthur wrote:
> So I repeat (I'll type slowly so you can follow): if you don't have
> anything to say, why do you keep saying it?

YOU would be well advised to ask YOURSELF that question!

1271. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA43F.5EC7@parg.org>
Source record: 148773

John T. Arthur wrote:
> That was covered in the first four point - which you refused to accept.

NO, I said I WOULD accept his first 4 points!

Bill THEN declined the deal!

1272. Crystals wanted for scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loren Schaeffler <lorens@prairie.lakes.com>
Message-ID: <35CAA7EB.507@prairie.lakes.com>
Source record: 148774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Where is a good place to buy crystals for the older crystal type
scanners? Loren......
--
New Website Address
http://prairie.lakes.com/~lorens
Chemnitzer Concertina Information

1273. Yupiteru MVT-9000 M II ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sergio@xe.estec.esa.nl
Message-ID: <6qeal2$6vd@bcalpha.estec.esa.nl>
Source record: 148775

Is there anybody who bought a Yupiteru MVT-9000 M II ?
Please get in contact with me, I would like to know how it works

Sergio

1274. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAC0B6.3C04AFBE@p_arg.org>
Source record: 148776

If I had a head like that, I'd have it circumsized.

Phil Smalley wrote:
>
> Hee, hee, even his pals at PARG think he's a fruitloop! Take a look at
> this:
>
> http://www.parg.org/WMackey/inst.html
>
> HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA!!!!!
>
> -Phil

1275. Re: Kendrick deflates Toilet Boy's lies again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAC12F.982A8CA8@p_arg.org>
Source record: 148777

KA0SSF "I'm studying for my entrance examination to self-service gas station attendants school because I failed the test for refrigeration school." <jmackey@parg.org> denies reality again:

> No, Cheek has NEVER provided the information when asked!

You're just hopping mad that Cheek gave *me* the information and not to you, FOOL! Now show us what a petulant little boy you are and throw another tantrum by going on another rampage of rogue cancels and forging messages because you didn't get your way.

1276. Re: Toilet Boy still a FOOL and a liar!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAC19A.31D00B82@p_arg.org>
Source record: 148778

KA0SSF "I'm not stupid; I suffer from Minimal Cranial Development."
<jmackey@parg.org> offered another piece of cranial flatulence:

> It;s a shame you are an licensed radio operator.

You're just jealous and annoyed that I'm smart enough (like
most people) to see through your lies and give you a stinging
dose of reality. If you can't stand the heat, Toilet Boy, get
out of the newsgroup.

1277. Re: Kendrick puts Mackeys stupidities on display as usual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAC25F.7E4A4B74@p_arg.org>
Source record: 148779

KA0SSF "I deny that I'm conceited - that would mean I'm not perfect."
<jmackey@parg.org> continues to demonstrate his technical stupidity:

> They are mine! Notice, FOOL, they ALL showed a ID coming from
> FIDONET!!! I was NOT on the internet, I was on FIDONET!! Now,
> if my Fidonet messages got relayed somehow to Internet, that may
> be, but I was NOT on the internet!

You once claimed to be a system administrator. You sure don't
know very much if you didn't know your messages on the fidonet
echo were being relayed to the internet. Makes you look very
stupid and inept as an administrator. It's ust like all your
other attempted technical activities, lame and incompetent. If
it wasn't for velcro, you'd never get your shoes ties.

1278. Re: Toilet Boy makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAC2B5.2260B964@p_arg.org>
Source record: 148780

KA0SSF "I don't like to do cocaine - I just like the smell of it."
<jmackey@parg.org> paused to think and then forgot to start again:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > You had a thought? ROTFLMAO! Just shows how stupid you are
> > and how little you know of the real world. You would barely
> > be eligible for military duty because you are 33 years old;
> > the maximum age for enlistees is 34.

> No actually it shows how stupid you are! Acording to the Oregon
> ANG (which uses Air Force regulations) the limit is age 35!

All branches of the military, including the Army and Air National
Guard follow the rules defined by the Department of Defense. It is
you who shows what an idiot you are, Toilet Boy. Not only can't
you read, but you can't hear (did you get k-y jelly jammed in your
ear canals again?). The regulation maximum age for first time
enlistees is *under* 35, or 34, as I originally stated. FOOL!

> > Since you don't have even a GED let alone a high school education,

> heheehhe, what a lying fool you are!

If you have the degrees, prove it. Until you do, you're still a liar
and a fraud.

> > The only way you'll ever get on Luke AFB is during an air show.
> > Rest assured the Air Police would know about you ahead of time.

> I've been there several times along with the old Williams AFB &
> Davis-Monthan AFB in Tucson. (There has never been a reason to
> discuss this before, but I used to live in Phoenix!)

Sheriff Joe Arpaio is saving your old bunk in his tent city jail
for you. He said you were the most popular bitch the prisoners
ever had.

> > I'm not using 'PARGs' address.

> You intent is clear!

And what pray tell, oh fetid purveyor of prevarications, what is my
intent, hmmm?

1279. Mackey Identified as Usenet Abuse Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <N7NT@p_arg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAC30D.7E021A0F@p_arg.org>
Source record: 148781

The resident village idiot Toilet Boy aka Mackloon aka Macktard
aka Smacksie aka John Mackey has been identified as a Usenet
abuser again.

Joe Greco of sol.net Network Services has identified Mackey for the
fourth time this year. His criteria in how he determines and rates
the offenders is listed before the data. I've showed the data for
the other three occasions as well.

When you stop to consider this report deals mostly with cross posted
spam from pornographic web site advertisements, get rich quick schemes,
and the like, it's quite a feat for a single individual to post
enough garbage in one or two newsgroups to get noticed and make a
place for himself on the list. Many times Mackey has claimed that
others post more trash than him. This report confirms that the
inaccuracy of his statements.

And, who says Mackey hasn't found his niche in society?

-------- Here is Joe Greco's report --------------------------

This data has been gathered by Joe Greco and sol.net Network Services
as part of an ongoing project to monitor Usenet trends and abuse.

There are currently two items scanned:

1) "From:" header
2) "NNTP-Posting-Host:" header, if present

All articles sharing the same header (i.e. all articles with a
"From:" header of "jgreco@ns.sol.net") are counted together, with
a summary of the number of posts, bytes posted, and BI. Only
articles that have a BI of 20 or greater are summarized.

Please remember that BI is a general formula to measure the
number of groups posted to in a manner which favors crossposting.
The fact that the posts of a single poster may have a BI of 20
does not imply that the articles are spam, as each article may
have been completely different and unrelated.

Automated data gathering mechanisms have collected the data presented
in this report.

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should be noted that problems do occur and the data gathered and
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even if advised of the possibility of such damage.

And so on, and so forth. Now, here's the music.

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Wed, 05 Aug 1998 04:00:56 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/08/05
Message-ID: <19980805040056.4934@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Top From sorted by BI-sum

Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
421 20.414 20 23190 KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Tue, 07 Apr 1998 04:01:41 CDT)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/04/07
Message-ID: <19980407040141.18454@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Top From sorted by BI-sum

Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
419 20.657 17 19717 -=KA0SSF=- <jmackey@usa.net>

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Fri, 30 Jan 1998 04:02:35 CST)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/01/30
Message-ID: <19980130040235.7270@ns.sol.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

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Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
278 23.853 20 23925 John Mackey -- KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net>

Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Sun, 18 Jan 1998 08:01:36 CST)
From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
Date: 1998/01/18
Message-ID: <19980118080136.16926@ns.sol.net>

Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

Top From sorted by BI-sum

Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
227 22.753 16 90325 John Mackey -- KA0SSF
<jmackey@usa.net>

1280. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc1e5$1165d5c0$761937a6@default>
Source record: 148782
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Channel 86 on MobileComm paging is 931.1375. They also use Channel 115 and
a new channel called PCB. All are Alpha-Numeric and digital and statewide.

Hope this helps...

Mike
--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

Reservoir Dogs <mgdforty@webtv.net> wrote in article
<18957-35CA4BF8-73@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>...
> Can any one please tell me what frequencys are the Alph-Numeric paging
> frequencys? I have a Universal M-450 Decoder. i live in Los Angeles,
> Calif. area. Thanks.
>
>

1281. Re: Crystals wanted for scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc1e5$6df22820$761937a6@default>
Source record: 148783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Try Radio Shack. They can order them and have them mailed to your home.

Mike

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Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

Loren Schaeffler <lorens@prairie.lakes.com> wrote in article
<35CAA7EB.507@prairie.lakes.com>...
> Where is a good place to buy crystals for the older crystal type
> scanners? Loren......
> --
> New Website Address
> http://prairie.lakes.com/~lorens
> Chemnitzer Concertina Information
>

1282. Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: av391@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6qemcq$svb@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 148784

Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

- frequency range from 530kHz to 1650Mhz in receiving modes:
Wide FM, Narrow FM, AM, LSB and USB (including cellular band)
- twelve frequency steps can be selected
- 10-band search function
- 1000-channel memory
- comes with car connector, hand strap, belt clip, earphone,
original box, owner's manual and original receipt
- purchased in November 1996: used no more than 25 hours
Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM

Originally paid over $900 from Atlantic Ham Radio. This was the
second model from the top back in 1996. It was hardly ever
used (practically brand new). Yes, from the above frequency range,
you can receive all analog cellular conversions!

Serious inquiries ONLY. Located in Toronto. Leave a voice number
if interested.

1283. Ar-3000A mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: spoilednj@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080711135500.HAA01893@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148785

Any mods for the Ar-3000a ?Please email me thanks.

1284. Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35cae338.3795678@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 148786

Well, after watching this feud forever, I've decided to fire up Agent
as my newsreader......and ::Poof:: the idiots have disappeared....
Oh, some sneek in, but it's just 2 clicks to add them to a kill
filter.......
Peace at last......
So, now for something of topic....
Does anyone know of a Handheld scanner, currently in production, that
will receive Military air?...
Thanks...

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

1285. Re: FDNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080711561000.HAA03846@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148787

>you live close to the city you are better off using a scanner. The
>real audio sites jump around too much.
>
>]Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:42:15 -0400, "Steven T. Shapiro"
><shapi16@banet.net> wrote:
>
>>
>>
>>JackT21262 wrote:
>>
>>> If anyone hears about a real audio site that has the FDNY please post
>it.
>>> policescanner.com does NOT !
>>
>> i dont know of any offhand. try http://nyfd.com/ the unoffical FDNY
>site.

Thanks...if I lived close to the city I wouldn't be asking this. I
live 500 miles fromNYC.

1286. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807115901 00.HAA04012@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148788

>From: thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb

>Does anyone know of a Handheld scanner, currently in production, that
>will receive Military air?...

You didn't say how much you wanted to spend, but in my book, you can't beat the Yupi MVT-7100 for a mere $300 (actually a few bucks less in some places). It's a helluva scanner for the money.

I was so impressed by the 7100 that I ordered a Yupi MVT-9000 recently. I can't wait.

1287. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080711595400.HAA10379@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148789

>Subject: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

>Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM
>
>

Isnt this the same radio I can buy new for $305 shipped?

1288. I've had no luck!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Toogood <toogs@forfree.at>
Message-ID: <6qerpijnf1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 148790
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all,
I've been scouring the net trying to find some keypad tricks for my Bearcat 220xlt, but so far no dice. I was wondering if anyone could be so kind as to either point me in the right direction or e-mail me a list of keypad tricks. The frustrating thing however, is that I have SEEN a reference on a website for the 3000xlt to a certain trick for the 220xlt that tests each of the LCD segments in the display in turn, so obviously there has to be some tricks for this scanner!

Cheers,

Toogs

--
Melbourne, Australia

"Trust me! I'm a Pet. Op.!"

1289. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: len999@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35caed53.2985227@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 148791

Ref: Icom

As a satisfied customer of Icom. I find these complaints
a bit picky. If one has had anything to do with the Ham
Radio world, you will know that there are members of
that fraternity that are dissatisfied with about everything...
Kenwood, Tentech, Icom....you name it.

The point of all of this is that one should be aware that
most companies will not necessarily "be at your beck and
call" as you think they should.

I have been extremely pleased with the PCR-1000. My next
project is the DSP option...which I should acquire in about
a month or so.

So, if you are contemplating getting a PCR-1000, then do so!
It is a fine receiver, and a trend that reflects what is coming up
in the future. Just think of the options in the future...trunk
tracking, etc.

I sold my Kenwood R-5000, a fine old receiver, to purchase the
PCR-1000...the ICOM has been a pleasure...a good move, I
think. BTW, do try to make sure your PC monitor is shielded as
well as your PC power supply. Make sure it meets FCC requirements
in terms of EMI, RFI radiation. Some cheap PC components radiate
like a 50KW radio station!

Leonard...

P.S. My Icom experience has been simple...I bought it, hooked
it up...and have been listening and enjoying it ever since...

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998 21:59:12 -0400, "Rob Lang" <robertlang@nac.net>
wrote:

:I was seriously considering purchasing a PCR1000, but this whole situation
:with Icom has turned me off from buying anything from them. I appreciate
:"call me and I'll listen" but I would prefer Mr. Lougee and Icom confront
:these issues to the hobbyist community at large.
:
:Rob Lang
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:Gary Fiber wrote in message <35caa848.2320286@news.cmc.net>...
:>On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 02:08:04 GMT, "John" <mcdermon@usa.net> wrote:
:>

:> I would relish you sharing with this forum Icom's plans for
:>correcting these shortcomings that have made this venture
:>>so distasteful for one and all...
:>>
:>>Most sincerely yours,
:>>John McDermon, KE4VAL
:>
:>Call John, like he asked if you want to discuss concerns with him.
:>Best Regards,
:>
:>Gary Fiber
:>Copyright 1998 All Rights reserved
:>
:

1290. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qer8o$25c$0@207.18.224.102>
Source record: 148792

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:20:43 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>allsafe wrote:
>SNIP
>
>You guys have NO sense of humor! It was FUNNY so I gave my permission
>for my image to be used!
>
>Hell, I am the co-founder of PARG, a board member, Chair of VE testing
>& Officer of Public Information for PARG.
>
>
And, in the obvious opinion of the webmaster, the village idiot!

Go away John, you are depriving some village of an idiot!

Live from P_ARG!!

1291. Re: John T. Arthur is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qerdh$25c$1@207.18.224.102>
Source record: 148793

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:20:53 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>John T. Arthur wrote:
>
>> And how about the death threats YOU Emailed to people under my name from a
>
>What is your proof that I did it! Hell I don't even have a library
>card!

That is Understandable John. Why would you need one, when you have
to have everything read to you!

Live from P_ARG!!

1292. Back issues of WSR and others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: analyzer <spam@no.there.com>
Message-ID: <35CAEBD1.DD92CAD0@no.there.com>
Source record: 148794

how much is Vol. 7 of the world Scanner Report and is it still
available?

I've got the first six and would really like to fill out the collection.

I'm also looking for the Fox Tango newsletters and the HR-2510 Cookbook.

Anybody read The Orange Book of Scanner Repair and/or the other books in
this "series", if so how are they?

Thanks

Mike

got no email, just sneaking about and found a "mirror" for some news
groups on the internal network at work!!!

1293. sportscat 150 battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6qesh4$hr4$1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148795

Is there somewhere I can get a replacement battery for a Uniden Sportscat 150. Either over the internet or a retail store?

1294. A real good Descrambler Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotmockup@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807124124 00.IAA13057@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148796

This site has freq inv Descramblers and many scanner links.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion Descramblers</A>

1295. Re: Manual Needed! Badly...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotmockup@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712495400.IAA07285@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148797

I believe CTP has that manual.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion Descramblers</A>

http://members.aol.com/scotmockup/indexgames.html

1296. Re: how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35caf60c.2663552@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 148798

"camper" <h2oguy@mindspring.com> wrote:

:I have very little experience using scanners. I wanted to know how close
:you have to be for your scanner to pick up a frequency? I know it probably
:depends on the radio, but on average. For example, our local airport is
:about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up transmissions?
:Thanks for the info.

How long is a piece of string?

You need to be within a metre or so to pick up a local oscilator but
you can pick up a short wave signal on the other side of the world.

1297. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712575800.IAA14275@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148799

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>SURE, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!

So, you're rejecting my proposal,
just as you have rejected all the
others that have been offered to
you.

I had guessed that your professed
desire to "let the flames die" was
not genuine, but wanted to give you
the benefit of the doubt, and an
opportunity to prove me wrong.

Sadly, you have proven me right, and
confirmed that the only thing you're
interested in is your fixation with
Cheek.

1298. Re: An Offer For the NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580000.IAA14277@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148800

John "Watch Me Grab Some Logic Out Of My Butt" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I agree, Dave's (K4CC) offer is a good one.

So, why didn't you accept it?

1299. Mackey KNOWS Simple

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807125800001.IAA07900@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148801

The Prince Of Simple, John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>It is a simple agreement!

So, why didn't you accept it?

1300. Re: John Mackey seeks sad little boys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807125801 00.IAA14281@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148802

John "I Have Oodles Of Degrees But No Library Card" Mackey, KA0SSF
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Hell I don't even have a library card!

That's understandable, since literacy is
usually required in order to use one.

1301. Re: Pooh Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580300.IAA07904@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148803

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) writes:

>Also,
>once a screen name is used, it can't be reused,
>even if the cat is no longer there.

Actually, an AOL screen name that's been
axed can be used again after six months.
Hmmm .. let's see ... how long has it been
since OBFD's last post????

Dave

1302. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580200.IAA14286@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148804

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>You will lie & cheat as needed to support your
>cause!

<fumbling> Oh heck, where's that darned
mirror macro when I need it?

1303. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580400.IAA14291@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148805

I thought someone had passed gas, but then I realized it was just, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>:

>What proof do you have that OBFD got kicked off of AOL?

What proof do you have that OBFD didn't get kicked off of AOL?

1304. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580500.IAA14292@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148806

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) writes:

>But you ain't got a hair in your arse to do
>it. Which is why they call you "Baldy", huh?

He's so ugly he took your advice and
shaved it and walks backwards.
He's still working on the barking, but for now the
gas keeps coming out of his mouth.
(:>)

1305. Re: John's self-abuse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580600.IAA14294@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148807

See John Run. See John Run After Spot. KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Was" is past tense

Aw, did you learn that all by yourself ...
even without a library card?

1306. Re: MACKEY DUMPED FROM MORE FORUMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580700.IAA07906@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148808

bbowers@P_ARG.org (Blake Bowers) writes:

>We knew that, just wanted to see what John would do when
>once again, presented with proof of his lies.

Oh, that's easy. He would use one of
his three stock answers:

1. You're looking in a mirror
2. That post was forged
3. I don't know anybody named Clark Kollige

Dave

1307. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580700.IAA14296@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148809

John Mackey, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> tried to find the truth, but didn't like what he saw ehen he found it:

>That couldn't be further from
>the truth!

You should know, since nothing is
further from the truth than you.

1308. Re: You guys have NO sense of humor!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080712580800.IAA14299@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148810

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>I am always there as chair

How quaint. Then people sit on you?

1309. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080713015700.JAA14591@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148811

Ive been using Pro Turbo for a few months now. It is a great program which completes the marriage of the 2004-5-6 ,Ce-232 and computer. It is very intuitive. I have tried alot of other software and prefer PT. most other software is designed to handle as many different types of radio as possible. This makes sense if your in it for the bucks only.But a program designed for a single scanner series has the distinct option of giving you a user interface very similar to the actual radio you are used to. When PT comes up its like looking at a 2004-6 with some extra features. Once you have it configured for say: scanning, lookup (which puts notes on the screen pertaining to the freq that is hit),auto log, s-meter, then you can close the tool section at the bottom THEN you can turn off the keypad portion.Now all thats on the computer monitor is the Freq display with the look up notes and a couple extra features. So in my opinion, if you are looking for a radio/computer package which does it all yet is simple to understand then this is it.

I am in NO relation, nor do I profit from this program and its writer. I paid my $50 like everyone else.

Thanks, Ira Cooper

1310. Re: Pro 43 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807130411 00.JAA08350@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148812

No hole in the 43 sorry.

1311. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807132021 00.JAA09588@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148813

thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy) writes:

>Does anyone know of a Handheld scanner, currently in production, that
>will receive Military air?...

Sure, a couple:

Sony ICF-SC1PC
Icom R-10
AOR AR8200 as soon as it gets type acceptance

Maybe a couple of others, but that should be a good start!

Best regards,
Dave

1312. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <23950-35CAFCBA-6@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148814

i thought this was for scanner talk so far
it' mostly about bill if you want to talk about something else other
than scanners go to another group what is this world
coming to

1313. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold May <hmay@tir.com>
Message-ID: <6qf2me$a43$1@ramp2.tir.com>
Source record: 148815

Newsgroup Filters

robert mcclure <justmrzor@webtv.net> wrote in message
23950-35CAFCBA-6@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net...
>i thought this was for scanner talk so far
>it' mostly about bill if you want to talk about something else other
>than scanners go to another group what is this world
>coming to
>

1314. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cb0eed.234484340@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148816

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> You guys have NO sense of humor!

I do.

I laugh at you. And I laugh at your picture.

> It was FUNNY

No..... it *is* funny, albeit very sick.

> Hell, I am the co-founder of PARG, a board member, Chair of VE testing
> & Officer of Public Information for PARG.

Mmmmm. Are there ANY members of PARG other
than you? REAL ones, anyway?

1315. Re: how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Summers <rnsummer@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <6qf3d3$ma0$1@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 148817

Aircraft communications are line of sight only. You will be able to pick up transmissions form the aircraft. Transmissions originating on the ground will be difficult to receive unless you have an unobstructed line between you and the transmitting source.

camper wrote in message <6qdir3lrs1@camel0.mindspring.com>...
>I have very little experience using scanners. I wanted to know how close
>you have to be for your scanner to pick up a frequency? I know it probably
>depends on the radio, but on average. For example, our local airport is
>about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up transmissions?
>Thanks for the info.
>
>

1316. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cc1092.234905282@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148818

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> > > He left Fido a couple months later.

> > Wrong, dungball. One month later after I
> > passed the moderatorship of the echo to

> OK, BIG DEAL, so you left ONE month later rather than 2!

Details count, Mindless One.

> > Fidonet. In fact, I was asked to stay.

> Wrong!

What a stupid lie to compound all your other lies.

1317. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd1240.235335977@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148819

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> You will lie & cheat as needed to support your cause!

I don't have a "cause", Hermie. You do, though.
You have an obsessive-compulsive "cause", although
the word is better presented without the "u".
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1318. Re: What Scanner Should I Get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <u3uxdNhw9GA.326@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148820

Eight Radio Shacks here still have about 4 each (on the average) for
$99.97...
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

Greg Renner wrote in message <35CA5E6E.3D1@mail.idt.net>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>>
>
>> you want to listen to. Some models in [my] mind are the BC-235 XLT/Pro 90
>> (trunk trackers), the PRO-64 (I own and am very happy with the 64). I am
>
>
>You mention the PRO 64 in other posts. Please keep in mind it is
>discontinued by Radio Shack and was cleared out at $100. There are
>probably few if any left in the U.S. I agree it is a good scanner
>especially at the clearence price. They are probably available only in
>the used market now.
>
>Greg

1319. Re: Ahhhh...the Joy of filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qf5vc$ld9@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 148821

Also the BC3000 does mil air, but is not always clean in that band so you can get images sometimes. I like Uniden scanners for the Mil Air band because they search/scan so fast. There is a lot of area to cover and most scanners scan so slow that you miss all the traffic.

--
Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
The Cb Guy wrote in message <35cae338.3795678@news.prodigy.net>...
>Well, after watching this feud forever, I've decided to fire up Agent
>as my newsreader......and ::Poof:: the idiots have disappeared....
>Oh, some sneek in, but it's just 2 clicks to add them to a kill
>filter.......
>Peace at last......
>So, now for something of topic....
>Does anyone know of a Handheld scanner, currently in production, that
>will receive Military air?...
>Thanks...
>
>The Cb Guy
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
>Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

1320. Re: Control software for BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <Uzry1.568$NM.2338132@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148845
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Ron,

I havent seen any Program that ha tackled the CTCSS question as Uniden is very anal about giving out the source code

Scancat-Gold has a new look for the trunking section and works quite well

also try Freetracker

Pc895 is Free but it crashes on me

Jason Webb EMT (No Relation I think)
Orlando FL

1321. FS: 2006w/456 Opto Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: havrul <havrul@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc199$0ba59540$214406d1@savy>
Source record: 148846

Cell ready, bright back light original box, manual, antenna. With latest version
of scancat gold software.

$450 shipped price to 48

1322. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Nelson <pnelson@lagoon.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc19c$2922d710$0100a8c0@spartina>
Source record: 148847
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

Bill Maghan <william.maghan@gte.net> wrote in article
<6qdeco$2bv$1@news-2.news.gte.net>...
> I have been following the thread posted to
>
alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.

> consumers.house.
> This post is only to alt.engineering.electrical.

That's what you think. I'm reading it in misc.consumers.house.

---peter

1323. Re: ** Scanning Software Advice Needed **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@thebigdial.com
Message-ID: <35ca52d7.5446777@news.idt.net>
Source record: 148848

St. Magnum

Scancat Gold SE for Windows... works great in both!!
Plus 48 other radios. Imports just about any type of
database file including PerCons...

monty

stmagnum@aol.com (St Magnum) wrote:

>I've just installed an OS535 in my Pro-2042. I have also just purchased an
>OptoLinx for my AR8000. What's the best single software package for BOTH of
>these? I've tried several demo programs, and I am leaning towards Scan*Star.
>
>And words of advice you have would be greatly appreciated!!
>
>-- St. Magnum
>
>
>--
>"The early bird may get the worm,
> but the second mouse gets the cheese."

1324. Re: how close do you have to be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980807011620001.VAA11605@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148849

"camper" <h2oguy@mindspring.com> writes:

>For example, our local airport is
>about 10 miles down the road. Would I be able to pick up transmissions?

Most likely, yes, unless you have too many
hills and/or buildings between your listening
post and the airport.
You may find that you hear the transmissions
from the aircraft better than those from the
airport. That's because of the huge height
advantage that the planes have!

Best regards,
Dave

1325. FS: Pro-60 w/charger/nicads/ac/etc $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbatina@infinet.com
Message-ID: <7Bsy1.688$q5.12181421@news2>
Source record: 148850
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,misc.forsale,misc.forsale.non-computer,alt.forsale

For Sale ($150 shipped):

Radio Shack Pro-60 / 200 Channel / 900mhz / Handheld Scanner & Accessories

Comes complete in it's original box, with instructions, NiCad battery pack, charger/stand, AA battery adaptor, antenna, AC adapter, and charger instructions. A complete kit for AA battery, NiCad, or AC outlet usage.

Features:
200 Channels in 10 banks of 20 frequencies
Triple Conversion to reduce interference
AM/FM/WFM Modes with override feature (Allows you to listen to FM 88-108!)
NiCad Charging Circuit - recharge the batter while inside the scanner

Coverage:
30-512 mhz - with NO GAPS!
760-824 mhz
849-865.9875 mhz
866-869 mhz
894-999.9875 mhz

This scanner covers more than a lot of other scanners, most notably being it's ability to receive the FM Television audio channels as well as the 'regular' broadcast FM stations that you can hear on your car or home stereos. This is a nice feature when the scanning gets a little dull and you just wanna listen to some tunes. :)

The Pro-60 also allows you to listen to: VHF Low, 6 Meter Radio, FM TV, Land Mobile Service, FM Radio, Aircraft Band, US Government, 2 Meter, VHF High, VHF Wide, 1.25 Meter Radio, Military Aircraft, UHF Low, UHF Wide, UHF T Band, Conventional Systems, Conventional/Trunked, Public Safety, Trunked. All of that info is taken directly from the instructions.

So, this will get pretty much any fire, police, highway patrol, auto racing radios, business radio, government/public aircraft, amateur/ham radio, family radio service, sherrif, DOT/city vehicles, cordless phone, baby monitor, fm radio, tv radio stations that you want to get.

All of it is in nearly new condition, and I'm sure you will be very happy with it once you receive it. All for only $150 shipped via Priority Mail.

Thanks

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http://www.infinet.com/~rbatina - Robert J Batina - rbatina@infinet.com

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1326. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExALG2.1xz@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148851

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
>
> > > Mr. Clem wrote:
> > > > Out of 265 headers downloaded 144 posts were Cheek/Mackey related.
>
> > What he didn't report was that at least 100 of the
>
> You IDIOT, I didn't report ANYTHING, direct you bitches to
> Mr. Clem!

No... YOU idiot -- I was typing about Mr. Clem's post, dumb*ss. Can't you even read - I typed REALLY slow just for you!

Are you EVER going to post something about scanners and/or scanning?? (I won't hold my breath!)

1327. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExALLJ.1z9@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148852

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > No - it was an attempt to control what and where Bill could post what he
> > chose to post.
>
> Only in regards to flames & nasty messages.

That was covered in the first four point - which you refused to accept.
YOU do not control ANYONE other than yourself (and darned poorly at that),
so that proviso was unnecessary and unacceptable to him - as it would be
to me.

The deal is ONLY between you and Bill. To tell him he can't respond to
someone else is stupid.

But we expect that from you, bozo...

1328. Re: Mackey stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExALp6.20I@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148853

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Joe Nicholson wrote:
> > Are you saying you are so ignorant/stupid that when you posted
> > those messages from a FidoNet BBS as not to have noticed those
> > were newsgroups being imported/exported by a sysop?
>
> Your knowledge of historical facts on this topic is
> seriously flawed. Cheek left moderatorship of Scanradio, then about 2
> or 3
> months later left fidonet altogether after being requested to leave.

Huh?? Another example of your obscession with Bill Cheek!!

Jack was talking about YOUR posts to the internet via Fido - NOT anything about Cheek.

Would you please look in the mirror and make sure you have your head on straight..?

1329. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExALy5.22z@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148854

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Dom Dominico wrote:
> > Enough is enough, good man. If you claim to be here about scanners, then
>
> Would you tell that to all the Cheek-a-likes also? They post FAR
> more crap than me!

Oh stop it -- you're killing me with laughter!! My sides hurt from reading your spew...

Check it out - someone just posted the numbers - YOU, Dokter Mackeloon, hold the record for the most posts AND the most off-topic posts. In fact, you have NEVER posted on-topic.

As I've said before, the entire mess would go away the moment YOU stop. Try it - IF you're half a man...

1330. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExAM3E.25p@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148855

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> > Uh huh... Yes, we made a truce earlier, but I must break in and say, "yes,
> > you do" (or at least you *have*).
>
> Ok Ryan, please present your proof to back your statements.

Oh boy, he found some fresh meat.

Go look it up in Deja Nres, Mackeloon - and don't expect anyone else to do
YOUR work for you...

1331. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExAM11.245@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148856

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > a profound e-mail and newsgroup forgery artist,
> > with hundreds of forgeries mounting to
>
> You must be speaking of yourself again! Remember the WinRadio Forgery,
> Billy Thunder forgery, & the others you got caught at Bill!

And how about the death threats YOU Emailed to people under my name from a public library in Portland??? You don't consider them forgeries?

I do, and so do the recipients - and so do the FBI...

1332. Re: Mackey panics as the truth closes in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExALt9.21w@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148857

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > 1. You and I don't communicate TO each other.
> > 2. You and I don't communicate ABOUT each other.
> > 3. You and I don't REFER TO or INSINUATE ABOUT each other.
> > 4. You and I don't even THINK about each other.
> > 5. Period. No if's, and's, or's or but's.....
>
> Add number 6 & you got a deal Bill!
>
> 6. Post no Flames or nasty messages on rec.radio.scanner.

Hey d*mb*ss -- READ #5, above.

YOU are free to go along with your #6 at any point - in fact, you just might try it NOW. But you CANNOT bind ANYONE else to that BS; only YOURSELF...

1333. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <ExAM6E.26o@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 148858

On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > He *may* not have ever been there physically,
> > but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
>
> I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.

Easy to say that now that the server is closed to you, isn't it?

1334. Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35cc60fe.27768023@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 148859

I see at least 50 people have downloaded The new Windows
program for the CE-232 interface for the Pro-2004/5/6 scanners,
Pro-Turbo, and was wondering how you are making out with the program?
Is it doing everything that you want it to do? Does it do what it
does now ok? Are you having any problems with the program?
If you can answer any of the above questions, reply to jabba@iaw.on.ca
or reply here if you like.

Thanks

1335. Re: Help with attic antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080702184600.WAA15995@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148860

levys@earthlink.net (Larry Levy) writes:

>1. Handheld scanners seem to get overloaded by spurious
>signals(intermod, pager crap, etc.) more than desktop units.
>Triple-conversion rigs, like the old RS Pro-43, for example, do better
>with this configuration.

The Pro43 would suck in signals if it were hooked up to bamboo pole, I'm convinced. And while most indoor handhelds would be jammed by a computer monitor, I can sit my Pro43 (with its whip) on top of my SVGA and catch the AWACS acft aloft over the Atlantic.

AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

1336. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca5cae.2105440@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148861

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 21:04:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> He *may* not have ever been there physically,
>> but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
>
>I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.

You don't have to log on to inject posts into an open server,
do you?

1337. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca5fa0.2859395@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148862

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 03:59:10 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
>> did you really think no one would notice your little
>> forgery?
>
>I don't forge.
>

Translation: I didn't do it! Nobody saw me! You can't prove a
thing!

1338. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca60a9.3124738@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148863

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 18:56:03 -0500, dmi853@juno.com wrote:

>Don't forget the email bombing he is doing and I hope he keeps doing it
>as there is a unpleasant surprise in store for him.
>

Don't forget the List Bombs either. Johnny Boy has probably
subscribed more people to Infobeat.com than anybody else
in the world. Heh! Heh! That rascal!

1339. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca620e.3481201@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148864

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 20:35:12 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>John T. Arthur wrote:
>> Really?? Wanna talk about a couple of death threats you Emailed under MY
>> name? You freakin' liar...
>
>Yea, let's talk about it. Post the proof that these threats you
>claim were from ME!

I didn't do it! Nobody saw me! You can't prove a thing!

1340. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca6310.3739239@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148865

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 20:13:15 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Joe Nicholson wrote:
>> What witnesses? Name them, or forever let it
>> be considered another of your friggen lies.
>
>Clarence Green said he was a witness.

You forgot about Juan Valdez, Habib Delgado and Kilroy.
They saw the whole thing too. Clarence Green! Get Real,
John!

1341. Re: They call Kendrick an

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca6415.4000132@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148866

On 06 Aug 98 09:19:59 , Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
(Joe Nicholson) wrote:

> -=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-
>
>
> BB> BTW, I can see a joke. Your picture on the PARG page!
>
> I'd be a bigger laugh if we saw mackey's face on an FBI poster
> at the post office.
>
>
>___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

How about a milk carton? That would make my day.
Heh, Heh!

1342. Re: Kendrick stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca6511.4252732@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148867

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 17:43:19 -0700, Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
wrote:

>John,
>if this is so, then why is he still posting on fido to this day (in
>scannradio no less!)? Your historical (or is it hystericle) fabrications
>carry no weight here.
>

John's legendary "degree" is undoubtedly in
Revisionist History.

1343. Re: none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca65e4.4463589@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148868

On 06 Aug 98 09:20:03 , Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
(Joe Nicholson) wrote:

> -=> Quoting Samson to All <=-
>
> Sa> From: Samson <Use-Author-Address-Header@[127.1]>
>
> Sa> FUCK MACKEY!
>
> Sa> Hes just a damn yankee who never got enough attention at home.
> Sa> Ignore the cock sucker and he will, at first, put up quite a lot of
> Sa> noise, but then soon, he will realize that no one gives a fuck.
>
> Sa> You have to be determined to ignore his shit.
> Sa> DO NOT ALLOW HIM TO BAIT YOU WITH IGNORANT ATTACKS OR COMMENTS!
> Sa> SAY "FUCK OFF JOHN MACKEY...YOU YANKEE, MOTHER FUCKING, EMOTIONALLY
> Sa> RETARDED, PRODUCT OF INCEST!"
>
>
> Samson, why don't you tell us how you REALLY feel about him?
>
>
>___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

Yeah but don't mince any words or sugar coat anything
this time. Heh, Heh!

1344. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca6689.4628914@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148869

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 19:08:58 -0500, dmi853@juno.com wrote:

>Don't worry , your not the only one not happy, his mother and father
>were also not happy when they were told this bozo was their kid.

I hear when he was born, the doctor slapped his mother.

1345. Re: Kendrick's attempted suicide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca68f9.5252862@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148870

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 23:41:28 GMT, willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:

<snip>

> Y'know what's fun? Go to Barnes & Noble and find CHEEK3 in the radio and
>electronics section. Then wander over to the Gay Studies section and leave
>it on the shelf there.
>

Why don't you just wander over to the Gay Studies section and read it.
Maybe you'll meet some new friends. Heh, Heh!

1346. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ca6868.191860414@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148871

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Dom Dominico" <dominico@concentric.net> wrote:

> He ha he ha he - - - - - and I won on the 1st try too. I attached my prize
> for everybody else ....

Geezus H. Kriste, that's one u-g-l-y specimen.
That sucker has a face like a bastard rat.

If I had a dog that looked like him, I'd
shave his arse and teach 'im to walk backwards
when people were around. And if he were good
at it, I'd teach 'im to fart loudly so's folks
would think he was barking.

Shooooooooey, I'd guess that mug of Smacksie's
is the definition of "butt ugly".....

Phewie!

1347. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cb6a96.192417752@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148872

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Fire Chief wrote:
>
> > advance. He even conducted an election in SCANNERS for
> > a new moderator, which mackey tried to swing with netmail.
>
> He left Fido a couple months later.

Wrong, dungball. One month later after I
passed the moderatorship of the echo to
Blake Bowers.....

> Normally, you are correct. BUT,,,,,,,,,
> He was given that courtesy due to some of the good things he
> had done for Net202.

No, forked tongue, I was NOT asked to leave
Fidonet. In fact, I was asked to stay.

You lying sack o'rat turds.....

1348. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cc6b83.192655078@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148873

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > Really?? Wanna talk about a couple of death threats you Emailed under MY
> > name? You freakin' liar...
>
> Yea, let's talk about it. Post the proof that these threats you
> claim were from ME!

He already did, you dipsnot! John Arthur
is an honorable man. If he says it, then
it's true. Prima facie. His word IS proof.

Your word is......utterly despicable.
And like you, worthless. Profoundly,
utterly worthless. Akin to hips on a
damn snake.

1349. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd6cb6.192961782@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148874

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > did you really think no one would notice your little
> > forgery?

> I don't forge.

We know you are not a metal worker. So stop
warping and distorting people's meanings.

You are a widely known forger......and snake.
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1350. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce6d26.193074607@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148875

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> (aka Clarence Green) wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > a profound e-mail and newsgroup forgery artist,
> > with hundreds of forgeries mounting to
>
> You must be speaking of yourself again! Remember the WinRadio Forgery,
> Billy Thunder forgery, & the others you got caught at Bill!

I still have the Winradio account, you imbecile.
I also have a COMMtronics accounts, and a World Scanner
Report Account, too. So what?

And put your "Billy Thunder" smoke back in your
arse where it came from. You're shooting blanks
in the dark on that one, you friggin idiot.
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1351. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf6e0c.193304487@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148876

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> John "Whaddya Mean I Can't Get In Mensa With A 52 I.Q.?" Mackey, KA0SSF
> <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
> >OBFD always started his messages off a certain way with
> >people who he felt were NOT an enemy. You failed to show what he
> >did in that situation so you are lying!

> All he "showed" was a message he received.
> Since you and OBFD are so close, why don't
> you get him to back you up?

Probably because "OBFD" got kicked off AOL
before his free time was up. So Mackey can't
go back there now and make it look good. Also,
once a screen name is used, it can't be reused,
even if the cat is no longer there.

So even if Smacksie finds a new freebie trial
for AOL, he can't use the OBFD name again.

Ha ha ha ha ha ah ah ah! <Ohhhh my sides!>

Now just wait...it's a matter of time before
we hear from OBFD@kickass.com or some such.

Ha ha ha ha ha.........

1352. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d06f51.193629007@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148877

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > THAT is what you need to explain, you imbecile.
>
>
> Apparently you like to use those words because
> you often hear people speaking to you saying
> "you imbecile"!

How lame, Smacksie. Are you regressing to
childhood now? "Nah nah na nah nah....."

Sheeeee-it, Hermie, at least *act* like a
man and *fight* like a man, will ya? Or
do I gotta take you down and pee on you to
make you smell like a man?

Geez, at least *act* the role....will ya?
You friggin wimp.......

1353. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d37276.194434802@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148878

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > He *may* not have ever been there physically,
> > but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
>
> I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.

ONLY because there is no such place as "Clark Colllege".

My lie-detector is smarter than you are, Hermie.

You sacheting, prancing milquetoasted wimp........
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1354. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d17086.193938198@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148879

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > No - it was an attempt to control what and where Bill could post what he
> > chose to post.
>
> Only in regards to flames & nasty messages.

Right. So's you could then come back as
"OBFD" or "Clarence Green" and have an
unobstructed go at me.

No, Hermie. JUST you and me, snake. Nobody
else is included. I'm not going to take
anyone else's shit same as I'm not going to
take yours. But you stop yours on this deal
and 90% of the rest of it will stop.

Put your signature on it, Hermie. Sign on
the dotted line without adding any fine print.
It is not your business to "save the newsgroup"
though, in effect, that's what you would be
doing by signing.

But you ain't got a hair in your arse to do
it. Which is why they call you "Baldy", huh?

You friggin pantywaist wimp..........

1355. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d271c5.194257007@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148880

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > 1. You and I don't communicate TO each other.
> > 2. You and I don't communicate ABOUT each other.
> > 3. You and I don't REFER TO or INSINUATE ABOUT each other.
> > 4. You and I don't even THINK about each other.
> > 5. Period. No if's, and's, or's or but's.....
>
> Add number 6 & you got a deal Bill!
>
> 6. Post no Flames or nasty messages on rec.radio.scanner.

LOOK at #5, you nitwit. No one else is involved
here. Just thee and me, twit! If someone else is
inflammatory or nasty to me, they'll get hosed
back....just like you did. We ain't EVER gonna
deal that trump card away, you milquetoasted wimp.
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1356. Re: FDNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35ca7597.2191144@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 148881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If you live close to the city you are better off using a scanner. The
real audio sites jump around too much.

]Wed, 05 Aug 1998 23:42:15 -0400, "Steven T. Shapiro"
<shapi16@banet.net> wrote:

>
>
>JackT21262 wrote:
>
>> If anyone hears about a real audio site that has the FDNY please post it.
>> policescanner.com does NOT !
>
> i dont know of any offhand. try http://nyfd.com/ the unoffical FDNY site.
>there is a chat area and boards to post on. good luck. BTW i love listening to
>the
>FDNY :>
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1357. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d47315.194593487@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148882

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Fire Chief wrote:
> > FidoNet R10C confirmed his lying about Cheek being booted out of the
> > net. He still won't admit to that falsehood he started spreading.
>
> Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!

Ohhhhhhhh yesssssssss he *is*. Or was, anyway.
You are grasping at straws now, Hermie.

You stinkin wimp.....

1358. Re: AOR AR 8000 now or wait for AR 8200?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hose92@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080703502300.XAA07830@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148883

read strong signals page review.the aor 8000 still beat the 8200. sensitivity is better than the 8200.the only major advantages that i see is the size, larger screen, better button controls and positioning, and the addition of the 33.3 mhz step for future air band step size.(this scanner is not worth my invest ment.) if i were to decide today i would put more money aside and wait for this aor 7000 that ive been hearing about.

1359. Utah scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Van Allen <yonnie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6qdtlm$8lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148884

Hi Brett,

I got my trucktracker nearly a year ago and I'm still the only person posting anything on trunking in Utah. I have tried (without sucess) to listen to BYU, the mountain between us keeps me from hearing it.

I do have some info for several Salt Lake County trunked systems if you're interested. I have fleet map info and talk group ID's for SL County's 20 channel system, SL Airport Authority and Salt Lake City.

The SL Co Sheriff will be moving to the trunked system sometime late this year or early next year. I have it on good authority that Provo City Police will also be moving to a trunked system soon.

Let me know if you need any info for Salt Lake County.

Happy trucktracking,

Jon

1360. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cb7899.196005668@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148885

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:

> On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 21:04:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
> >Bill Cheek wrote:
> >> He *may* not have ever been there physically,
> >> but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
> > >
> >I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.
>
> You don't have to log on to inject posts into an open server,
> do you?

That's one pillow for him, But look at the
3 L's in "colllege". That's his other out.
The one he prayed that we wouldn't catch.
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1361. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ca7794.195744177@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148886

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:

> On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 19:08:58 -0500, dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> >Don't worry , your not the only one not happy, his mother and father
> >were also not happy when they were told this bozo was their kid.
>
> I hear when he was born, the doctor slapped his mother.

I heard he beat the snot out of her right
there on the delivery table......and in
court, the judge commended him for his
heroic deed.

<g>

1362. Re: Proof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qdtdh$n3r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148887

Well John Mackey , When are you going to admit to yourself and the others that you made up the story about Bill Cheek as the evidence below shows. All you do is lie and then make more accusations when people bring out the truth about you.

Come on John, you know that you want to do the right thing and admit the truth as it would make you feel better about yourself and would take the stress of living a lie off of your shoulders.

> >From obfd@aol.com Mon Mar 30 13:28:19 1998
> >Received: from OBFD@aol.com
> > by imo25.mx.aol.com (IMOv13.ems) id PFYa010381
> > for <charleshdn@aol.com>; Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 -0500 (EST)
> >From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
> >Message-ID: <be37d08a.351ebb4e@aol.com>
> >Date: Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 EST
> >To: charleshdn@aol.com
> >Mime-Version: 1.0
> >Subject: Re: bill cheek
> >Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
> >Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
> >X-Mailer: AOL 3.0 16-bit for Windows sub 58
> >
> >Bill Cheek kicked John off of the fido net so John has decided that he will
do
> >the same for Bill on the internet.
> >
> >John has come up with a sure fire ideal, and since Cheek is not one of your
> >favorite people you can help us in getting rid of him once and for all.
> >
> >John's ideal will do this, he is going to accuse cheek of sexual abuse
> >with young boys and this will make people turn against him.
> >
> >What he needs from you and myself is to back him up on this, don't worry no
one
> >will find out that John has just made the story up as they will not be able
to
> >check it out since it is not true.
> >
> >Just putting this idea in peoples minds will cause them not to want to have
> >anything to do with cheek, you know tit for tat.
> >
> >cheek will not be able to defend himself against this and we will be rid of
him
> >once and for all.

> >
> >I for one am hoping you will help and so is John and like I said you don't
have
> >to worry about someone finding out as there are no real charges and that
can't
> >be traced .
> >
> >This will get rid of cheek in a hurry and we really could use your help.
> >Take care, Charles, hope to see you around!
> >
> >
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

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1363. Re: AOR AR3000A (SOLD)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Jones <wjones@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35CA7FAB.F471AC96@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

stu wrote:

> stu wrote:
>
> > Greetings,
> > A friend of mine without net capabilities has a AR3000A for sale.
> > Receiver is in excellent condition. No scratches. Still has the
> > plastic film over the display. Only problem is he is not sure what
> > kind
> > of price he should ask for it. What is the going rate these day?. I
> >
> > am looking for a price. Or if you are interested in the receiver call
> >
> > Kevin, N8QVE at 440-352-4891 or e mail me. Thanks in advance. 73,
> > Stuart KB8VIY
>
> Thanks to all who replied here and to personal e mail address. The
> receiver was sold in less then eight (8) hours to a fine gentleman in
> New Jersey. Thanks again. 73, Stuart KB8VIY
>

How much did it sell for?
Will

1364. Relm HS-100 Wont search....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Ceraldi <ceraldi@albany.net>
Message-ID: <6qe0jrqpj1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 148889

Anyone have any experience with thr newer Relm handhelds? (the 100 and the 200 I think are the same exept no ctcss or dcs and not as much coverage) I cant get my HS-100 to search... I made a good trade :-) for a bc-60 XLT he likes the 60 and the 100 is A nice back up radio, but I cant get it to search, Ive used every posible method I can think of and I also dont have the instruction booklet... It scans perfect and is fast, just wish I could search with it, Cause If I Drop it at an airshow or a cop confinscates it Id rather have it be the 100... and not my MVT-7100 :-)

Thanks in advance,
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Aaron Ceraldi
Monitoring post KNY2AGO
http://www.albany.net/~ceraldi/

1365. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qe184$5j1$0@207.18.224.107>
Source record: 148890

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 21:01:12 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Fire Chief wrote:
>> FidoNet R10C confirmed his lying about Cheek being booted out of the
>> net. He still won't admit to that falsehood he started spreading.
>
>Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!

Nah, you heard it from me also. You are a liar John, plain and
simple.

Live from P_ARG!!

1366. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qe1ma$79d$1@207.18.224.107>
Source record: 148891

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 20:13:15 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Joe Nicholson wrote:
>> What witnesses? Name them, or forever let it
>> be considered another of your friggen lies.
>
>Clarence Green said he was a witness.

And Tom Watts says he witnessed you molesting an
8 year old girl. John, you should be ashamed!
Live from P_ARG!!

1367. Re: They call Kendrick an

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qe1o5$79d$2@207.18.224.107>
Source record: 148892

On 06 Aug 98 09:19:59 , Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
(Joe Nicholson) wrote:

> -=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-
>
>
> BB> BTW, I can see a joke. Your picture on the PARG page!
>
> I'd be a bigger laugh if we saw mackey's face on an FBI poster
> at the post office.
>
When the allegations are proven, his face will be there.

Live from P_ARG!!

1368. Re: MACKEY DUMPED FROM MORE FORUMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qe1jv$79d$0@207.18.224.107>
Source record: 148893

On 06 Aug 98 09:19:56 , fire.chief@warpgate.com (Fire Chief) wrote:

> BB> John, this is another lie.
> BB> Would you care to provide your source of misinformation?
> BB> Know, though, that I will verify.
>
> Blake, it's already been verified by his former host/NC
> Brenda Donovan as another mackey lie. I was in NET202
> at the time Cheek announced his leaving THREE MONTHS in
> advance. He even conducted an election in SCANNERS for
> a new moderator, which mackey tried to swing with netmail.
>
We knew that, just wanted to see what John would do when
once again, presented with proof of his lies.

Live from P_ARG!!

1369. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qe255$8f1$0@207.18.224.107>
Source record: 148894

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 20:41:20 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Sort of clears up the Clarence Green from that part of the woods
>> forge.
>
>How does that figure, Blake?

I knew you were stupid John, but really, you should
be able to figure it out if you try, real hard.

Live from P_ARG!!

1370. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ca943f.986727@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148895

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 03:47:55 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:
>
>> On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 21:04:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>>
>> >Bill Cheek wrote:
>> >> He *may* not have ever been there physically,
>> >> but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
>> >
>> >I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.
>>
>> You don't have to log on to inject posts into an open server,
>> do you?
>
>That's one pillow for him, But look at the
>3 L's in "colllege". That's his other out.
>The one he prayed that we wouldn't catch.
>

Heh, Heh! I didn't even notice that one.

1371. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9533.5910@parg.org>
Source record: 148896

George Vetterle wrote:
> Don't forget the List Bombs either. Johnny Boy has probably
> subscribed more people to Infobeat.com than anybody else

Oh REALLY, so John Author was doing that! Ok, that explains a
lot! I got hooked up to that also. Fortunately, it is easy to drop!

1372. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA957E.253D@parg.org>
Source record: 148897

Bill Cheek wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > He left Fido a couple months later.
>
> Wrong, dungball. One month later after I
> passed the moderatorship of the echo to

OK, BIG DEAL, so you left ONE month later rather than 2!

> Fidonet. In fact, I was asked to stay.

Wrong!

1373. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA95C9.7F4E@parg.org>
Source record: 148898

John T. Arthur wrote:

> Check it out - someone just posted the numbers - YOU, Dokter Mackeloon,
> hold the record for the most posts AND the most off-topic posts. In fact,

Yea, but mackaroon has been fairly quite lately.

1374. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA960B.1A84@parg.org>
Source record: 148899

Bill Cheek wrote:

> I still have the Winradio account, you imbecile.
> I also have a COMMtronics accounts, and a World Scanner

You still have your Dong Tong Wah account also!

1375. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9647.5D16@parg.org>
Source record: 148900

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> The way it looks to me is mackey wants to be Bill,

WHY on earth would I want that? That couldn't be further from
the truth!

1376. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA96CF.6773@parg.org>
Source record: 148901

allsafe wrote:
SNIP

You guys have NO sense of humor! It was FUNNY so I gave my permission
for my image to be used!

Hell, I am the co-founder of PARG, a board member, Chair of VE testing
& Officer of Public Information for PARG.

1377. Re: 100% on Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9716.6611@parg.org>
Source record: 148902

Dom Dominico wrote:
> Perhaps it would be best to start with an estimate of the Mack's on to off
> topic post ratio.

Then we should also start an estimate of all the others involved in
the flame war!

1378. John T. Arthur stupidities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA977B.154C@parg.org>
Source record: 148903

John T. Arthur wrote:

> Jack was talking about YOUR posts to the internet via Fido - NOT anything
> about Cheek.

Then why did he change subjects?

Why don't you let HIM speak for himself?

1379. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9828.39C7@parg.org>
Source record: 148904

Dom Dominico wrote:

> This Clarence Green is not a real person too. He is a fake person wheather

How do you know that, please present your facts.

> He take much too long to
> tell a little story and it dont make any sense what he did tell.

You are the one who makes no sense! (You should learn grammar!)
Green made very clear sense.

> be a big deal and he spend most of his time telling about Cheek the faggot
> and not the antenna.

Are you calling Cheek a faggot?

1380. You guys have NO sense of humor!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9AF7.5B7D@parg.org>
Source record: 148905

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> mackey is going to say that is not him as he does not want others to
> know what he looks like.

Wrong again!

It is me! You & your buddies don't have much of a sense of a humor.

(Really, I gave my permission & posed for the picture! MOST
people see it & get a good chuckle & forget about it!)

> I guess he is afraid he will be out some place and there will be someone
> there who has attacked on here and they will do the same in person.

Yea, right! (not really) Hell, the SAME web site lists where our
twice monthly VE tests are at & I am always there as chair of the
testing committee. Anyone who wants to find me can do so
VERY EASILY.

1381. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9B28.17D8@parg.org>
Source record: 148906

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Don't forget the email bombing he is doing and I hope he keeps doing it
> as there is a unpleasant surprise in store for him.

Is Kendrick mailbombing now?

1382. You have NO sense of humor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9B60.5184@parg.org>
Source record: 148907

You have NO sense of humor! Hell I helped design the page!

1383. Re: John T. Arthur is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9BC4.1EB3@parg.org>
Source record: 148908

John T. Arthur wrote:

> And how about the death threats YOU Emailed to people under my name from a

What is your proof that I did it! Hell I don't even have a library
card! If I see a book that I want I buy it!

> I do, and so do the recipients - and so do the FBI...

Then go for it!

1384. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9D3A.353D@parg.org>
Source record: 148909

Bill Cheek wrote:
> John Arthur
> is an honorable man. If he says it, then
> it's true. Prima facie. His word IS proof.

He is about as honorable as YOU which is NOTHING!
You will lie & cheat as needed to support your
cause!

1385. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9DB0.714F@parg.org>
Source record: 148910

George Vetterle wrote:
> I didn't do it! Nobody saw me! You can't prove a thing!

I don't think anyone was saying you did any of it, George. RELAX!

1386. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9E9B.378@parg.org>
Source record: 148911

Bill Cheek wrote:

> Probably because "OBFD" got kicked off AOL

What proof do you have that OBFD got kicked off of AOL?

1387. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9EC3.1D67@parg.org>
Source record: 148912

Bill Cheek wrote:
> How lame, Smacksie. Are you regressing to

The truth is never lame!

1388. Re: John T. Arthur panics as the truth closes in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA142.2736@parg.org>
Source record: 148913

John T. Arthur wrote:

> YOU are free to go along with your #6 at any point - in fact, you just
> might try it NOW. But you CANNOT bind ANYONE else to that BS;

True, but the same would also go for 1 thru 5. THey can't bind anyone!
It is a simple agreement!

1389. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CA9FD9.9A8@parg.org>
Source record: 148914

SURE, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!

K4CC wrote:
SNIP
> Okay, John, let me make you an offer,
> and it's dead serious - no jokes, no jabs,
> no flames.
>
> If you're really serious about ending the
> flame wars, then let's *you and I* make that
> deal. The whole thing -- Bill's
> five points AND your #6. That means
> neither one of us can post flames or
> nasty messages to or about ANYONE,
> if I interpret it correctly. I'm willing to abide
> by that in good faith, if you are.
SNIP

1390. Re: Any REAL scanner group??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA019.17EA@parg.org>
Source record: 148915

John T. Arthur wrote:

> On Thu, 6 Aug 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
> > You IDIOT, I didn't report ANYTHING, direct you bitches to
> > Mr. Clem!

> No... YOU idiot -- I was typing about Mr. Clem's post,

YES!!
So direct your complaints to Mr. CLEM, NOT ME!

1391. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA1AC.2185@parg.org>
Source record: 148916

Bill Cheek wrote:
> here. Just thee and me, twit! If someone else is
> inflammatory or nasty to me, they'll get hosed

I offered a part of a revised plan where you could defend yourself
if attacked & you declined.

1392. Re: An Offer For the NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA0C1.3087@parg.org>
Source record: 148917

Jack wrote:

> On 06 Aug 1998 21:34:41 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:
> >Okay, John, let me make you an offer,
SNIP

> This is a fine deal, and think everyone in the NG should adopt it, I
> will start by being first!
>
> Lets get back to scanning!

I agree, Dave's (K4CC) offer is a good one. I think Jack's
idea is excellent! Let's ALL of us on this NG adopt this
& STOP the crap on this NG!

1393. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA235.77B8@parg.org>
Source record: 148918

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Right. So's you could then come back as
> "OBFD" or "Clarence Green" and have an
> unobstructed go at me.

WRONG! I offered you an ammendment to the agreement
where you could defend yourself if attacked & you still
declined.

1394. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA391.7918@parg.org>
Source record: 148919

John T. Arthur wrote:
> Easy to say that now that the server is closed to you, isn't it?

I have NO idea if it is open or closed as I have never used the
Clark College server.

1395. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA2B6.452B@parg.org>
Source record: 148920

Bill Cheek wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!
>
> Ohhhhhhhh yesssssssss he *is*. Or was, anyway.

"Was" is past tense, Bill!

1396. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CAA3CF.1522@parg.org>
Source record: 148921

George Vetterle wrote:
> You don't have to log on to inject posts into an open server,
> do you?

I have never used a server of Clark College.

1397. Re: You guys have NO sense of humor!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBAE72.62C7@parg.org>
Source record: 148522

Not bad! I didn't ever know you to have a sense of humor Dave!

K4CC wrote:
> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >I am always there as chair
>
> How quaint. Then people sit on you?

1398. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBAFA0.4F53@parg.org>
Source record: 148523

Yea Phil your HR department was looking into
activities on thier internet access system as your posts were
a violation of their policies.

Now you are suddenly no longer there!

BTW- Did you ever ask Bill about the messages he wrote
to Hugh Duff's employer (university) & what happened? You
COULD have learned a lesson in time!

Phil Smalley wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> >Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
> >use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

> How come you give a crap all of a sudden? Do you actually think that I
> ever have or ever will get into trouble because of YOU??
SNIP
> Seriously, I was on a temporary assignment there and now I work
> someplace else.

1399. Need New Jersey Freq.'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: M DeVos <mdevos@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc311$d2690440$06cecc97@mdevos>
Source record: 148524
Cross-posted to: phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Help, I'm new to the area and I'm trying to find any and all freq.'s for the Wrightstown, Cookstown area of New Jersey. I'm also looking for the frequencies for McGuire AFB and Fort Dix.

1400. WHO HAS A BC2500, BC200XLT F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080821204600.RAA27845@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148525

Please e-mail pdoddy@aol.com

1401. Re: WTB Used mobile scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980808213119 00.RAA22335@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148526

I dont know if you would be interested but I have a SHINWA001 mobile/ bsae scanner. If your not familiar it aremote control 25-999mhz no gaps scanner.It also has an LED that will knock your socks off at night. SORRY IT S NOT CHEAP EITHER. If interested e-mail me at pdoddy@aol.com. I also live in CNJ.

1402. Re: Cheek Identified as Usenet Abuser, Expanded List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CCC45D.28C1@parg.org>
Source record: 148527

With all the crap YOU post you CERTAINLY would have shown up on the
list some where!

Richard Kendrick wrote:
SNIP
> I searched all postings of the list since January 1, 1996. That date
> was chosen because it coincides with the date of the first known post
> by John Mackey. Anyone who has had more than a passing exchange with
> Mackey was also examined. The list was queried for the following
> people (yes, I included myself in the search):
SNIP
> Three people made the list. John Mackey, Bill Cheek, and K4CC.

1403. Re: Uniden online store!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6qig6k$47l@netaxs.com>
Source record: 148528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Got mine from CEI for 194.00 Brand new!

Jack wrote in message <35cbb7ef.7705205@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>
>Just got an email from the automated uniden store that the 235/895XLT
>are in stock, went to check it out and the 895XLT is now
>$175!!!!!!!!!! I just has to get one!!!
>
>http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/
>
>Check it out, you wont be sorry!
>
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

1404. Re: Uniden BC200xlt For Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080821360700.RAA22912@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148529

WHAT IS THE CONDITION. pdoddy@aol.com

1405. Re: opto456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Knut Otterbeck <otterbec@online.no>
Message-ID: <35CCC63F.7D9A2039@online.no>
Source record: 148530

Now you see why a lot of experts use dedicated PC's to
power their Pro20xx/Opto combos :)

If you have a PS2 mouse-port on your PC's motherboard,
you can connect your mouse there. Then use COM1 for the
Opto456 computer-interface. If the PS2 interface is not
connected (but your motherboard is capable) you will get
it for 5$ at your average dealers.

Please remember that you can _not_ use COM3 or COM4 if
you allready use COM1 and COM2, since COM1-3 and COM 2-4
work in pairs. (i.e. they are physically the same ports,
but with different access-addresses...)

Regards,
Knut Otterbeck

Dave wrote:
>
> I have a serial mouse on my second computer and I want to connect my
> opto board to com port 4 in Win95 since the mouse takes com port 1 and
> the modem takes com port 2. If I don't use the modem I should be able
> to use the radio. But my question is, is the opto equipped with
> jumpers to change the com port. I used it in the other computer on
> com 1 but can't on this computer. Win95 just shows the 2 com ports
> and won't even show com 3. Help!

1406. Re: FS: Relm HS200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080821412700.RAA23535@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148531

Did you sell your HS2OO YET. If not e-mail pdoddy@aol.com

1407. Bearcat 890XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8mcz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080821441800.RAA00666@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148532

Hi,does anyone have any mods for the Bearcat 890-XLT ?
Thanks Dave.
KB8MCZ
DAVID T GARDYNIK
SHIOCTON,WI

1408. .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8mcz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080821474900.RAA24262@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148533

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KB8MCZ
DAVID T GARDYNIK
SHIOCTON,WI
AMA# 223597

1409. South African frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregmcc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6qih1jjec2@hermes.is.co.za>
Source record: 148534

Anyone got a list of frequencies used in South African? Drop me an email

Thanks
Greg

1410. Re: sportscat 150 battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn J. Torres" <radioman@communique.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc31c$877479a0$c258cccf@default>
Source record: 148535

www.uniden.com/docs/store

camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com> wrote in article
<6qesh4$hr4$1@camel15.mindspring.com>...
> Is there somewhere I can get a replacement battery for a Uniden
Sportscat
> 150. Either over the internet or a retail store?
>
>
>

1411. Re: Uniden online store!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qikhl$109$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 148536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bryan G. wrote:
>
> Got mine from CEI for 194.00 Brand new!
>
> Jack wrote in message <35cbb7ef.7705205@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
> >
> >Just got an email from the automated uniden store that the 235/895XLT
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> >Check it out, you wont be sorry!
> >
> >
> >-
> >
> >26.1972800/-080.1707083
> >Fort Lauderdale, FL
> >http://broward.home.ml.org

Thanks for the post on the 895. I couldn't resist I ordered one too.jerr

1412. Code Gabbers are Burglar Tools

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curt Viscott <"Curt Viscott"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35CCDCFE.8847E282@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 148537
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.video.cable-tv,alt.cellular,alt.cellular.motorola,alt.autos.dodge.trucks

repatch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Curious as to what these things sound like, what frequencies do they run
> on?? Or are they all diferent. TTYL

click here: http://www.streetsmartsecurity.com/CG.htm

http://www.clifford.com/acg.html
http://www.clifford.com/valet.html
http://www.clifford.com/scanners.html

for more information go to http://home.netscape.com then
search for "code grabbers" "auto security" "home security" ect.

If a thief uses a "Code Grabber" he has access to ANY electric garage door,
unless...its protected by Street Smart Security

If you have an electric garage door, a thief can remotely open it at any
time...

[Image]With a "code grabber," anyone can open your electric garage door. A
safety device from Street Smart Security ensures that no thief will be able
to open your garage door, protecting your and your family!

It's 9:00 a.m. and you've just pulled out of the garage. You point your
electric garage door remote to shut the garage door and drive off to work
and hope you don't run into any traffic. Meanwhile, a thief is parked a few
hundred feet away from your house watching you leave. He drives up to your
house, points a "code grabber" at your electric garage door and it opens.
He now drives into your garage, shuts the door and goes into your home. Are
you at risk? If you have an electrical garage door you are. A new
protection device - the Code Rotator- will prevent thieves from opening
your electric garage door.

You're at risk. If you own an electrical garage door, a thief can break
into your home. Every hour of every day, thieves around the world are using
a device called a "code grabber" It gives them the code to your electric
garage door and unrestricted access to your possessions and family. Since
the device can be used from hundreds of feet away, you will never know when
a thief is using it.

How does a "code grabber" work? When you leave your home and activate your
electric garage door to shut it , you're are actually transmitting a code
to a thief with a "code grabber". He can re-transmit your code to the door
and open it. It's like having a key to your house.
****

Burglars use "code grabbers" to open electric garage doors and break into homes...

A "code grabber" is a device that can record and play back the signal produced from your garage door remote control. It has grabbed your private, secret code and revealed it to a burglar. One of the things that makes a "code grabber" so dangerous is that a criminal can sit comfortably hundreds of feet away from you when you use your garage door opener and still grab your code. The "code grabber" duplicates the signal you just used. The thief can re-transmit the signal just captured, drive into your garage, close the door behind him- thus giving him easy access to your home, your valuables and your family from behind the security of your garage door. Even worse, if you are unaware that the burglary was the result of a "code grabber" the thief can return within a few months to steal whatever your insurance has replaced. He has 24 hour a day access to your property.

Where do thieves get "code grabbers" and why haven't they been publicized?

"Code grabbers" are sold out of the back of magazines and can be made from parts available at any electronic store. Police departments nationwide are aware of these devices but hesitate to give them even more publicity for potential criminals.
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Anti-CodeGrabbing (ACG):

Ever hear about someone's car being silently stolen in the middle of the night even though they had an alarm and it was armed? Although some simple alarms can easily be defeated without making a sound, that's nearly impossible with a properly installed modern vehicle security system.

So how do they do it? Code-grabbing.

When you press a button on a car alarm remote control it transmits a digital code matched to the alarm control unit that is hidden inside your car. It's like a tiny radio station that plays just one particular song. When the alarm control unit inside your car receives that particular code (or "hears that particular song"), it will change state from armed to disarmed or vice-versa.

Each and every non-ACG car alarm remote control broadcasts a single digital code that was selected by the alarm factory from a possible universe of anywhere from a few thousand to a few trillion code possibilities. Although there may be trillions of possibilities, every non-ACG remote uses just one code every time.

For a while, thieves began to use code "scanners," electronic devices that would rapidly transmit each code possibility one right after the other. But today, virtually every alarm has some form of anti-scanning. So code scanners are now useless. Meanwhile, some not-too-honest person came up

with the idea that if you use a receiver and digital recorder, you could capture the secret access coding of a cellular phone each time it makes a call. You could then play back that data and make free calls that were billed to someone else.

Then some thief asked himself, "Why steal just a few hundred dollars worth of cellular phone air time, when I can apply the same technology to stealing a few hundred thousand dollars worth of cars?" Voila, code grabbing was invented.

A code grabber cycles through each of the various alarm frequencies several times a second. When it finds digital information on a frequency, it records it. When the driver is gone, the thief just plays back the recording. The alarm thinks the rightful owner has returned and it disarms and unlocks the doors for the thief! Car thieves don't even have to carry slimjims anymore. Like illegal cable TV black boxes, code grabbers are often sold via mail-order for a few hundred dollars, no questions asked. Although some states have outlawed their use, there are no laws against owning a code-grabber, just against using one in the commission of a crime.

Clifford Electronics was the first company in North America to invent and market vehicle security systems that are impervious to code grabbers. Clifford's unique ACG technology uses complex mathematical formulas to actually change the transmitted code every time you use the ACG remote. A code grabber can still grab the code, but when it's retransmitted, the alarm ignores it because the alarm knows that once a code is used, it will never be used again.

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The Valet Mode Problem

All remote controlled car alarms have a "valet" or override switch that allows the vehicle owner to turn off the alarm and bypass AutoArming for servicing, valet parking, etc. In addition, if the alarm is malfunctioning, or the remote control isn't working, putting the alarm in valet mode will instantly turn it off. To put an alarm in valet mode, all you do is turn on the ignition and flip the hidden valet switch.

The problem is, all a thief has to do is hotwire the ignition and flip this "off" switch. Although alarm installers do their best to hide the switch location, by necessity it must be placed within reach of the driver. A quick glance under the dash, around the seat and in the glove compartment is all it takes.

To counteract this weakness, Clifford Electronics developed the UltraSecure Coded Valet Mode that is impervious to this common theft tactic. Clifford systems that are so equipped have a PlainView Coded Valet Switch. Rather than just flipping the switch to place a Clifford system in valet mode, the

authorized driver enters a numeric code that he or she has selected. It's just like the PIN code you use at an automatic teller machine.

Without the right code, the thief is out of luck. And even if the thief tries entering codes at random, the Clifford system will recognize the random attempts, immediately activate the alarm, and ignore any further guesses. Even if the thief were to stumble upon the correct code, the system would not accept it.

Since it requires a code, there's no need to "hide" the PlainView rocker switch under the dash. This attractive little switch can be mounted on the dash face or center console right in plain view. That makes it far easier to reach and use.

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Anti-Scanning vs. Anti-CodeGrabbing,: What's the
Diff?

When you press a button on a car alarm remote control, it transmits a digital code matched to the alarm control unit that is hidden inside your car. It's like a tiny radio station that plays just one particular song. When the alarm control unit inside your car receives that particular code (or "hears that particular song"), it will change state from armed to disarmed or vice-versa.

For a while, thieves began to use code "scanners," electronic devices that would rapidly transmit each code possibility one right after the other. Sooner or later, the scanner would transmit the one particular code that would change the state of that one particular alarm. In the early days, alarm remotes (and even many of today's garage door remotes) used only a few hundred to a few thousand code possibilities. A scanner could run through a few thousand codes in a matter of minutes.

When code-scanning became a problem, Clifford Electronics responded by inventing the first car alarm remote controls that used a single code selected from a universe of more than 4.5 billion codes. That made electronically "guessing" the code virtually impossible. Since these codes were longer, a scanner would not be able to send as many per second. And since there were so many of them, it would literally take many years of scanning to go though even half the possibilities. Clifford also incorporated an AntiScan feature that would detect a continuous stream of codes, then would ignore the incoming codes for a few seconds. Then would listen again, then ignore, etc. Statistically, it would be nearly impossible to happen upon the specific code required and get it transmitted within an "open window." You also had to transmit on all the possible frequencies assigned to various alarm makers.

Today, virtually every alarm has some form of anti-scanning. So code scanners are now useless.

But today, there's a new threat: Code Grabbing.

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1413. Scanner Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Crabtree <crabtree@crtelco.com>
Message-ID: <35CCE438.3ED909E2@crtelco.com>
Source record: 148538
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please visit my site first, then email me your local frequencies.
Sorry, I am not interested in websites already up with frequencies,
unless of course they are your own. (The Reason: Some webpages are
outrageously outdated!).

Thanks
Mike Crabtree

homepage: http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Thinktank/5878/
Email: crabtree@crtelco.com

If you have one or one hundred, I'm interested.
Be sure to include your State, City, and zip code in the message.

1414. Re: opto456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35CCF6B9.A315A3AC@erols.com>
Source record: 148539

COM 3 and COM 4 can be used as long as you do not use interupts 3 & 4.

My opto 456 is working on COM 3, interupt 12.
de N2YII

Knut Otterbeck wrote:

> Now you see why a lot of experts use dedicated PC's to
> power their Pro20xx/Opto combos :)
>
> If you have a PS2 mouse-port on your PC's motherboard,
> you can connect your mouse there. Then use COM1 for the
> Opto456 computer-interface. If the PS2 interface is not
> connected (but your motherboard is capable) you will get
> it for 5$ at your average dealers.
>
> Please remember that you can _not_ use COM3 or COM4 if
> you allready use COM1 and COM2, since COM1-3 and COM 2-4
> work in pairs. (i.e. they are physically the same ports,
> but with different access-addresses...)
>
> Regards,
> Knut Otterbeck
>
> Dave wrote:
> >
> > I have a serial mouse on my second computer and I want to connect my
> > opto board to com port 4 in Win95 since the mouse takes com port 1 and
> > the modem takes com port 2. If I don't use the modem I should be able
> > to use the radio. But my question is, is the opto equipped with
> > jumpers to change the com port. I used it in the other computer on
> > com 1 but can't on this computer. Win95 just shows the 2 com ports
> > and won't even show com 3. Help!

1415. Re: pardon me

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35CCFE3A.FF1DBA5C@uswest.net>
Source record: 148540

Please make a note of the path below. I know where Bill Cheek posts from
and the path below isn't his (it is highlighted with "^^^".
Looks like John Mackey or one of his "butt Buddies" is at it again!

Hawke

Message-ID:
<35C97BED.281799D8@san.rr.com>
Date:
Thu, 06 Aug 1998 02:48:29 -0700
From:
Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Organization:
COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
X-Mailer:
Mozilla 4.05 [en] (Win95; U)
MIME-Version:
1.0
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.scanner
Subject:
pardon me
Content-Type:
text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding:
7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host:
152.207.0.68
^^^^^^^^^^^^
X-Trace:
6 Aug 1998 02:49:48 -0800, 152.207.0.68
Lines:
3
Path:

news1.uswest.net!newsfeed1.uswest.net!su-news-feed4.bbnplanet.com!su-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news-backup-east.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!207.67.253.7!atmnet.net!news.globalpac.com!152.207.0.68

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****
**********^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
Xref:
news1.uswest.net rec.radio.scanner:140043

please pardon me for all the problems I have caused this newsgroup.

1416. Motorola SP-10 radio repair ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Ling <rling@cad3.uccb.ns.ca>
Message-ID: <35CD08F6.6D4E@cad3.uccb.ns.ca>
Source record: 148541
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Looking for info on how to break apart a motorola
Sp-10 radio,

Any help is appreciated,
Ron

1417. Pro60 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave's Online Gaming Service <dogs@madmzone.com>
Message-ID: <35CCFDC1.8432F7D8@madmzone.com>
Source record: 148542

I'm looking for a pro60 for sale. Also looking for a HP200 palm top.

1418. Re: A real good Descrambler Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35CD1CBB.EB902C6B@eden.com>
Source record: 148543

I don't think he cares, I don't think anyone cares what you say...

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Stop, Mr. Scott Bias. I've already told you that you are SPAMMING! Have you
> forgotten that?
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
> SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
> RySoft Corporation
>
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
> Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
> SCOTMOCKUP wrote in message
> <19980807124124000.IAA13057@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >This site has freq inv Descramblers and many scanner links.
> >
> ><A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion
> >Descramblers</A>

1419. Re: Tips to filter the crap in this n.g.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35CD1DD5.70143D8A@eden.com>
Source record: 148544

Does Netscap Newsreader have a filters option? If so how do I set this baby up?

Ivan Ivanovich wrote:

> I read this news group daily and found all of Brett's suggestions
> appropriate to remove the unwanted BS.
>
> Ivan Ivanovich
>
> Rob Lang wrote in message ...
> >My tip about filters: Read the NG for a week or so, then decide for
> >yourself. No offence to Brett, but his filters are not appropriate to me,
> >and mine would not be appropriate to him. Neither of them are appropriate
> >for anyone but ourselves.
> >
> >Rob
> >
> >
> >

1420. Car mount for BC 895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1036c8f56860592f989693@news.pon.net>
Source record: 148545
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm impatiently waiting for my 895XLT to arrive and have been trying to prepare my car for installing the radio. I went to Radio Shack and saw their version (minus some key features, like computer connectivity and CTCSS control) and wanted to see if their scanner was sold with a car mount and if not, I'd buy one. I struck out with both. They don't sell them with a mounting bracket or sell a mounting bracket for it. Their scanner was pretty darn light. I picked up the scanner and thought it was an empty display-only version, but the sales person said it worked and plugged it in and showed me it did work. I guess it is pretty empty inside by the weight. If anyone has any ideas on mounting it, please let me know. I want this to go as smoothly as possible. I have installed a power source straight from the battery to a small add-on fuse box underneath the dash and have run my antenna under the carpet to where I plan on installing the radio.

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

1421. Re: A real good Descrambler Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uScNVA1w9GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148546

Bahahahahah!

Jose Cuervo wrote in message <35CD1CBB.EB902C6B@eden.com>...
>I don't think he cares, I don't think anyone cares what you say...

1422. Re: A real good Descrambler Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OxeBDD1w9GA.184@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148547

So, you support spamming?

It's not good that you are so narrow-minded and stubborn to think that all I do is make mistakes and provide misinformation. If you choose to think that way, you are mistaken. I've provided much more good information than compared to misinformation.

Only jerks like to see through the good sides of people and only look at their negative aspects. You, in fact, are one of them. You were helpful when I asked a question about cellular (although somewhat arrogant), but I now resent your entire existence.

Jose Cuervo wrote in message <35CD1CBB.EB902C6B@eden.com>...
>I don't think he cares, I don't think anyone cares what you say...

1423. AR8200 Remote Control Interface available from Javiation... What does it look like?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stephen H. Fischer" <sfischer1@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6qjd9r$hs2$1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148548

I found the following on the AR8200 Homepage

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Horizon/9163/ar8200.html

>--

>NEWS: AR8200 Remote Control Interface available from Javiation...
>I just received information that JAVIATION already has the AR8200 remote
>control option implemented in thier JAV232 interface (tnx Jonathan!)
>
>Quote from Jonathan from Javiation:
>Our JAV-232 is already compatible with the AR8200 - all you need is the
OS->8200 with a 3.5mm stereo jack or DIN plug and several customers who had
>JAV-232's are using these already. This is how I am currently controlling
he >AR8200.
>Javiation homepage with more info about the AR8200.

What does the OS-8200 look like?

I looked in the hole on the side of a AR8200 and realized that the
FFC (Flat Flexible Cable) for the AR8000 could be glued to a piece of
plastic and stuck in the hole of the AR8200, If the conductors are numbered
the same.

Please please tell me that I am wrong!!!

If there are pictures of any of the AR8200 cables available, please
post them somewhere and let up know so we can select the best of
this possible disaster in the making again.

--
Stephen H. Fischer <sfischer1@mindspring.com>

1424. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Railsback <100102.2312@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#rgj#fow9GA.264@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148549

Yes, and the price is falling! Great radio, great price!

1425. Re: Scanner News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Railsback <100102.2312@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <e8t54gow9GA.267@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148550

Welcome to USENET !

1426. Re: New Opto scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080801453900.VAA13917@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148572

>Saw an ad on the back of PopComm Mag for an Opto computer controlled
>scanner. Looks like a box totally controlled by computer? Anyone got
>any info on this?

If I'm not mistaken it has not yet received FCC approval and is not yet
available.

Larry

1427. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBB680.5324@parg.org>
Source record: 148573

Bill Cheek wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > > > He left Fido a couple months later.
>
> > > Wrong, dungball. One month later after I
> > > passed the moderatorship of the echo to
>
> > OK, BIG DEAL, so you left ONE month later rather than 2!
>
> Details count,

That detail is NOT a major difference! The basic facts are
still the same.

1428. Re: Another Cheek Lie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBB817.7CE7@parg.org>
Source record: 148574

So Bill how have you conluded it is ME?

You openly admit it is NOT the server I use!

You openly admit it is NOT the provider I use! (I have NEVER had
an AOL account, but YOU HAVE!)

The header on the message says it is Mozilla 4.05. I use
version 3.04. How do you explain the differences?

How do you explain it is ME?

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Here is another forgery by John Mackey. He injected
> it into an open NNTP server at <news.globalpac.com>
> from at AOL account at <152.207.0.68>.
>
> ========FORGED POST UNDER SUBJECT "PARDON ME"==============
> Date: Thu, 06 Aug 1998 02:48:29 -0700
> From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
> Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
> X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.05 [en] (Win95; U)

SNIP

1429. Uniden online store!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cbb7ef.7705205@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Just got an email from the automated uniden store that the 235/895XLT
are in stock, went to check it out and the 895XLT is now
$175!!!!!!!!!! I just has to get one!!!

http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/

Check it out, you wont be sorry!

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1430. opto456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gagman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35cbb7b9.2690971@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148576

I have a serial mouse on my second computer and I want to connect my opto board to com port 4 in Win95 since the mouse takes com port 1 and the modem takes com port 2. If I don't use the modem I should be able to use the radio. But my question is, is the opto equipped with jumpers to change the com port. I used it in the other computer on com 1 but can't on this computer. Win95 just shows the 2 com ports and won't even show com 3. Help!

1431. AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBAAA.2757@parg.org>
Source record: 148577

K4CC wrote:
> So, why didn't you accept it?

The suggestion was made that we ALL do it, & I support that completely!

1432. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBCF8.34C8@parg.org>
Source record: 148578

K4CC wrote:
> What proof do you have that OBFD didn't get kicked off of AOL?

None! I never said I had any, I simply asked what facts the
statement was based on. Apparently there were NONE!

This reminds me of 4 months ago when I stated I was leaving Sprint
to go to MCI for my ISP. About 3 weeks later I did that & then people
tried to say I had been kicked off of SPRINT. I surprised them
by keeping my Sprint account active for about 2 weeks & occasionally
posting from there to prove those fools as liars!

1433. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBB66.2E70@parg.org>
Source record: 148579

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> What proof do you have that obfd did not get kicked off aol?

None! I never said I had any.

The statement was made that OBFD got kicked off of AOL & I just
wondered if there was any fact to support that statement. To date,
none has been presented!

> Looks like your holding the bag now that the truth has come out about you
> making up the warrant story.

I never made up a warrant story, I never said Cheek had a warrant of
any kind!

1434. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBD6E.3F4B@parg.org>
Source record: 148580

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> You forget mackey has multiple personalities.

Like YOU!

1435. Re: Kendrick makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBDBE.35CE@parg.org>
Source record: 148581

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> If you have the degrees, prove it. Until you do, you're still a liar
> and a fraud.

I don't really care what you think. If Cheek will post his
data in complete form, I'll post mine!

1436. Re: An Offer For the group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBE13.411@parg.org>
Source record: 148582

K4CC wrote:

> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >SURE, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!
>
> So, you're rejecting my proposal,

Wrong, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!

PLEASE get on track with this so we can let the flames DIE!

1437. Re: An Offer For the NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBBE4B.6814@parg.org>
Source record: 148583

K4CC wrote:
> So, why didn't you accept it?

I said I would as long as the guilt party (s) do!

1438. optoscan 456 jumper settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gagman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35cbc931.1137239@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148584

Anybody still have their manual on how to set the jumpers for serial ports?

1439. Re: Garage door openers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: charly@xmission.com
Message-ID: <35cbde66.2763155@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 148585

On 6 Aug 1998 02:25:30 GMT, intermod58@aol.com (Intermod58) wrote:

>I have a large box of them. Some are on 300 Mhz and some are on 310 Mhz and
>they transmit in the AM mode.

Universal?

1440. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35cbcaac.6767748@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148586

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:27:52 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Bill Cheek wrote:
>
>> Probably because "OBFD" got kicked off AOL
>
>What proof do you have that OBFD got kicked off of AOL?

If he didn't, it wasn't because I didn't try.

1441. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35cbcb4a.6925493@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148587

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:20:06 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>George Vetterle wrote:
>> Don't forget the List Bombs either. Johnny Boy has probably
>> subscribed more people to Infobeat.com than anybody else
>
>Oh REALLY, so John Author was doing that! Ok, that explains a
>lot! I got hooked up to that also. Fortunately, it is easy to drop!

I was referring to John Mackey not John Arthur but you knew that.

If you got "hooked up to that also", it was undoubtedly someone
giving you some well deserved payback. I can only hope that
they subscribed *all* your accounts to the service at once. Heh, Heh!

1442. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35cbcdb9.7548452@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148588

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:23:58 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>George Vetterle wrote:
>> I didn't do it! Nobody saw me! You can't prove a thing!
>
>I don't think anyone was saying you did any of it, George. RELAX!

I was mocking you John but apparently it went right over your head.
You standing in a hole or something?

1443. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35cbcf61.7972693@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148589

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:20:43 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>allsafe wrote:
>SNIP
>
>You guys have NO sense of humor! It was FUNNY so I gave my permission
>for my image to be used!
>
>Hell, I am the co-founder of PARG, a board member, Chair of VE testing
>& Officer of Public Information for PARG.

I thought the arrow through your hat was a nice touch.
A little high though :(

1444. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35cbd0f8.8379522@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148590

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:20:41 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
>> The way it looks to me is mackey wants to be Bill,
>
>WHY on earth would I want that? That couldn't be further from
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>the truth!

To better yourself?

1445. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35cbd18d.8528314@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148591

On Fri, 7 Aug 1998 13:33:19 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>"brian dead" ... who's Brian?

He probably meant Brian Reed.
I think he's brain dead.

1446. Philadelphia frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gnr0914@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080804402000.AAA09013@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148592

need Philadelphia freq.

1447. Miramar air show freq.?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080804404200.AAA02383@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148593

Can someone help me whit the frequency for the air show going on saturday 15 an sunday 16 at the Miramar station in San Diego California please e-mail them to me

Thank You.

1448. Re: Philadelphia frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bayareascan@usa.net
Message-ID: <35CBD98D.EEA@usa.net>
Source record: 148594

Gnr0914 wrote:
>
> need Philadelphia freq.

You may want to post this request in the group phl.scanner news group. It's a scanner news group for the Philadelphia area.

1449. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cbd8f8.14818177@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148595

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > I still have the Winradio account, you imbecile.
> > I also have a COMMtronics accounts, and a World Scanner
>
> You still have your Dong Tong Wah account also!

Say what? You think everyone from san.rr.com is ME?
ha ha ha ha ha..... you ignoramus. san.rr.com covers
the northern half of San Diego, you flippin fruitcake.
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1450. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ccd97d.14950800@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148596

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > Probably because "OBFD" got kicked off AOL
>
> What proof do you have that OBFD got kicked off of AOL?

Mail to him is returned "addressee unknown".
You flippin flatulent fairy.......
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1451. Re: Blake Bowers makes a FOOL of himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cdd9d7.15041552@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148597

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > How lame, Smacksie. Are you regressing to
>
> The truth is never lame!

True, but how would you know of that? The
only truth in your Life is your gene pool
and its first generation traceability to
the lizard family.

You flippin dork........

1452. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cedb1b.15365292@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148598

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Right. So's you could then come back as
> > "OBFD" or "Clarence Green" and have an
> > unobstructed go at me.
>
> WRONG! I offered you an ammendment to the agreement
> where you could defend yourself if attacked & you still
> declined.

I told you in advance...NO AMENDMENTS. I told
you a hundred times, I do not negotiate with
you; no wheeling, dickering, and other horsing
around. You accept the four (or five point)
offer or not..... but you are not going to
corrupt and pollute it.

Either accept it, as is, or not, but I am
not going to play your silly games, you
low-life, despicable, sleazy snake in the grass.

1453. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cfdc0f.15609728@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148599

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) writes:
>
> >But you ain't got a hair in your arse to do
> >it. Which is why they call you "Baldy", huh?
>
> He's so ugly he took your advice and
> shaved it and walks backwards.
> He's still working on the barking, but for now the
> gas keeps coming out of his mouth.
> (:>)

Oooohhhhhhhhh, that sick sunny beach......
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1454. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d0dc45.15662834@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148600

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> John T. Arthur wrote:
> > Easy to say that now that the server is closed to you, isn't it?
>
> I have NO idea if it is open or closed as I have never used the
> Clark College server.

Which ONE haven't you used (yet), you
sick sleaze.......?
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1455. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d1dc93.15741362@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148601

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:

> On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 03:47:55 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
> wrote:
>
> >geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:
> >
> >> On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 21:04:36 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> >>
> >> >Bill Cheek wrote:
> >> >> He *may* not have ever been there physically,
> >> >> but he's sure as tootin logged on there!!!!!
> >> >
> >> >I have never logged on or operated any Clark Colllege computer.
> >>
> >> You don't have to log on to inject posts into an open server,
> >> do you?
> >>
> >>That's one pillow for him, But look at the
> >>3 L's in "colllege". That's his other out.
> >>The one he prayed that we wouldn't catch.
> >>
>
> Heh, Heh! I didn't even notice that one.

Hey, man, that sunny beach will take advantage
of every undotted "i" and uncrossed "t". You
gotta throw the ol' evil eye on everything about
him. There ain't an honest or honorable cell
in his body.

1456. Re: Blake Bowers makes a lying FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d2dcfb.15845217@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148602

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> George Vetterle wrote:
> > You don't have to log on to inject posts into an open server,
> > do you?
>
> I have never used a server of Clark College.

What about 'servers'... plural?

You sick scumbag.......
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1457. Re: Bill's abuse of this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d3dd5e.15944513@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148603

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > > Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!
> >
> > Ohhhhhhhh yesssssssss he *is*. Or was, anyway.
>
> "Was" is past tense, Bill!

Yes, Hermie. But he either *is* (still) or
at least *was* (in the past) in Fidonet. I
don't know about now.

What an idiot.....

1458. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d4df9e.16520291@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148604

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com> wrote:

> (Ya know, this off topic BULLSHIT you constantly post, is the reason we
> all hate your friggin guts. Just so ya know...)

I don't think the sunny beach has any
guts worth hating, to be perfectly blunt
about it. I think he's a gutless, spineless
abomination of the laws of nature......

Reminds me of a phase locked loop, if
you drop lock and get rid of the phase....

1459. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d7e189.17011412@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148605

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Mmmmm. Are there ANY members of PARG other
> > than you? REAL ones, anyway?
>
> You know there are Bill. You've wrote e-mail to the PARG
> webmaster (Mike) & the PARG President (Justin) ......

The way you go through aka's, I have no
clue if you are "Mike" one day and Buford
the next, and Justin, the next........
That's what no credibility does to ya,
you sick prick......
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1460. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d5e061.16715048@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148606

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

justmrzor@webtv.net (robert mcclure) wrote:

> i agree some of these people are brian
> dead

Yup. And most of us haven't a clue to
to what is meant by "brian" dead....unless
whoever you're talking about is named Brian.

> and don't know a scanner group
> from a cooking group if it came up and
> bit them on the nose

That's kind of silly, but for a fact, you
seem to not know capitalization, puncuation,
and syntax of the English language. I mean
you write kind of like a sick hick.....

> daaaaa lets get with it people

What people get with what?

1461. Re: Mackey GET ON TPOIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d6e11e.16904384@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148607

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:

> On Fri, 7 Aug 1998 13:33:19 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >"brian dead" ... who's Brian?
>
> He probably meant Brian Reed.
> I think he's brain dead.

Ohhhhhhhh THAT "Brian". Oh yeah, huh?
I forgot about HIM. Come to think of it,
he's on my Twit List.....
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1462. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <XwRy1.62$Lc3.1420701@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 148608

I ordered a Yupi MVT-7100 a week ago from bandercom. I e-mailed them and
they told me it should take about a week and a half (to get to the states...

Steve Hirsh wrote in message ...
>In article <1998080723235100.TAA18863@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
>malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
>> I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap
tips
>> and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list
or a
>> web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...
>
>
>I have mine on order also; from Bandercomm. It has been two weeks since
>they supposedly shipped it. Can't wait! I would be interested in
>exchanging tips with you or anyone else.
>
>
>Steve

1463. Re: Garage door openers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080806063800.CAA17760@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148609

310.19 MHZ

1464. Best price on Icom IQ-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35CBEC59.BA58EE69@alaska.net>
Source record: 148610

Anyone know of a good price on this little guy ? I
see HRO has it for $199. Any experence using as a
scanner.

Tx

John

1465. IC-R10 uses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CBEAB7.352F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148611

I have an Icom R-10, but I am at a loss at times as far as the most effective use for it. It has a much slower scan rate than my other scanners, and it's only advantage (besides wide coverage) is the alphanumeric tags one can assign channels. I was wondering if other R-10 users out there had any suggestions, or would just like to say how they use theirs. Also, is the autoprogram feature any good for finding secret freqs in an area?

1466. FS BC-200 MINT+options !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35CBED97.27BCA9F6@alaska.net>
Source record: 148612

I have a MINT 200 for sale for $185
shipped.....With the following options !!!!

original carrying case
cigar lighter adaptor NEW UNUSED
1300ma NiMh insert NEW uninstalled
AA batt pak NEW UNUSED

Radio is mint perfect with no mods. Ant, charger
and normal 600ma pak included.

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

John Miller
Anchorage, Alaska

1467. Re: I've had no luck!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35cbf55c.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148613
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mark Toogood wrote in message
<6qerpijnf1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>...
>Hi all,
> I've been scouring the net trying to find some keypad tricks for my
>Bearcat 220xlt, but so far no dice. I was wondering if anyone could be so
>kind as to either point me in the right direction or e-mail me a list of
>keypad tricks. The frustrating thing however, is that I have SEEN a
>reference on a website for the 3000xlt to a certain trick for the 220xlt
>that tests each of the LCD segments in the display in turn, so obviously
>there has to be some tricks for this scanner!
>
>Cheers,

I gots one of those Bearcats 220 scanner and I dont know the keypad tricks
for it too. May be it dont gots any?

Poppa Dom

1468. Listen Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35cbf4c8.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148614

Mackey this is Poppa Dom again. I want to know why you not interested in being decent person to this newsgroup? I try be decent with you even if I dont like you much and you just talk to the people who kick you in the ass.

You don't have conversations with any body who wants to talk to you. You only play the childs games with the guys that molest you the most. Some body used to say you liked the hurts and the pains and I am amused with the joke. But I dont laught at that no more. Its true!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I did not think it was true once. Now I do.

You enjoy the hurts and the pains like them crazy nuts that like the leathers and the whips and the chains. I think those are called preverts or some shit. But you be that way it looks like and I think that is very crazy man. You nuts!!!

Or you are playing the games. Maybe thats it you are just playing the games because you are not serious about nothing. But even if that be true, it make you only much sicker in the head because no body else likes your games. Thats why you do it too.

You are one crazy bambino man or you act the fool may be because you dont no any better? I want you to be serious in sensible sort of way to talk to me because I life the police scanners and radios and wish that can be the topic of this newsgroup. Not your brain diseases and other body diseases that make the pimples grow inside of your head.

Poppa Dom told you that.

1469. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Allman <bald1@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35CBF6B7.BA04B068@usa.net>
Source record: 148615

Gerald,
For information only... Javiation has reduced their price on the
MVT-7100 to 195 quid, shipping prepaid, delivered outside the UK via
FedEx. That's about $487 CD or $318 US. Your asking price is about
$327 US. Unfortunately with the introduction of newer models, the value
of the MVT-7100 has declined.
I'm speculating but I'd think you're more likely to get $375 CD to
$435 CD.
-=[Bob]=-

Gerald Chang wrote:

> Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver
>
> - frequency range from 530kHz to 1650Mhz in receiving modes:
> Wide FM, Narrow FM, AM, LSB and USB (including cellular band)
> - twelve frequency steps can be selected
> - 10-band search function
> - 1000-channel memory
> - comes with car connector, hand strap, belt clip, earphone,
> original box, owner's manual and original receipt
> - purchased in November 1996: used no more than 25 hours
> Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM
>
> Originally paid over $900 from Atlantic Ham Radio. This was the
> second model from the top back in 1996. It was hardly ever
> used (practically brand new). Yes, from the above frequency range,
> you can receive all analog cellular conversions!
>
> Serious inquiries ONLY. Located in Toronto. Leave a voice number
> if interested.

1470. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qh0q4uor1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148616

In article <35CBBB66.2E70@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > What proof do you have that obfd did not get kicked off aol?
>
> None! I never said I had any.
>
> The statement was made that OBFD got kicked off of AOL & I just
> wondered if there was any fact to support that statement. To date,
> none has been presented!
>
> > Looks like your holding the bag now that the truth has come out about you
> > making up the warrant story.
>
> I never made up a warrant story, I never said Cheek had a warrant of
> any kind!
>

Another lie mackey, your scheme has been exposed .

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1471. Re: Tips to filter the crap in this n.g.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <O1g34dqw9GA.352@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148617

I read this news group daily and found all of Brett's suggestions
appropriate to remove the unwanted BS.

Ivan Ivanovich

Rob Lang wrote in message ...
>My tip about filters: Read the NG for a week or so, then decide for
>yourself. No offence to Brett, but his filters are not appropriate to me,
>and mine would not be appropriate to him. Neither of them are appropriate
>for anyone but ourselves.
>
>Rob
>
>
>

1472. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qh1jn$vj1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148618

In article <35CBBAAA.2757@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> K4CC wrote:
> > So, why didn't you accept it?
>
> The suggestion was made that we ALL do it, & I support that
> completely!
>

Sounds good to me but I want to add this one little condition for mackey only and mackey cannot ask anyone else to abide by the condition as it for mackey only. The condition is mackey can never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any alias's he may want to and this condition does not apply to any other person on the newsgroup, just mackey

If you accept this one little condition mackey then we all can agree on the flames stopping.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1473. Re: Uniden online store!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brian_usenet@cizone.com>
Message-ID: <WBXy1.29$uf2.1667516@news.en.com>
Source record: 148619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Just keep in mind that Uniden claims the products sold there are
"like-new" -- meaning they were returned to Uniden, repaired, or had damaged
packaging.

--
Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
http://www.cizone.com

Jack wrote in message <35cbb7ef.7705205@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>
>Just got an email from the automated uniden store that the 235/895XLT
>are in stock, went to check it out and the 895XLT is now
>$175!!!!!!!!!! I just has to get one!!!
>
>http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/
>
>Check it out, you wont be sorry!
>
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

1474. Re: KA0SSF GET ON TOP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980808123615 00.IAA28177@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148620

His own imaginary friend, J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org> writes:

>when did you intend to start the truce?

Eh? What truce is that?

I offered you a proposal
which you rejected.

What truce are you talking
about?

1475. Re: KA0SSF GET ON TOP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812371700.IAA04988@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148621

His own imaginary friend, J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org> writes:

>when did you intend to start the truce?

Eh? What truce is that?

I offered you a proposal
which you rejected.

What truce are you talking
about?

1476. Re: Mackey Wins At Usenet Abuse Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812371900.IAA28246@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148622

Math Wizard, J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org> writes:

>Bill Cheek has also been identified with much
>larger ratio figures!

So why are yours ranked considerably higher?

1477. Re: John Mackey seeks sad little boys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980808123719 00.IAA04992@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148623

The 1998 Stamp Out Literacy Award Winner , J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org> writes:

>Since you can only look at pictures

Earlier you said I could only look in the mirror.
Which is it?

1478. Re: Mackey Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812372000.IAA28248@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148624

txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom Jones) writes:

>it's more like he wouldn't
>know the Truth if it walked up and BITCH-SLAPPED HIM!

Which it does, regularly. Mackey seems to enjoy
the slapping, though. It's the only form of
recognition and acceptance that he's been
able to get.

1479. Re: MACKEY DUMPS ON MORE FORUMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812372100.IAA04995@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148625

allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com> writes:

>....and don't forget Dave; the ultimate in Mackeyspeak:
>
>4. "The stupidity of you is amazing."

Ah, yes, but like a fine wine, that one is saved
for only the most special occasions. {:>)

Dave

1480. Re: MACKEY DUMPED AT BIRTH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812372200.IAA28250@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148626

Author of the Truth-In-Lying Act, Senator J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>That detail is NOT a major difference! The basic facts are
>still the same.

Ah, yes. Let's not let those nasty details of fact
get in the way of John's lies.

1481. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812372200.IAA04998@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148627

Buford J. Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>The suggestion was made that we ALL do it,

No, the suggestion was made that YOU accept
a deal between YOU and ME, and YOU refused
the deal, just as you refused the deal that Cheek
offered you. Hell, I even accepted your ridiculous
addition, and you still rejected it! You wouldn't
even accept you own deal!

1482. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980808123723OO.IAA05000@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148628

John "It Takes A Fool To Know A Fool" Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>This reminds me of 4 months ago when I stated I was leaving Sprint
>to go to MCI for my ISP. About 3 weeks later I did that & then people
>tried to say I had been kicked off of SPRINT. I surprised them
>by keeping my Sprint account active for about 2 weeks & occasionally
>posting from there to prove those fools as liars!

Uh huh. Or maybe you opened ANOTHER
Sprint account and only managed to hold on
to it for about 2 weeks until Sprint got wise and
booted you again.

1483. Re: Mackey drools on himself again!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812372400.IAA28253@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148629

In article <35CBBDBE.35CE@parg.org>, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>If Cheek will post his
>data in complete form, I'll post mine!

John has a "fill in the blank form" that he
uses to answer any and all questions. It
says: "If Cheek will _____,
then I will _____."

1484. Re: An Offer For the group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812372500.IAA05004@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148630

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>Wrong, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!

No, you're wrong, spitball. My proposal
wasn't to Cheek it was to you. It didn't
have anything to do with Cheek, it had
to do with you and me. You rejected it
because you're a pathological liar who
has no desire or intention to "let the
flames die" because they represent the
only source of recognition and acceptance
that you have in your sorry excuse for a life.

1485. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812555100.IAA29482@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148631

>From: troll@loop.com (troll)

> Just curious but did you order the stock one or the moded one?

Ordered the modified version.

> A mailing list seems like a good idea to me.

You have a web site, don't you? How about setting aside some space for a forum or discussion group? If that's not possible, I'll give it a whirl but I have limited time and probably won't do a decent job of it!

>By the way is there anyone out there in the US that has ordered from Bandercom before? How
>long did it take for them to ship to you?

Yes, I have. It took about 8 days to get the last scanner (I'm in Massachusetts). Based on what others have said, a two week wait is not unusual, from the time the scanner is actually shipped. I'm not sure why that's so but the operative word is "patience," I guess.

1486. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080812565100.IAA29547@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148632

>From: Bob Allman <bald1@usa.net>

> For information only... Javiation has reduced their price on the
>MVT-7100 to 195 quid, shipping prepaid, delivered outside the UK via
>FedEx. That's about $487 CD or $318 US. Your asking price is about
>$327 US.

I've seen it for under $300 with shipping!

1487. Help on scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilma_20@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35cc424c.52825771@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 148633

I lost my manual for my Bearcat 200XLT handheld scanner. I will pay for copying a manual. I answer all email messages.

Thanks

1488. Re: Best price on Icom IQ-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080813350800.JAA02306@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148634

>
>Anyone know of a good price on this little guy ? I
>see HRO has it for $199. Any experence using as a
>scanner.
>
>

I bought mine from HRO for that price. I use it primarily as a scanner. Scan speed is rather slow but useable.

Sensitivity is quite good, although the antenna is poor. Does get some intermod in high RF areas but overall I would rate it as very good.

Ed

1489. WTB Used mobile scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: billy <bhoward@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <6qhk63$kl7$1@earth.superlink.net>
Source record: 148635

Hi:

Looking for a used mobile scanner, loud audio, that covers the 500mhz band. I'm in the central New Jersey area, and would just like to pick it up. Please e-mail, price, and location..

Thanks
Bill

1490. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080813365700.JAA02443@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148636

Last year I ordered my 7100 from Bandercom and it took exactly 30 days to get here to Texas.

I love the radio.

Ed

1491. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.103625b2524e9b2f9896be@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 148637

In article <1998080723235100.TAA18863@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com says...
> I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap tips
> and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list or a
> web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...
>
Hey,I'd be interested,I've had mine a couple of months,it's a great
radio!

Barry

1492. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uuMmCntw9GA.155@upnetnews05>
Source record: 148638

No, actually Rich Wells listed a rather long list of problems with it.

Fishbags wrote in message
<1998080723410000.TAA27661@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Rich Wells in his review "overall" seemed to like it better than the icom
>r-10, and you would have to spend at least $150 or more to get a scanner
w/
>this freq coverage that is as good or better, and it wouldn't come
standard
>with a drop-in charger.

1493. Re: NC Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35CC636C.C6A7AF79@ibm.net>
Source record: 148639

camper wrote:
> Any one know of a site that has a list of frequencies in NC
> preferably in Raleigh / Chapel Hill area? Thanks alot.

Try my site below. Go down the left column and click on the
Reference button. Happy surging!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

1494. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35CC6595.C879EE31@ibm.net>
Source record: 148640

MAlexder wrote:
> I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap tips
> and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list or a
> web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...

Michael and others,
There is already a Yupi mailing list at www.qth.net
Subscribe when you get the chance and let everyone know
what you think of your new "toy".

And for anyone getting the 9000, be sure to stop by
my MVT-9000 page and download the Text or PDF version
of the Owner's Guide I wrote for it.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

1495. Re: New Opto scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35CC65E1.65EDE227@ibm.net>
Source record: 148641

LF686 wrote:
> >Saw an ad on the back of PopComm Mag for an Opto computer controlled
> >scanner. Looks like a box totally controlled by computer? Anyone got
> >any info on this?
>
> If I'm not mistaken it has not yet received FCC approval and is not
> yet available.

There are actually two radios...the OptoCom (not yet FCC approved)
and the OptoTrakker (which is the model usually seen in the Opto
ads in PC and MT).

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

1496. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <QIZy1.64$Lc3.1567163@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 148642

What part of Mass are from. I'm from Malden originally. I now live in
Maine. I recently ordered an MVT-7100. e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

MAlexder wrote in message
<1998080812555100.IAA29482@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>From: troll@loop.com (troll)
>
>> Just curious but did you order the stock one or the moded one?
>
>Ordered the modified version.
>
>> A mailing list seems like a good idea to me.
>
>You have a web site, don't you? How about setting aside some space for a
forum
>or discussion group? If that's not possible, I'll give it a whirl but I
have
>limited time and probably won't do a decent job of it!
>
>>By the way is there anyone out there in the US that has ordered from
Bandercom
>before? How
>>long did it take for them to ship to you?
>
>Yes, I have. It took about 8 days to get the last scanner (I'm in
>Massachusetts). Based on what others have said, a two week wait is not
unusual,
>from the time the scanner is actually shipped. I'm not sure why that's so
but
>the operative word is "patience," I guess.
>

1497. Re: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <WMZy1.65$Lc3.1568553@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 148643

Bandercom has the radio for $295.00 US with shipping.

Bob Allman wrote in message <35CBF6B7.BA04B068@usa.net>...
>Gerald,
> For information only... Javiation has reduced their price on the
>MVT-7100 to 195 quid, shipping prepaid, delivered outside the UK via
>FedEx. That's about $487 CD or $318 US. Your asking price is about
>$327 US. Unfortunately with the introduction of newer models, the value
>of the MVT-7100 has declined.
> I'm speculating but I'd think you're more likely to get $375 CD to
>$435 CD.
> -=[Bob]=-
>
>Gerald Chang wrote:
>
>> Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver
>>
>> - frequency range from 530kHz to 1650Mhz in receiving modes:
>> Wide FM, Narrow FM, AM, LSB and USB (including cellular band)
>> - twelve frequency steps can be selected
>> - 10-band search function
>> - 1000-channel memory
>> - comes with car connector, hand strap, belt clip, earphone,
>> original box, owner's manual and original receipt
>> - purchased in November 1996: used no more than 25 hours
>> Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM
>>
>> Originally paid over $900 from Atlantic Ham Radio. This was the
>> second model from the top back in 1996. It was hardly ever
>> used (practically brand new). Yes, from the above frequency range,
>> you can receive all analog cellular conversions!
>>
>> Serious inquiries ONLY. Located in Toronto. Leave a voice number
>> if interested.
>
>
>

1498. opto 456 jumpers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gagman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35cc7148.271884@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148644

Anyone know how to set jumpers on the opto456 for com port 2? I seem to have it set for com port 1.

1499. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qhtk2ale0@207.18.224.5>
Source record: 148645

On Sat, 08 Aug 1998 08:18:00 GMT, dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <35CBBAAA.2757@parg.org>,

>Sounds good to me but I want to add this one little condition for mackey only
>and mackey cannot ask anyone else to abide by the condition as it for mackey
>only. The condition is mackey can never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
>rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any alias's he
>may want to and this condition does not apply to any other person on the
>newsgroup, just mackey
>
>If you accept this one little condition mackey then we all can agree on the
>flames stopping.
>

Verry good idea! I Will offer John the same deal also!

>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

Live from P_ARG!!

1500. Re: Mackey, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qhtpjale1@207.18.224.5>
Source record: 148646

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 22:50:42 -0700, Richard Kendrick
<wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

>J "I think RuPaul is cute. I'd bet he could pump me like Richard
>Simmonds never could." Mackey continued his lies:
>>
>> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>>
>> > If you have the degrees, prove it. Until you do, you're still a liar
>> > and a fraud.
>>
>> I don't really care what you think. If Cheek will post his
>> data in complete form, I'll post mine!
>
>Until you post your data, whether Cheek posts his or not, you're still
>a liar and a fraud.

Oh, but he has posted that he got a degree from Yankton College in
Yankton SD.

Only problem is, the REAL Yankton College was closed 10 years ago,
and made into a prison. Now, it is obvious that John may have gotten
his infamous GED in that time.......

Live from P_ARG!!

1501. Where to send Regency scanner for repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmaxon@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080816223800.MAA24794@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148647

Hello and thanks for reading the post. Anyone know of a repair shop that would fix my Regency crystal scanner?

Thanks for reading the post.

Howard

1502. Re: Another Cheek Lie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cc7774.55401668@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148648

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> So Bill how have you conluded it is ME?

Fingerprint, DNA, and fiber analysis.

> You openly admit it is NOT the server I use!

No. I'm watching your plays on words. You
used a number of the servers at Clark College.

> You openly admit it is NOT the provider I use!

No. It *is* the one you USED on a number of
occasions for your forgeries.

> (I have NEVER had an AOL account,

You lying sack........

> but YOU HAVE!

Sure I have, you idiot. I was with AOL when
they were known as Apple On Line. That was
in 1988, back when you were still shitting
in 3-corner short.

I tried one of their freebies in the early
nineties when you were screwing up wet dreams,
and said phooey on them.

> The header on the message says it is Mozilla 4.05. I use
> version 3.04. How do you explain the differences?

You have Netscape installed in two or more
directories and can run whatever version you
want, when you want. You're just not very
careful is all.....

> How do you explain it is ME?

I don't explain anything to you, you imbecile.
How many times do I have to tell you that?

Suffice to say that I used fingerprint, DNA,
and fiber analysis. Oh....and grammatical
analysis, too. The pentameter along gives
you away, you flippin frijole........

1503. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd7b35.56362977@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148649

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> > Details count,

> That detail is NOT a major difference!

When truth is of the essence, it is.

> The basic facts are still the same.

Of course, you are still the same ol' prancing,
sacheting, waltzing, flippin fairy.......

YOU can't change, Hermie.

1504. Re: Mackey is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce7bac.56481942@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148650

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:

> On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 06:23:58 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
> >George Vetterle wrote:
> >> I didn't do it! Nobody saw me! You can't prove a thing!
> > >
> > >I don't think anyone was saying you did any of it, George. RELAX!
>
> I was mocking you John but apparently it went right over your head.
> You standing in a hole or something?

It's that hole between his ears that it
went into and out of, without touching anything.

>
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1505. Re: Trunk Tracker audio clipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6qhv9p$1epk$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148651

andy wrote in message <35CB6AD1.43DD@roanoke.infi.net>...
>I was wondering if anyone else may have experienced this problem on
any
>other trunking systems. If so, which scanner are you using. Any
BC895
>scanner users out there experiencing this problem???

It happens with my BC-235xlt on Kodak's Type IIi system here in Rochester, NY. A while back, somebody posted info about a restart sequence for the scanner that would override some Motorola system parameter and clear up the clipping. After doing the restart, the scanner has to be reprogrammed all over again. I haven't taken the time to look up the info since I started having the problem, so I can't say whether it works in my case or not.

Maybe somebody will repost the info or put up a pointer to it.

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

1506. Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6qhv9q$1epk$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148652

The inside back cover of QST for August is an ad for a new Yeasu HT.
The VX-1R is a dual-band (2m/70cm) transceiver with extended receive
coverage (76-999 MHz less cell). It reportedly has CTCSS/DCS
tone/code search!

Has anyone had a chance to play with one of these yet?

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

1507. Mackey The Mobias Strip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf7f12.57351373@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148653

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom Jones) wrote in: Re: Hey Phil!:

> > Reminds me of a phase locked loop, if
> > you drop lock and get rid of the phase....
>
> Well, I'm not too technically astute, but I think I get it!
>
> Isn't that like when Fun-Boy drops his drawers, and gets rid of his
> paycheck? ;-)

To be exact about it, he's a Mobias Strip.

Cut a strip of paper 1/2" wide and 8" long or so.
Hold it flat, one end in each hand, and then twist
one end 180-degrees and then glue or tape that end
to the other end. It will resemble a loop if you
do it correctly. Ohhhhh, but it's much more than
a mere loop now!!!

It's now a classic paradox called a Mobias Strip.
It has exactly one side and one edge, and bends
back upon itself in a vicious circle. Test it for
yourself. Put a pencil on the strip anywhere, and
start drawing a line as you move the pencil down
the center line of the strip (like a highway center
line), without ever lifting the pencil from the paper.

Keep going. In a while, the pencil will come back
to where it started, and the line will be continuous,
all the while NEVER having crossed an edge or a side.

The same works on an edge, too. What looks like a
left edge and a right edge are actually the same edge.
Take a colored marker and start coloring an edge.
You'll see there is no place for two colors.

Likewise, what appears as a top side and a bottom
side are the same side. It's a paradox.

Mackey is like that. He peeks out of a dirty
window just beneath his belly button. He has

no beginning and no end. He is a master of the
circular logic. He neither eats nor excretes.
He is the epitome of a self-sustaining, totally
closed system. Neither input nor output are
possible.

But, thanks to a particularly violent flatulent
explosion one day, he has no brain left.....it
got ramjetted down what once may have been a
spinal column. It may still be circling inside
of him for all we know.

Ummmmm....he's a Mobias Strip, a living abomination
of the Laws of Nature......

1508. ATTN: Wheaton, IL Party Wanting my AR8000 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul.knight@prairiecomm.com
Message-ID: <6qi1ldrht1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148654
Cross-posted to: chi.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,misc.forsale.non-computer

The AR8000/OptoLinx combo is again available (long story) and ready for delivery. Please drop me a note if you are still interested.

Thanks,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

Original Ad

I have the following for sale:

AOR AR8000 handheld scanner: 500 KHz - 1.9 GHz continuous, *unblocked*, 1000 channels in 20 banks, NFM/WFM/AM/USB/LSB/CW, w/narrow AM filter installed by Javiation. Includes AC charger, DC charger, 2 ducks, heavy leather case, manual, and box. Cosmetically and electrically perfect.

Optoelectronics Optolinx: Computer interface for many radios, including the AR8000, as new in box. Will also include a copy of "Radio Manager" software for programming the AR8000 (Win3.1 package)

$550 for all + shipping, firm, no trades, and I won't separate the items

Please drop me a note if interested.

73,

Paul WD8DKY

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1509. Re: Crystals wanted for scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Piper <regpiper@idirect.com>
Message-ID: <35CC897D.36D8F411@idirect.com>
Source record: 148655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Loren Schaeffler wrote:

> Where is a good place to buy crystals for the older crystal type
> scanners? Loren......
> --
> New Website Address
> http://prairie.lakes.com/~lorens
> Chemnitzer Concertina Information

I used to buy mine a Radio Shack. They were good quality.

Regards,

Reg.

1510. Re: Where to send Regency scanner for repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ##aheely##@##downcity##.net
Message-ID: <35cc959a.3931025@news.downcity.net>
Source record: 148656

Uniden continues to offer repair services for some Regency scanners.
It's all at flat rate. Go to http://www.uniden.com and follow the
links. I've used them for some of my Regency and have been pleased.

Also G&G at http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ has a good reputation, however
I have never used them.

Art

On 8 Aug 1998 16:22:37 GMT, hmaxon@aol.com (HMaxon) wrote:

>Hello and thanks for reading the post. Anyone know of a repair shop that would
>fix my Regency crystal scanner?
>
>Thanks for reading the post.
>
>Howard

1511. Re: opto 456 jumpers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080818324500.OAA02515@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148657

>Anyone know how to set jumpers on the opto456 for com port 2?

Dave

The jumpers only configure the boards baud rate. The software you are using will have to be configured for com2 and the opto board will have to be connected to com2 on your computer. The opto board doesn"t care what com paort it's connected to as long as the software is properly configured.

1512. Re: Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080819121300.PAA06876@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148658

I have one. It is really small, about the size of
my pager. Haven't tried the Yaesu software as my local dealer is out, and
tells me a new version is on the way. The radio has been out
for about a year. There are several firmware versions 102-106. The first
versions are modable for cellular recieve but not the last and the ones next to
the last without alot of difficulty unless you have the software. There is a
web page with all the details just do a search and check it out.

Sorry thats about all the help I can give you untill I can try out the
software.

RjMIERRN
N0UKD

1513. FS: Bag Phone / Image Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc2fe$9de5b280$617596d1@default>
Source record: 148659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

1) GE Bag phone. Asking $15.00

2) Logitiech ScanMan Hand Held Image scanner for IBM compatable commputer.
Asking $15.00

Both ite prices include UPS Ground shipping to lower 48 if pre-paid by
check or money order.
Fed-X C.O.D. possible with added shipping charges.

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

1514. FS: WRTH 1981- 1992

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qi9e6$31s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148660

WRTH = World Radio Television Handbooks

I have a number of WRTH volumes that I got as a lot. All are in good condition. Most show that they were used and a couple of them have a turned corner or two or signs of having a corner turned on the cover. As best I can tell there are no defaced or missing pages. Ask if you are interested in more detail on the condition of specific ones.

Each is $7 sent USPS Book Rate without insurance. An additional $75 if you want the package insured or $1 more if you want it sent Priority Mail.

1981
1983
1984
1985
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1993

Ian, K6SDE
San Jose, CA area

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1515. Re: An Offer For the NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc302$998f53e0$b11b37a6@default>
Source record: 148661

Maackey ... can't you answer for just yourself and not the newsgroup? His proposal was between him and you and nobody else. I quit flaming, so take his proposal and lets move on.

Just my 2 cents...

Mike

--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote in article <35CBBE4B.6814@parg.org>...
> K4CC wrote:
> > So, why didn't you accept it?
>
> I said I would as long as the guilt party (s) do!
>

1516. RS Pro-29 + ext. ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johan Ahlneby <johan.ahlneby@swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <35CB62A7.43A@swipnet.se>
Source record: 148662

Hi everybody!

I would like to know if the RadioShack Pro-29 is suitable for
an external antenna? Does is "manage" the stronger antenna signal?

Please answer with personal mail?

// Johan

1517. Your experience with BC 9000 XLT??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6qi9i4$8ebm$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 148663
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Seeking input from those who use the:

UNIDEN BC 9000 XLT SCANNER

While grateful for any of your input, I am particularly interested in those who:

- Are Public Safety users
- Have a CTCSS tone board installed
- Use the radio in an RF intense environment

Again, any of your opinions are appreciated. Due to the clutter of this newsgroup, it might help if you e-mailed your response as well as posting it publicly.

Monitor Safely!

Brian Humphrey
<brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>

1518. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: shirsh@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <shirsh-0808981449230001@host-209-214-192-227.mem.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148664

Received my Yupi 9000 in mail today. going on vacation and will have chance to play with it. I will let you know. Looks like I have lots of reading!!

Steve

1519. Re: Copier for Mac...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmeyer@mail.frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <dmeyer-0808981547370001@srv-20-12.roc.ny.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148665

You've got the wrong newsgroup, Peter.

Try comp.periphs.scanners or alt.comp.periphs.scanner.

Dave Meyer
dmeyer@frontiernet.net

In article <6qfrrd$33c$6@black.news.nacamar.net>, "Peter.Mac□□□□□"
<Peter.Mac@gmx.de> wrote:

>I am looking for a "copymachine" for my Agfa SnapScan 600 like UMAX delivers
>it with there scanners.
>
>You just choose the zoom and number of copies you want to have. The scanned
>document goes right to the scanner.
>
>Can anyone help me please?
>
>Peter.Mac@gmx.de
>
>Thank you

1520. FS-Mint unblocked Bearcat 200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka4993gg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080820125800.QAA13627@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148666

In mint condition with no problems. Radio has full 800 MHZ band coverage, and comes with mint Bearcat leather carrying case. Sorry, no box or manual. The battery pack is in excellent condition, and gives a meter reading of 8.0 volts from its 7.2v battery pack.

$160 shipped to lower 48 States. Need money for new toy purchases.

1521. French: Acheter un AOR AR8200? Possible ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scan7705@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qib5c$51k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148667

First of all sorry for all the non-french readers, this is french language...

Bonjour, Je souhaite recevoir du RTTY, des cartes m�t�o, la SSTV ... ce qui m'am�ne � envisager l'achat d'un appareil � large couverture. Les d�cametriques de base m'apparaissent comme tr�s chers. aussi je pense qu'un scanner est plus appropri� � mes activit�s. Ces appareils sont difficiles � trouver en France, car interdits. Je recherche donc toute information pouvant m'aider � trouver ce mat�riel. J'ai un apriori favorable pour la marque AOR. Qu'en est-il ? Les Yupiteru paraissent pas mal non-plus... SVP donnez-moi des renseignements. Et si quelqu'un peut me pr�ciser la l�gislation fran�aise au sujet de tels r�cepteurs, ce serait bien, car j'avoue que si nul n'est cens� ignorer la loi, on ne peut pas la connaitre pr�cisement non-plus (a moins d'avoir le J.O comme livre de chev�t!!!)

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1522. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAlexder <malexder@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6qibs5$84m$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 148668

Well John, now that you have made it amply clear that you recognize and on-topic post when you see one, I can't wait to see what you have to say...that is when you decide to get on topic. Naw, what the heck, I won't see it. You're the latest addition to my bozo filter. See ya--wouldn't wanna be ya! PLONK!

John Petri wrote in message ...
>x-no-archive: yes In article
><1998080812555100.IAA29482@ladder01.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com
>(MAlexder) wrote:
>
>
>> You have a web site, don't you? How about setting aside some space for a forum
>> or discussion group?
>
>Good, solid, informative post. Thanks!

1523. Icom p2at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Halvor Gilje <hgilje@c2i.net>
Message-ID: <35CC071D.52043517@c2i.net>
Source record: 148669

I want to buy a defect Icom p2at, please mail me if you can help me with this.
Best regards Halvor
hgilje@c2i.net

1524. Re: BC235 SVC Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickm@mounet.com
Message-ID: <35cdb858.1305120@news.mounet.com>
Source record: 148670
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Great, is this all; Police/Fire-Emer/air/marine/weather?

Wouldn't happen to have how each of the above searches are broken up,
would you?

Thanks!

On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 23:48:11 GMT, rickph@usa.net wrote:

>On Fri, 07 Aug 1998 22:48:29 GMT, rickm@mounet.com (Rick Miller)
>wrote:
>
>>I am looking for what frequencies are covered by the service scan
>>feature of the BC235. It does not seem to be documented.
>>
>>Anybody know?
>
>Hi Rick,
>Here ya go..hope that this helps you.
>Rick in White Lake,Mich.
>
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>
> 29 - 29.7 MHz
>
> 29.7 -50 MHz
>
> 50 - 54 MHz
>
> 108 - 136.9875 MHz
>
> 137 - 144 MHz
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> 144 - 148 MHz
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> 148 - 174 MHz
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> 406 - 420 MHz
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> 420 - 450 MHz
>
> 450 - 470 MHz
>
> 470 - 512 MHz

>
> 806 - 956 MHz Except Cellular Band)
>
> 162.400 - 162.550 MHz

1525. Re: Kendrick's attempted abuse of this NG pitiful, like him

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc1be$1965f060$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 148671

Mackey,
I`ve told you before & I`ll tell you one more time, I HAVE seen Mr. Cheeks credentials, ONLINE, verified them to be true to my satisfaction ! Don`t blame ANYONE but yourself if you didn`t want to look at them. I`ve done enough research on Bill that I now know more about him then I do my own uncles.
If YOU want to impress anyone, try the honest way. Tell us about yourself. The good, the bad & the ugly. Mr. Cheek did. Hell, he`s not HALF the trouble-maker that I was. OK, so he wasn`t an angel. Who is? YOU? ME? Don`t think so, pal. I`d bet that even Mother Treasa had SOMETHING that she didn`t want people to know `bout.
The main thing is, Bill was up-front `bout it. The good & the bad. All online, right here for the whole world to see. I don`t see you offering anything other then noise.

Tell ya what, if you don`t want others to know your history, you can E-mail me, (yes, I WILL keep it to myself) & if you check out the way you clame, I`ll be the FIRST to back you up !
If not, well I guess it`ll be between you & me & I won`t say a word `bout it.

Whatcha think? Deal?

--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote in article <35C9343F.6536@parg.org>...

> So what? You've still refused to give your credentials
> when asked by this NG!
****
>
> I said my piece, Bill can't back up his credentials.
> I rest my case.

1526. Re: Poof Mackey's story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qg7m5$7il$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148706

In article <35CA9E9B.378@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> > Probably because "OBFD" got kicked off AOL
>
> What proof do you have that OBFD got kicked off of AOL?
>
What proof do you have that obfd did not get kicked off aol?

Looks like your holding the bag now that the truth has come out about you making up the warrant story. You can deny it , but the proof has been posted and you can no longer hide by saying you don't know if there is a warrant. You know there is not because you made it all up to slander Bill.

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1527. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6qg3rh$l5h$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 148707

Leonard,

Thanks for sharing your views with us. I will now make some assumptions, which may be wrong:

1. You use the radio to listen to shortwave mostly, so you don't really need the scanning side.
2. When you do, you listen to about 3 or 4 frequencies, so you don't need to link banks, etc.
3. You have loads of time to spare, as you can easily spend an hour programming a single file
for your PCR.

Now with the replies.

>As a satisfied customer of Icom. I find these complaints
>a bit picky. If one has had anything to do with the Ham
>Radio world, you will know that there are members of
>that fraternity that are dissatisfied with about everything...
>Kenwood, Tentech, Icom....you name it.

Everyone has problems. It's just that the others seem to respond to them. Not one of the 7 Yaesu rigs I've had has had one single problem.

>The point of all of this is that one should be aware that
>most companies will not necessarily "be at your beck and
>call" as you think they should.

Well, then they should not complain when they go bankrupt because their products don't sell thanks to poor costumer support.
In today's world, where thinks are not built to last 20 years (i.e. read "plastic"), customer service is about 75% of your problem. You can sell thousands of items, and not test them properly or leave things unchecked, but then you HAVE to expect a 50% return rate. That's just how you want to market things.

>So, if you are contemplating getting a PCR-1000, then do so!
>It is a fine receiver, and a trend that reflects what is coming up
>in the future. Just think of the options in the future...trunk
>tracking, etc.

It has been about 10 months now, and this is the situation so far:

1. Only one minor update to the software was released, from V1.2 to V1.3, and it just fixed a problem where the toolbar didn't want to stay off. It added a scan dropout problem, where a comms error occurs every so many seconds, and you have to restart scanning. Now it's annoying if you scan,

say, 410 to 430, and you can only get as far as 415 because comms errors occur, and when you hit 'Prog' again, it starts back at 410 MHz all over again.
2. No moves as to trunk tracking, etc. have been even rumoured, as far as ICOM's software goes.
3. No moves as to trunk tracking, etc. have been made by 3rd party manufacturers, thanks to ICOM's policies regarding the protocol.
And so on...

>I sold my Kenwood R-5000, a fine old receiver, to purchase the
>PCR-1000...the ICOM has been a pleasure...a good move, I
>think.

Well, your choice. I am now thinking of selling the PCR to get an Optocom, a much more supported radio, with a fully open protocol, and from a company that listen's to customers.

Best regards, and enjoy your radio,

Mike

1528. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35CB967B.7D63@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148708

On Thu, 06 Aug 1998 20:02:46 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>Phil-
>
>Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
>use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

How come you give a crap all of a sudden? Do you actually think that I ever have or ever will get into trouble because of YOU??

HA HA HA HA!!! Now THAT'S FUNNY!!!

Seriously, I was on a temporary assignment there and now I work someplace else. Good enough for you, Looney-tune?

(Ya know, this off topic BULLSHIT you constantly post, is the reason we all hate your friggin guts. Just so ya know...)

Ya friggin Loon!!!!!
-Phil

1529. Re: sony scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scosgt@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6qg5c0$nq8@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148709

Where can I buy one of these?

tim travis <trav@indy.net> wrote:

>I just got a new sony scanner as a gift. Is it worth keeping? And are
>there any good mods available?

To Reply:
(scosgt@worldnet.att.net) or:
trenchgun@aol.com

1530. New Opto scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scosgt@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6qg5hl$nq8@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148710

Saw an ad on the back of PopComm Mag for an Opto computer controlled scanner. Looks like a box totally controlled by computer? Anyone got any info on this?
To Reply:
(scosgt@worldnet.att.net) or:
trenchgun@aol.com

1531. Who sells the new Sony scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scosgt@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6qg6i1$1u8@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148711

Anyplace on the web?
To Reply:
(scosgt@worldnet.att.net) or:
trenchgun@aol.com

1532. Re: K4CC GET ON TOPIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBA2C7.384F@parg.org>
Source record: 148712

K4CC wrote:
> You should know, since nothing is
> further from the truth than you.

Since this OBVIOUSLY is nothing more than another FLAME,
when did you intend to start the truce? Or were you joking when
you said you want the problems to end?

1533. Re: Cheek Identified as Usenet Abuse Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CB5DFB.5222@parg.org>
Source record: 148713

Your hero Bill Cheek has also been identified with much
larger ratio figures!

-Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Wed, 22 Jul 1998 00:01:08 CDT)
-Date: 22 Jul 1998 00:00:00 GMT
-From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
-Organization: sol.net Network Services - Milwaukee, WI
-Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
- SNIP
-Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
----- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
-539 21.071 18 31837 bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> Joe Greco of sol.net Network Services has identified Mackey for the
SNIP
> Subject: Usenet Posting Summary (Wed, 05 Aug 1998 04:00:56 CDT)
> From: Joe Greco <jgreco@ns.sol.net>
> Date: 1998/08/05
> Message-ID: <19980805040056.4934@ns.sol.net>
> Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet
>
> Top From sorted by BI-sum
>
> Rank BI Posts Bytes Data
> ---- ---------- ------- ----------- ------------
> 421 20.414 20 23190 KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

1534. TRADE: Pro 43 w/ Cell for Opto 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: choad98@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35cba3bf.39678683@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 148714
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am willing to trade a great Pro 43 with the cell mod for an Opto
535.

Pro 43 is near mint and comes with rechargeable batteries and charger!

Email me at: choad98@hotmail.com

1535. Re: Trunked Radio System Ques.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <gary0136@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <uGNy1.2922$pl2.5940479@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 148715

Thanks for the info. However I programmed in the mobile-to-base
frequencies, and I still haven't had any luck. Also, I've now noticed that I
can't even hear base on Fire Dispatch. Now I'm really confused. I've never
had this problem untill now. Does anyone have any ideas???

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <#B1lSGXw9GA.249@upnetnews05>...
>If I'm not mistaken, I believe mobile-to-base frequencies are 45 MHz lower
>than the base-to-mobile frequencies.

1536. Re: John Mackey seeks sad little boys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBA72B.5BC5@parg.org>
Source record: 148716

K4CC wrote:
> That's understandable, since literacy is
> usually required in order to use one.

Since you can only look at pictures, I see why you would borrow books. When I find a book I like, I buy it so I will have the info always available as a reference.

1537. Seeking Detroit Metro TV Audio Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35cda7aa.9991382@news.provide.net>
Source record: 148717

Hi,
I am looking for the 3 or 4 Detroit Mich Metro area tv audio freqs.
The audio freqs are the ones that they use when they are on a remote
location.If you know them,please posr or email.
Thanks
Rick in WHite Lake

1538. Re: Seeking Detroit Metro TV Audio Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35cfa8f1.10318133@news.provide.net>
Source record: 148718

On Sat, 08 Aug 1998 01:23:19 GMT, rickph@usa.net wrote:

>Hi,
>I am looking for the 3 or 4 Detroit Mich Metro area tv audio freqs.
>The audio freqs are the ones that they use when they are on a remote
>location.If you know them,please posr or email.
>Thanks
>Rick in WHite Lake

Hi,
I am looking for the 3 or 4 Detroit Mich Metro area tv audio freqs.
The audio freqs are the ones that they use when they are on a remote
location.If you know them,please post or email.
Thanks
Rick in WHite Lake

Sorry..I corrected the spelling error.

1539. Re: Discriminator help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980808014412 00.VAA06988@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148719

>Hi,.....i know this seems like a stupid question, but what is a
>discriminator output and what is it for?......thanks
>
>

The discriminator output is the raw audio signal before any audio filtering. It is useful for feeding into data decoders of various types, such as weather fax, pager decoders, etc. Most scanners can easily be modified to provide a discriminator out jack.

Larry

1540. Re: Mackey is even the laughing stock of PARG!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <kaOssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CBAD71.5261@parg.org>
Source record: 148720

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Mmmmm. Are there ANY members of PARG other
> than you? REAL ones, anyway?

You know there are Bill. You've wrote e-mail to the PARG webmaster (Mike) & the PARG President (Justin) bitching, like only YOU can do! They have BOTH responded to you telling you they didn't want to hear any more of your complaints!

1541. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: shirsh@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <shirsh-0708982051290001@host-209-214-194-215.mem.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148721

In article <1998080723235100.TAA18863@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

> I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap tips
> and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list or a
> web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...

I have mine on order also; from Bandercomm. It has been two weeks since
they supposedly shipped it. Can't wait! I would be interested in
exchanging tips with you or anyone else.

Steve

1542. buttwing! Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: new guy <newguy@aol.com>
Message-ID: <35CD5C7A.7E191EC5@aol.com>
Source record: 148322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner

mackey writes a decent nice worded message to cheeks about a technical
matter
that would apply to the subject of this newsgroup and the FAG BILL
CHEEKS
reponds back calling childish name and acting like an asshole as usual.

now we see who the real problem here is: BILL CHEEKS

what a buttwing cheeks is!

Bill Cheek wrote:

> J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:
>
> > Hi Bill, how are you doing?
>
> Hi wartlip, how's that wart inside your lower lip?
>
> > Fine I hope!
>
> Finer'n you, that's fer sure.
>
> > Do you remember when you have said that UV does not affect coax
>
> I didn't say it doesn't affect coax. I said it
> affected the outer molecular layers of the
> polyethylene jacket. Some coaxes will prove
> worse than others, but in worst cases, it's
> not a big deal to those in the know, nor even
> to wartlips like you.
>
> > or cause signal loss after time?
>
> How MUCH time? I've got some 20+ yr old coax
> that's still as good as new. Looks like hell,
> but it's finer'n a frog hair.
>
> > Is that still your position?
>
> Depends on how MUCH time, I guess. I mean given
> a LONG time, I suppose when the UV degenerates
> the copper shield to cause problems with the
> dielectric........but that's a long time, Hermie.
>

> You friggin wartlip........

1543. 42Mhz is boomin with state troopers again(central ontario)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggmv@bconnex.net
Message-ID: <6qr9mp$3fg$1@news.bconnex.net>
Source record: 148323

again at time of this post!!!! enjoy. MIKE

1544. For Sale: radio shack 2036 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: elwoood@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913013000.JAA16500@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148372

Radio Shack 2036 200 channel base scanner in mint condition. New memory battery installed, includes ac power supply, indoor antenna and original manual.
150.00 plus shipping from West Coast
Contatc Elwoood@aol.com

1545. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913271600.JAA11338@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148373

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> searches ceaselessly for ways to avoid the truth:

>I never said I had any, I simply asked what facts the
>statement was based on.

You've never offered any facts to back
up any of your statements, so why would
you try and hold others to a standard
that you won't meet yourself?

1546. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913271700.JAA11339@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148374

And This Little Mackey Went "HeHeHe" All The Way Home <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>Wrong, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!

Let me say this once again, slowly. Take that
crayon out of your nose and cinch up your diaper
and see if you can comprehend ...
I did not make an offer to Cheek.
I made an offer to you.
You refused to accept that offer.
It's that simple.
I offered you a deal between you and me, and
you refused to accept it.

1547. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913271800.JAA11340@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148375

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> can't keep his lies OR his proposals straight:

>So what? MY proposal was to CHEEK!

Again, you're mumbling things that make no sense.
MY proposal was to YOU.
Whatever proposal you might have made to
Cheek has NOTHING to do with my proposal
to you, which you refused to accept.

1548. Re: Civility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913271800.JAA11343@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148376

WILLIAM WOOD <ke4may@gte.net> writes:

>Sin #1: it's boring; #2: with
>only one life to live, it's a heinous waste of precious time.

William,
These are sins? Heck, at worst #2 might be
a case of bad judgement, but the best any of us can
do is judge for ourselves what's right for us.
Personally, I don't have precious time to
waste trying to determine what someone else
should or shouldn't post.
Regards,
Dave

1549. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913271900.JAA11344@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148377

Here's what J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> does when he's backed into a corner by the truth:

>No, you are simply trying to find any excuse you can to
>back out of the deal.

This is similar to the technique you use
when you quote a line of text and then
change words in it or attribute it to someone
other than the author ... and it's just as silly and
juvenile.
I offered you the deal and you refused. How
do you figure I'm backing out of a deal that
you've never accepted?

1550. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080913272000.JAA11346@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148378

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> will do ANYTHING except tell the truth:

>Normally I will do ANYTHING that someone else will do.

You're incapable of doing anything normally.

You refused to do what I was willing to do
to end the flames.

Ergo, your statement is 100% false.

1551. Re: Mackey's Lying Lips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980809132721O1.JAA18212@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148379

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>Neither of you have ever presented truth YET!

Sure I have.

When you lied and said
Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service,
I presented the truth that they do.

1552. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ##aheely##@##downcity##.net
Message-ID: <35cda664.668338@news.downcity.net>
Source record: 148380

Maybe we should send some of his postings to Monitoring Times. They might not want to have his name associated with their magazine.

Art

On Sun, 9 Aug 1998 06:42:01 -0400, KD4OVM <twright@u1.abs.net> wrote:

>Some of us are getting tire of Mr.Bill and your constant postings
>Come guys give us a break
>
>Tim KD4OVm
>
>
>
>On Thu, 30 Jul 1998, KA0SSF wrote:
>
>> Have you noticed that since Bill got booted off Scanning Mail
>> list that he has been making a lot of trouble on this news group.
>>
>> Bill just got kicked off the mail list a few days ago & just in
>> the last few days he has probably tripled his usual number of
>> harassing posts on this NG.
>>
>> So I suggest Bill simply handle his disappointment & defeat
>> like a man. Bill should stop using this NG as a punching bag
>> for his agressions. This NG did not cause Bill to get kicked off
>> the scanning mail list, Bill's own actions caused that! Bill, if
>> you can't accept it then go to a therapist for counseling or
>> see a Doctor for medication.
>>
>> If the problem persists then people whould express their concerns to
>> the ISP's that provide Bill his service. He uses both CTS.COM &
>> SAN.RR.COM.
>>
>> Abuse@cts.com, postmaster@cts.com, root@cts.com, & admin@cts.com
>> are good addresses to voice complaints to for the CTS system.
>>
>> Abuse@san.rr.com, postmaster@san.rr.com, root@csan.rr.com,
>> admin@san.rr.com,
>> abuse@rr.com, postmaster@rr.com, root@rr.com, & admin@rr.com are good
>> addresses to voice complaints to for the san.rr.com system.
>>
>> Or try the following below:
>>
>> EXCALIBUR Group, A Time Warner Company (RR6-DOM)

>> 290 Harbor Drive
>> Stamford, CT 06902
>>
>> Domain Name: RR.COM
>>
>> Administrative Contact:
>> Admin, RR (AR288-ORG) rradmin@CT.RR.COM
>> 203-351-2000
>> Fax- 203-351-2299
>> Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
>> Tech, RR (TR217-ORG) rrtech@CT.RR.COM
>> 203-351-2000
>> Fax- 203-351-2299
>>
>>
>>
>> CTS Network Services (CTS-DOM)
>> 8913 Complex Drive, #C
>> San Diego, CA 92123
>> US
>>
>> Domain Name: CTS.COM
>>
>> Administrative Contact:
>> Blue, William (BB167) bblue@CTS.COM
>> 619.637.3600 (FAX) 619.637.3630
>> Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
>> Peter Kolding (PK74-ORG) hostmaster@CTS.COM
>> 619-637-3600 (FAX) 619-637-3630
>>
>>
>
>

1553. Re: Need help buying scanner to reduce interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1037711c637293039896c1@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 148381

In article <35cd196e.33114757@news.mindspring.com>, dpepper2@yahoo.com says...
> I use a portable scanner only to monitor the Railroad freq in the
> 160-161Mhz range. Previously I used a Radio Shack Pro-50 and a
> magnetic mount antenna on my car roof that had been cut-to-length to
> optimize 160-161 reception. However, near downtown Atlanta I would
> encounter pretty bad interference(and not just from pagers), even
> though I was only monitoring 2 or 3 channels. Since the electrical
> outlet on my Pro-50 just broke, I am going to buy a new scanner, but
> would like to significantly reduce this interference, and will pay
> good money to do so. Any recommendations on features and specific
> portable models would be appreciated.
>
>>>>>Ok,
The first piece of advice I can give you is to forget about a scanner,and look into a ham HT.I use my old Icom 24at for listeng to Detroit PD on 453MHZ,(about 55 miles),and for trains.I've never had any intermod on it except from cell towers.It is awsome hooked up to a magmount on my car.I've never seen a scanner that is even in the same "universe" as the 24at.I know the W2 is pretty much the same(it replaced the 24at),the latest HT's aren't too good.The Yaesu FT50 is a good radio,but horrible for trains.A friend has one,it get trashed by WX,and pagers,over the whole VHF band.Too bad,it's a great little radio.Go to a ham store,and check out the used HT's,most of these stores have a return policy of like 2 weeks for refund/exchange.If you really want an awesome mobile radio,the Yaesu FT 2400/2500 are unbelievable!I had a 2400 and I wish I never sold it,my Icom 7100 is great,but not as good as the 2400. A couple of train watching friends have ignored my advice,and one got a BC 235,it's ok,not great.My 7 year old Icom blows it away,I can hear stuff clearly that the 235,my 200xlt,26,43(BAD for trains),46,Yupi 9000,can't even pick up at all!I'll be screwed when it dies....
Good Luck..

Barry

1554. Scanner database software for windows..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: s_itchins <steven_itchins@trump.net.au>
Message-ID: <6qk9haihm1@jazz-1.trumpet.com.au>
Source record: 148382

I was wondering if anyone has or knows where i can get a scanner database. I have recently purchased a pc and would like to keep my frequencies stored on my pc.

thanks in advance. steven.

steven_itchins@trump.net.au

1555. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <cjiz1.2036$ke.3215914@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148383

Yes Bill Cheek got thrown out of Scan-L.

What he doesn't tell you is that it was clearly explained how he can use a feature of his posting software to harvest your email address when you read his messages. This valuable item can then be sold to SPAMMERS at a nice profit for Mr. Cheek.
You lose in that you may be bombarded with even more hated SPAM in your email. After scanning through some of the treads in this newsgroup it just dawned on me that some of the sex related SPAM may also be possibly traced back to people who use that feature.

Anyone who has read a Cheek newsletter can easily see how Bill is concerned about making a buck (spelling?) off of those he deals with. When I purchased my new shredder during CompUSA's sale this week, I needed some trash to test it with. The very first thing I choose to try in this new shredder was to see if it could shred Cheek's 'newsletters'. It did a fine job on them!

TIP: The CompUSA sale shredder $54.95 was marked down to $29 and it included a nice trash bin for the results. It has an nice automatic feature in that you leave it powered in standby all the time and all you have to do is drop up to five sheets thickness in the slot. It comes on with a satisfying sound and instantly shreds the waste documents you don't want anyone else to read.

TIP: If you actually have subscribed to Cheeks newsletters -&#65533; you get a far bigger bang for your buck with ' Nuts and Volts'.

KA0SSF wrote in message <35C61664.479B@parg.org>...
>Bill Cheek wrote:
>> Peter Laws booted me off the SCAN-L list
>
>
>Bill's very own words!!!!!!1

1556. Re: Tips to filter the crap in this n.g.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.L.Zeni" <N.D.Gumby@theatre.net>
Message-ID: <35CDB66B.6E4E@mindspring.com>
Source record: 148384

Jose Cuervo wrote:
>
> Does Netscap Newsreader have a filters option? If so how do I set this baby
> up?

Nope, Nyetskape does not have filters. However, there is a plug-in
filter available that works very nicely called FixNews. Get it at
http://www.desisoft.com . It's freeware and works like a champ. Get it
and stop the stoopidity from hitting your desktop.
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1557. Re: military freq. for myrtle beach

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug McClure <dmclure@apk.net>
Message-ID: <35CDE094.B64@apk.net>
Source record: 148385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Darrell wrote:
>
> Looking for military freq. for myrtle beach to include coast guard.
> Thank`s, Darrell---Roanoke, Va.

CG monitors Marine Channel 16 (156.800) for distress calls. Upon receiving one, they may either remain on 16 or switch to another marine channel. I have heard them using 16 throughout an entire MAYDAY operation.

1558. regency inf-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Doolin <rdoolin@kih.net>
Message-ID: <6qkfb5$hd1$1@dbtsvr2.dbtech.net>
Source record: 148386

anyone have the manual for the regency inf-1 scanner.please e-mail me

1559. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qkg6r$b6f$0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 148387

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 13:40:02 GMT, ##aheely###@###downcity##.net (Arthur P. Heely) wrote:

>Maybe we should send some of his postings to Monitoring Times. They
>might not want to have his name associated with their magazine.
>
>Art

Sure. But, to be fair, we would also send John's postings to his employer.

Live from P_ARG!!

1560. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qkgc4$b6f$1@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 148388

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 14:25:12 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Yes Bill Cheek got thrown out of Scan-L.
>
>What he doesn't tell you is that it was clearly explained how he can use a
>feature of his posting software to harvest your email address when you read
>his messages. This valuable item can then be sold to SPAMMERS at a nice
>profit for Mr. Cheek.
>You lose in that you may be bombarded with even more hated SPAM in your
>email. After scanning through some of the treads in this newsgroup it just
>dawned on me that some of the sex related SPAM may also be possibly traced
>back to people who use that feature.

Although I don't like the RRQ feature, do you have any proof that
Bill sold your email address in any way? I mean, yes, it COULD be
sold, or used in an offensive way, but WAS it?

Live from P_ARG!!

1561. Discriminator Taps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: swrosch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35cddac5.1379538@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 148389

Howdy all!

I remember seeing a while back a message in this group
from Bill Cheek listing a bunch of ICs with the pin for the
discriminator tap. Can anyone repost that?

Thanks..

Scott

1562. Re: Kill Filter (Delete); Use of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlennon@eburg.com
Message-ID: <35cedc29.3719221@news.eburg.com>
Source record: 148390

On Mon, 03 Aug 1998 11:33:23 GMT, crudhacker@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <35d704ba.12713269@news.mia.bellsouth.net>,
> x- noarchive: yes
> kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:
>> On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 22:24:23 GMT, denniso@primenet.com (Dennis Davis)
>> wrote:
>>
>> >I have only been looking in this ng for about three weeks. I found
>> >some really neat stuff here re: scanners and scanning. However, it
>> >seemed that there was about 35 - 40 percent of the posts being made by
>> >two individuals and their gallery of followers. (I refer to the flame
>> >war.) I looked over the selection today, and picked 13 folks who were
>> >posting the majority of the flames/comments about flammers and they
>> >are now being filtered and deleted. If they were as diligent in
>> >posting questions and answers pertaining to the ng topics, it probably
>> >would have been a pleasure to have read their comments. Alas, they be
>> >gone now.
>>
>> Perhaps in the future you might post something about scanning?
>>
>> -
>
> He probably won't see your message.
>
>Looks like two more for his list..

1563. Relm HS200 cpu reset? Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080917395900.NAA06196@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148391

Anyone know if there is a CPU reset on the relm Hs200 scanner, seems as though I cant get several banks to "open" up while in the scan mode and Im hoping that a reset would do the trick. Or if someone knows how to unlock them? (they are 3,5, and 7) I hear a beep sound, but its a dirrerent tone then if you were to include or take the bank out of scan.....

Any help is appreciated.

1564. KA0SSF lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <478_9808091100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148392

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> Your knowledge of historical facts on this topic is seriously
Ka> flawed. Cheek left moderatorship of Scanradio, then about 2
Ka> or 3 months later left fidonet altogether after being requested
Ka> to leave.

Cheek conducted an election which you tried to sway with netmail
(and I still have that message from you), then almost immediately
thereafter shut down Hertizian Intercept and left Fido -- on his
own free will.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1565. John, again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <479_9808091100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148393

-=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-

BB> John, I am pleased that you see my posts as exciting.

How else do you think numbnuts gets his jollies? <g>

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1566. CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <47a_9808091100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148394

-=> Quoting Bill Cheek to All <=-

BC> KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

Fire Chief wrote:
>> advance. He even conducted an election in SCANNERS for
>> a new moderator, which mackey tried to swing with netmail.

> He left Fido a couple months later.

BC> Wrong, dungball. One month later after I
BC> passed the moderatorship of the echo to
BC> Blake Bowers.........

> Normally, you are correct. BUT,,,,,,,,,
> He was given that courtesy due to some of the good things he
> had done for Net202.

BC> No, forked tongue, I was NOT asked to leave
BC> Fidonet. In fact, I was asked to stay.

BC> You lying sack o'rat turds.........

Here's your proof, Cheek.............Let Mackey wish his ass
with this. <g>

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To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
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|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1567. Re: Icom PCR-1000 3rd party software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@pop.net
Message-ID: <35cdeafe.5958058@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 148395

I downloaded the PCR1000 EEPROM burner software and was 'brave' enough to give it a try. It DID allow me to backup the EEPROM and I also restored the 'blocked' bands.

All in all this program works well. I was worried that it might be malicious but it seems to work as advertised.

I sleep better at night!

On Mon, 06 Jul 1998 11:53:23 GMT, "John McDermon" <mcdermon@usa.net> wrote:

>Icom has taken a very hard line with respect to use of 3rd party
>software on the PCR-1000. They have said (to me at least) that use of
>such software may VOID the warranty if the EEPROM is corrupted.
>

SNIP

1568. FS >> Icom IC-R1<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allen Tinnell <atinnell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6qkpvjcpn1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 148396

FS:
Icom IC-R1 wideband rx, with manual, bp 84, charger, antenna, older
unblocked model. not abused in great shape. $285.
Allen
N7FGV

1569. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@pop.net
Message-ID: <35ceec4f.6294783@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 148397

Ok I downloaded and tried the utility and it works! I was worried that it was malicious but it works as advertised! I made a backup copy of the EEPROM and then restored with the GENE setting and have UNBLOCKED the unit!!!

On 30 Jul 1998 15:14:12 GMT, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister) wrote:

>Everyone with PCR1000 radios,
>
>Check this out:
>
>28-Jul-98 02:25:00
>Sb: PCR1000 interesting news
>Fm: Michael Puchol 101344,1416
>To: All,
>
>Hi all,
>
>To all of those afraid to use your PCR in case your EEPROM gets erased
>by software (ICOM's or 3rd party), take a look at the following page:
>
>http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.htm
>
>It features, free for download, an EEPROM backup/restore utility,
>created over this last weekend. This is the utility that a lot of
>users have requested ICOM produced or released, and we have met a
>stone wall.
>Oh, just a small detail: all of you who have done the hardware mod for
>cell coverage restore, and most importantly, those who wanted it and
>would not risk it, this utility can restore cell coverage. It is just
>a flag setting in the EEPROM.
>I think that, as it is illegal to sell software-modifiable radios in
>the US, then ICOM may well have to 'retire' this receiver. This may be
>why the protocols were kept so secret...
>
>If ICOM had been wiser on this, it would not have gone this far, users
>could just have had some protocols to play with, and they would have
>been satisfied. Now the whole thing is open, and users have regained
>control over the receivers they purchased with their hard-earned
>dollars.
>
>With best regards, and looking forward to using good quality 3rd party
>software again,
>

>Mike
>
>**
>That's all folks!
>
>Charles
>
>To reply, remove the "x" from my address

1570. Re: OPTO 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: reddog <bug@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc3c6$dda71ee0$6975d6d1@ogleboog>
Source record: 148398

Yes but, the opto board provides an easy point to hook it up

1571. Re: Looking for BC895XLT in Tidewater area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35cdefe2.8572183@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 148399

Hi Brian

I bought my BC895 off the internet and save $150 over local prices. I bought a Relm hs-200 localy, but only after they came down in price to be competitive with the Internet price including shipping. (I forgot about state tax). I want to support small local businesses, but maybe this is just holdiong on to old ideas. E-commerce is picking up, and if the local guys stay dumb, that's their problem.

Best of luck

RoyOn Sun, 2 Aug 1998 14:00:02 -0400, "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net> wrote:

>Am trying to find a BC895XLT radio local to me. (Norfolk, Portsmouth,
>Va,Beach)
>and have only found one dealer local and he wants 349.00 which seems steep.
>Anyone know of any dealers local to this area.
>
>Bryan
>
>
>

1572. Re: cb freq scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35cdf0b2.8780608@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 148400

the relm hs-200 works on CB. cost 169 from national.

Roy

On Tue, 04 Aug 1998 19:24:06 -0600, "Matthew H. Fogle"
<foglem@cec2.aps.edu> wrote:

>I personally bought a Cobra 45WX; modifed for all 120 channels from 26.515 to
>27.855... Of course a good scanner would do 25mHz and up anyway...
>
>Steve Ashley wrote:
>
>> How about a Cherokee AH27 Hand Held CB - has a great scan feature and can
>> tranmit well as well. I recommend checking out
>> www.bills2way.com they have the best prices I have found $78.00
>>
>> Ken Buffie wrote in message <35BD3F2F.5D5675A9@lkdllink.net>...
>> >Hello,
>> >Anyone know which scanners (new or old) can receive CB frequencies. I
>> >have a Realistic 2040 but want a
>> >scanner that can monitor CB frequencies and I would like to do it as
>> >inexpensively as possible. Nothing fancy, just don't want to spend
>> >another $150 or more for a CB or Scanner. Thanks in advance.
>> >
>> >Ken "not an equipment snob" Buffie
>> >
>
>
>

1573. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qkuni$7d5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148401

In article <35CD040B.3B44@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Sounds good to me but I want to add this one little condition for mackey
only
> > and mackey cannot ask anyone else to abide by the condition as it for mackey
> > only. The condition is mackey can never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
> > rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any alias's he
>
> Normally I will do ANYTHING that someone else will do. THAT would mean
> that if YOU will "never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
> rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any
> alias's"
> then I would do the same.
>

See you weedle out of it again mackey, the condition also stated that you
could not ask anyone else to abide by the condition set for you.

> But since YOU refuse to post under a legit ID & you usually post thru
> a false server like Dejanews then your credibility is NOTHING.
>

As for a legit ID you know what all of my ID"S are as you and your buddies
keep mail bombing them, hence the posting through dejanews as you don't have
the balls to do the same with the dejanews email.

> If you can convince Bill Cheek to stand in for you on the agreement, I
> would
> agree to it!

As I stated the condition is for you alone and no one else and you don't like
that condition as you won't be able to post crap like you do now.

It proves that you want to keep things going on the newsgroup by you not
agreeing to it.

>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1574. Re: A real good Descrambler Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35CDF3AC.2E75BF1@eden.com>
Source record: 148402

I'm sorry. It's my fault for not putting you in my killfile in the first place.
You are one of the off topic posters too you know...

Ryan Faricy wrote:

> So, you support spamming?
>
> It's not good that you are so narrow-minded and stubborn to think that all I
> do is make mistakes and provide misinformation. If you choose to think that
> way, you are mistaken. I've provided much more good information than
> compared to misinformation.
>
> Only jerks like to see through the good sides of people and only look at
> their negative aspects. You, in fact, are one of them. You were helpful when
> I asked a question about cellular (although somewhat arrogant), but I now
> resent your entire existence.
>
> Jose Cuervo wrote in message <35CD1CBB.EB902C6B@eden.com>...
> >I don't think he cares, I don't think anyone cares what you say...

1575. Re: i'm looking to spend under $200.. what is the best scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35cdf2bd.9303304@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 148403

I just purchased a BC895XLT from National Radio. $213 INCLUDING
shipping.

http://www.sound.net/~ne/

Cumminications Electronics has it for $195 after rebates (I think
they're instant rebates). CEI has a shipping of $18, so it's a wash.
http://www.usascan.com/

This is one amazing scanner for the price.

See Rich Well's website for reviews of this radio and a whole lot
more.

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/imp895.htm

http://www.strongsignals.net

Regards

Roy

I want to die in my sleep like my grandfather ...
Not screaming and yelling like the passengers in his car.

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998 20:12:00 -0500, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Yes, the PRO-90 and PRO-64 (which I own) are good. The PRO-64 doesn't track,
>but it has a pc link, which I use a lot. (Allows you to program 400
>frequencies automatically, in less then 60 seconds.)
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>Evrclear84 wrote in message
><1998080601001100.VAA02635@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>i would like to spend under $200 and i was wondering which model i should
>buy.
>>i was looking at the pro-90, but if there are any other good models which
>get

>>the 800 MHZ, please enlighten me!
>>
>>thanks!,
>>
>>steve email me at Evrclear84@aol.com
>
>

1576. FS or Trade: Motorola MTS-2000 Flashport

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David - N6RHL <N6RHL@mho.net>
Message-ID: <35CDF3F7.C84C7A23@mho.net>
Source record: 148404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur.swap

I have three (3) Motorola MTS-2000 Flashport Handheld 800 mhz trunking radios for sale or trade.

Model Numbers: HO1UCD6PW1BN
Type: UCKA

All serial number plates are intact on the radios. Radios are in brand new out of the box condition. Radios were used for approx 3 months and have been stored in boxes for the last two years now.

3 radios
2 batteries for each radio
1 Antenna for each radio
1 Heavy Duty lapel mic for each radio.
1 quick charger base without the power supply. You will have to provide your own power pack for the charger.

These radios have a LCD Alphanumeric dispaly on top of the radio. There is no keypad on the radios.

I would prefer to trade these radios for the following items.

I will trade all three radios for 1 uhf motorola spectra mobile radio and 1 vhf motorola spectra mobile. Your radios must be in mint condition.

I will trade two of the radios and related accessories for 1 GE EDACS capable handheld radio which includes a charger, antenna and battery.

I would also be willing to make a deal/trade for 1 uhf and 1 vhf saber portables that are of comparable value and are in mint condition with chargers, batteries and Antennas.

Or I will take any reasonable cash offers. Please only make serious cash offers as I do know what these radios are worth. I would just rather trade for items that I am interested in.

Please only reply to me via personal email. I do not regurlarly check the newsgroup postings and will not see any replies made to me via newsgroups.

If you would prefer to talk to me directly regarding these radios you may page me at 1-800-719-8053 but remember to put in your area code when paging me.

Thanks in advance.

David N6RHL@mho.net

1577. Help with Frequency Search!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David - N6RHL <N6RHL@mho.net>
Message-ID: <35CDF4A6.1B9855C3@mho.net>
Source record: 148405
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi, if someone with a percon disk or some other means of searching FCC databases could help me I would appreciate it very much.

I am attempting to find the frequencies assigned to Quicksilver Express Couriers of Colorado. They should have 8-10 800 mhz freqs assigned to them in the state of colorado. I beleive that they utilize a Johnson LTR trunking system. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Please reply via personal email to my address below.

Thanks in advance.

Dave

N6RHL@mho.net

1578. BC895XLT Computer interface.. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35cdf8e6.10880264@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 148406

Does anyone have any info in the 895's computer interface...the pinning, what the heck kind of connector is that thing any way. I've been in computers for years and must have missed this one. Also the data format the radio puts out and expects to see.

Has some one already done all this and has a product out there??

Anything at all will be more than I have now.

Thanks

Roy

I want to die in my sleep like my grandfather ...
Not screaming and yelling like the passengers in his car.

1579. Re: OPTO 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080919413800.PAA20735@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148407

>ADL <"EASTSIDEZEN@FUSE.NET"@fuse.net>

>
>Will I still need a disc. tap for decode software after I install the
>opto board
>or will the opto board provide this?

If I understand the qwestion properly, you will still need to tap the discriminator to decode POCSAG etc. The Opto will enable you to decode CTCSS and DTMF.

1580. God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080919463700.PAA21314@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148408

I was passing by a dumpster last night and I heard a voice calling my name. I peered into the dumpster where I saw a buring bag of shredded office paper. From the bag, I heard a voice--a voice like any other. It could only have been God! Suddenly a burning finger shot out of the bag's glowing ember and enscribed these commandments on a discarded piece of white board. God commanded me to bring them to you:

I. Thou shalt not flame.
II. Thou shalt not engage in personal vendettas.
III. Thou shalt not transmit electronic mail bombs.
IV. Thou shalt not electronically stalk.
V. Thou shalt not post more off-topic than on-topic messages.
VI. Thou shalt not provoke others with lies.
VII. Thou shalt not bear false witness against others.
VIII. Thou shalt not impersonate legitimate users.
IX. That shalt not post forged messages.
X. Thou shalt not exceed the authorized use of any system.
XI. Thou shalt not attempt to speak for anyone else on this newsgroup.

I did what I was told. Now, the rest is up to you. Either behave yourselves or go to hell.

1581. ADD YOUR LINKS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Crabtree <crabtree@crtelco.com>
Message-ID: <35CDFA55.DA76CDC8@crtelco.com>
Source record: 148409

I am now looking for CB, Scanner, and Ham links. If you have a personal page you would like to add to my page, email the location to me and I will add it. If you have a commercial site you would like to add, email the URL to me and a small graphic to use as a link. All submissions welcome, whether yours or your favorite.

Mike Crabtree "Crabber"

email: crabtree@crtelco.com
homepage: http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Thinktank/5878/

1582. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0158.175@parg.org>
Source record: 148410

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> I've been in Net 202 since 1992 and there wasn't
> any such deal like you're lying about.

Just because you are in Net 202 doesn't mean you know anything.

That & $2 MIGHT get you a cup of coffee!

1583. Re: Joe lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0269.21CF@parg.org>
Source record: 148411

Joe Nicholson wrote:

> Cheek conducted an election which you tried to sway with netmail
> (and I still have that message from you),

Yea, so what difference does that make to anything?

> Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
> From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
> To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
> Subj: Hello Replies: None
> Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06
>
> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>
> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> > him getting booted from Fido.

I never stated that he got "booted" from Fido, only that he was asked to
leave.

PLEASE, get you data correct!

1584. Used scanners{california}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <493_9808091300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148412

-=> Quoting Scape3000 to All <=-

Sc> Hi can someone advice of any store that sales used scanners in souther
Sc> california if u know please e-mail to me

WHERE in Southern California? I have a list which
includes Anaheim, Los Angeles, San Bernardio, most
of San Diego, and Burbank.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1585. Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <494_9808091300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148413

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

Fire Chief wrote:
> FidoNet R10C confirmed his lying about Cheek being booted out of the
> net. He still won't admit to that falsehood he started spreading.

Ka> Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!

Wrong again, dingdong. I've been a part of FidoNet since February 1992.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

! Origin: Net 202 -=- TNL Online! -=- R10 RHUB -=- (1:202/777)

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LEO'S FIREFIGHTERS SAR	FIDONET
COMMS AMATEUR RADIO	e-mail newsgroups
Home of THE San Diego County BBS List(619) 441-9679

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1586. Re: Proof mackey made up the warrant story.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qkvs1$8se$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148414

Anyone else notice that mackey is ignoring the post that proves he made up the story about the warrant to get back at Bill?
When has mackey ever kept quite about a post someone has made about him?

It appears the post Charles made is 100 percent true, otherwise he would have had obfd on here disputing it.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1587. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE03B1.61FE@parg.org>
Source record: 148415

Phil Smalley wrote:

> That means even if Bill Cheek and friends post lewd jokes, nasty
> comments, flames, snorts, guffaws or anything else in your general
> direction, you let it go without saying a word.

Sorry, I made a committment to this NG 2 years ago that I (along with
a few others) would stand guard here to watch for Cheek attempting to
cause problems or attack users of this NG. In essence, there is a ZERO
TOLORANCE POLICY for his troublemaking! To do what you say would
be going back on my word which I will not do. However, if Cheek
will behave himself & act like a dignified gentleman then there would
be no need to me to get involved.

> And, conversely, if one of your pals/aliases/whatever say nasty things
> to or about me, it also goes unnoticed and ignored.

However, there is NOTHING to prevent YOU from doing this!

> I'm tired of all this BS myself. So,

I couldn't have said that better myself!

1588. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0537.7C2B@parg.org>
Source record: 148416

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I didn't say it doesn't affect coax. I said it
> affected the outer molecular layers of the
> polyethylene jacket. Some coaxes will prove
> worse than others, but in worst cases, it's
> not a big deal to those in the know, nor even
> to wartlips like you.
>
> Depends on how MUCH time, I guess. I mean given
> a LONG time, I suppose when the UV degenerates
> the copper shield to cause problems with the
> dielectric........but that's a long time,

OK Bill, I refer you to the magazine "Mobile Radio Technology"
page 26, article "Coaxial cable for wireless communications"
section "Jacketing", January 1998 Issue.

Go read it & learn something Bill!

1589. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0616.2227@parg.org>
Source record: 148417

Joe Nicholson wrote:

> Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
> From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
> To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
> Subj: Hello Replies: None
> Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06
>
> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>
> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> > him getting booted from Fido.

I never said he got booted from Fido!

I said he was asked to leave.

PLEASE get & keep your data correct!

1590. Re: Joe is even the laugh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0667.499@parg.org>
Source record: 148418

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> Hell, you're the ONLY member of PARG.

At last count PARG had about 50 members!

1591. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE067F.A43@parg.org>
Source record: 148419

Fire Chief wrote:
> Do you need a re-post of R10C's statement?

No, she is not knowledgable.

1592. BC855XLT and PRO90 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tailwagger <tailwagger@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <jFnz1.53$xa4.374149@typhoon02.swbell.net>
Source record: 148420

Both units are like new will all box, packing, manuals, etc. Selling units to purchase
shortwave equipment I have more scanners than I need.
Bearcat BC855XLT has been modified to 100 channels and has 800 meghz intact including celluar. 100.00 firm includes shipping mail or ups will do COD.
Radio Shack PRO90 is perfect warranty thru 6/30/2003. Unit Includes Austin Condor rubber duckie ant. and RS extended coverage ant. along with org rubber duckie ant. 180.00 firm includes shipping mail or ups will do COD.
Well sell both units for 260.00 firm shipped to you. E-Mail: tailwagger@hotmail.com

1593. HF Air Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary C. Lewis" <gclewis@penn.com>
Message-ID: <35CCD45E.30F2@penn.com>
Source record: 148421
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello All,
Does anyone happen to know what HF frequencies are used by most air lines? I think at one time they were in the 8mhz range but have not heard anything there.
Would anyone have any military HF or otherwise? I listened to the Gulf War on HF, tankers, AWACS, escorts,etc.

Thanks.

1594. r.r.s. vs. a.r.s.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: misteradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080920410600.QAA28028@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148422

rec.radio.scanner

alt.radio.scanner

What's the difference?

So many messages are duplicated that I probably only need to read one of these two groups. Which one should it be?

signed, a scanner newbie

Teen angst and pathetic real-life anecdotes,
interwoven against a truly hideous musical backdrop!
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1595. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0965.4FB5@parg.org>
Source record: 148423

K4CC wrote:

> I did not make an offer to Cheek.
> I made an offer to you.

YES, and then I accepted as long as Cheek does also!

It is that simple!

1596. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE09C3.4110@parg.org>
Source record: 148424

K4CC wrote:
> MY proposal was to YOU.

Yes, & now I accepted it with an offer to YOU & CHEEK!

1597. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0A65.17CF@parg.org>
Source record: 148425

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I don't
> and WON'T negotiate with you. Your "one point"
> is no point at all.

So are you saying you refuse the truce?

1598. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0BA3.4B50@parg.org>
Source record: 148426

KD4OVM wrote:
> Some of us are getting tire of Mr.Bill and your

I suggest you deal with the ROOT of your problems where they all
begin.

1599. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE07F7.3D3@parg.org>
Source record: 148427

K4CC wrote:
> You've never offered any facts to back
> up any of your statements, so why would

I didn't make the original statement. If I had, I would provide fast
to back it!

1600. Re: BC895XLT Computer interface.. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@for.me
Message-ID: <0B211BA3B8F35DCD.145C5EF11A8E6373.C19F294A4305481C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 148428

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 19:34:30 GMT, roy@esp.bellcore.com (Roy Harrison) wrote:

>Does anyone have any info in the 895's computer interface...the
>pinning, what the heck kind of connector is that thing any way. I've
>been in computers for years and must have missed this one. Also the
>data format the radio puts out and expects to see.

1. Cable - get one from grove (www.grove.net) or Scancat (cat-895 cable) from www.scancat.com

2. Program - (obvious plug for my product here): After you get the cable, go try FreeTracker: www.AutoWinNet.com/freetrack.html
As the name implies, it's free. Get more info on the homepage ...

1601. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE088C.7B13@parg.org>
Source record: 148429

K4CC wrote:
> I offered you the deal and you refused. How

YOU offered the deal. I said yes (which essentially called your BLUFF!)
Then YOU tried to backpedal out! :(

1602. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE08C8.3797@parg.org>
Source record: 148430

K4CC wrote:
> You refused to do what I was willing to do
> to end the flames.

If that is true then WHY have YOU continued the flames?

1603. Re: New Police Helicopter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZackVanHammer
Message-ID: <35ce098e.4065713@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148431
Cross-posted to: phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.scanner

What program do I need to listen to police and fire on my computer?
I founf a site that you can listen from. But I want to put in my own
Frerq #

Thanks,

1604. Nuts and Volts (was: some flame crapola)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35dd0949.8421890@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 148432

"Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net> wrote:

>TIP: [...] you get a far
>bigger bang for your buck with ' Nuts and Volts'.

Quite a few years ago, I got a lifetime subscription to Nuts and
Volts. It's an excellent publication for radio and electronics buffs,
experimenters, etc. There are usually one or more ads for scanners,
as well as what's in the classified section.

--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

1605. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0CCF.490A@parg.org>
Source record: 148433

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Sure. But, to be fair, we would also send John's postings to his
> employer.

Sure, go right ahead!

1606. Re: K4CC's Lying Lips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0DB2.2892@parg.org>
Source record: 148434

K4CC wrote:
> Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service,
> I presented the truth that they do.

No, you never did!

1607. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CE0F4A.F18@parg.org>
Source record: 148435

Arthur P. Heely wrote:
> Maybe we should send some of his postings to Monitoring Times. They
> might not want to have his name associated with their magazine.

That has been done before. I have even spoken to the editor of
Monitoring times. She is concerned & said that it does concern her.

1608. Help??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZackVanHammer
Message-ID: <35cf0e58.5292087@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148436

What program do I need to listen to police and fire on my computer?
I founf a site that you can listen from. But I want to put in my own
Frerq #

Thanks,

1609. new icom r2 scanner status???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rrhea@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ql3t2$fr6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148437

Icom is supposed to be introducing a new scanner, the R2, which is supposed to look like a Q7-a, but with all-mode recieve and no transmit. Anyone know when Icom will be releasing it?

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1610. Repost of Proof Mackey Lied About Warrant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ql4e5$gs1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I finally have had enough with the false stories that John Mackey has
been spreading around on the newsgroups.

I have not posted on the newsgroup before, I am one of the silent people who
read the scanner newsgroup for information. I contacted OBFD and asked him
what the deal was between cheek and mackey on the news group as I was tired
of Cheek myself, he sent the email below to me.

When I declined and said that I did not want to get involved the nasty emails
started, I had to change my service provider because of it.
And I guess they will start over again once this post is read.

Charles H

>From obfd@aol.com Mon Mar 30 13:28:19 1998
>Received: from OBFD@aol.com
> by imo25.mx.aol.com (IMOv13.ems) id PFYa010381
> for <charleshdn@aol.com>; Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 -0500 (EST)
>From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
>Message-ID: <be37d08a.351ebb4e@aol.com>
>Date: Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 EST
>To: charleshdn@aol.com
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Subject: Re: bill cheek
>Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
>Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
>X-Mailer: AOL 3.0 16-bit for Windows sub 58
>
>Bill Cheek kicked John off of the fido net so John has decided that he will do
>the same for Bill on the internet.
>
>John has come up with a sure fire ideal, and since Cheek is not one of your
>favorite people you can help us in getting rid of him once and for all.
>
>John's ideal will do this, he is going to accuse cheek of sexual abuse
>with young boys and this will make people turn against him.
>
>What he needs from you and myself is to back him up on this, don't worry no one
>will find out that John has just made the story up as they will not be able to
>check it out since it is not true.
>
>Just putting this idea in peoples minds will cause them not to want to have
>anything to do with cheek, you know tit for tat.
>

>cheek will not be able to defend himself against this and we will be rid of him
>once and for all.
>
>I for one am hoping you will help and so is John and like I said you don't have
>to worry about someone finding out as there are no real charges and that can't
>be traced .
>
>This will get rid of cheek in a hurry and we really could use your help.
>Take care, Charles, hope to see you around!
>

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1611. new icom R2? When available?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rrhea@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ql412fss1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148439

Anyone have any info or specifications on the new Icom R2 reciever? When will it be available?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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1612. Regency R2060 overload problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net
Message-ID: <35cf1277.19455636@news.csrlink.net>
Source record: 148440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have an old (how old is it, anyway) Regency R2060 scanner, and I've noticed some strange behavior. The first thing I noticed was that when listening to local police or fire traffic, I can rarely hear the mobile unit talking back to the dispatcher. I attributed this to the fact that I live in the middle of a lot of hills and I'm only using the included whip antenna. But then I noticed that when a unit is within a block or two of me, the scanner apparently overloads and I can't understand anything they're saying. To make matters worse, I was listening to an adjacent county (in a direction without a hill :) on the VHF low band and I found that my cordless phone clearly bleeds over onto the frequency! This on a scanner that, remember, can't pick up a fire truck a couple of miles outside of town. So, what's the problem with this thing? Is it single-conversion? Does it have a lousy AGC (or no AGC)? Or what?

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"Volleyball is racquetless team ping-pong played with an inflated ball
and an elevated net while standing on the table."
--George Carlin

1613. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080921363000.RAA12019@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148441

"Speedy" Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>I didn't make the original statement. If I had, I would provide fast
>to back it!

I'm sure you would. I'm equally sure that you
would provide no FACTS.

1614. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080921363200.RAA12023@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148442

Jellybelly Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>YOU offered the deal. I said yes

No, you didn't. You said "I will if Cheek
will". That's a far cry from accepting my
deal, which had nothing to do with Cheek.
You have rejected yet another "truce", even one
containing your own "amendment".

1615. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080921363300.RAA12026@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148443

Obsessed, as always, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>YES, and then I accepted as long as Cheek does also!

Why should I care if Cheek accepts it? I
never offfered it to him.

1616. Re: An Offer For Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080921363400.RAA12028@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148444

Able to continuously go around and around without ill effect because he was
born "dizzy", J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>Yes, & now I accepted it with an offer to YOU & CHEEK!

You're talking in circles, as usual.
You rejected it as I knew you would.

1617. . \\\|/// FS: hand held computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PP <dgaf@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35ce29d4.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 148445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,ga.forsale,atl.forsale,alt.forsale

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1618. Re: Civility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: len999@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35ce2901.5201639@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 148446

On 09 Aug 1998 13:27:18 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

:WILLIAM WOOD <ke4may@gte.net> writes:
:
:>Sin #1: it's boring; #2: with
:>only one life to live, it's a heinous waste of precious time.
:
:William,
:These are sins? Heck, at worst #2 might be
:a case of bad judgement, but the best any of us can
:do is judge for ourselves what's right for us.
:Personally, I don't have precious time to
:waste trying to determine what someone else
:should or shouldn't post.
:Regards,
:Dave

.....Ref: These are sins?

Obviously, you don't get it...you've learned to just sit by as
the "mob" attempts to rule. Just sit there..accept it! History
is replete with this ability to "hide" from the unpleasantness.
Hiding from reality.

Leonard...

1619. Re: alternate BNC antenna for 800 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6qlcjngkm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> What should I look for to improve 800 MHz reception on my RS Pro-90?
> I was thinking of a shorter antenna, but I haven't found one with a BNC
> connector. Any hints?

I haven't had extensive experience regarding different antenna's, but I'll tell you what I had done for better 800Mhz reception on my BC895XLT, and would probably work good on your hand held. I purchased a adjustable angle cellular antenna (17-317) from Radio Shack. I have seen posts here before recommending it and wanted to give it a try. The antenna costs $20 and has a TNC connentor, you will also have to purchase the TNC to BNC adapter for $4. Regarding reception and preformance I have found moderate inprovement in receiving 800Mhz. My radio can successfully track two additional systems that before where out of reach of the stock antenna and my mobile antenna. Also It provided cleaner discriminator data on these systems via computer programs like TRUNKER and ETRUNK. I'm sure there are other better solutions, but this seems to work great for the portable solution. I haven't had much experience with roof-top antennas, that may also somthing to look into. I hope this will give you some good advice.

Jeff

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1620. Radio Frequency`s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Fowler <sfowler@sentex.net>
Message-ID: <35CE2EBC.4FDCDAA9@sentex.net>
Source record: 148448
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anybody have the frequency`s for the Kitchener Police in Ontario,
Canada
The ones i have used do not work anymore i don`t know if they have
changed their system.
Please email at sfowler@sentex.net
Thanks

1621. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qlbb0$2o1$0@207.18.224.105>
Source record: 148449

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 20:55:07 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Sure. But, to be fair, we would also send John's postings to his
>> employer.
>
>Sure, go right ahead!
Then tell us, who is your employer?

Live from P_ARG!!

1622. Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott <spinkham@midmaine.com>
Message-ID: <35CE2FB9.5B1DE1C5@midmaine.com>
Source record: 148450

Does anyone know where I could get a free background check or credit report please email me at spinkham@midmaine.com

1623. Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CE31CE.45C1D563@primenet.com>
Source record: 148451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

With the aid of DejaNews, I have analyzed the quantity of postings by several regular posters in the alt.radio.scanner and rec.radio.scanner news groups for a one year period and compiled the statistics. The full one year period between August 1, 1997 and July 31, 1998 was examined on a month by month basis. All the the people were subject to the same search and level of scrutiny.

Seven people who are, or who have been accused, of being high frequency posters were selected. Those people are John Mackey, Bill Cheek, Richard Kendrick, Blake Bowers, George Vetterle, allsafe, and K4CC. The addresses
used by these individuals were the seed for the search.

In the case of Mackey he has used ten different addresses during the selected time period and all ten were used. Those address are: jmackey@usa.net, jmackey@parg.org, kaossf@parg.org, jmackey@parxg.org, jxxxmackey@uxxxsa.net, ka0ssf@premovearg.org, jmackeyremove@usa.net, ka0ssf@paremoverg.org, and jmackey@pio.net.

Bill Cheek changed from cts.com to san.rr.com before the examined time period and his posts from that domain are not included in this survey. The address used was Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>.

George Vetterle changed providers, but this only added five to his total count of messages posted. The two addresses surveyed are: geovet@ix.netcom.com and geovet@thevision.net.

The other address used were Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>, Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com>, <allsafe@netwit.com>, and <k4cc@aol.com>.

This is the quantity of postings broke down on a month by month basis for each of the people named above. If a message was cross posted to both groups, it was only counted once.

Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
APR 98	194	128	27	41	25	12	0
MAR 98	254	240	49	24	50	18	0
FEB 98	200	274	51	27	46	18	0
JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
DEC 97	149	227	32	0	16	1	0

NOV 97 | 63 | 65 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0
OCT 97 | 48 | 60 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0
SEP 97 | 181 | 78 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0
AUG 97 | 29 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0

TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 | 201 | 203 | 275 | 266 | 341

AVG/DAY| 5.86 | 6.43 | 0.55 | 0.56 | 0.75 | 0.73 | 0.93

AVG/ADJ| 5.86 | 6.43 | 0.95 | 0.74 | 0.75 | 1.09 | 3.72

The TOTALS are the sum of twelve months of posts for that individual.

The AVG/DAY is the average number of posts per day based on the formula TOTALS / 365.

The AVG/ADJ is TOTALS / SUM OF DAYS IN TOTAL MONTHS OF POSTINGS is the average number of posts for the actual days in the news group. The adjusted value is because some of the posters had a 0 for any given month(s).

The two months marked with an asterisk (*) for Bill Cheek are inflated values. The actual values are probably much lower because these values included the reposts of the messages canceled by John Mackey.

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

For the others, between one eighth and one half of the posts made by them were pertaining to scanners and scanning.

1624. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qlbkk$3di$0@207.18.224.105>
Source record: 148452

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 20:16:13 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Phil Smalley wrote:
>
>> That means even if Bill Cheek and friends post lewd jokes, nasty
>> comments, flames, snorts, guffaws or anything else in your general
>> direction, you let it go without saying a word.
>
>Sorry, I made a committment to this NG 2 years ago that I (along with
>a few others) would stand guard here to watch for Cheek attempting to

Who asked you for this commitment? Who appointed you
netcop?
Live from P_ARG!!

1625. Re: K4CC's Lying Lips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qlbn8$3di$1@207.18.224.105>
Source record: 148453

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 20:58:53 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>K4CC wrote:
>> Juno doesn't offer newsgroup service,
>> I presented the truth that they do.
>
>No, you never did!

Actually John, he did. Clear and concise, with information on how and where to verify that information.

He showed that you were once again, lying.

Live from P_ARG!!

1626. 2005 Manual Need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: valdemar@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35CE325B.BC2D149F@ibm.net>
Source record: 148454

Hello all!

I'm looking for the instruction manual for the Radio Shack 2005 Scanner.
Any one out there like to photo copy theirs and send it to me?? Will pay
for postage and photocopying chargers. Let me know.

Pat
San Francisco

1627. Every one that has use or does use an Astra 610S PLEASE READ!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cassie <stedee@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35CDD68E.3887@earthlink.net>
Source record: 148455

Everybody who has used or is using the Astra 610S please help me out!

I'm looking for a scanner and I'm thinking about buying it! I'm making sure no one has used it and something went wrong!!

So please if you have used an Astra 610S tell me what you thought of it!!

THANKS

1628. FS: Micro Tac Alpha / TECH PC205A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Private Dick <mcguyver@bv.net>
Message-ID: <35CE291C.9324AF88@bv.net>
Source record: 148456
Cross-posted to: alt.cellular-phone-tech,alt.cellular.motorola,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,fl.forsale

For Sale:::

1pc, with box charger MOTOROLA Micro Tac Alpha cell phone, flip model
$30

1pc, Technophone PC205A with charger/box $23.00

Both in A1 condition, e-mail me if interested..

1629. Scanners, Radios, Stuff FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35CE3540.87DC75DA@alaska.net>
Source record: 148457

THIS IS A POST FOR A NON-INTERNET FRIEND. I HAVE
NO INFO ON THESE ITEMS PLEASE RESPOND TO THE
NUMBER POSTED.
Pro-2026 $100
2 MX-350S VHF, Keypad, charger $275 both
Pro-26 Scanner $300
GE PCS UHF 2 ch $50 each.
Pro-2042 $375
Pro-2026 NIB $150
GE VHF mobile Phoenix 128 ch $150 no acc.
Shinwa 001 new $300
3-900mhz MTL no acc $50 each
Icom R-10 unblocked, mint $350
3-VHF Ritrons 154.600 1 charger, $50 all three.
Motorola "mini-rib" programmer ? $50
10-GE UHF 16ch MPA's 5 watt. $300 each.

Call 815-397-8731 for additional info.

1630. Re: data slicer circuit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35CE3D57.5720@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 148458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

serial wrote:
>
> ok....im defientely not and electrical eng. but im pretty handy with a soldering iron....so....can someone point me to a
> good site for doc's on the data slicer circuit....with pics if possible...those ansi circuit diags are like greek to
> me...
>
> any help appreciated
>
> Dave
>
> r7100@ibm.net

Dave, try this URL

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw/digital.htm

Regards

Ed

1631. Re: BC895XLT Computer interface.. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ueS2QR$w9GA.411@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 148459

roy@esp.bellcore.com (Roy Harrison) wrote:
> Does anyone have any info in the 895's computer interface...the
> pinning, what the heck kind of connector is that thing any way.

The interface is an IDC 5-pin PCB header (.025" square pins on 0.1"
centers). The mating socket is standard (TechAmerica's Cat# 910-1471 is
25 cents), but a segment cut out of a DIP socket will work just as well.
The pinout is symmetric, with pins 1&5 (the outer ones) carrying data in
(to the radio), 2&4 are data out (from the radio), and pin 3 is ground.

> Also the data format the radio puts out and expects to see.
The comm protcol is half-duplex, 9600 baud, 8/N/1. Commands to the radio
should be terminated with a C/R only.

The following command set is summarized from postings by A. Giammarino
<agia@ix.netcom.com>. For detailed information, check his page at:
http://wp.com/108101/895info.txt

"o" = blank - reports status
= N - turns function on
= F - turns function off

AC Clear Clears all memory and resets the radio.
ARo Record status of LINE for AUX OUT
CDo CTCSS CTCSS search function. Reports 'xx' when found
CS CTCSS reports CTCSS tone number; CSxx set CTCSS tone
CTo CTCSS CTCSS function - Tone Squelch.
DLo Delay status of delay function
DSo Data status of data skip function
+ IC le List selects scan list 'l', entry 'e'; from trunk scan mode
responds with group ID 'nnnnnn'; use KEY00 to resume scan
+ IDo I.D. reports every trunk ID when enabled; format: ID s nnnnnn
+ IL Lockout reports locked out trunk IDs; ILR nnnnnn lock out ID
+ IS Bank reports current trunk scan list ISl set list 'l'
- LL LimLow report lower search limit; LLfffffffff set limit.
- LU LimUp report upper search limit; LUfffffffff set limit.
- LOo LockOut channel lockout status
- MA Channel report status of current channel. Non-trunk manual mode only
MAccc set channel number and report. Will halt scanning.
report: Cccc Fffffffff To Do Lo Ao Ro Nnn
To trunked Do delay status } F=off
Lo lock out Ao (unknown) } N=on
Ro line (audio) status }
Nnn CTCSS number ('00' = not set)
& MD: Status 00 scanning
01 manual mode or after a write to a memory channel

06 after TRUNK key toggled
07 trunk tracking mode.
08 trunk ID held
09 scanning trunk IDs
10 trunk manual
12 looking for trunk control channel (after KEY21)
17 monitoring non-memory frequency (after RF command)
& MUo Mute mutes audio
MUN: Mutes audio; MUF: Un-mutes audio, opens squelch
MUA: Un-mutes audio, returns squelch to normal
- PCb Priority reports priority channel for bank b.
+ PMccc Channel reports status of memory channel ccc. Does not halt scanning.
Similar to MAccc function.
PMccc ffffffff program channel with freq. (note space)
- PRo Priority status of PRIORITY scan function.
QUo Activity continuously reports '+' if receiving a signal, '-' if not.
- RF Freq. current non-memory frequency RFfffffffff sets frequency
RM Mode reports NFM, AM, etc. mode
- SB Bank reports bank letter(s) SBb selects bank(s) 'b'
Scan mode only (not TT)
SG S-meter reports S-meter reading and freq (Snnn Fffffffff)
S-meter range S014-S026.
+ SQ Squelch reports '-' when closed, '+' when open
- SS Skip reports "search skip" frequencies
- ST Step reports step size ST00nnn000 set step size:
000=default, 050=5 kHz, 125=12.5 kHz, 250=25 kHz

+ TT mode only, - normal mode only, & either mode

The keyboard commands, in the form KEYnnh, simulate pressing the
corresponding key on the radio's front panel. Where an "h" suffix is
specified, adding "H" to the key string simulates press-and-holding the
key.

KEYnnh
00 SCAN
01 MANUAL
02 n numeric key (n = 0-9)
03 "." (decimal on numeric keypad)
04 "E" (Enter on numeric keypad)
05h PRIORITY (same as PR)
06h L/O (same as LO)
07h HOLD (up arrow)
08h LIMIT (down arrow)
09h SRC
10 WX
11 DATA
12 DELAY (same as DL)
13h TRUNK
14 DIM
15 STEP (see also ST)

16 AUX (Line out)
17 ALRT/RMT (deactivate only)
18 (SEND ?)
19 AUTO.
20h CTCSS (same as CT)
21 b bank key (b = A-J) (after a KEY13 or KEY13H)
22 FREQ/CHAN
23 LOCK

1632. Re: Any SC150 Battery Options?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reddog <reddog113@goplay.com>
Message-ID: <6qli22aei1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 148460

did you know that you can use a 9 volt in your scanner?? The plans for it are here: http://www.loop.com/~troll/SC150.html. Hope this helps!!

1633. Re: new icom r2 scanner status???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35CE582B.459E@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 148461

rrhea@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Icom is supposed to be introducing a new scanner, the R2, which is supposed to
> look like a Q7-a, but with all-mode recieve and no transmit. Anyone know when
> Icom will be releasing it?

Last I heard it is now delayed until 1/99. The FCC apparently memoed
Icom about their easy to modify (for the no no band) PCR 1000, R10 and a
couple of others. While Icom alters these radios and begins production
again the R2 is delayed. I do not know what it means for the European
version of the R2.

Greg

1634. More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <4d0_9808091900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148462

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> I never stated that he got "booted" from Fido, only that he was asked
JM> to leave.

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
> to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

"He was given 30 days to shut down....."

Now you tell me and everyone else that this doesn't mean he was booted.

GEcho 1.00

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Fire Chief 1:202/777
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1635. CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <4d1_9808091900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148463

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> I never said he got booted from Fido!

JM> I said he was asked to leave.

JM> PLEASE get & keep your data correct!

On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
> to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.

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To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
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|WarpGate: Fire Chief 1:202/777
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1636. Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <4d2_9808091900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148464

-=> Quoting Michael E. Raven to All <=-

> Phil-

>Hows come you are not posting from Hughes anymore & now you have to
>use a commercial ISP? Did yiou get into some sort of trouble?

MER> John-

MER> Hows come you are not posting from your Sprint account anymore & now
MER> you have to use MCI? Did you get into some sort of trouble?

And why isn't the Portland psycho posting from AOL anymore?
Do you imagine he got into some sort of trouble there also?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1637. Alright then Phil,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <4d3_9808091900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148465

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> Sorry, I made a committment to this NG 2 years ago that I (along with
JM> a few others) would stand guard here to watch for Cheek attempting to
JM> cause problems or attack users of this NG.

You made an agreement with each of your alter egos to abuse this
newsgroup with you LIES and FLAMES.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

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|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1638. ICOM Mini-Handy IC-Q7E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: com-com@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6qkpo1$4u4$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 148466

Kurztestbericht ICOM IC Q7E

ICOM ist bekannt fï¿½r ausgefeilte Technik. Mit dem Mini-Handfunkgerï¿½t
IC Q7E erwirbt man fï¿½r DM 450.- nicht nur ein kleines Amateurfunkgerï¿½t
sondern auch einen empfindlichen Scanner von 30 -1300 MHz AM/FM/WFM.
200 Speicher und 20 frei definierbare Suchbereiche sind fï¿½r die meisten
Anwender ausreichend. Der 300 mW Sender funktioniert wie bei anderen
AFU-Handys auch im Profibereich. Im Vergleich zum etwas kleineren Yaesu
VX-1R, das fast DM 250,- mehr kostet hï¿½rt man mit dem ICOM-Mini auch
unter 87 MHz und ï¿½ber 900 MHz inkl. 23 cm sehr gut die Funksignale.
Natï¿½rlich eignet sich das Gerï¿½t auch als UKW-Radio und TV-Ton-Empfï¿½nger.
Auf 300 MHz AM +-10 MHz hï¿½rt man auf Grund der hohen 1. ZF Kurzwellen-
Rundfunk als Spiegelfrequenz, was aber in diesem Bereich nicht stï¿½rt.

+ sehr guter Empfï¿½nger und Rauschsperre fï¿½r 6m, 2m, 70cm, 23 cm AFU
+ optimale Breitbandantenne
+ Scanner scannt ï¿½ber alle Bereiche im Memorybetrieb
- keine externe Lade- oder Strombuchse
- kein DTMF und DCS, dafï¿½r aber CTCSS
- relativ hoher Stromverbrauch, daher mind. 1200 mA AA verwenden
- leider nicht so winzig wie Yaesu VX-1R und ohne Akku und Lader
- saudumme 4-pol 3,5 mm Kombibuchse fï¿½r Lautsprecher und Mikro,
was beides abschaltet, obwohl Platz wï¿½re fï¿½r 3,5 und 2,5 mm Buchsen
Fazit:
Echter UKW-Scanner mit brauchbaren 2 m / 70 m Funk fï¿½r OV und
Relaisbetrieb
Ein groï¿½er Versender in Nordbayern mit "C" verschickt das Gerï¿½tchen ohne
Prï¿½fung ob Lizenz vorhanden, was evtl. dazu fï¿½hrt daï¿½ mancher das CE-
zugelassene Gerï¿½t als FREENET oder LPD-Funkgerï¿½t miï¿½braucht.
-DD0YQ-

1639. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Robert Walker <Ian@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <2m4j94Agciz1EwRb@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 148467

In article <35ceec4f.6294783@news.supernews.com>, john smith
<john@pop.net> writes
>
>Ok I downloaded and tried the utility and it works! I was worried that
>it was malicious but it works as advertised! I made a backup copy of
>the EEPROM and then restored with the GENE setting and have UNBLOCKED
>the unit!!!
>
>On 30 Jul 1998 15:14:12 GMT, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)
>wrote:
>
>>Everyone with PCR1000 radios,
>>
>>Check this out:
>>
>>28-Jul-98 02:25:00
>>Sb: PCR1000 interesting news
>>Fm: Michael Puchol 101344,1416
>>To: All,
>>
>>Hi all,
>>
>>To all of those afraid to use your PCR in case your EEPROM gets erased
>>by software (ICOM's or 3rd party), take a look at the following page:
>>
>>http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.htm

I just tried this URL and it came up as invalid.
--
Ian Walker G8ILZ on packet as G8ILZ

I have an IQ of 6 million, | How will it end? | Mostly | Out of cheese
or was it 6? | In fire. | harmless | error

1640. Facinating Data ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35CE8C4F.EFB7D2D6@pacbell.net>
Source record: 148468

I came across these two posts today and felt it was worth reposting.
Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey).

Edited for the more salient point(s). Compelling nonetheless.

------------ Data From Smally

I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched
the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the
group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since
he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has
made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed,
folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have
proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A
personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

------ Data From Kindricks

Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
APR 98	194	128	27	41	25	12	0
MAR 98	254	240	49	24	50	18	0
FEB 98	200	274	51	27	46	18	0
JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
DEC 97	149	227	32	0	16	1	0
NOV 97	63	65	1	0	10	0	0
OCT 97	48	60	0	0	8	0	0
SEP 97	181	78	0	2	4	0	0
AUG 97	29	2	0	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	2139	2348	201	203	275	266	341

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey
pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts
made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back
and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

1641. Re: Another Great Saviour Of Scannerdom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Jensen <rwjensen@jps.net>
Message-ID: <35ce9335.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 148469

why don't u guys take a hike....
live is too short.
rich

Bill Cheek wrote in message <35d379d5.17952937@news2.cts.com>...
>"Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net> wrote
>under Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!:

1642. Re: IC-R10 uses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net>
Message-ID: <35CE98B7.1AC4@maui.net>
Source record: 148470

Highcove Family wrote:
>
> I have an Icom R-10, but I am at a loss at times as far as the most effective use for
> it. It has a much slower scan rate than my other scanners, and it's only advantage
> (besides wide coverage) is the alphanumeric tags one can assign channels. I was
> wondering if other R-10 users out there had any suggestions, or would just like to say
> how they use theirs. Also, is the autoprogram feature any good for finding secret freqs
> in an area?
I agree, the R10 is not a perfect radio. Its a nice cute little unit and
I like the auto resume when its turned on but it is slow...

1643. buttwing! Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: new guy <newguy@aol.com>
Message-ID: <35CD5E5A.1BDF648F@aol.com>
Source record: 148471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner

mackey writes a decent nice worded message to cheeks about a technical
matter
that would apply to the subject of this newsgroup and the FAG BILL
CHEEKS
reponds back calling childish name and acting like an asshole as usual.

now we see who the real problem here is: BILL CHEEKS

what a buttwing cheeks is!

Bill Cheek wrote:

> J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:
>
> > Hi Bill, how are you doing?
>
> Hi wartlip, how's that wart inside your lower lip?
>
> > Fine I hope!
>
> Finer'n you, that's fer sure.
>
> > Do you remember when you have said that UV does not affect coax
>
> I didn't say it doesn't affect coax. I said it
> affected the outer molecular layers of the
> polyethylene jacket. Some coaxes will prove
> worse than others, but in worst cases, it's
> not a big deal to those in the know, nor even
> to wartlips like you.
>
> > or cause signal loss after time?
>
> How MUCH time? I've got some 20+ yr old coax
> that's still as good as new. Looks like hell,
> but it's finer'n a frog hair.
>
> > Is that still your position?
>
> Depends on how MUCH time, I guess. I mean given
> a LONG time, I suppose when the UV degenerates
> the copper shield to cause problems with the
> dielectric........but that's a long time, Hermie.
>

> You friggin wartlip........

1644. Re: Motorola SP-10 radio repair ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qj62npfl3@207.18.224.29>
Source record: 148472
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 08 Aug 1998 23:27:03 -0300, Ron Ling <rling@cad3.uccb.ns.ca>
wrote:

>Looking for info on how to break apart a motorola
>Sp-10 radio,
>
Sure thing Ron.

Pull apart the battery case, and the tray underneath the battery.
Insert two screwdrivers on the side of the case, (Each side) under the
tabs that stretch up into the upper case. Pry them out, while pulling
on the top of the radio, by the antenna.

Pops out.

Live from P_ARG!!

1645. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qj5qkpfl0@207.18.224.29>
Source record: 148473

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 02:06:47 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Verry good idea! I Will offer John the same deal also!
>
>Yes Blake, so "never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
>rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or
>any alias's he" is the deal you & I would BOTH comply to?

There you go again John. The deal was that YOU would never
post again. If you agree to this, I will not flame anyone on the
newsgroups. IE, I have met your added demand, now you meet
my added demand.

Live from P_ARG!!

1646. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qj5t1pfl1@207.18.224.29>
Source record: 148474

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 02:06:47 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Verry good idea! I Will offer John the same deal also!
>
>Yes Blake, so "never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
>rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or
>any alias's he" is the deal you & I would BOTH comply to?

Thinking about it, if you agree never again to post on this
newsgroup, either with your name, or any alias, I will agree
to do the same.

Live from P_ARG!!

1647. Re: John makes more trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qj5v5pfl2@207.18.224.29>
Source record: 148475

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 01:48:44 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
wrote:

>K4CC wrote:
>> Earlier you said I could only look in the mirror.
>> Which is it?
>
>You use a mirror to look at pictures!
>
>hehehehehe

He he? Sheesh!

Live from P_ARG!!

1648. Re: John Mackey, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qj650pfl4@207.18.224.29>
Source record: 148476

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 01:59:18 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> Oh, but he has posted that he got a degree from Yankton College in
>> Yankton SD.
>>
>> Only problem is, the REAL Yankton College was closed 10 years ago,
>
>Yes, fortunately I completed all my academic tasks & received my
>degree from Yankton Coll BEFORE they closed. It is sad how many
>high quality small schools have had to close due to financial
>problems.

Good. I will post more soon.
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1649. Software choice for OS 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: texcomm13@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080903495600.XAA07541@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148477

I would like opinions on software for os 535. I have read Rich Wells article about Probe, It sounds like the best., But it is not a very attractive looking
Program. I like the decoding Abilities of Probe, But is there any thing
more Windows oriented That is very functional? I know that these things can get really pricey too, I would like to stay in the $100 or less catagory.
Thanks
Dave

1650. Need help buying scanner to reduce interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpepper2@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35cd196e.33114757@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148478

I use a portable scanner only to monitor the Railroad freq in the 160-161Mhz range. Previously I used a Radio Shack Pro-50 and a magnetic mount antenna on my car roof that had been cut-to-length to optimize 160-161 reception. However, near downtown Atlanta I would encounter pretty bad interference(and not just from pagers), even though I was only monitoring 2 or 3 channels. Since the electrical outlet on my Pro-50 just broke, I am going to buy a new scanner, but would like to significantly reduce this interference, and will pay good money to do so. Any recommendations on features and specific portable models would be appreciated.

I know to look for units with a selectivity of 30 khz or less @ 50db, but what else? Someone suggested a RS Pro-62 with "triple conversion", but I don't think any Uniden portables have this. The SC150B, 120XLT, 230XLT, and BC3000XLT all have "data skip", but what are these features, do they reduce interference, and which does so more? same for the "selectabel attenuator" of the BC3000XLT. Also, what is a trunk tracker, does it reduce interference in the 160-161 range, and does having 800Mhz capability actually increase interference by making the scanner too broad-banded? And in that regard, since the 3000XLT is listed at $699, should I be looking at an industrial grade scanner, such as a Motorola? Wouldn't an industrial grade have less interference, since it is designed specifically for the 160-161 range only? What price range would I be looking at(ballpark)?

Any RS brands I should consider? I have heard that the GRE RS models are better than the Uniden RS ones, but which RS models are GRE? Are there any mail order houses for scanners than would be cheaper than a local ham radio shop or RS? Are there any outlets for single orders of industrial grade scanners?

Finally, what are filters and duplexers, and will they reduce interference in the 160-161 range?

Thanks in advance for any advice and help,

Daniel Dave Pepper

1651. Re: Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6qj8g1$1nq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148479

In article <6qhv9q$1epk$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>,
"D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:
> The inside back cover of QST for August is an ad for a new Yeasu HT.
> The VX-1R...

It's been out over a year. I just picked one up last week. Truly amazing unit. I would not recommend it as a "first" HT or as a primary unit...but it sure has its uses where I live here in Southern California.

More later...

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1652. Re: Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6qj8k9$1on$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148480

>>Haven't tried the Yaesu software as my local dealer is out, and
>>tells me a new version is on the way.

You can upgrade v1.00-to-1.03 to 1.04 free of charge by visiting the ADMS/RT Web site.

I now have v1.04 of the VX-1 ADMS-1 software, with a Firmware 106 VX-1R, and coulsn't be more satisified.

By the way, HRO in Anaheim has a v105 firmware VX-1R as a demo for $210.00.

- Clint Bradford

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1653. Dash Series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jowster <sleroy@camden.net>
Message-ID: <35CD23FC.ECC8E30B@camden.net>
Source record: 148481

Looking for frequencies for goody's dash series officals.
Please reply by e-mail.

1654. Re: DNA results are in on the dress!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD29C1.BD7@parg.org>
Source record: 148482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hehehehehehheeh hahaahhahaahhahaha hohohohohohoho

I laughed for an hour when I saw this!

GOOD JOB!!!!!!

Digital Persona wrote:
>
> I heard this on another news group!
> ------------------------------
>
> DNA results are in on the dress owned by Blake Bowers.
> The multiple stains found on Blake's dress do indeed match the DNA of
> Mr. Cheeks!

1655. HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD2AE4.26C5@parg.org>
Source record: 148483

Hi Bill, how are you doing?

Fine I hope!

Do you remember when you have said that UV does not affect coax
or cause signal loss after time? Is that still your position?

1656. Re: JBlake Bowers, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD2C59.2FA5@parg.org>
Source record: 148484

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Good. I will post more soon.

I'm sure it will be an exciting story as are the other posts you make!

1657. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD2E00.22F8@parg.org>
Source record: 148485

Blake Bowers wrote:
> There you go again John. The deal was that YOU would never

I figured you would come up with the "do as I say, not as I do" type of crap! :(

1658. John Mackey's Childhood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh Cummings <"Josh Cummings"@sure.net>
Message-ID: <35CD2E44.FF83983F@sure.net>
Source record: 148486

Dom Dominico wrote:
>
> Mackey this is Poppa Dom again. I want to know why you not interested in
> being decent person to this newsgroup? I try be decent with you even if I
> dont like you much and you just talk to the people who kick you in the ass.
>
> You don't have conversations with any body who wants to talk to you. You
> only play the childs games with the guys that molest you the most. Some body
> used to say you liked the hurts and the pains and I am amused with the joke.
> But I dont laught at that no more. Its true!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I did not
> think it was true once. Now I do.
>
> You enjoy the hurts and the pains like them crazy nuts that like the
> leathers and the whips and the chains. I think those are called preverts or
> some shit. But you be that way it looks like and I think that is very crazy
> man. You nuts!!!
>
> Or you are playing the games. Maybe thats it you are just playing the games
> because you are not serious about nothing. But even if that be true, it make
> you only much sicker in the head because no body else likes your games.
> Thats why you do it too.
>
> You are one crazy bambino man or you act the fool may be because you dont no
> any better? I want you to be serious in sensible sort of way to talk to me
> because I life the police scanners and radios and wish that can be the topic
> of this newsgroup. Not your brain diseases and other body diseases that make
> the pimples grow inside of your head.
>
> Poppa Dom told you that. Here is the story of John Mackey's childhood:

http://www.feminista.com/v1n9/childhood.html

[Image] [Image]
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[Image] [Image]
[Childhood Sexual Abuse]

[Rebecca Miller]

"Sexual abuse is when any person, adult or child, forces, tricks, threatens,
or coerces a child to have any kind of sexual contact with him or her.
Example include: touching a child's genitals; having a child touch /
manipulate other's genitals; oral sex; attempts at penetration of the vagina
or anus; rubbing; penetration by anything; forcing a child to look at
genitals; or pornography."

-- From Eliana Gil, The Healing Power of Play: Working With Abused Children; 1991.

Most abused and neglected children never come to the attention of authorities. This is especially true of sexually abused children: there may be no physical signs of harm, there is always intense shame, and secrecy is often maintained, even by adults who know of the abuse, for fear of destroying a family. Usually, an older person uses tricks, bribes, threats or physical force to make a child submit. Children are taught that older people have power and authority over them, so children do not feel they have a choice. Child sexual abusers often make the child extremely fearful of telling, and only when a special effort has helped the child to feel safe, can the child talk freely.

In addition, there is evidence emerging that as many as one in three incidents of child sexual abuse are not remembered by adults who experienced them, and that the younger the child was at the time of the abuse, and the closer the relationship to the abuser, the more likely one is not to remember. Therefore, the statistics of child abuse and neglect are not necessarily indicative of actual rates of child abuse in the United States. The generally accepted statistics are:

Approximately one in three girls is sexually abused before age 18, and one in four by age 14. Approximately one in six boys is sexually abused before age 16. Approximately 1 in 25 girls will be sexually abused by her father. In 85% of all cases, the perpetrator is someone the victim knows. Child sexual abuse occurs more frequently (70 - 80%) inside the family, equally among all races, religions, urban or rural locations, socioeconomic or educational levels. (National Committee for the Prevention of Child Abuse Publication, 1978)

The abuse of boys may be as common as that of girls, but boys are often more reluctant to report. If the abuse was committed by a male, a boy may have misplaced fears about homosexuality. If the abuse was committed by a woman, the boy may not report since sexual adventures are sometimes culturally [Image] confused with "proving one's manhood" and a general feeling that "no real man ever refuses sex".

Characteristics of an Incestuous Family

* Father either passive (weak self image, introverted or isolated turns to child for comfort and reassurance) or authoritarian (domineering, over controlling, overly restrictive, excessive discipline)

* Mother often passive and dependent; occasionally strong and independent mothers will acknowledge the abuse and stop it. The mother may know something is wrong but not be aware of what it is. She may ignore symptoms due to fear of losing her husband, she may herself be abused by the husband, she may have been abused as child, or she may not have the internal or external resources to protect or support the child. Or she may be abusing the child herself.

* Prolonged or habitual absence of either parent from home

* Assignment of mother role to daughter...care for other children, etc.

* Loss of wife by divorce, separation, or death

* History of child abuse in either parents backgrounds

* Conditions of overcrowding, alcoholism, drug addiction

* Isolation due to eccentric belief systems, extreme poverty, or remoteness of area

No child is psychologically prepared to cope with repeated sexual stimulation. Even a two or three year old, who cannot know the sexual activity is "wrong," will develop problems resulting from the inability to cope with the overstimulation. In my case, my abuser was someone I was very close to. The resulting conflict between my feelings of fear and disgust and my love andloyalty towards him resulted in a denial of my own feelings and a total repression of the abuse even as it was occurring. Even if I had allowed myself to acknowledge that what was happening was wrong, I probably would never have told my mother, who was extremely critical and distant and had her own difficulties dealing with raising me and my sister (who is severely mentally and physically handicapped) to have dealt with the information well. The idea of going outside the family to report would simply have never occurred to me, for if I could not trust my parents there was no possibility of trusting anyone else.

A child who is the victim of prolonged sexual abuse usually develops low self-esteem, a feeling of worthlessness, and an abnormal perspective on sexuality. The child may become withdrawn and mistrustful of adults, and can become suicidal. Some children who have been sexually abused have difficulty relating to others except on sexual terms. Some sexually abused children [Image] become child abusers or prostitutes, or have other serious problems when they reach adulthood.

Often there are no physical signs of child abuse, or signs that only a physician can detect, such as changes in the genital or anal area.

The behavior of sexually abused children may include:

Unusual interest in or avoidance of all things of a sexual nature.
Sleep problems, nightmares.
Depression or withdrawal from friends or family.
Seductiveness.
Statements that their bodies are dirty or damaged, or fear that there is something wrong with them in the genital area.
Refusal to go to school, delinquency.
Secretiveness.
Aspects of sexual molestation in drawings, games, fantasies.
Unusual aggressiveness.
Suicidal behavior
Running away
New fears, clinging
[Image] Giving up or throwing a way a favorite toy, piece of clothing, etc.
Sudden turning against one parent, relative, etc.

Irritability, crankiness
Bleeding in vagina or anus.
Disclosure by child (very rare). [Image]
Excessive masturbation.
Sexual acting out with other children.
Bedwetting & soiling (after potty training).
Nightmares.
Abrupt change in behavior, uncharacteristic anger, isolation or withdrawal.
Age inappropriate knowledge of sex.
Constantly talks about sex.
Constant vaginal discharge.
Unexplained pain, swelling, bleeding or irritation of the mouth, genital or anal area; urinary infections; sexually transmitted diseases
Physical evidence (very rare).
Difficulty walking or sitting.
Sleeps too much or too little.
Fear of bathroom. Difficulty at bath time
Fear of a certain person.
Excessive crying.
Exhibiting violent behavior.
Wearing many layers of clothing.
Copying adult sexual behavior
Persistent sexual play with other children, themselves, toys or pets
Hyperactivity
[Image] Changes in eating habits
Lying
Difficulty at bed time
Regression in behaviors
Self destructive behaviors
Increase in accidents
Moodiness
Talking nonsense
Social difficulties
Fall behind in school
Hurts animals
Hints, indirect comments or statements about the abuse...e.g. "I don't like Mrs. Smith anymore"

As the child grows up, s/he may suffer from bad self image, anorexia/bulimia and other eating problems, self-abuse, co-dependency, obsessive behaviors, flashbacks, body memories, suicidal ideation or attempts, sexual dysfunction. memory loss, dissociation

Children who have been sexually abused feel many different (and often overwhelming) emotions, including:

Fear
of the abuser
of causing trouble

of losing adults important to them
of being taken away from home
of being "different"
Anger
at the abuser
at other adults around them who did not protect them
at themselves (feeling as if they caused trouble)
Isolation
because "something is wrong with me"
because they feel alone in their experience
because they have trouble talking about the abuse
Sadness
about having something taken from them
about losing a part of themselves
about growing up too fast
about being betrayed by someone they trusted
Guilt
for not being able to stop the abuse
for believing they "consented" to the abuse
for "telling"--if they told
for keeping the secret--if they did not tell
Shame
about being involved in the experience
about their bodies' response to the abuse
Confusion
because they may still love the abuser
because their feelings change all the time
(Information from The Sexual Assault Crisis Center of Knoxville, TN.)

Children who do remain aware that they are abused and that the abuse is wrong may be prevented from telling by the following feelings:

No one will believe me.
No one cares.
I'll get someone in trouble, and they'll have to go to jail--and
Everyone will blame me for telling.
It happens to everyone.
It won't happen again.
Everyone will know.
I'll have to go to court.
People will ask me lots of questions.
It's too embarrassing.
I'm afraid.
I'll get in trouble.
I've done something bad.
It's my fault.

Sexual abuse also necessarily includes emotional abuse, and many of the symptoms are therefore similar.

If you know a child who you suspect may be a victim of abuse, there are many ways you can take action to help. A good list of steps to take is provided online at The Sexual Assault Information Page'sChild Abuse or Exploitation site.

Some states, such as North Carolina, legally require anyone who suspects a child is being abused to report their suspicion to the state authorities, while some states, such as California, only legally require health care providers to make such reports. As a rule of thumb, it is always a good idea to report the abuse to child protection and to your local police.

A listing of useful information on child abuse, parenting, and other similar information can be found online at NotVictims.

[Image]

We welcome your comments on this and other topics. Please visit our message board.

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1659. Re: Need help buying scanner to reduce interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#q1zWP1w9GA.278@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148487

>I use a portable scanner only to monitor the Railroad freq in the
>160-161Mhz range. Previously I used a Radio Shack Pro-50 and a
>magnetic mount antenna on my car roof that had been cut-to-length to
>optimize 160-161 reception. However, near downtown Atlanta I would
>encounter pretty bad interference(and not just from pagers), even
>though I was only monitoring 2 or 3 channels. Since the electrical
>outlet on my Pro-50 just broke, I am going to buy a new scanner, but
>would like to significantly reduce this interference, and will pay
>good money to do so. Any recommendations on features and specific
>portable models would be appreciated.
>
>I know to look for units with a selectivity of 30 khz or less @ 50db,
>but what else? Someone suggested a RS Pro-62 with "triple
>conversion", but I don't think any Uniden portables have this. The

Actually, most of the newer Uniden models have triple conversion. There
aren't too many [new] scanners that don't have triple anymore.

>SC150B, 120XLT, 230XLT, and BC3000XLT all have "data skip", but what
>are these features, do they reduce interference, and which does so
>more? same for the "selectabel attenuator" of the BC3000XLT. Also,
>what is a trunk tracker, does it reduce interference in the 160-161
>range, and does having 800Mhz capability actually increase
>interference by making the scanner too broad-banded? And in that

A trunk tracking model won't do much else besides letting you track 800 MHz
trunked systems. In other words, interference will not be increased or
decreased much, if at all.

Most of the scanners made now (over about $200) have 800 MHz capability,
which rarely affects the reception of interference on other bands.

**The number one thing which cuts down on interference is having triple
conversion. You can still receive a bit of intermod in an area with a lot of
metal (downtown, for instance).**

>regard, since the 3000XLT is listed at $699, should I be looking at an
>industrial grade scanner, such as a Motorola? Wouldn't an industrial
>grade have less interference, since it is designed specifically for
>the 160-161 range only? What price range would I be looking
>at(ballpark)?

I am not sure Motorola makes scanners...

However, getting a receiver that ONLY receives on a certain band you select
is the best. I own an HTX-202 ham band only transceiver, and I've *never*
heard ANY images or intermod at all yet.

>Any RS brands I should consider? I have heard that the GRE RS models
>are better than the Uniden RS ones, but which RS models are GRE? Are
>there any mail order houses for scanners than would be cheaper than a
>local ham radio shop or RS? Are there any outlets for single orders
>of industrial grade scanners?

A good place for mail-order (in my opinion) is Amateur Electronic Supply (www.aesham.com) and TechAmerica (www.techamerica.com). They have relatively inexpensive prices (as compared to Ham Radio Outlet). AES has a couple, more expensive, Icom and Alinco models, however TechAmerica has a great selection of triple-conversion scanners. You can request a free catalog from them, or check their website.

I believe GRE scanners have the LCD display on top, and the speaker just below, and the keypad at the bottom. Uniden models has keypad and speaker positions that are the reverse of GRE's.

>Finally, what are filters and duplexers, and will they reduce
>interference in the 160-161 range?

Filters may help (you could get a band-pass filter, allowing only 160-161 to be received), however a duplexer is really only needed when transmitting and receiving on the same antenna (usually for a repeater). Filters filter out unwanted signals, and duplexers "switch" an antenna (by actually absorbing RF using 4 or 6 waist-high cans) to be used in both TXing and RXing. Sometimes, however, duplexers are very small -- case in point: mobile duplexers. The size of a credit card, and they work almost as good as "real" ones, but the desense of the receiver is a little greater.

So, check out the PRO-67 (usually $220 when on sale, guessing), PRO-64 (discontinued, but very nice at $100-150), and the PRO-90 (about $200 -- a trunk tracker).

1660. Re: K4CC Refuses Request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD2F53.E5A@parg.org>
Source record: 148488

K4CC wrote:
<jmackey@parg.org> writes:
> >I asked Bill to agree to "post no flames or nasty messages"
> >& HE REFUSED!

> And so did you. So you refused your own

Wrong, I said I would agree, but Bill declined! :(

1661. Re: sportscat 150 battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana_Hartsock@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <bHvq2TZKOoob-pn2-WE7BZn1s2V71@slip129-37-219-118.ia.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 148489

On Fri, 7 Aug 1998 12:43:57, "camper" <h2oguy@mindspring.com> wrote:

> Is there somewhere I can get a replacement battery for a Uniden Sportscat
> 150. Either over the internet or a retail store?
>
>

http://www.uniden.com has an online store. I believe the Ni-cad pack
sells for about$15.95 there.

I am curious about a separate charger for these batteries. The only
thing I don't like about my new SC150 is the darned ni-cads. I would
rather have a choice... to use ni-cads or alkalines.

Also curious as to whether third-party solutions are available for
SC150 batteries?

I'm new to scanning so most things find me getting up to speed.

Dana

1662. Re: Mackey On FIDO Vs. internet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD30F9.6E95@parg.org>
Source record: 148490

K4CC wrote:

> Using your (dare I use the word?) *logic*,
> you are not on the Internet now, because
> you post from parg.org

WRONG! "PARG.ORG" is an internet domain registered
with internic. Check out the PARG web page at
www.parg.org!

1663. FS - Uniden BC-3000xlt - Like New

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980809052001 00.BAA17893@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148491

Like new BC-3000xlt with orig box, manual and all original accessories. This includes original wall wart charger / power supply and rubber duck. Price includes the optional heavy duty leather case, which sells for about $30.00 extra. Package price was $325.00. Reduced to $290.00 shipped CONUS. Email direct if interested.

1664. Alright then John Mackey, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35CD3260.7159@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148492

I saw the threads about stopping the flames on this NG and I have the best idea of all. First let me remind you of something you posted today:

"Normally I will do ANYTHING that someone else will do. THAT would mean that if YOU will "never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any alias's"
then I would do the same."

Now, I sure don't want to go so far as to say that neither you or I can ever post here again, but I think the following condition can be easily met by the both of us.

If it doesn't apply to scanning, it doesn't get posted. By you or me. Period

That means even if Bill Cheek and friends post lewd jokes, nasty comments, flames, snorts, guffaws or anything else in your general direction, you let it go without saying a word.

And, conversely, if one of your pals/aliases/whatever say nasty things to or about me, it also goes unnoticed and ignored.

If either of us break this agreement, then the entire NG has the right and proof to call the violating party outright liars and denounce any and all credibility they may have. Fair enough?

I have never posted under a false ID and make no attempt to hide who I am or what I am about. So, I think you can rest assured that I have both the credibility, and desire to do what I say I am going to do.

Now, if what you have said all along, that you want this NG to go back to scanning again, is true, this is your chance to prove it to us all.

So it's put up or shut up time. I'm tired of all this BS myself. So, I'll be happy to comply with this if you will.

Certainly, this is an offer that you can't refuse. But, if you do, then the truth will be evident to us all.

-Phil

1665. Any SC150 Battery Options?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana_Hartsock@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <bHvq2TZKOoob-pn2-I72BqqgOeu5K@slip129-37-219-118.ia.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 148493

I'm new to scanning with a Uniden SC150 scanner. I generally like it, suits my needs. But I nearly did not buy it because it uses Ni-cads. They have their place but if I am away from a power souce for several days it becomes a problem.

Are there any thrid-party battery options for Uniden scanners that use ni-cad power packs?

Thanks,

Dana

1666. Re: John, again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qjbkc$7mr$0@207.18.224.111>
Source record: 148494

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 04:57:19 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Good. I will post more soon.
>
>I'm sure it will be an exciting story as are the other posts you make!

John, I am pleased that you see my posts as exciting.
Live from P_ARG!!

1667. Re: Tom Jones Ignores The Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD3287.4F6D@parg.org>
Source record: 148495

Neither of you have ever presented truth YET!

K4CC wrote:
> txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom Jones) writes:
> >it's more like he wouldn't
> >know the Truth if it walked up and BITCH-SLAPPED HIM!

1668. Re: Kendrick puts his own stupidities on display as usual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD330C.2E3B@parg.org>
Source record: 148496

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> You once claimed to be a system administrator. You sure don't
> know very much if you didn't know your messages on the fidonet
> echo were being relayed to the internet. Makes you look very

OBVIOUSLY it is possible! WHO or HOW they did it I don't
know as there are HUNDREDS of possibilities!

1669. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35CD3411.50A7@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148497

J Mackey wrote:
>
> Yea Phil your HR department was looking into
> activities on thier internet access system as your posts were
> a violation of their policies.Whoopity-Do-dah. You've been in violation of your TOS for years.

> Now you are suddenly no longer there!

Yup. My choice. Not theirs. Sorry to burst your bubble, but you had nothing to do with it.
>
> BTW- Did you ever ask Bill about the messages he wrote
> to Hugh Duff's employer (university) & what happened? You
> COULD have learned a lesson in time!

Yes I did. He knows nothing about it, and it's completely irrelevant anyway, as I left the company voluntarily, and in good standing. A better career opportunity presented itself, and I took it. Period. I owe you nor anyone else any further explanation than that.

Why don't you read my post about ending this crap once and for all? Let me know what you think about that.

-Phil

1670. Re: Another Cheek Lie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cd31de.13968891@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148498

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> I have never used a server at Clark College.

Perhaps not "a" server, since quite a few are
always involved.....

> > No. It *is* the one you USED on a number of
> > occasions for your forgeries.

> Please present your proof that I have used AOL! (you can't because
> I NEVER have, UNLIKE YOU!)

I don't bother to prove things to you, Hermie.
You're lower than whale dung. I prove things
at the right time in the right place to the
right people.

That's good enough for me. And people who count.

> > Sure I have, you idiot. I was with AOL when
> > they were known as Apple On Line. That was

> Wrong! About a year ago you were on a computer NG
> asking for assistance with getting your computer
> working on AOL!

No, Hermie-poo, I was getting AOL assistance for
a client. I told you that at the time when your
Uncle Peetie Boe tried to raise a fuss of it.

> > You have Netscape installed in two or more

> How do you know what software I have installed in my
> computer? What is your documentation?

That's for me to know and you to find out, wartlip.

> That's obvious because your rantings & ravings make no sense.

I don't expect to make sense to a senseless nincompoop
wartlip like you, Hermie. There is no sense in
trying....so I don't.

You friggin ninnie.....

1671. Re: Car mount for BC 895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35CD3700.854@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148499
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I picked up my car mount from a communications shop in Phoenix. Any comm shop should carry a mount that will work, along with the two thumbscrews that go in it.

The mount came in two pieces, so it could fit any radio. Get one like this, and you can't go wrong.

Enjoy the radio, it's great!

-Phil

1672. Re: Cheek, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce3421.14548133@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148500

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Then the same would hold true for Cheek!

You don't understand, Hermie. YOU don't get
to call ANY shots. You just politely take
what you're given and keep your mouth shut
so's that wart on the inside of your lower
lip doesn't show.

It bothers people, you flippin goose....

1673. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf34c5.14712037@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148501

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Hi Bill, how are you doing?

Hi wartlip, how's that wart inside your lower lip?

> Fine I hope!

Finer'n you, that's fer sure.

> Do you remember when you have said that UV does not affect coax

I didn't say it doesn't affect coax. I said it
affected the outer molecular layers of the
polyethylene jacket. Some coaxes will prove
worse than others, but in worst cases, it's
not a big deal to those in the know, nor even
to wartlips like you.

> or cause signal loss after time?

How MUCH time? I've got some 20+ yr old coax
that's still as good as new. Looks like hell,
but it's finer'n a frog hair.

> Is that still your position?

Depends on how MUCH time, I guess. I mean given
a LONG time, I suppose when the UV degenerates
the copper shield to cause problems with the
dielectric........but that's a long time, Hermie.

You friggin wartlip........

1674. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d03805.15544033@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148502

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Read my above statement again.

Why don't you read it out loud to us, Herm?
You sound real weird when that wart inside
your lower lip starts bouncing around.
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1675. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d138ba.15724793@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148503

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Of course, you are still the same ol' prancing,
> > sacheting, waltzing, flippin fairy.......
> >
> > YOU can't change
>
> Two things you hear told you frequently for certain!

Are you fantasizing about me again, Herm?
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1676. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d2392b.15838248@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148504

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > > You still have your Dong Tong Wah account also!
> > >
> > Say what? You think everyone from san.rr.com is ME?
> >
> It comes from a computer of "WDCHEEK" & your ISP confirms that is YOU!

There is NO "computer of WDCHEEK" you dumbass.
And the ISP can't possibly confirm it's me.
Why not? Because you can't confirm the impossible.

You flaming nincompoop.....
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1677. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d339d9.16012342@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148505

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill, I accept your 4 points of truce as long as you
> accept my ONE point of truce.

You are a wartlipped idiot, Hermie. I don't
and WON'T negotiate with you. Your "one point"
is no point at all.

> As YOU have requested,
> there are NO AMENDMENTS to the points of truce!

You are trying to make an amendment, you imbecile.

1678. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d43a3e.16112478@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148506

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Oooohhhhhhhhh, that sick sunny beach......
>
> So your ISP is still on you about your language!

Do you not feel a close relationship with
the world's sunny beaches?
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1679. Re: Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6qjfrc$19c8$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148507

clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote in message
<6qj8k9$1on$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
>I now have v1.04 of the VX-1 ADMS-1 software, with a Firmware 106
VX-1R, and
>coulsn't be more satisified.
>
>By the way, HRO in Anaheim has a v105 firmware VX-1R as a demo for
$210.00.

Thanks for the price info. That was my next question. :-)

Someone sent me a URL via email to a web page that blasted the VX-1R
for having all kinds of design flaws and operational problems. The
writer said the Icom Q-7a was much better. I'm interested in the
CTCSS/DCS search feature primarily, and the Icom doesn't have that.
So, is the Yeasu as poor a receiver as some say it is?

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

P.S. Here's that URL in case anyone else wants to see the page:
http://www.ticon.net/~davez/q7.html
Note that this is NOT MY WEBSITE.

1680. Used scanners {california}??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080906225600.CAA29928@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148508

Hi can someone advice of any store that sales used scanners in souther
california if u know please e-mail to me

Than You.

1681. Re: IC-R10 uses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmilr@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6qjh45$1rfu$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 148509

I use my R10 for Government and Military Frequencies and keep the Local
Public Safety in my Trunk Tracker since 95% of the systems are trunked.
This gives me the best results since if I want to hear anything I have both
on if I only want local I turn off the R10. The R10 has great sensitivity
so I can really get some good stuff on the Fed freqs though I don't listen
as often as I should because I Haven't finished programming it yet
Been a bit busy with cleaning out old PC and Scanner Stuff I no longer
needed or that was dead.

Highcove Family wrote in message <35CBEAB7.352F@worldnet.att.net>...
>I have an Icom R-10, but I am at a loss at times as far as the most
effective use for
>it. It has a much slower scan rate than my other scanners, and it's only
advantage
>(besides wide coverage) is the alphanumeric tags one can assign channels.
I was
>wondering if other R-10 users out there had any suggestions, or would just
like to say
>how they use theirs. Also, is the autoprogram feature any good for finding
secret freqs
>in an area?

1682. (French) Infos pour achat d'un AR8000 ou ?quivalent ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: scan7705@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qjhn4$k3r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148510

Je souhaite recevoir du RTTY, du WEFAX, de la SSTV...Un mat?riel de base coute cher, aussi je pense que l'achat d'un scanner est la meilleure solution. J'ai un faible pour AOR, mais je ne connais pas les autres... Il est difficle de se procurer un AR8000 en France. Si quelqu'un a des informations ? me donner: -Quel est l'appareil qui convient le mieux pour la HF, aviation, marine(SITOR) - Comment se le procurer (Neuf) - L?gislation en France concernant ces appareils?

Merci de r?pondre dans ce groupe.

Non-French readers, I beg your pardon for posting this in an english-language NG

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1683. Re: Car mount for BC 895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: in2fyr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080908083600.EAA05963@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148511

Call Bronco One in Phoenix
Talk to Alan and tell him to send you a mount
I think they are like 10 bucks max!

Mike
In2Fyr@aol.com

1684. Re: !!!!WANTED HF FREQS FOR RAAF OR USAF....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy K <andyk@netspace.net.au>
Message-ID: <6qjomanao1@otis.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 148512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner

Try this site
http://www.ozemail.com.au/~sirsteve/raaf.htm
Beanstalk wrote in message <35C729F2.A998660C@bigpond.com>...
>If anyone has the freqs where I can hear any aircraft comms on the HF
>band, please email to me. I would like to get hold of all RAAF / RAN
>freqs and some USAF that are well used. Also what mode should I listen
>in on and is there any better times to monitor?
>
>Answer greatly appreciated!
>
>Richard..
>
>Email reply to: Beanstalk@bigpond.com
>

1685. Mods Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35CD74F5.D9C79C99@nightowl.net>
Source record: 148513

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Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

1686. Re: Who sells the new Sony scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35CD75AD.62DF13AE@nightowl.net>
Source record: 148514

Try www.lentinicomm.com

Todd

Bruce Markowitz wrote:
>
> Anyplace on the web?
> To Reply:
> (scosgt@worldnet.att.net) or:
> trenchgun@aol.com

--
Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

1687. Re: Bill's abuse of this NG heating up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD4OVM <twright@u1.abs.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.96.980809064113.21817D-100000@u1.abs.net>
Source record: 148515

Some of us are getting tire of Mr.Bill and your constant postings
Come guys give us a break

Tim KD4OVm

On Thu, 30 Jul 1998, KA0SSF wrote:

> Have you noticed that since Bill got booted off Scanning Mail
> list that he has been making a lot of trouble on this news group.
>
> Bill just got kicked off the mail list a few days ago & just in
> the last few days he has probably tripled his usual number of
> harassing posts on this NG.
>
> So I suggest Bill simply handle his disappointment & defeat
> like a man. Bill should stop using this NG as a punching bag
> for his agressions. This NG did not cause Bill to get kicked off
> the scanning mail list, Bill's own actions caused that! Bill, if
> you can't accept it then go to a therapist for counseling or
> see a Doctor for medication.
>
> If the problem persists then people whould express their concerns to
> the ISP's that provide Bill his service. He uses both CTS.COM &
> SAN.RR.COM.
>
> Abuse@cts.com, postmaster@cts.com, root@cts.com, & admin@cts.com
> are good addresses to voice complaints to for the CTS system.
>
> Abuse@san.rr.com, postmaster@san.rr.com, root@csan.rr.com,
> admin@san.rr.com,
> abuse@rr.com, postmaster@rr.com, root@rr.com, & admin@rr.com are good
> addresses to voice complaints to for the san.rr.com system.
>
> Or try the following below:
>
> EXCALIBUR Group, A Time Warner Company (RR6-DOM)
> 290 Harbor Drive
> Stamford, CT 06902
>
> Domain Name: RR.COM
>
> Administrative Contact:
> Admin, RR (AR288-ORG) rradmin@CT.RR.COM
> 203-351-2000
> Fax- 203-351-2299

> Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
> Tech, RR (TR217-ORG) rrtech@CT.RR.COM
> 203-351-2000
> Fax- 203-351-2299
>
>
>
> CTS Network Services (CTS-DOM)
> 8913 Complex Drive, #C
> San Diego, CA 92123
> US
>
> Domain Name: CTS.COM
>
> Administrative Contact:
> Blue, William (BB167) bblue@CTS.COM
> 619.637.3600 (FAX) 619.637.3630
> Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
> Peter Kolding (PK74-ORG) hostmaster@CTS.COM
> 619-637-3600 (FAX) 619-637-3630
>
>

1688. CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3e9_9808090500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148516

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

> And you know as well as anyone that Fido doesn't give
> 30 day notices. When you're a bad boy, you get your

Ka> Normally, you are correct. BUT,,,,,,,,,
Ka> He was given that courtesy due to some of the good things he
Ka> had done for Net202.

That is more of your bull shit, John.

I've been in Net 202 since 1992 and there wasn't
any such deal like you're lying about.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1689. Mackey is even the laugh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3eb_9808090500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148517

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> Hell, I am the co-founder of PARG, a board member, Chair of VE testing
Ka> & Officer of Public Information for PARG.

Hell, you're the ONLY member of PARG.

No one else would want to be associated with the likes of you.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1690. CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3ea_9808090500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148518

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Fidonet. In fact, I was asked to stay.

Ka> Wrong!

No mister snotnose. You are the one who's wrong.

Always have been - always will be.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1691. CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3ec_9808090500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148519

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> That detail is NOT a major difference! The basic facts are
JM> still the same.

The basic facts are that you're a friggen liar, Mackey.

Cheeks was never dumped from FidoNet.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1692. Bill's abuse of this NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <40f_9808090500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148520

KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

> Fire Chief wrote:
> > FidoNet R10C confirmed his lying about Cheek being booted out of the
> > net. He still won't admit to that falsehood he started spreading.
>
> Yea, we ONLY hear this from you, & you aren't even a part of Fidonet!

Wrong again, you stinkin' onager. I've been
in FidoNet since 1992. And I know what went
on in Net 202 at the time Cheek decided to
leave - voluntarily.

Do you need a re-post of R10C's statement?

9-1-1 Public Safety BBS	POLICENET SAFENET
LEO'S FIREFIGHTERS SAR	FIDONET
COMMS AMATEUR RADIO	e-mail newsgroups
Home of THE San Diego County BBS List(619) 441-9679

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1693. Re: Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080912303600.IAA14816@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148521

> the Icom Q-7a was much better. I'm interested in the
>CTCSS/DCS search feature primarily, and the Icom doesn't have that.

The Icom has CTCSS search and it works very well.

The reason I bought the Icom over the Yaesu was the scanning set up.

The Yaesu scans in bands only. You can scan only VHF-hi, or only mil-air, or only UHF but not a mix of freqs.

The Icom scans any mix of any freqs.

Good luck,
Ed

1694. Re: Uniden online store!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cdeb22.3446765@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sat, 08 Aug 1998 18:46:46 -0400, jer <jerr1919@gte.net> wrote:

>Bryan G. wrote:
>>
>> Got mine from CEI for 194.00 Brand new!

>> Jack wrote in message <35cbb7ef.7705205@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>> >
>> >Just got an email from the automated uniden store that the 235/895XLT
>> >are in stock, went to check it out and the 895XLT is now
>> >$175!!!!!!!!!! I just has to get one!!!
>> >
>> >http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/
>> >
>> >Check it out, you wont be sorry!

>
>Thanks for the post on the 895. I couldn't resist I ordered one too.jerr

Only $7 for 2nd day shipping, I sure hope FedX delivers on Sunday!

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1695. Re: Miramar air show freq.?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998080901025400.VAA16289@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148552

According to Police Call 1998 Ed. pg. 22
Blue Angels have the following freqs:
251.600
263.500
275.350
It also notes that since becoming MCAS, a trunked system may be in place; if so there are approx. 20 freqs. (4 groups) between 406.xxx and 410.xxx (pg 15). I don't usually monitor the military, so can't be of more help!
Post further info. here if you get it-I'm sure many are interested in your question...
Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

1696. Re: Yeasu VX-1R - anybody seen?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6qis88$2s4@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 148553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6qhv9q$1epk$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>,
D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:
>The inside back cover of QST for August is an ad for a new Yeasu HT.
>The VX-1R is a dual-band (2m/70cm) transceiver with extended receive
>coverage (76-999 MHz less cell). It reportedly has CTCSS/DCS
>tone/code search!

This is hardly new - it's been out for almost a year now. If you search Dejanews there have been a couple of reviews posted to the ham newsgroups. Since this is a scanner newsgroup I'll confine my comments to the receiver.

The extended receive is limited, since you really need to purchase a programmming cable and software to do anything serious with this radio - since it only wants to scan through one band at a time (e.g. the VHF-hi range). It is nowhere nearly as useful as even the most crippled micro scanners (like the Standard AX400b - Welz WS-2000) - but it is cute, tiny, works, and runs all day on its little lithium ion pack. Various versions of the firmware have had various bugs, and the "jumper enhancements" have been progressively removed each time.

If you're looking for keyboard-less, micro size receivers you might want to wait for Icom to ship the R2 later this summer and compare the reviews.

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Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

1697. Re: K4CC GET ON TOP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CCFB6E.374A@parg.org>
Source record: 148554

K4CC wrote:
> Eh? What truce is that?
>
> I offered you a proposal
> which you rejected.

Wrong!

1698. PCR1000 backup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: taylor@fmci.net
Message-ID: <35ccfb0c.13288549@nntp.infoave.net>
Source record: 148555

Could someone email me the web address for the backup program. I downloaded it but lost it on the disk and need to get it back. I think it was an .ar location.
Bill Taylor
W4WBT

1699. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CCFD68.5061@parg.org>
Source record: 148556

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Of course, you are still the same ol' prancing,
> sacheting, waltzing, flippin fairy.......
>
> YOU can't change

Two things you hear told you frequently for certain!

1700. Re: Blake Bowels seeks sad little boys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD0029.63B9@parg.org>
Source record: 148557

K4CC wrote:
> Earlier you said I could only look in the mirror.
> Which is it?

You use a mirror to look at pictures!

hehehehehe

1701. Re: Another Cheek Lie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CCFF3D.2619@parg.org>
Source record: 148558

Bill Cheek wrote:

> No. I'm watching your plays on words. You
> used a number of the servers at Clark College.

I have never used a server at Clark College.

> > You openly admit it is NOT the provider I use!
> No. It *is* the one you USED on a number of
> occasions for your forgeries.

Please present your proof that I have used AOL! (you can't because
I NEVER have, UNLIKE YOU!)

> Sure I have, you idiot. I was with AOL when
> they were known as Apple On Line. That was

Wrong! About a year ago you were on a computer NG
asking for assistance with getting your computer
working on AOL!

> You have Netscape installed in two or more

How do you know what software I have installed in my
computer? What is your documentation?

> > How do you explain it is ME?
>
> I don't explain anything to you,

That's obvious because your rantings & ravings make no sense.

1702. Re: Kendrick is a sad little boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CCFFB6.6B@parg.org>
Source record: 148559

Bill Cheek wrote:
> > You still have your Dong Tong Wah account also!
>
> Say what? You think everyone from san.rr.com is ME?

It comes from a computer of "WDCHEEK" & your ISP confirms that is YOU!

1703. Re: Poof the story

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD00EE.14F3@parg.org>
Source record: 148560

K4CC wrote:

> John Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:
> >This reminds me of 4 months ago when I stated I was leaving Sprint
> >to go to MCI for my ISP. About 3 weeks later I did that & then people
> >tried to say I had been kicked off of SPRINT. I surprised them
> >by keeping my Sprint account active for about 2 weeks & occasionally
> >posting from there to prove those fools as liars!

> Uh huh. Or maybe you opened ANOTHER
> Sprint account

NO.

Read my above statement again.

1704. Re: Cheek, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD027F.1FB@parg.org>
Source record: 148561

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> Until you post your data, whether Cheek posts his or not, you're still
> a liar and a fraud.

Then the same would hold true for Cheek!

1705. Re: Blake Bowers, once a liar always a liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD02A2.6047@parg.org>
Source record: 148562

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Oh, but he has posted that he got a degree from Yankton College in
> Yankton SD.
>
> Only problem is, the REAL Yankton College was closed 10 years ago,

Yes, fortunately I completed all my academic tasks & received my
degree from Yankton Coll BEFORE they closed. It is sad how many
high quality small schools have had to close due to financial
problems.

1706. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD02FA.4FC9@parg.org>
Source record: 148563

K4CC wrote:
> No, the suggestion was made that YOU accept
> a deal between YOU and ME, and YOU refused

No, you are simply trying to find any excuse you can to
back out of the deal.

1707. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD040B.3B44@parg.org>
Source record: 148564

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Sounds good to me but I want to add this one little condition for mackey only
> and mackey cannot ask anyone else to abide by the condition as it for mackey
> only. The condition is mackey can never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
> rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any alias's he

Normally I will do ANYTHING that someone else will do. THAT would mean
that if YOU will "never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the
rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any
alias's"
then I would do the same.

But since YOU refuse to post under a legit ID & you usually post thru
a false server like Dejanews then your credibility is NOTHING.

If you can convince Bill Cheek to stand in for you on the agreement, I
would
agree to it!

1708. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD056D.21B5@parg.org>
Source record: 148565

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Oooohhhhhhhhh, that sick sunny beach......

So your ISP is still on you about your language!

1709. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD0463.7F3D@parg.org>
Source record: 148566

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Verry good idea! I Will offer John the same deal also!

Yes Blake, so "never post on the alt.radio.scanner or the rec.radio.scanner newsgroups ever again under his own name or any alias's he" is the deal you & I would BOTH comply to?

1710. FS:AR8000-sold.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: zhahadum@home.com
Message-ID: <TB7z1.451$ql.16078234@news.rdc1.va.home.com>
Source record: 148567

The AR8000 is sold. Tnx for all the responses.

1711. Re: An Offer For the group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD04CF.42C8@parg.org>
Source record: 148568

So what? MY proposal was to CHEEK!

K4CC wrote:

> J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:
> >Wrong, I'll do it as long as Cheek is willing to agree to it also!
>
> No, you're wrong, SNIP My proposal
> wasn't to Cheek it was to you. It didn't

1712. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CD061E.406D@parg.org>
Source record: 148569

Bill, I accept your 4 points of truce as long as you
accept my ONE point of truce. As YOU have requested,
there are NO AMENDMENTS to the points of truce!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> I told you in advance...NO AMENDMENTS. I told
> you a hundred times, I do not negotiate with
> you; no wheeling, dickering, and other horsing
> around. You accept the four (or five point)
> offer or not..... but you are not going to

1713. alternate BNC antenna for 800 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skeeter Abell-Smith <skeeter@skatter.usask.ca>
Message-ID: <35CD07DB.76EAF41C@skatter.usask.ca>
Source record: 148570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What should I look for to improve 800 MHz reception on my RS Pro-90?
I was thinking of a shorter antenna, but I haven't found one with a BNC
connector. Any hints?

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The above opinions may differ from those of others. Take no offence.
Check out the Canadian Firearms Home Page:
http://teapot.usask.ca/cdn-firearms/homepage.html
e-mail: skeeter@skatter.usask.ca

1714. Re: opto 456 jumpers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chas <Chas@cccomp.force9.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6qirjg$s4l@news3.force9.net>
Source record: 148571

Dave

If you mean the dip switches they don't control the com ports, only the data rate and the board address.
The scanner control software e.g. Radio Manager lets you choose the com port in the prefs.
The default settings for the dip switches are: Switch 4 on SW2(closest to the transformer) should be on and the remaining switches should be off.
ADDRESS = 80 DATA RATE = 9600 bps

Hope this helps

Chas:-)
Dave wrote in message <35cc7148.271884@news.mindspring.com>...
>Anyone know how to set jumpers on the opto456 for com port 2? I seem
>to have it set for com port 1.

1715. Sorry K4CC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <5cc_9808110635@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148172

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

> John, how about posting a list of the names
> of all the people who ASKED you to assume

JM> It was a volunteer thing sorta like the national guard or
JM> reserves of the US.

What does that have to do with the request he made, dumbdum?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1716. FS: Motorola two-way radios and accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobjarn@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6qnsidsnc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148222

Motorola Radios and Accessories:

Radios: Portables

MT500, VHF, H33BBU3144A, 4F, dual PL, 5 watt, omni, universal, with batteries, antennas, elements for one simplex channel and a rapid charger. $140.00/pair 1pr available
MT500, UHF, H34BBU6184C, 8F, 565 DPL, 4 watt, omni, universal, now on 463.875 simplex, includes one xmt. element for 468.875 and 3 xtals for 468.875. Each unit with battery and antenna. $290.00/set of 4 with 6 unit rapid charger.
MT500, VHF, H23BBB1124A, 4F, omni, no battery, antenna or elements. Parts radios. $10.00 ea. 2 available
HT220, VHF, H23FFN1100E, slimline, no battery or antenna. HS w/xtals for 165.0625 $10.00 1 available

Battery chargers:
Base:
NLN6804A or C MT500 and HT220, omni, std. $20.00 1of ea. available
NLN8005A MH70, Handicom, std. $15.00 2 available

NLN4570C MT500 or HT220, 12 unit, omni, rapid. $100.00 1 avail.
NLN4562C MT500 or HT220, 12 unit, omni, std. $90.00 1 avail.
Mobile:
NLN4472A MT500 Convertacom w/T.O.T. $20.00 1 avail.
NLN4781A MT500 Convertacom w/sidetone $ 20.00 3 avail.

Remote speaker/mikes:
For MX300: NMN6070B, NMN6071B, For EXPO: NMN6100A (new, no connector on this one). $20.00 1 of ea. avail.

Radios, mobile:
MAXAR 80, D43TSA6000AC, 155.205mHz, 546 DPL code, w/two mikes, power cords and locking type mounting brackets. $35.00 each or three for $95.00 3 avail.
Mocom 70, U44BBN3100A, 452.175/457.175, 7A PL, with pwr/cont. cables, control heads, mics, (2) spkrs. $35.00 each or three for $95.00.
Note: sets of cables, heads, spks, mikes avail. at $20.00/set, two avail.

Base stations, etc.:
L51TRB3100RM, 33.080mHz, PL 173.8, w/TMN1008C mic. $35.00, 1 avail
L34MHB3104AM, SP1, UHF with desk mic. $50.00 1 avail.
L34LHB3100AM, SP1, UHF with microphone. $40.00 1 avail.
Moden 36, Tone grp. 2 upper, E08ENC0036Al, $28.00 1 avail.
GE low band, 2F, ca. 47mhz solid state base station consolette style. $40.00

Telephone Remote Controls (for DC control of base stations):
T1377A 117vac/12vdc, w/manual $55.00 1 avail.
T1380A 117vac, w/manual $50.00 1 avail.

Channel elements, PL tone reeds and PL tone elements:
Various available for Motorola, RCA and GE, portables, mobiles and bases
at from $2.00 to $10.00 each. Please tell me your needs and I'll have a look.

Order from:
Robert J. Jarnutowski
N 7231 Butchli Drive
Stephenson, MI 49887-8606 Add UPS shipping
Tel: (906) 788-4315
e-mail: bobjarn@hotmail.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1717. Re: AOR add in boards - any info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <$qvEPKB$X1z1EwAO@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 148223
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35c6e39a.10066313@news.concentric.net>, How wonderful
<sgtphou_rocks@hotmail.com> writes

Hi,

>I noticed all the expansion slots in my AR-8000, does any one know if
>there are any boards that go in there?

I know of only two optional internal boards for the AR8000:

DS-8000

This is produced by AOR and allows basic analogue speech inversion to be
"descrambled" -

DX-8000

Something we do that allows the narrow 4kHz SSB filters to be brouht
into use with AM selected - can be useful if you use the AR8000 for MW
or SW Broadast listening.

There could be others especially in Japan but I'm not aware of any.

Kind Regards,
Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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1718. Re: Help??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: doglover@bit-net.com
Message-ID: <6qnl4k$rd9$1@news.bit-net.com>
Source record: 148224

In article <35cf0e58.5292087@news.mindspring.com>, Jaxx32(nospam)@hotmail.com wrote:
>What program do I need to listen to police and fire on my computer?
>I founf a site that you can listen from. But I want to put in my own
>Frerq #
>
>
>Thanks,

What is the address of address of the sight that you can listen from?

1719. Re: AR8200 Remote Control Interface available from Javiation... What does it look like?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <xKIH3TBhf1z1EwCg@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 148225

In article <6qjd9r$hs2$1@camel29.mindspring.com>, Stephen H. Fischer
<sfischer1@mindspring.com> writes

Hi Stephen (again)

Just seen your post here also so if its of help to others who might be
pondering on various options I'll waffle on again if thats OK :-)

>What does the OS-8200 look like?

Its 10 way multicore cable with the plug required for connection to the
AR8200 moulded on the end. Connections and color coding of the cabling
is as per the AR8200 manual.

This can be used for making a Scout reaction tune cable or connecting
any other "device" that you would want to connect to the AR8200 remote
socket.

>I looked in the hole on the side of a AR8200 and realized that the
>FFC (Flat Flexible Cable) for the AR8000 could be glued to a piece of
>plastic and stuck in the hole of the AR8200, If the conductors are numbered
>the same.

The AR8200 socket is a 10 way socket so you can't use the FFC that you
might already have. You could use the OS-8200 to make a "patch" to the
FFC you might already have though. In its crudest form just soldering
the Tx In, Rx Out and Ground connections of the OS-8200 to the correct
tracks on the FFC.

All the best

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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1720. new 1100 mAh Nicds - wow!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.neilbell@value.net
Message-ID: <35cf5a1a.19563007@news.value.net>
Source record: 148226

Been using my new 1100 mAH nicds in my AOR8000 scanner. The last at least 50% longer than regular nicds and cost only 9.95 for 6 batteries!

So far .. great!

1721. FS: Radio Gear, Must Sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6qnlsl$ng4$3@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 148227

Hello. I have lots of radio gear for sale on a web page that I have set up. Check it out at:

http://www.clark.net/pub/heatwole/forsale.htm

Trades considered. Money Orders, cashiers checks, and checks are accepted. Low prices with shipping included. Feel free to make offers, I must sell.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

1722. AOR AR 8200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenTul <dprt@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6qnljo$mh5@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 148228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone know of the overseas availability of the AR 8200?

I know of distributors that plan on selling, but in the fall.

Thanks

1723. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CF5DB9.34BD14CE@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148229

z0142@bellsouth.net wrote:

> On 10 Aug 1998 19:08:14 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >Wazoo Remailer wrote:
> >
> >> Thanks for the GREAT BLOW JOB!
> >> --
> >> Posted with AnonNews at http://anonymicer.home.ml.org/news/
> >>
> >
> >Quick note: This message was posted through Access For All (xs4all) in
> >the Netherlands.
>
> Did you really think anyone in the NG needed you to tell them this?
>
> Do you really fell someone here is incapable of clicking on a link
> that's right in front of there face?
>

No, but I now do know that you are acting foolish, and you're now among my
friends in the killfile.

To further add, you're wrong. There is no link to a site in the
Netherlands. ML.ORG (Monolith) services, and AnonNews are not "affiliated"
with the Netherlands.

PLONK!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1724. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Ceraldi <ceraldi@albany.net>
Message-ID: <6qnmkm$ia8$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 148230

I ordered mine from Nevada communications... (mvt-7100)
http://www.nevada.co.uk
And it came to my door in 4 days of ordering it the guys there are great,
Ive heard that bandercam was having som probloms with some law enforcement
agencies at the time I ordered it (3 mounths ago)
and got advice not to order from them, I didnt want to take any chances of
loosing the scanner. so I did a search and came up with nevada,
great place for yupiteru :-)

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Aaron Ceraldi
Monitoring post KNY2AGO
http://www.albany.net/~ceraldi/

1725. Several Questions 1 of 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blackbeard <pjcglc@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <6qnn02$jn43@news.midusa.net>
Source record: 148231

I love checkin cell freqs...whenever I hit a freq I want to checkout, somtimes i can stay on that freq and minitor other times it gives a weird buzz tone and the freq goes dead...if I scan up a few hz, i can hit the traffic i was listening to a few seconds bfore...what is that...would a "trunk tracker" eliminate what I am experiencing. My hunch is that as more use of the freq increases traffic is randomly moved to the next available freq. Is that correct
BC Scancat
Thanks in Advance...im a newbie, but trying to learn quick

please email me
pjcglc@midusa.net

Paul

1726. Re: More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF63FC.48A1@parg.org>
Source record: 148232

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Like the proof that Charles showed mackey made the warrant story up to get
> Bill off the newsgroup. Shows how low mackey will go with his personal
> vendetta.

There was never any "PROOF" posted! Only a FORGE of a post from
OBFD! Even then, OBFD could be lying.

1727. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF6533.7431@parg.org>
Source record: 148233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Pete wrote:

> Oh shut up and quit whining you fool. I am glad he has the time to do
> things like to prove what a major fucking lowlife loser you are. GET OFF
> THE FUCKING NEWSGROUPS and let the responsible folks with more than 3rd
> grade behavior use them correctly. Everyone is sick of your shit so leave

YOUR school yard behavior & swearing is hardly needed here.

If you ever do anything like this again, I will contact your ISP
about your conduct.

Go away little boy!

> The lurker (seriously pissed)

Who cares?

1728. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF656D.1682@parg.org>
Source record: 148234

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Yes, starting with you,

How about starting with BOTH of us, BILL?

1729. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF65D3.4A16@parg.org>
Source record: 148235

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Newsgroups are "virtual"; they neither have nor
> lack "integrity", you idiot. But thanks to you,
> there certainly won't ever be any now.

YOUR behavior, BILL CHEEK, was spoiling this
newsgroup LONG before I arrived!

1730. Multi-Use Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason <johndc@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35CF663E.3E6D052E@erols.com>
Source record: 148236

Is your reception greatly affected if you use one of those "disguise"
antennas that combines AM/FM radio with an all-band scanner antenna.
(You know, the ones that go in place of your regular AM/FM car antenna,
and have splitters that let you connect it to both radios)?

These are also made for CB's. Will you lose a lot of transmission power
in your CB, if you use a CB-AM/FM combination antenna?

Thanks,
Jason

1731. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF6685.6AB7@parg.org>
Source record: 148237

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Your a lying sack of crap, The message Charles posted which you are not
> wanting to acknowledge proves that you do have a vendetta against Bill.

The message from Charles is a forge and full of lies.

> His message is one thing that you cannot deny as fact, you have proven a liar,
> fraud, forger, rouge canceler, email bomber etc, the list is numerous in the

I have NEVER done ANY of these things!

1732. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: phn@login.dknet.dkx
Message-ID: <6qnot3$49t$1@news.dknet.dk>
Source record: 148238

Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk> writes:

>alt.radio.scanner.uk U.K. related newsgroup

>aus.radio.scanner Australian related newsgroup

>nl.radio.scanners Dutch related newsgroup

>de.alt.radio-scanner German related newsgroup

And may i add:

dk.teknik.radio.scanner Danish related newsgroup

Regards
Per

--
Per H. Nielsen <phn@login.dknet.dkx>
My Danish Scanner Pages: http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/9880/
To reply to this remove trailing 'x' from my address.

1733. Re: Sorry K4CC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF66E1.75E9@parg.org>
Source record: 148239

K4CC wrote:
> John, how about posting a list of the names
> of all the people who ASKED you to assume

It was a volunteer thing sorta like the national guard or
reserves of the US.

1734. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF6985.49DF@parg.org>
Source record: 148240

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Go yank yourself,

According to that post of your theme song, YOU are the
one who does the above!

1735. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF685D.6F81@parg.org>
Source record: 148241

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Trouble is, there is ample reason to suspect you
> can't control yourself.

No BIll, everything was fine until YOU started up again & violated
the terms of truce in May. I ever posted 2 wrnings to you
which you ignored.

YOU are the one who apparently can't control themself!

1736. Help Please?¿!¡

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cassie <stedee@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35CF13C0.12DC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 148242

If anyone has used an Astra 610S, Please E-mail me at
stedee@earthlink.net and tell me what you thought of it!!

THANKS!

1737. WinRadio & Trunk Tracking?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Legion_IV <spam-death-tully.s@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6qnsfb$2jr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148243

TT Experts--

Is it currently feasible to use WinRadio cards for Trunk-Tracking? Is anyone aware of any software that will use 2 WinRadios to TT with EDACS? I'd rather setup a system with 2 WinRadios in it than fiddle with multiple scanners and mods and cables.

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Legion_IV
'On the net or on your knees'
Invalid replyto intentional, remove 'spam-death-'.

1738. Re: new icom R2? When available?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: TELCOM-GmbH.HV@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6qnnpf$om4$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 148244
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

The new R 2 will be available in European version 0,5-1300 MHz from the
end of August.
vy 73

rrhea@my-dejanews.com schrieb:
>
> Anyone have any info or specifications on the new Icom R2 reciever? When will
> it be available?
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1739. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CF8442.AD4C084D@primenet.com>
Source record: 148245

J "I don't know what I'm talking about, but that never stopped me before." Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> demonstrated more ignorance and inexperience:

> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > I didn't say it doesn't affect coax. I said it
> > affected the outer molecular layers of the
> > polyethylene jacket. Some coaxes will prove
> > worse than others, but in worst cases, it's
> > not a big deal to those in the know, nor even
> > to wartlips like you.
> >
> > Depends on how MUCH time, I guess. I mean given
> > a LONG time, I suppose when the UV degenerates
> > the copper shield to cause problems with the
> > dielectric.....but that's a long time,

> OK Bill, I refer you to the magazine "Mobile Radio Technology"
> page 26, article "Coaxial cable for wireless communications"
> section "Jacketing", January 1998 Issue.

That section of the article states:

"Most RF coaxial cables are jacketed with polyvinylchloride (PVC) plastic because it provides flexibility and a moisture barrier in a relatively thin skin. Elastomer jackets are also used in high-flexibility types of cable. Additional treatments are given some cables used outdoors to block deterioration of the plastic by UV radiation from the sun. Such deterioration can lead to moisture intrusion of the line. For installation purposes, the ease of stripping also depends on the jacket type.
As mentioned previously, bonding of these four basic cable elements to each other is receiving increased attention from manufacturers, particularly the bonding of the center conductor to the dielectric and the bonding of the tape-and-braid outer conductors to the dielectric."

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Before UV can affect the interior of a piece of coaxial cable, the outer jacket must be penetrated. As pointed out in the above article, that's why many cable manufacturers offer cable with the outer jackets treated for UV.

But, how is the cable penetrated? After years of constant exposure to wind, weather and UV, the outer jacket will fail and crack. A breach in the outer skin develops and the cable interior will start to degrade. The shield will corrode and the electrical properties with respect to the center conductor will start to change. The braided nature of a shield will wick the contaminating elements into the cable and the deterioration will become progressively worse. Then the dielectric will begin to change it's properties. In extreme cases, the foam is penetrated and the center conductor is exposed. The kinds of clues that your line may have a breach will be an apparent reduction in received signal strengths, or in the case of a transmitter, an increase or random variation in the SWR on the line.

For cables that have an aluminum foil shield, a similar failure mode will occur. The contamination will enter the space between the jacket and the foil, and migrate along the length of cable. When the contaminants reach the connector, it will fail. Then, the foam and center conductor will eventually become contaminated. A similar scenario occurs with cable that have both a foil and braided shield, but now you have both failure mechanisms at work.

But, the issue here is how *long* does it take for the cable to succumb to the effects of UV exposure. Obviously, it depends on how long the cable is exposed and the rate of UV exposure. Let's examine two types of environments and their impacts on coaxial cable.

In the Portland area where you live, you have approximately 300 plus days a year *with* rainfall and the associated cloud cover. That cloud cover filters much of the incoming UV and prevents it from reaching the surface of the planet, and your coax. Your environment with it's predominately overcast skies and reduced UV doesn't attack coaxial cable nearly as fast or as much as other areas like Phoenix where I live. Your biggest problem is not so much UV contamination, but moisture contamination. You also have additional contamination from salts in the air brought in by the wind from the sea. That's why you must take extra special care to seal your outdoor coax connections properly.

Conversely, in the desert, we have approximately 300 plus days a year with no rainfall. That means we also have very few totally overcast days and an increased rate of exposure to UV. The limited or non-existent cloud cover exacerbates the effects of continuous exposure of coaxial cable (and human skin) to UV. We also have to seal our connections, but not for the same reasons as you do. We have a high level of chemical particulates in our atmosphere that, if they enter a connector, can be highly corrosive to the interior of the connector and subsequently, the cable itself.

You would think from the foregoing that Phoenix would be an extremely inhospitable environment to coaxial cable. That is very true. The desert, in general, in an inhospitable environment, but, we've learned

to adapt. More importantly, is what we've learned regarding coax and the effects of UV over time. By time, I mean over a span of forty or so years.

The sun tends to bake the outer jacket and it stiffens it up after a while. If you move the cable around a lot after it's installed, you will contribute to the deterioration of the cable very rapidly. On the other hand, if you leave it alone and the wind doesn't beat it around (because you secured it properly when you installed it), it will last a very long time.

We've learned by experience that if you install your cable with good connector seals and secure your cable to your towers and such, it will last for ten or more years trouble free. Some installations in my area have been in operation for almost twenty years with *no* problems.

> Go read it & learn something Bill!

In another words, UV is a problem, but not of the monumental proportion you've made it out to be. Bill's quote above said essentially the same thing, but you've denied it's validity because Cheek said. It seems YOU should gain a little more experience in the world before you spout off.

1740. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CF84A5.A2292EE6@primenet.com>
Source record: 148246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

J "He he, I know I can lie my way out of this. It's worked before." Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> attempted to avoid the truth when confronted with the evidence of his actions:

> You sure have a lot of time & energy to spend on CRAP like this!

I'm not surprised YOU think this is crap, especially when it proves that it is YOU who is waging a "reign of terror" in the scanner news groups. You just can't stand getting a dose of the truth, Toilet Boy.

> Richard, GET A LIFE!

I have one. Since you are following the dogma according to PARG on their web page ("We have no life."), you have no life and are jealous of someone who does, like me. If it bothers you so much, start buying your antacids in bulk.

> During the months of April & most of May there was a successful
> truce & the flaming posts were ceased.

That my be your distorted perception of reality, however, that's not true. Actually, you were twitted out by Cheek. Look it up in DejaNews.

> Since the cease started in April & lsted until late May this
> explains the 400% increase in Cheek's posts (April) when compared
> to June compared to only a 200% increase in my (Mackey) posts.

Since the majority of your posts were directed at Cheek (your ego thing again), his posts declined because he ignored you and didn't respond to your inane ramblings. You did, however, continue to agitate the situation with an increase in your flaming of others hoping to draw him out again and feed your ego. Look it up in DejaNews.

> If Cheek gets this consideration then I (Mackey) should also as
> several of my posts were also canceled during this same time
> which caused me to have to re-post the same way Cheek had to.

The number of your own posts canceled by you were of insignificant quantity to affect the overall tallies. Hence, the numbers were shown as they were. In this specific instance, I treated you considerably more fairly than you deserved.

> What proof do you have to back up this accusation? You won't
> have any because I didnt' do any canceling. Remember, many of my
> messages were also being canceled.

This point has already been discussed elsewhere and you were proven
to be the culprit. Look it up in DejaNews.

1741. Radios, Scanners, Stuff.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35CF827D.7580C467@alaska.net>
Source record: 148247

POSTED FOR A NON-INTERRNET FRIEND PLEASE CALL
THE NUMBER BELOW.

Uniden BC-8500 tone board $20 2-Motorola
MX-360S VHF, Keypads, same freqs $275 both.

Call 817-397-8731

1742. Using Your Scanner with The Perseids Meteor Shower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CF8522.77B36639@primenet.com>
Source record: 148248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

During the next week, you can view and hear one of nature's most exciting light shows, the Perseid meteor shower. Each summer, the Earth passes through a curtain of ice and dust that produces a hail of blue-green shooting stars.

The best viewing will be Wednesday evening just before local moon rise. Look towards the northeastern skies directly above the Perseus constellation. The showers will be visible with the naked eye and you can expect to see between 60 and 80 meteors per hour. Peak showers of over 220 per hour have been reported in the past, so you never know.

The Perseids, which appear to radiate from the constellation Perseus, are named after the mythological son of Zeus who killed Medusa and rescued Andromeda.

A meteor is the streak of light you sometimes see in the night sky. It is caused by the vaporization of small bits of rock smashing through the upper atmosphere at high speeds. Some meteors are random bits of space dust, but most are chunks of material thrown off by passing comets. When the Earth passes through the orbital ring of cometary debris, we see a meteor shower. The parent comet of the Perseids is known as Swift-Tuttle.

The meteor showers will also affect radio communication in the 50 to 80 MHz range. As each meteor strikes the ionosphere, the resultant kinetic energy is sufficient to ionize a column of air about 12 miles long in the E layer. The meteors traveling through the ionosphere leave ionized trails behind them. These trails reflect radio waves and reception can be extended to distances of 500 to 1400 miles. While the meteors themselves burn up and never reach the ground, it does take a few seconds to a few minutes for the ionized column of air to dissipate. You can hear long range communications during these moments. With the density of the Perseids, these times can possibly extend to tens of minutes.

You can listen to the sounds of the meteors themselves by tuning your receiver to an unused frequency in the 50 to 80 MHz range and use single sideband mode. You'll hear a distinctive pinging sound as each meteor strikes the ionosphere.

So get your scanners and tape recorders ready for a new twist to your scanning pleasure.

1743. Mackey Is A Gardener

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf8366.85954697@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148249

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey is a gardener. He has a
philosophy for pulling weeds.

Mackey says the best way to make sure
you are removing a weed and not a valuable
plant is to yank on it. If it comes out
of the ground easily, it is a valuable plant.
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1744. Re: More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d084d0.86316207@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148250

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Like the proof that Charles showed mackey made the warrant story up to get
> > Bill off the newsgroup. Shows how low mackey will go with his personal
> > vendetta.
>
>
> There was never any "PROOF" posted! Only a FORGE of a post from
> OBFD! Even then, OBFD could be lying.

The truth is....YOU are lying.

You friggin wartlip........

1745. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d18502.86366492@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148251

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Pete wrote:
>.......
> If you ever do anything like this again, I will contact your ISP
> about your conduct.

....because YOU are the newsgroup Savior and
Great Redeemer, huh?

You friggin wartlip........

1746. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d28561.86461137@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148252

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> The message from Charles is a forge and full of lies.

No, wartlip, it has nothing to with metal.

> > His message is one thing that you cannot deny as fact, you have proven a liar,
> > fraud, forger, rouge canceler, email bomber etc, the list is numerous in the

> I have NEVER done ANY of these things!

Funny how you've done them ALL, though......

You friggin wartlip.......

1747. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d385ad.86537311@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148253

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Wartlip J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> YOUR behavior, BILL CHEEK, was spoiling this
> newsgroup LONG before I arrived!

I wasn't here "long" before you arrived. In fact,
I wasn't here at all. You got here and started
in on me.....which prompted people to send e-mail
to me wondering why I didn't come out to deal with
you. So I did........

You friggin lying wartlip......
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1748. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d48614.86639831@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148254

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Yes, starting with you,
>
> How about starting with BOTH of us, BILL?

No. It all starts AND ends with you,
you friggin wartlip.......

1749. Need Scanner Info To Which To Buy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4325-35CF7CE8-59@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148255
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I want to know is there a base scanner that has Alpha-numeric tags on each freqs, 300 channels or more, recieves from short wave to 2000mhz or just 25-1300 mhz?? Thanks

1750. Re: Several Question 1 of 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tomcX@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6qo1gt$j15$1@newshost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 148256

If what you are hearing is in the 929 - 932 MHz range,
those are the base stations that transmit messages to digital pagers

Tom

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email address is spam-proofed - remove the X

Blackbeard wrote in message <6qnnck$joq5@news.midusa.net>...
What are weird data/fax type sounds in the 900.00 - 930.00+ range.....
I can recv. portable phone frew in the 30.00 - 49.00 range is this
possible....i have never heard this type of traffic in other ranges...Am i
missing something
Thanks Paul
pjcglc@midusa.net

1751. Re: Several Questions 1 of 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tomcX@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6qo1nk$j46$1@newshost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 148257

that is the cell site handing off the call to another cell cite.
that happens when the caller moves from cell to cell.
a trunk tracker will not follow cellular calls.

Tom

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email address is spam-proofed - remove the X

Blackbeard wrote in message <6qnn02$jn43@news.midusa.net>...
I love checkin cell freqs...whenever I hit a freq I want to checkout,
somtimes i can stay on that freq and minitor other times it gives a weird
buzz tone and the freq goes dead...if I scan up a few hz, i can hit the
traffic i was listening to a few seconds bfore...what is that...would a
"trunk tracker" eliminate what I am experiencing. My hunch is that as more
use of the freq increases traffic is randomly moved to the next available
freq. Is that correct
BC Scancat
Thanks in Advance...im a newbie, but trying to learn quick

please email me
pjcglc@midusa.net

Paul

1752. BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1039338717ea45a1989694@news.pon.net>
Source record: 148258
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I finally got my scanner today, programmed it and started scanning. I just realized, it was scanning all the blank channels, even though they are 000.0000 Mhz and L/O'd. Why is that and what can be done to fix it?

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

1753. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CF9A16.648362D@primenet.com>
Source record: 148259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Interesting post.

Thank you. I think I made my point about the behavior of one of the occupants of the scanner news groups and dispelled a few of his lies.

> I would like to point out, that my address has also included the
> bbowers@P_ARG.org

Quite so. Please accept my apology as no disrespect was intended. However, my survey ended at July 31, 1998 and your additional address did not go into use until a few days afterward.

> P_ARG of course, is the ancronym for the new HAM/scanner/swl radio
> group that I have co-founded, and hold the positions of Chair of the
> testing comittee, Chair of the technical comittee, Chair of the
> membership comittee, and others.

Congratulations on your new enterprise. I wish you the best of luck. It is fortunate that people are fairly intelligent and will not associate your fine group with another more disreputable group with a similar name.

> Membership is free for anyone wishing to work to enhance the radio
> hobby. Membership is easy too, just send email to me, and I forward
> it to the membership comittee for approval. Just about all are
> eligible, as we are by no means trying to be an organization that,
> like some others, believe themselfs to be elitist.

> Live from P_ARG!!

1754. Scanning Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: WyzAss@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <WyzAss-1008981853210001@we-24-130-16-240.we.mediaone.net>
Source record: 148260

Whats the difference between a standard scanner and a trunk tracking scanner? (i.e. regular bearcat and a "Trunk Tracker" bearcat). Are the frequency ranges different? Do they act different?

What does trunk tracking mean anyways?

Sorry if these are lame questions, but I'm somewhat of a newbie.

1755. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35cf6871.3475276@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148261

Ryan, *you* are wrong. That information was right in the message header. Jeez!

Instead of trying to desperately prove how much you know to this NG, try an exercise in listening & learning. Trust me, you'll gain more respect.

1756. Re: Using Your Scanner with The Perseids Meteor Shower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35d06a5e.3968351@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Is this for real? Please provide a reference where I can read more about this phenomenon.

Thanks.

1757. FS: AR8000 & Optolinx interface- $520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Treefrog <treefrog@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35CFAC6F.8B137DAE@ibm.net>
Source record: 148263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I am selling my AR8000DX and Optoelectronics Optolinx computer interface in order to afford to move. Both are in mint condition with low hours. The AR8000 is blocked and has a narrow AM PCB filter which can be easily switched on/off and can be removed if you wish. Scanner is also modified for Optoelectronics Scout usage. Unit was bought modified from Javiation in UK. Have original antenna, manuals, carrying case, boxes, and everything else. The Optolinx can be used to connect a computer to the AR8000 and ICOM CI-V receivers as well as the Opto Scout and M1. The price is US$520, won't sell either separately, no trades. Price includes shipping to Canada and U.S.. Email if interested or have questions.

1758. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35CFB6BC.D47A1A53@erols.com>
Source record: 148264

J Mackey wrote:

> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > mackey appointed himself as netcop so he could carry out his vendetta against
>
> I have no vendetta against anyone. I have only concern to preserve the
> integrity of this newsgroup.

Jeeez,.....what a friggin' nut case.

And just how are you "preserving the integrity" of this newsgroup?

How are ya doing it?

In what way?

1759. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35CFB998.7351D679@erols.com>
Source record: 148265

fred wrote:

> Ryan, *you* are wrong. That information was right in the message
> header. Jeez!
>
> Instead of trying to desperately prove how much you know to this NG,
> try an exercise in listening & learning. Trust me, you'll gain more
> respect.

Wake up Ryan; fred@banana.net is John Mackey. Note the cadence.

I find it interesting that he picked a banana for his handle though.

1760. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CFC3A8.82A3E6CF@primenet.com>
Source record: 148266

J "I'll distort the facts, they'll never notice." Mackey
<KAOSSF@parg.org> lied:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> In> another words, UV is a problem,

> Thanks for your input Richard!

Another lame distortion from you again, Toilet Boy. As usual, you're too stupid to see that I was NOT supporting your inexperienced position. I was, however, pointing out the limitations of your argument. You can't bring yourself to admit that Cheek was right and you're wrong.

The full statement that you clipped is:

In another words, UV is a problem, but not of the monumental proportion you've made it out to be. Bill's quote above said essentially the same thing, but you've denied it's validity because Cheek said. It seems YOU should gain a little more experience in the world before you spout off.

1761. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35CFC403.3F613AFA@primenet.com>
Source record: 148267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

J "If I keep screaming I'm innocent, they'll eventually believe
me, won't they?" Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> popped the veins in
his forehead again:

> > Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > I'm not surprised YOU think this is crap, especially when it
> > proves

> YES, you presented corrupted data & slanted facts.

You might see it that way in your delusional little world, but you
have no clue what is and what is not real. Hence, your inability to
distinguish truth from fiction, and to face the truth about yourself.

> > Look it up in DejaNews.

> You look it up & see for YOURSELF!

I did. That's where the information came from. If you don't believe
me, look it up. You *do* know how to actually *use* DejaNews, don't
you? Or do you just know the name of the archive and like tossing it
around thinking it will impress people?

Your inability to face the truth is your problem. Maybe you should
consider seeking professional help for your mental health problems.
You really are getting worse.

> Facts speak for themselves, Kendrick!

Yes, they do. And my facts and those presented by others show you to
be THE largest offender in the scanner news groups. Again, you have
the inability to face the truth about yourself.

> Stop trying to distort the facts!

When it comes to you, Toilet Boy, no one has to distort the facts.
Besides, with your delusional tirades, how would you know the truth
if you saw it?

> According to Mr. Eisner, you are wrong!

Present your proof.

> > This point has already been discussed elsewhere and you were
> > proven to be the culprit. Look it up in DejaNews.

> WRONG! There was NEVER any proof presented. Look it up in Dejanews!

Still unable to face the truth, eh Toilet Boy? The more you scream, rant, and rave your denials, the more I think you're trying to convince yourself more than you're trying to convince me. There, there now, take a midol and call me in the morning.

1762. Re: 900MHz Phone Question???????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sly Kapchinski <n5gqb@txcyber.com>
Message-ID: <35CFC772.55D4@txcyber.com>
Source record: 148268

Sounds just like my TROPEZ 900DX phone. It is not spread spectrum. The
freq. counter shows a definate freq. but when a scanner is tuned to it
nothing is heard, not even a hiss, static or digital noise. The scanner
won't even stop on it in search mode neither.
Kinda neat! I wish I knew what type of modulation it is?

SKane911 wrote:
>
> I own a digital 900 MHz Sony Cordless phone and used a frequency counter to
> record the base and handset frequencies, monitored both frequencies on two
> separate scanners and heard NOTHING....the scanner did not even stop when in
> search mode covering the phones frequencies. The phone is not Spread Spectrum
> ï¿½ (Thanx Heddy) but it is digital.
>
> Skane
>
> "....I think about life and I think about death, and neither one particularly
> appeals to me."

1763. Re: Using Your Scanner with The Perseids Meteor Shower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35cfccc5.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 148269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

fred wrote in message <35d06a5e.3968351@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>...
>Is this for real? Please provide a reference where I can read more
>about this phenomenon.

It is true but the original post is in error.
The 2 mtr rband is much better to hear to "swoosh" or "zing" sound in USB.
Actually its pretty boring.
Some hams attempt to make CW contacts during these brief ionization bursts,
usually a call is all you'll hear if you're lucky.
Try 144.100 Mhz.

Pete

1764. mackey and cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert W Beeson <rbeeson@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <35CFC77F.C4183A07@cruzio.com>
Source record: 148270

Gees, why don't you people GROW the (*$%&*$* UP!
YA FRIGGIN' WARTLIP SWINES.....

1765. Re: Uniden Bearcat SC-150 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jamese@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <35cfd919.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 148271

your dc converter for the car will also charge the batt. pack
Dana Hartsock wrote in message ...
>On Tue, 28 Jul 1998 20:53:38, johnnyr@ihgp2.ih.lucent.com (John R.
>Rosenberg) wrote:
>
>
>> All you need is a lighter adapter which has the correct output voltage
>> and amps and the right size plug and polarity. If you look at the back
>> of the Uniden charger that came with the SC-150, it will tell you
>> what you need. I *think* its 6 VDC as 1200 MAH and the collar of the
>> plug is negative - *BUT* I'm probably remembering it a bit wrong, so
>> check the adapter for the correct info. I imagine you can get a car
>> adapter to fit your needs at Radio Shack.
>
>John,
>
>I too was looking to see if my DC car adapter would work with the
>SC150. It does multiple voltages and can change polarity... just have
>to check the milliamps. I've only had my SC150 for a week but it
>appears to fit my modest needs. My only real regret, gripe,
>negative... is the darned Ni-Cad battery pack. It is not very
>convenient when you are away from a recharge source. I was hoping
>there might be a third-party battery tray for alkalines... but there
>doesn't appear to be any such thing available. I may have to look for
>a recharge unit that can handle the SC150 battery pack, then buy a
>spare to swap with the original.
>
>Dana

1766. Re: An Offer For K4CC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEBC3E.7102@parg.org>
Source record: 148272

K4CC wrote:
> You rejected it as I knew you would.

You are wrong, you are using it as an excuse for your continued
trouble making!

1767. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEBCF4.387E@parg.org>
Source record: 148273

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Gawd..... Wartlip, can't you read? I *said*
> I will NOT negotiate with you. The standing
> offer is there.....for the 4 or 5 point deal
> I offered you. It includes solely thee and me.
> No one else. I am not going to "deal" or
> negotiate with you on ANY matter, and especially

So are you saying you are rejecting the agreement because
of the point "no flaming or nasty messages"?

1768. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081009324600.FAA29451@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148274

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>Remember, many of my
>messages were also being canceled.

Yes, I remember that you cancelled some
of your own messages. Your point?

1769. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081009324700.FAA29452@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148275

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) writes:

>Two, when you can buy 'em for $25 for a couple hundred
>thousand, how the hell is the 700+ count of the SCAN-L
>list going to be profitable? You can't sell a hundred
>addresses for a penny, so seven cents is profit?

Hmmm. It would appear that Mr. Healey's
poor math skills and lack of veracity are
nearly as pronounced as Mr. Mackey's.
They should "get together", if they haven't
already.
Dave

1770. Re: More of Fire Chief lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081009324700.FAA29453@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148276

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>You used your own personal interpretation to
>change it to something else.

No, he quoted you verbatim, scumbucket.

1771. Sorry J. Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081009324800.FAA29454@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148277

Sorry J. Mackey wrote:
>>
>> Sorry, I made a committment to this NG 2 years ago that I (along with
>> a few others) would stand guard here

Sorry would be the operative word here.

Old Sorry appointed himself protector of
the huddled masses so he could have an
excuse (he was the only one who doesn't
see how sorry the excuse was) to provoke,
flame, forge, cancel and disrupt the newsgroup.

John, how about posting a list of the names
of all the people who ASKED you to assume
this "role" you've taken upon yourself? What's
that? There aren't any? Well, what a surprise!

Why don't you just go ahead and admit to your
personal vendetta against Cheek, since it is
so obvious and so well documented?

1772. Re: Used scanners{california}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35CEC405.FE6F1881@nightowl.net>
Source record: 148278

Hi Joe check out some of your local Pawn Shops, i have found some great
deals on scanners in these places, most Pawn Shops don't know what they
have or what there worth so you may pick up a deal.

Todd
--
Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

Joe Nicholson wrote:
>
> -=> Quoting Scape3000 to All <=-
>
> Sc> Hi can someone advice of any store that sales used scanners in souther
> Sc> california if u know please e-mail to me
>
> WHERE in Southern California? I have a list which
> includes Anaheim, Los Angeles, San Bernardio, most
> of San Diego, and Burbank.
>
> ___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
> --
> |WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
> |Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1773. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35CED126.6137F75D@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 148279

James Tonsager wrote:
> No, actually Rich Wells listed a rather long list of problems with it.

I guess I fail to see the 'long list'. Like every receiver, it has its strengths and weaknesses. The radio does continue to evolve since the early Japanese unit I wrote about in my online review. And many people still continue to directly compare a communications receiver and a true-blooded scanner which simply can't be done.

It is aggresively priced...more so than I had expected, and I'm sure will appeal to many with its coverage and memory channels. I'm sure it will prove to be irresistable to those shopping around the $400 price mark and are unwilling to fork over the additional $100-$150 for the similar iCOM or AOR.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

1774. DIGITAL MODES (FAX,RTTY) WITH MVT-9000 SCANNER ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scan7705@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qmhu9$b6e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148280

I just want to know if anyone uses a Yupiteru mvt-9000 to receive RTTY,SSTV,WEFAX,SITOR and other digital modes. (Of course with a good antenna). Same question for the AOR AR8000.

Thank you for your answers.

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1775. Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: av391@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6qmjkl$722@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 148281

Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

One of the best scanner/receiver units money can buy!

- frequency range from 530kHz to 1650Mhz in receiving modes:
Wide FM, Narrow FM, AM, LSB and USB (including cellular band)
- twelve frequency steps can be selected
- 10-band search function
- 1000-channel memory
- comes with car connector, hand strap, belt clip, earphone,
original box, owner's manual and original receipt
- purchased in November 1996: used no more than 25 hours
Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM

Originally paid over $900 from Atlantic Ham Radio. This was the
second model from the top back in 1996. It was hardly ever
used (practically brand new). Yes, from the above frequency range,
you can receive all analog cellular conversions!

Serious inquiries ONLY. Located in Toronto. Leave a voice number
if interested.

1776. Re: Software choice for OS 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjenk5749@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081012382800.IAA28929@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148282

>I would like opinions on software for os 535. I have read Rich Wells
>article about Probe, It sounds like the best., But it is not a very
>attractive looking
>Program. I like the decoding Abilities of Probe, But is there any
>thing
>more Windows oriented That is very functional? I know that these
>things can get really pricey too, I would like to stay in the $100 or
>less catagory.

You've mentioned the best, don't settle for less. I've tried them all. Probe is the best.

1777. BC80xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <6qmsrv$lo4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148283

Is this a good radio for listining to 800 mhz ?
an is there a mod for it?

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1778. Re: Special web page for Cheek-A-Likes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081013202900.JAA09180@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148284

>rom: digital_persona@softhome.net
>Here is link to a great web page that all the Cheek-A-Likes should go to.
>http://www.amishrakefight.org/gfy/

Yuk, yuk. The Digit points fingers but doesn't post anything worthwhile. Looks like another bites the bozo filter dust, hey, hey! PLONK!

1779. Re: AOR8200 vs Yupiteru MVT-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jo_oeverland@hp.com
Message-ID: <35ceea3f.21036417@news.corp.hp.com>
Source record: 148285

It is the Preset mode thats missing. If its enabled it gives you
the correct stepping for the frequencerange you are in.

Even if its not cerrect for my country, does some of
you know how to enable it?

Jo

>>From: Nigel Spiers <nspiers@hitechuk.demon.co.
>
>>
>>MVT9000 has the direct freq access function using the offset mode which
>>will allow you to tune to any freq (within scanner range) required
>>irrespective of step size.
>
>I understand that you can't use the offset mode for 9000s sold outside of
>Japan; instead you have to set it up according to whatever country you're in.
>That's a pain but, I'll live with it. That's certainly one of the advantages of
>the 8200. With a PC hook up you can reprogram it to the (whatever country)
>bandplan you want.

1780. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jo_oeverland@hp.com
Message-ID: <35cfeb96.21379005@news.corp.hp.com>
Source record: 148286

On 7 Aug 1998 23:23:50 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>I've got a MVT-9000 on order and I'm looking for users who want to swap tips
>and techniques. Is there any interest in putting together a mailing list or a
>web site? No reason not to include 7100 and 7200 users either...

Does some of you have a good description of what is the
deference between 9000 and 9000 MII ?
Can you see if an radio have bin modified?

Jo

1781. Re: Used scanners {california}??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6qmvjt$il6$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 148287

check out a local pawn shop...

Scape3000 wrote in message
<1998080906225600.CAA29928@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Hi can someone advice of any store that sales used scanners in souther
>california if u know please e-mail to me
>
> Than You.

1782. Re: Help with Frequency Search!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35CF0E0E.7EE6@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 148288
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

David - N6RHL wrote:
>
> Hi, if someone with a percon disk or some other means of searching FCC
> databases could help me I would appreciate it very much.
>
> I am attempting to find the frequencies assigned to Quicksilver Express
> Couriers of Colorado. They should have 8-10 800 mhz freqs assigned to
> them in the state of colorado. I beleive that they utilize a Johnson LTR
> trunking system. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Please reply via personal email to my address below.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Dave
>
> N6RHL@mho.net

Dave, Go to this URL

http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/lic_state_res.hts?db_id=2&rows=25&sndx=QACSALVARAXP&state=CO

Regards

Ed

1783. Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wazoo Remailer <nobody@earth.wazoo.com>
Message-ID: <199808101456.OAA14372@earth.wazoo.com>
Source record: 148289

Thanks for the GREAT BLOW JOB!

Posted with AnonNews at http://anonymicer.home.ml.org/news/

1784. Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wazoo Remailer <nobody@earth.wazoo.com>
Message-ID: <199808101456.OAA14362@earth.wazoo.com>
Source record: 148290

Thanks for the GREAT BLOW JOB!

Posted with AnonNews at http://anonymicer.home.ml.org/news/

1785. Re: TrunkTracker: How to find fleet info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qn4us$1un@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 148291

Thanks Barry. That is very helpful. I'll give it a try.

--
Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM> wrote in message ...
> To add to what Greg has posted, you can improve the odds over just
>guessing each block's size code. If you log a fair number of IDs for a

[lots of good info deleted]
>
> /* barry /&

1786. AOR 2500 wide range monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerman7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qn8uf$4hc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148292

Looking for any info on this scanner and its computer interface.

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1787. Re: Help with Frequency Search!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf1bbe.59413966@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148293

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Dear Mister Amateur Radio Operator N6RHL:

> > David - N6RHL <N6RHL@mho.net> wrote:
> >
> > > Hi, if someone with a percon disk or some other means of
> > > searching FCC databases could help me I would appreciate it very much.

> > How's come you don't just buy a PerCon disk
> > of your own?

> Well Bill, I didn't expect this kind of response from you. Is
> this why you are so hated in the news groups.

Hated? By whom? Mackey? Boe? Quarnstrom? No loss
there, pal. And now you? No loss there, either........
I don't mind if I am hated by crooks, thieves, and sickos.

> I have respected your books that I have bought from you
> concerning the scanners. I have all three of them. This
> response changes that thought though.

Does it now? Why don't you read the "response" again.
It was only a question. And a very valid question, too.
Here you went right out in public and begged for a handout
that has illegal overtones.

You can't legally copy a chapter out of a book and send
it to someone. You can't legally copy software and sent
it to someone. But you want an innocent hobbyist to go
to work for you because you are too lazy or too cheap to
make the investment for yourself? And you want him to
violate PerCon's copyrights?

And then we wonder why PerCon and others put copy-
protection schemes on their products.............

You can like it or lump it, Mister Amateur Radio
Operator N6RHL, but your actions and the actions
you want of others are potentially very damaging to
the hobby. And so my question was and IS exceptionally
relevant, salient, and succinct.....without emotion
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and without any sort of flame or attack. It was
designed to get you to THINK about the ramifications
and overtones of what you asked.....and STILL allow
some room for you to save face.

But if it hit home in a sore spot, then I don't
give a flying hoot if you "hate me".

> If I had needed lots of freqs to look up I would certainly
> purchase the cd for myself. But I just need a couple of freqs
> looked up for me. Did that require an asshole response like
> you made to me.

It was a straight and simple question. It was YOUR
post that smacked of assholisms and perhaps even
breaking the law. You could have left PerCon and
CD's out of it altogether, and just asked for "freqs".
That's fair. And reasonable. That doesn't publicly
flout the law and another man's rights like YOUR
blatant question did.

It is neither fair nor reasonable to ask for someone
to violate copyright laws for you.

> I guess you do have quite a bit of free time each day
> to sit down and do nothing but respond to email
> messages.

I do have a bit of time to devote to the GOOD OF THE
HOBBY and to its best interests.....which most
certainly does not include STEALING the fruits of
another man's labor.

You got that, Mister Amateur Radio Operator N6RHL?

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1788. 900 megahertz portable phone frequency range

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Coldwater Implement <coldimpt@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6qn8qaaoc1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 148294

Can anyone tell me if the 900 megahertz portable phones are scanable and if so what are the frequency ranges. I have a Uniden BC-200 XLT to work with. Thanks in advance for any help.

1789. Re: More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qnc9v$q1v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148295

In article <4d0_9808091900@warpgate.com>,
Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com (Fire Chief) wrote:
> -=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-
>
> JM> I never stated that he got "booted" from Fido, only that he was asked
> JM> to leave.
>
> On Fri, 31 Jul 1998 20:21:29 GMT, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
> > His upstream feeds had received to many complaints about
> > his behavior & problems with his node so he was given 30 days
> > to shut down or have his links/feeds cut.
>
> "He was given 30 days to shut down....."
>
> Now you tell me and everyone else that this doesn't mean he was booted.
>
mackey likes to split hairs on wording when his statements come back to haunt
him.

Like the proof that Charles showed mackey made the warrant story up to get
Bill off the newsgroup. Shows how low mackey will go with his personal
vendetta.

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1790. Newbie Needs Help! Discriminator Tap on BC560XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: swrosch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35cf2c6a.1011444@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 148296

Howdy everyone!

I'm not new to the world of monitoring, but I am new to the
world of modifying. I'm interested in do a discriminator tap
to a spare BC560XLT I have, but I'm not exactly sure how
to do it. Can anyone give me some advice as to what needs
to be done?

BTW-- I do plan on having a separate jack for the baseband.
Anything special I need to do in regards to this?

Thanks for any help..

Scott

1791. Re: Miramar air show freq.?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccartee@cisco.com
Message-ID: <6qnepv$959$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148297

In article <19980809010254000.VAA16289@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
radio911@aol.com (Radio911) wrote:
>
> Post further info. here if you get it-I'm sure many are interested in your
> question...

Here's what I posted to the milcom-l list last year after my return trip. You can subscribe to milcom at www.qth.net. If you're interested in military communications, I strongly encourage you to join the list. You can also look at some recent archives for more Miramar frqeuencies from a local listener.

If anyone is interested in trying to coordinate a meeting during the show, I suggest we attempt contact on 146.52 (2M calling). If there's a lot of activity, then we can move to another simplex. Here are some old ones I've used:
scan-l/milcom-l simplex (pri): 147.525
scan-l/milcom-l simplex (secondary): 147.555

If you're not an amateur radio operator, then contact me via e-mail and we'll pick an FRS to meet up on. I enjoy meeting folks on the radio, it is always educational to exchange frequencies during the show.

...and now to my post. ;)
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Apologies if the cross-post isn't appropriate, but I thought this would have general appeal...

Please find below an edited list of the 'master' list I sent out a couple of weeks ago. It is cut down just to those frequencies I monitored at the show.

One thing that was strange was that the security forces had 400MHz business bad radios instead of navy-issued radios. I'd seen this before at El Toro, but was surprised to see it at Miramar.

I'd be interested in hearing from other mil-commers to see what they monitored. One other thing to note is that it appears as if the Miramar frequences dominate the spectrum. It looks like the Marines must have left their frequency allocations back in Orange County, at El Toro. While I expected this to happen for the Air frequencies, I didn't expect it for the non-tactical ground frequencies.

Enjoy, and hope to see you next year...

p.s. So how many of you made it to the show?

Sun Aug 24 20:50 * Group *
Page 1
Miramar Airshow '97 - MIRAMAR2.SWG - AR8000

Bank Chan Freq Tone Name Mode Scan Tape Alarm
==
======== Bank 10 (a) - Miramar / Air Field Frequencies 10 0 123.1500M
a2gChat AM SKIP NO 0

!!! Discrete & Coordination for some teams

10 3 133.6250M Tower AM SKIP NO 0
10 4 135.2000M airBoss AM SKIP NO 0

!!! Not a misprint, Miramar takes over an ATC frequency for the show.
Air boss frequency was general net between performers, tower and
announcers station.

10 6 266.8000M 1frqApp AM SKIP NO 0
10 12 300.4000M 1frqApp AM SKIP NO 0
10 16 315.6000M Tower 1 AM SKIP NO 0
10 24 362.6000M 1frqApp AM SKIP NO 0
10 31 380.8000M Ground AM SKIP NO 0
Bank 11 (b) - Miramar / ATC & Range Control (1 of 2)
11 1 119.6000M appDep AM SKIP NO 0
11 2 120.0500M depENE AM SKIP NO 0
11 6 132.2000M sdApp AM SKIP NO 0
11 36 269.1000M depENE AM SKIP NO 0
11 48 281.8000M sdApp AM SKIP NO 0
Bank 12 (c) - Miramar / ATC & Range Control (2 of 2)
12 3 285.2000M sdApDep AM SKIP NO 0
12 7 290.4000M sdApDep AM SKIP NO 0
12 30 323.0000M sdApDep AM SKIP NO 0
12 49 354.9000M air2air AM SKIP NO 0
Bank 13 (d) - Miramar Ground Frequencies
13 0 138.8000M mwr? FM SKIP NO 0

!!! Airshow 1

13 2 139.5500M ??? FM SKIP NO 0
13 7 140.2500M Fire FM SKIP NO 0

!!! Medical Dispatch / Miramar 1

13 10 140.9000M LineMnt FM SKIP NO 0
13 11 141.0000M pubWrks FM SKIP NO 0
13 12 141.1000M afldSwp FM SKIP NO 0
13 15 141.9500M des??? FM SKIP NO 0
13 18 143.5250M afldCtl FM SKIP NO 0

!!! Command Post

13 20 148.7250M ashow FM SKIP NO 0
13 21 148.8250M ashow FM SKIP NO 0

!!! USCG Aux

13 24 150.0750M secPol? FM SKIP NO 0
13 26 150.1500M secPol FM SKIP NO 0
13 27 150.2000M secPrng FM SKIP NO 0
13 30 150.9625M ashow FM SKIP NO 0
13 33 407.9500M fire? FM SKIP NO 0
13 34 408.3500M fire? FM SKIP NO 0
Bank 14 (e) - El Toro Ground (1 of 2)
14 5 138.6000M Secur FM SCAN NO 0
14 14 139.5000M S&R FM SCAN NO 0
14 16 139.5500M FrBase FM SCAN NO 0
14 17 139.5750M usmc FM SCAN NO 0

Refueling truck

14 35 140.8500M portabl FM SCAN NO 0
14 46 143.5250M MedSvc FM SCAN NO 0
Bank 18 (i) - Blue Angels / Air & Ground Frequencies
18 5 263.3500M baLead AM SKIP NO 0
18 8 275.3500M ba1-4tb AM SKIP NO 0
18 11 307.7000M baSolo AM SKIP NO 0
18 12 345.9000M baCmSol AM SKIP NO 0
18 29 168.9000M baMnt FM SKIP NO 0
18 30 170.9000M baMnt FM SKIP NO 0

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To unsubscribe the list, send an email to: majordomo@grove.net
with only "unsubscribe milcom" in the BODY of the email.

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1792. Re: 12 to 9 volt mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qne1a$7fs$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148298

In article <35ce49c2.1850917@news>,
wapcutthispart@ica.net wrote:
>
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > "Squeeze the Weeze" <none@spammer.now> wrote:
> >> Rat Shack duzzn't have a 9v as a stock item.....
> >> The most common 3-Pin is an LM7808 8v.
> >> ALSO not available at the shak.....
> >> --
> >>
> >Why not use the LM317T RS# 276-1778 $1.99, it is an adjustable
> >voltage regulator. It is adjutable from 1.2 volts to 27 volts dc
> >and has a 1.5 amp current rating with a heat sink. Just use a
> >resistor to control the voltage.
>
> For those with access to a REAL electronics store, an LM7808
> will work just fine in most applications, and is probably
> cheaper than an "adjustable" regulator. Many devices that
> specify a 9 volt input will work just fine on 8. The lower
> the input voltage to the device, the less heat generated by
> the device's internal regulator.
>
> If 9 volts is truly required, just insert a resistor between the
> center lead of the LM7808 and circuit ground. Start small and
> increase resistance until the desired output voltage is reached.
>
> Alternatively, substitute a small diode or two for the resistor
> to get about 8.6 or 9.2 volts.
>
Go to this site and compare the two regulators.
Fist one is the NTE equivalent to the LM317T
Second one is the NTE equivalent to the 7808.
I still say the LM317T is the better regulator.

http://www.nteinc.com/specs/900to999/NTE956.html

http://www.nteinc.com/specs/900to999/NTE964.html

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1793. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qnevv$97h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148299

In article <35CEB62B.72CE@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > mackey appointed himself as netcop so he could carry out his vendetta
against
>
> I have no vendetta against anyone. I have only concern to preserve the
> integrity of this newsgroup.
>

Your a lying sack of crap, The message Charles posted which you are not
wanting to acknowledge proves that you do have a vendetta against Bill.

His message is one thing that you cannot deny as fact, you have proven a liar,
fraud, forger, rouge canceler, email bomber etc, the list is numerous in the
things you have done to Bill and others to carry out your vendetta.

I don't know how Louise admitted to you being her kin.

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1794. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete <reddog1l3@goplay.com>
Message-ID: <6qnde2$p1j$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 148300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Oh shut up and quit whining you fool. I am glad he has the time to do things like to prove what a major fucking lowlife loser you are. GET OFF THE FUCKING NEWSGROUPS and let the responsible folks with more than 3rd grade behavior use them correctly. Everyone is sick of your shit so leave now damnit.

The lurker (seriously pissed)

>
>You sure have a lot of time & energy to spend on CRAP like this!
>Richard, GET A LIFE!

1795. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d038ec.66885071@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148301

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> I like these "commandments" you have presented! If only we could
> get the others to follow these then there would be NO problems
> here.

Yes, starting with you, you friggin wartlip.

You so desperately want to be the leader,
why don't YOU set the precedent and start
posting about scanners and scanning and
keep it there.

But OH HELL NO, you can't do that. You
don't know a scanner from a banner....
you friggin wartlip.......

1796. Re: What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35cf3611.1883425853@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 148302
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 18:46:48 +1000, Jason Reilly
<jreilly@tassie.net.au> wrote:

>I have almost no qualms with the AR5000. As you correctly identify, the relay
>clicking is annoying, and the relays may, over time, wear out. The other item
>I didn't like was things like delay, resume times, etc were applied globally
>to all channels. Admittedly, you can store a 'profile' of your favourite
>settings in one of ten profiles, and select this profile at any time, but you
>still cant have one channel programmed with no delay and another with say 5
>seconds delay at the same time.

Wow, this sounds to me like something I couldn't overcome. I was
hoping that, with all those parameters for each frequency stored, one
of them would be delay time. Perhaps I'm making a bigger deal over
this than it is, but certainly having no delay on some channels and
some delay (even if it's the same delay time) on others seems pretty
basic.

>Other than that, I have no hesitation in recommending the AR5000. By far the
>best RX I've ever used. I've had this baby for 1 year so far, and will
>probably have it for many many years to come....
>Ta - Jason

Thanks for the input!

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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1797. Re: AOR8200 vs Yupiteru MVT-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081019123500.PAA16790@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148303

>From: jo_oeverland@hp.com (Jo

>It is the Preset mode thats missing. If its enabled it gives you the correct stepping for the frequencerange you are in.

You're right, of course. I spaced out and read offset when I meant preset.

1798. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CF458F.6A9A568E@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148304

Wazoo Remailer wrote:

> Thanks for the GREAT BLOW JOB!
> --
> Posted with AnonNews at http://anonymicer.home.ml.org/news/
>

Quick note: This message was posted through Access For All (xs4all) in
the Netherlands.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1799. Re: 900 megahertz portable phone frequency range

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CF45E7.F59C805B@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148305

Coldwater Implement wrote:

> Can anyone tell me if the 900 megahertz portable phones are scanable and if
> so what are the frequency ranges. I have a Uniden BC-200 XLT to work with.
> Thanks in advance for any help.
>

Just to warn you, it is illegal to listen to cordless phones.

Anyway, the frequecies are located from 902-928 MHz. Analog phones are the only units that can be heard without a decoder. SST (spread spectrum) phones are, at this time, impossible to monitor -- even with a digital decoder.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1800. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d1490c.71014219@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148306

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > mackey appointed himself as netcop so he could carry out his vendetta against
>
> I have no vendetta against anyone. I have only concern to preserve the
> integrity of this newsgroup.

Newsgroups are "virtual"; they neither have nor
lack "integrity", you idiot. But thanks to you,
there certainly won't ever be any now.

You friggin idiotic wartlip.........
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1801. Re: Another Great Saviour Of Scannerdom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d249db.71220641@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148307

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Richard Jensen" <rwjensen@jps.net> wrote:

> why don't u guys take a hike....
> live is too short.

In order for others to read and understand
your posts, why don't you take an English class?

1802. Re: Another Great Saviour Of Scannerdom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d34a1b.71284671@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148308

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> > Geezus, even Mackey doesn't stoop THIS low......

> That's right, I would just throw your worthless publications
> in the trash!

That would be fine and consistent with a
free country, you friggin wartlip.......

1803. Re: Yupi MVT-9000 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081019354700.PAA11845@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148309

>From: jo_oeverland@hp.com (Jo Oeverland)

>Does some of you have a good description of what is the deference between 9000 and 9000 MII ?

Here's what the folks at Bandercom say (they're the ones who do the MII mods):

Intermod at 10.8 Mhz is reduced by 40-70%. Scan and search speed has been increased by more that 30% than the regular unit. There's an LED to give you a visual indicator of the squelch setting and battery-save mode. Also, the LED illuminates when the squelch is open and flashes when the battery-save mode is engaged. There also are fewer birdies in this model compared to the stock scanner.

>Can you see if an radio have bin modified?

Most of the time, mods are internal and not readily obvious. In any case, if the modifier has done a proper job, it should look decent if you can see the modification(s)!

1804. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d44b0a.71524241@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148310

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> YES!! I would LOVE for this crap to end!

Soooo....end YOUR part in it then, you friggin wartlip.
You can't speak for or control anyone but you.

Trouble is, there is ample reason to suspect you
can't control yourself.

You imbecilic wartlip.....

1805. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d54bd0.71722472@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148311

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

> Hmmm. It would appear that Mr. Healey's
> poor math skills and lack of veracity are
> nearly as pronounced as Mr. Mackey's.
> They should "get together", if they haven't
> already.

I suspect the only way to separate those two
popinjays is with.....a crowbar.

1806. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d64c60.71865641@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148312

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> So are you saying you are rejecting the agreement because
> of the point "no flaming or nasty messages"?

READ exactly what I said, you friggin wartlip!

Wartlips ought not try to read into things. They
have a hard enough time just reading, period.

1807. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d74cf2.72011736@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148313

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Are you fantasizing about me again,
>
> only in YOUR dreams!

So you are trying to fantasize in MY dreams?

Go yank yourself, you friggin wartlip.....
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1808. Re: 2005 Manual Need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ELYa3XAh70z1EwUw@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 148314

In article <35CE325B.BC2D149F@ibm.net>, valdemar@ibm.net writes

Hi Pat,

>I'm looking for the instruction manual for the Radio Shack 2005 Scanner.
>Any one out there like to photo copy theirs and send it to me?? Will pay
>for postage and photocopying chargers. Let me know.

Use the web :-)

Take a look at Tandy's support pages at:

http://support.tandy.com

or for a direct link to their PRO-2005 page:

http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/28538.htm

You can download the important "Bits" from the manual from there. Either
just print it off as a "text file" or import it into a suitable WP
package and create your own manual for reference.

Have fun.
Cheers,
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http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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1809. Re: Other scanner newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Kb0ZzIAQy0z1Ew1p@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 148315

In article <12622-35C88FDD-17@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, ROBYN SUCHOWSKI <PIDGE35@webtv.net> writes

Hi Robyn,

>Does anyone know of any other scanner newsgroups? I used to love to
>read the posts on this one, but there is no more useful information
>(unless I want to know about this fight between two men).

There are quite a few scanner related newsgroups, some probably of more interest to you than others:

alt.radio.scanner This the "main" newsgroup prior to rec.radio.scanner starting several years back. Many articles are cross-posted or sent to both groups although you do sometimes find some threads appearing in alt.r.s that does not appear here.

phl.scanner Local area newsgroup for Philadelphia (sp?)

alt.radio.scanner.uk U.K. related newsgroup

aus.radio.scanner Australian related newsgroup

nl.radio.scanners Dutch related newsgroup

de.alt.radio-scanner German related newsgroup

There are are also a number of country specific amateur radio newsgroups in which scanners are often discussed.

Hope that gives you some wider reading. Have fun.

Cheers,
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\--/

1810. Re: Seeking Detroit Metro TV Audio Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lassiter@btc-bci.com
Message-ID: <6qnnek$mk9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148316

In article <35cda7aa.9991382@news.provide.net>,
rickph@usa.net wrote:
> Hi,
> I am looking for the 3 or 4 Detroit Mich Metro area tv audio freqs.
> The audio freqs are the ones that they use when they are on a remote
> location.If you know them,please posr or email.
> Thanks
> Rick in WHite Lake
>

Tv 3 audio 65.75 MHz
tv 4 audio 71.75MHz

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1811. If you Here Ham Radio Operators and want to Know almost anything about them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lassiterfamily@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qnnkommn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148317

www.qrz.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1812. Re: 12 to 9 volt mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d84e69.72386857@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148318

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Squeeze the Weeze" <none@spammer.now> wrote:

> Rat Shack duzzn't have a 9v as a stock item........
> The most common 3-Pin is an LM7808 8v.
> ALSO not available at the shak..............

But DigiKey has 7809's and 78L09's cheap enough.

Or, as Andrew suggested, slip a couple of diodes
in series with the ground lead for 9.2v or so.

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Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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1813. Re: 12 to 9 volt mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d94ec5.72479231@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148319

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Go to this site and compare the two regulators.
> Fist one is the NTE equivalent to the LM317T
> Second one is the NTE equivalent to the 7808.
> I still say the LM317T is the better regulator.

I tend to like the LM-317T as well, but it is
slightly less easy to whip up into a circuit,
and the backplane can't be directly grounded
for heatsinking....it needs a mica insulator
and heatsink grease. And then there is the
adjustment that can alays go out of whack or
get bumped or just drift.......

So for fixed 9v needs, the 7809 or 78L09 are
hard to beat.

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1814. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6q1Fv8AXP1z1EwAg@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 148320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35caf143.175168194@news2.cts.com>, Bill Cheek
<bcheek@san.rr.com> writes

Hi Bill,

A little late catching up here...

>> Other than these the COM205 is identical to the PRO-2006 in all apsects
>> so the OS-456 works with the COM205 just the same.
>
>Does the COM205 have IC-10 and the upgraded
>PLL and Logic/CPU boards *like* the PRO-2006?

Yes IC-10 (4S4xxxx whatever it is) is present on the COM205. I am at
home right now so have no reference to check but didn't all the 2006's
that GRE produce for RS have IC-10 although from memory the Service
Manual does not/did not show it ?

Altai started to distribute here in Europe several of the GRE produced
scanners from around 1994/5 onwards. Initially these were the COM202
(PRO-44), COM203 (PRO-39), COM204 (PRO-43) and COM205 (PRO-2006).
Perhaps the numbers "205" were not the most appropriate in view of the
PRO-2005.

The COM205 is the only one of this initial batch to remain available
with Altai now having quite a few additional Uniden and GRE produced
receivers in their "Commtel" range.

I don't beleive the COM205 is still produced but there are a good number
still available here in Europe. The ones we have at the moment all date
coded '97 which would be after RS stopped distributing the 2006. They
are also identified as "Made in Japan" whereas most (all?) GRE produced
sets now seem to be of Chinese origin.

A European PRO-2006 and COM205 would be the same with the only
difference over a US PRO-2006 being the internal AC transformer and
D501/502 etc.

D-501 etc are configured for the European bandplan - thats full coverage
and 12.5kHz steps sizes on 800MHz but this can be changed just as with
any PRO-2005/6.

The COM205 remains the only "full coverage" desktop that has appeared
under the Commtel name.

Hope that helps.
Cheers,

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http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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1815. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: z0142@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35cf5572.2026002@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148321

On 10 Aug 1998 19:08:14 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Wazoo Remailer wrote:
>
>> Thanks for the GREAT BLOW JOB!
>> --
>> Posted with AnonNews at http://anonymicer.home.ml.org/news/
>>
>
>Quick note: This message was posted through Access For All (xs4all) in
>the Netherlands.

Did you really think anyone in the NG needed you to tell them this?

Do you really fell someone here is incapable of clicking on a link
that's right in front of there face?

1816. FS: AOR 2700 and Opto Scout $450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomgetty@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35ce9ce5.240144759@news.atl.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,ga.forsale,atl.forsale,alt.forsale

Forsale:

AOR 2700 full coverage 100 khz to 1.3 gig full.
AC Adapter
2 antennas
Link Cable for Opto Scout

Opto Scout
Carring case
AC Adapter
Antenna
Instruction book
Frequency Database on CDROM

$450 + Shipping takes it all.

Tom Getty
tomgetty@mindspring.com
770-993-2962

1817. PRO-43 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35CE3663.709E74@alaska.net>
Source record: 148325

THIS POST IS FOR A NON-INTERNET FRIEND, I HAVE NO
INFO ON THIS RADIO. PLEASE CALL THE NUMBER BELOW.

LN Pro-43 unblocked $250

815-397-8731

1818. Hampton Roads VA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: vanr86@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081000434500.UAA28672@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148326

I have been trying to update my new page covering the Hampton Roads VA area: The Hampton Roads Scanner Page Several people have e-mailed me frequencies, which has been very helpful for some areas that I didn't have verified information on. I have also had several requests for more military information. I am not much of a military listener but, I would like to have a strong military section and use the page for locals and visitors alike to exchange information. Check out the page and if you have any information or find corrections that need to be made please send them in.

Thanks,
Van

1819. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081001105500.VAA09988@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148327

>From: digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona)
>Date: Sun, Aug 9, 1998 16:25 EDT
>Message-id: <35d00281.2933505@digitalnews9.faster.net>

[lunatic ranting deleted]

Gee Digi, you should do something about that aggressive nature of yours. I know your Mom got fired from her position at the sperm bank for drinking on the job, but it's time to get over it, don't you think?

1820. ANYONE WANT TO SELL A TR2400, TR4500 TRIDENTS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081001115300.VAA02824@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148328

pdoddy@aol.com

1821. scanner frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: h2ophisher@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081001291400.VAA05404@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148329

need freq,for valencia area

1822. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ce49ca.1744143@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148330

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 20:26:26 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Joe Nicholson wrote:
>
>> Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
>> From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
>> To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
>> Subj: Hello Replies: None
>> Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06
>>
>> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>>
>> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
>> > him getting booted from Fido.
>
>
>I never said he got booted from Fido!
>
>
>I said he was asked to leave.
>
>
>PLEASE get & keep your data correct!

You admit that you are the "Portland Psycho"? You are
finally beginning to make some progress. The first step
is realizing that you have a problem.

1823. any way to dim the 2042 display?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35d24caa.171934699@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 148331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anyone know if there's some way to dim the backlight on the 2042?
Man, it's bright! Is there a site that has mods listed for this guy?
Like an S-meter, etc.?

Thanks,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 650-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| Views expressed are mine and do not necessarily reflect the official |
| position of GTE or any of its subsidiaries |
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1824. Re: Radio Shack Pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35CE460F.5828@globe-net.net>
Source record: 148332
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I just bought a PRO-2042 from www.ebay.com for $188.50 this
past week. Everyone bids higher on the PRO-2004/5/6 models
probably due to ease of cellular modification. E-bay has
a PRO-2005 right now with a bid as high as $330! That's
crazy. The OS535 from http://www.javiation.co.uk/ can
pick up cellular without the unlock code. The USA OS535
will require a code. Some say the new one can't be unlocked
but there are those that claim it can (and for a fee will
provide it!). Javiation also sells new CPUs that enable
the missing frequencies.

The PRO-2042 is and excellent radio and has great reviews:
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/my_rank.htm
The BC-9000 is also rated at this same website.

Robert

Jeff Adams wrote:
>
> Does anyone have an opinion on how good a deal a brand new Pro-2042
> for $250 is? I've got an old Pro-2005 and wouldn't mind getting more
> channels and faster scan (and other memory features, etc.)... I've
> read that the receiver in the 2042 isn't as good as the 2005. Anyone
> have any information? Is this a good radio? Better than a Uniden
> BC-9000?

1825. BRIDGEPORT CT-HARBORYARD???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Kerkes <jdkerkes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc41e$868ea440$4807440c@hp-customer>
Source record: 148333
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just wondering if anyone knows the frequencies used at the stadium?
Thank you.

1826. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qll19ljs0@207.18.224.23>
Source record: 148334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 16:33:34 -0700, Richard Kendrick
<wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

>Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com>, <allsafe@netwit.com>, and
><k4cc@aol.com>.
>

Richard,

Interesting post. I would like to point out, that my address has also
included the bbowers@P_ARG.org

P_ARG of course, is the ancronym for the new HAM/scanner/swl
radio group that
I have co-founded, and hold the positions of Chair of the testing
comittee, Chair of the technical comittee, Chair of the membership
comittee, and others.

Membership is free for anyone wishing to work to enhance the radio
hobby. Membership is easy too, just send email to me, and I forward
it to the membership comittee for approval. Just about all are
eligible, as we are by no means trying to be an organization that,
like some others, believe themselfs to be elitist.

Live from P_ARG!!

1827. Re: Relm HS200 cpu reset? Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35ce5c73.36369565@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 148335

I saw another post that you'd found the problem...prey tell what it
was.

Thanks

Roy

On 9 Aug 1998 17:39:59 GMT, cabletek73@aol.com (CableTek73) wrote:

>Anyone know if there is a CPU reset on the relm Hs200 scanner, seems as though
>I cant get several banks to "open" up while in the scan mode and Im hoping that
>a reset would do the trick. Or if someone knows how to unlock them? (they are
>3,5, and 7) I hear a beep sound, but its a dirrerent tone then if you were to
>include or take the bank out of scan.....
>
>Any help is appreciated.
>

1828. FS-Unblocked Bearcat 200xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka4993gg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081002520100.WAA25516@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148336

In mint condition, seldom used, also comes with leather case in same mint condition, rechargeable battery pack, copy of manual, and ac adapter/charger. It covers 28-956 MHZ, and includes the entire 800 mhz band!

Will ship to lower 48 States for $160.

1829. Re: Relm HS200 cpu reset? Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081002583500.WAA26536@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148337

As it turns out, the previous owner had the entire bank 3 locked out and the others had no freqs programmed in, without the manual and not knowing relms ways of doing things I went into a panic! Only after playing around did I realize such.

Ahhhhh!

1830. AR8200 CTCSS Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35ce621f.1330748@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 148338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner.uk

Hi, I know that the AR8200 is only new, but I was wondering if anyone
new anything about how the CTCSS works in this radio. Any info
greatfully accepted.

David
radiocomms@yahoo.com

1831. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35ce69a3.2392860@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 148339

>
>I did what I was told. Now, the rest is up to you. Either behave yourselves or
>go to hell.

Already been there ,they kicked me out for bootleggin
icewater.........

1832. Surveillance frequencies??????????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081004013700.AAA28417@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148340

Hi can someone advice on frequencies in souther california that are use for surveillance by police or FBI/
How far do I need to be , to listen to them??

Thank's in advance.

;^0

1833. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35ce6ead.15096891@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148341

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Wartlip J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > it's not a big deal to those in the know, nor even
> > to wartlips like you.

> OK Bill, I refer you to the magazine "Mobile Radio Technology"
> page 26, article "Coaxial cable for wireless communications"
> section "Jacketing", January 1998 Issue.
>
> Go read it & learn something Bill!

No, Wartlip, you tell me what it says.

Tell me how UV penetrates the polyethylene
jacket and through the copper shield to
dielectric.....which is where the deterioration
would have to take place in order to impact
the performance of the coax.

Tell me, Wartlip, tell me! Teach me something.
Expose me! Here is your chance for fame,
fortune, and glory. If you do it right, all
my kingdom and glory can become yours.

Do it, Wartlip, do it! Do it now! Don't
wait! Hurry. It may be your last chance!

You friggin lunatic...........

1834. Re: Surveillance frequencies??????????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081004062300.AAA29067@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148342

>Hi can someone advice on

> frequencies in souther california that are use for
>surveillance by police or FBI/
>How far do I need to be , to listen to them??
>
> Thank's in advance.
>
Please e-mail me.
>
> ;^0

1835. Re: Joe lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cf71ca.15893497@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148343

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> I never stated that he got "booted" from Fido, only that he was asked to
> leave.
>
> PLEASE, get you data correct!

Why don't YOU make it correct, Wartlip?
So tell ALL the good people out there just
WHO the hell "asked me to leave".

Do it, you worthless lying sunny beach.....

1836. Re: Joe is even the laugh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d07251.16028702@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148344

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Joe Nicholson wrote:
> > Hell, you're the ONLY member of PARG.
>
> At last count PARG had about 50 members!

Ummmm hummmmm........

1. John Mackey
2. J. Mackey
3. John Mackey Junior
4. J. Mackey Junior
5. Hermaphrodite Mackey
6. Imbecile Mackey
7. Nitwit Mackey
8........9.....49....
50 Wartlip Mackey

I get it now...........

You friggin wartlip.........
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1837. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qlnho$6ro$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148345

In article <6qlbkk$3di$0@207.18.224.105>,
bbowers@P_ARG.org (Blake Bowers) wrote:
> On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 20:16:13 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:
>
> >Phil Smalley wrote:
> >
> >> That means even if Bill Cheek and friends post lewd jokes, nasty
> >> comments, flames, snorts, guffaws or anything else in your general
> >> direction, you let it go without saying a word.
> >
> >Sorry, I made a committment to this NG 2 years ago that I (along with
> >a few others) would stand guard here to watch for Cheek attempting to
>
> Who asked you for this commitment? Who appointed you
> netcop?
> Live from P_ARG!!

mackey appointed himself as netcop so he could carry out his vendetta against
Bill.
>

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1838. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35CE74C8.3CBF@yahoo.com>
Source record: 148346

J Mackey wrote:
>
> Sorry, I made a committment to this NG 2 years ago that I (along with
> a few others) would stand guard here to watch for Cheek attempting to
> cause problems or attack users of this NG. In essence, there is a ZERO
> TOLORANCE POLICY for his troublemaking! To do what you say would
> be going back on my word which I will not do. However, if Cheek
> will behave himself & act like a dignified gentleman then there would
> be no need to me to get involved.
> AHA!!! THERE IT IS!! THANK YOU!! PROOF POSITIVE WHO *REALLY* IS THE ONE
WHO PERPETUATES THIS ABSOLUTELY RIDICULOUS B.S. SPECTACLE!

I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed, folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

I now resume to the topic of scanning, do not pass go, do not collect $200. Thank you, and goodnight.

-Phil

1839. Re: AT LAST a good idea!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d17450.16539931@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148347

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> K4CC wrote:
> > You refused to do what I was willing to do
> > to end the flames.
>
> If that is true then WHY have YOU continued the flames?

What flames, Wartlip?

1840. Re: 900MHz Phone Question???????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: skane911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081004385600.AAA11175@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148348

I own a digital 900 MHz Sony Cordless phone and used a frequency counter to record the base and handset frequencies, monitored both frequencies on two separate scanners and heard NOTHING....the scanner did not even stop when in search mode covering the phones frequencies. The phone is not Spread Spectrum
 (Thanx Heddy) but it is digital.

Skane

"....I think about life and I think about death, and neither one particularly appeals to me."

1841. Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d27510.16731921@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148349

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Victor Healey" <fourphun@bellsouth.net> wrote:

> Yes Bill Cheek got thrown out of Scan-L.
>
> What he doesn't tell you is that it was clearly explained how he can use a
> feature of his posting software to harvest your email address when you read
> his messages. This valuable item can then be sold to SPAMMERS at a nice
> profit for Mr. Cheek.

How can this be, you scurvy, low-life scumscucker?
One, where the hell would anyone sell e-mail addresses?
Two, when you can buy 'em for $25 for a couple hundred
thousand, how the hell is the 700+ count of the SCAN-L
list going to be profitable? You can't sell a hundred
addresses for a penny, so seven cents is profit? Maybe
for you, huh?

> You lose in that you may be

"May be" is a loss? What are you trying to pull now,
Vikktor-Baby?

Wanna talk about loss? Let's talk about how YOU
receive illegally copied copyrighted publications,
by your own public admission, no less! Yes, I still
have your confession.

> After scanning through some of the treads in this newsgroup it just
> dawned on me that some of the sex related SPAM may also be possibly traced
> back to people who use that feature.

Again, the "may"..... carefully couched to make
it look like you're stating a fact. The fact is,
you're a friggin turd floating around in the great
punchbowl of life. And you're here on some real
stinky business.....

> Anyone who has read a Cheek newsletter can easily see how Bill is concerned
> about making a buck (spelling?) off of those he deals with. When I
> purchased my new shredder during CompUSA's sale this week, I needed some
> trash to test it with. The very first thing I choose to try in this new

> shredder was to see if it could shred Cheek's 'newsletters'. It did a fine
> job on them!

Well, since those were illegally copied copyrighted
publications, it's a good thing you got rid of the
evidence, you theiving slimeball.

Make a buck, huh? At 32-cents postage, on top
of costs of paper, printing, consummables, and
resources, you're saying I should give it away?

Ummmmm, Mister Vikktor Heeley, I don't see YOU
giving anything away other than odors off that
carcass you call your body. I just flushed one
like it this morning.

> TIP: If you actually have subscribed to Cheeks newsletters -ï¿½ you get a far
> bigger bang for your buck with ' Nuts and Volts'.

Yes, Nuts and Volts is a good rag. First
intelligent thing you said.

What's your agenda, fecal-breath? Spit it out.
I'm here. I'll deal with you right up front,
you lying, thieving, snotrag.....

AND FOR ANYONE ELSE WHO WANTS TO KNOW....heh heh heh,
our fine feathered friend Mister Healey is real sore
at me because I won't give him free copies of my
publications. I still have in my files letters from
him asking for freebies based on alleged and sundry
favors. I don't cough up the freebies for him, so
out on the warpath he comes......

Yes! The Great Vikktor Healey, another great saviour
of all of Scannerdom! And here he's got the 'nads to
receive illegal copies of my publications and then
whine and bitch because I won't give 'em away......

Geezus, even Mackey doesn't stoop THIS low......

1842. Another Great Saviour Of Scannerdom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d379d5.17952937@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148350

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

"Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net> wrote
under Re: CHEEK ADMITS HE WAS DUMPED FROM LIST!!!!!!!!!!:

> Yes Bill Cheek got thrown out of Scan-L.
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> What he doesn't tell you is that it was clearly explained how he can use a
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of all of Scannerdom! And here he's got the 'nads to
receive illegal copies of my publications and then
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1843. Re: Peter Laws email?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d47ade.18217841@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148351

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > I don't
> > and WON'T negotiate with you. Your "one point"
> > is no point at all.
>
> So are you saying you refuse the truce?

Gawd..... Wartlip, can't you read? I *said*
I will NOT negotiate with you. The standing
offer is there.....for the 4 or 5 point deal
I offered you. It includes solely thee and me.
No one else. I am not going to "deal" or
negotiate with you on ANY matter, and especially
NOT where others are involved.

Just THEE and ME, you friggin wartlip. That is
THE deal and the ONLY deal. It is inclusive and
exhaustive, and you may not add to it. Item 5
said, "Period. No if's, and's, or's, or but's."

And that is where it stands you flippin wartlip.

1844. Re: Help with Frequency Search!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d57c7b.18630472@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148352

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

David - N6RHL <N6RHL@mho.net> wrote:

> Hi, if someone with a percon disk or some other means of searching FCC
> databases could help me I would appreciate it very much.

How's come you don't just buy a PerCon disk
of your own?
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1845. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckie@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-YIdyg2rQd4bK@localhost>
Source record: 148353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John

>I made a backup copy of the EEPROM and then restored with
>the GENE setting and have UNBLOCKED the unit!!!

Was the unit blocked to begin with?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

1846. Re: PCR1000 - EEPROM backup/restore utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckie@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-mdIZBi26KSn7@localhost>
Source record: 148354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ian,

• http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html

Add the "L" to the end of it!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

1847. WSDOT Simplex freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilrobnson@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081006541900.CAA16266@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148355

Does anyone have the Washington State DOT simplex freqs they use for flagging ops during highway const? I will be stuck in traffic for the next fews days on a business trip and wuld like to know when the lines will be moving. NOTE: The freqs I am lloking for are the ones in the 800 band, not the 151 stuff.

THANKS!!!!!
Brett

1848. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qm70j$j77$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148356

In article <1998081001105500.VAA09988@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
> >From: digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona)
> >Date: Sun, Aug 9, 1998 16:25 EDT
> >Message-id: <35d00281.2933505@digitalnews9.faster.net>
>
> [lunatic ranting deleted]
>
> Gee Digi, you should do something about that aggressive nature of yours. I
know
> your Mom got fired from her position at the sperm bank for drinking on the
job,
> but it's time to get over it, don't you think?
>

That's too bad about Digit the Mental Midget's Mama losing her job
with her being Vice President in Charge of Collections and all.
Maybe Mackerrhoid can help her find work in Portland; I heard there
was a shortage of working girls up there.

/Sal

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1849. boo!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wazoo Remailer <nobody@earth.wazoo.com>
Message-ID: <199808100746.HAA05694@earth.wazoo.com>
Source record: 148357

boo!

Posted with AnonNews at http://anonymicer.home.ml.org/news/

1850. Re: Another Great Saviour Of Scannerdom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEA820.2A56@parg.org>
Source record: 148358

Bill Cheek wrote:
SNIP
> Yes! The Great Vikktor Healey, another great saviour
> of all of Scannerdom! And here he's got the 'nads to
> receive illegal copies of my publications and then
> whine and bitch because I won't give 'em away......
>
> Geezus, even Mackey doesn't stoop THIS low......

That's right, I would just throw your worthless publications
in the trash!

1851. Re: Alright then Phil,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEA8BE.D65@parg.org>
Source record: 148359

Fire Chief wrote:
> You made an agreement with each of your alter egos to abuse this
> newsgroup with you LIES and FLAMES.

Wrong. Apparently it was before your time. Go review posts made
by Cheek & those opposing him in Jan to Oct 1996.

1852. Re: More of Fire Chief lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEA947.49F5@parg.org>
Source record: 148360

Fire Chief wrote:
> "He was given 30 days to shut down....."
>
> Now you tell me and everyone else that this doesn't mean he was booted.

You know what I said. You used your own personal interpretation to
change it to something else.

1853. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEAE70.23F3@parg.org>
Source record: 148361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> With the aid of DejaNews, I have analyzed the quantity of postings by
> several regular posters in the alt.radio.scanner and rec.radio.scanner
> news groups for a one year period and compiled the statistics. The full

You sure have a lot of time & energy to spend on CRAP like this!
Richard, GET A LIFE!

> Date | Mackey | Cheek | Kendrick | Bowers | Vetterle | allsafe | K4CC
> ---
> JUL 98 | 413 | 386* | 6 | 32 | 28 | 75 | 234
> JUN 98 | 413 | 502* | 0 | 64 | 45 | 97 | 95
> MAY 98 | 22 | 208 | 0 | 11 | 8 | 12 | 12
> APR 98 | 194 | 128 | 27 | 41 | 25 | 12 | 0
SNIP

During the months of April & most of May there was a successful
truce & the flaming posts were ceased. Since the cease started in
April & lsted until late May this explains the 400% increase in
Cheek's posts (April) when compared to June compared to only a 200%
increase in my (Mackey) posts.

> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 | 201 | 203 | 275 | 266 | 341
> ---
> AVG/DAY| 5.86 | 6.43 | 0.55 | 0.56 | 0.75 | 0.73 | 0.93
> ---
> AVG/ADJ| 5.86 | 6.43 | 0.95 | 0.74 | 0.75 | 1.09 | 3.72
SNIP
> The AVG/DAY is the average number of posts per day based on the formula
> TOTALS / 365.

> The two months marked with an asterisk (*) for Bill Cheek are inflated
> values. The actual values are probably much lower because these values

If Cheek gets this consideration then I (Mackey) should also as several
of
my posts were also canceled during this same time which caused me to
have
to re-post the same way Cheek had to.

> included the reposts of the messages canceled by John Mackey.

What proof do you have to back up this accusation? You won't
have any because I didnt' do any canceling. Remember, many of my
messages were also being canceled.

1854. Re: opto456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wapcutthispart@ica.net
Message-ID: <35ce4362.222281@news>
Source record: 148362

Knut Otterbeck <otterbec@online.no> wrote:

>Please remember that you can _not_ use COM3 or COM4 if you allready
>use COM1 and COM2, since COM1-3 and COM 2-4 work in pairs. (i.e.
>they are physically the same ports, but with different
>access-addresses...)

Not true. Each PC serial port is a separate device (but may be housed in the same chip) and all can be used simultaneously if you assign each one a unique IRQ.

Serial ports may share an IRQ as long as only one port is in use at a time.

...Andy

*** Remove anti-spam text to reply directly ***

1855. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEB0D9.7260@parg.org>
Source record: 148363

MAlexander-

I like these "commandments" you have presented! If only we could get the others to follow these then there would be NO problems here.

The type of things you have mentioned below is what has started every flame in this NG.

MAlexder wrote:
> I. Thou shalt not flame.
> II. Thou shalt not engage in personal vendettas.
> III. Thou shalt not transmit electronic mail bombs.
> IV. Thou shalt not electronically stalk.
> V. Thou shalt not post more off-topic than on-topic messages.
> VI. Thou shalt not provoke others with lies.
> VII. Thou shalt not bear false witness against others.
> VIII. Thou shalt not impersonate legitimate users.
> IX. That shalt not post forged messages.
> X. Thou shalt not exceed the authorized use of any system.
> XI. Thou shalt not attempt to speak for anyone else on this newsgroup.

1856. Re: 12 to 9 volt mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wapcutthispart@ica.net
Message-ID: <35ce49c2.1850917@news>
Source record: 148364

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> "Squeeze the Weeze" <none@spammer.now> wrote:
>> Rat Shack duzzn't have a 9v as a stock item........
>> The most common 3-Pin is an LM7808 8v.
>> ALSO not available at the shak..............
>> --
>>
>Why not use the LM317T RS# 276-1778 $1.99, it is an adjustable
>voltage regulator. It is adjutable from 1.2 volts to 27 volts dc
>and has a 1.5 amp current rating with a heat sink. Just use a
>resistor to control the voltage.

For those with access to a REAL electronics store, an LM7808 will work just fine in most applications, and is probably cheaper than an "adjustable" regulator. Many devices that specify a 9 volt input will work just fine on 8. The lower the input voltage to the device, the less heat generated by the device's internal regulator.

If 9 volts is truly required, just insert a resistor between the center lead of the LM7808 and circuit ground. Start small and increase resistance until the desired output voltage is reached.

Alternatively, substitute a small diode or two for the resistor to get about 8.6 or 9.2 volts.

...Andy

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1857. Re: What's BAD about AOR 5000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Reilly <jreilly@tassie.net.au>
Message-ID: <35CEB378.A97AC0AF@tassie.net.au>
Source record: 148365
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have almost no qualms with the AR5000. As you correctly identify, the relay clicking is annoying, and the relays may, over time, wear out. The other item I didn't like was things like delay, resume times, etc were applied globally to all channels. Admittedly, you can store a 'profile' of your favourite settings in one of ten profiles, and select this profile at any time, but you still cant have one channel programmed with no delay and another with say 5 seconds delay at the same time.
Other than that, I have no hesitation in recommending the AR5000. By far the best RX I've ever used. I've had this baby for 1 year so far, and will probably have it for many many years to come....
Ta - Jason

Jeff Adams wrote:

> Before buying this or something like the ICOM R8500, I would like to
> hear from people with (preferably) first hand experience using the AOR
> 5000. Besides a steep learning curve and a somewhat difficult user
> interface (and relay noise when switching bands/etc), what do you
> dislike about the unit? Has someone here bought an AOR 5000 only to
> turn around and sell it and get something else? If so, why? I've got
> the Dec 1996 Monitoring Times back issue on the way from Grove
> (contains a review of the 5000)... Any input from owners / users would
> be appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
> Jeff Adams
>
> ======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
> | Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
> | 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
> | All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
> ==

1858. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEB62B.72CE@parg.org>
Source record: 148366

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> mackey appointed himself as netcop so he could carry out his vendetta against

I have no vendetta against anyone. I have only concern to preserve the
integrity of this newsgroup.

1859. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEB6A3.4256@parg.org>
Source record: 148367

Phil Smalley wrote:
> I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do.

Since you feel you feel you have accomplished what you set out
to do why don't you leave now!

1860. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEB7C8.6576@parg.org>
Source record: 148368

Phil Smalley wrote:
> Why don't you read my post about ending this crap once and for all?

YES!! I would LOVE for this crap to end!

1861. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEB8AE.7A63@parg.org>
Source record: 148369

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Are you fantasizing about me again,

only in YOUR dreams!

1862. Re: AR8200 CTCSS Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Hoehn <mh@omnilink.net>
Message-ID: <35CEC88C.FEBFDBF3@omnilink.net>
Source record: 148370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner.uk

Hi!

The problem is that the ar8k2 has no buildin ctcss-decoder!
You need a spezial card to decode and this card is planed for 10/98!

Greetings mike

> Hi, I know that the AR8200 is only new, but I was wondering if anyone
> new anything about how the CTCSS works in this radio. Any info
> greatfully accepted.

1863. Re: An Offer For Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CEBA99.6661@parg.org>
Source record: 148371

K4CC wrote:
> Why should I care if Cheek accepts it? I

There is no reason you should have to care if Cheek accepts it.
It is important to me, but does not have to be to you.

1864. Who Own's the M-450 Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4287-35D0FD2D-21@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148023
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can you tell me who ever owns the Universal M450 Decoder how it's performing? Also if your decoding pageing mode, what mode do you have it on and tell me what comes on the LCD screen? Also tell me if you have it hooked on the computer or a printer and tell me where did you get the adapter to hook it up and how much? Thanks

1865. Re: You flippin flatulent fairy.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert W Beeson <rbeeson@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <35D10856.1AB97CEC@cruzio.com>
Source record: 148024

Whoops! I was trying to forward a piece of mail to a friend and goofed up.

Robert W Beeson wrote:

1866. FS: AOR SDU-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobhome@postoffice.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35D10DFC.B6E42482@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 148025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

AOR Spectrum Display Unit SDU-5000
$650 - buyer pays shipping

This unit is in mint condition and is the current production model compatible with the AOR AR-5000, as well as ICOM R-7000, 7100, and 8500 wide band receivers. Other receivers with 10.7MHz I/F may also be suitable for use with the SDU-5000. While earlier versions required a ROM change for use with ICOM receivers, this unit has both AR-5000 and ICOM command sets in the production ROM.

The following AOR web page describes the unit and gives specifications:

http://www.aorja.com/sdu5000e.html

Money order for $650 plus shipping costs.

Bob

1867. Cheek dumped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f5.n52.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <690_9808112305@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148026

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Ka> Your knowledge of historical facts on this topic is seriously
Ka> flawed. Cheek left moderatorship of Scanradio, then about 2
Ka> or 3 months later left fidonet altogether after being requested
Ka> to leave.

From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>

JM> I never stated that he got "booted" from Fido, only that he was
JM> asked to leave.
JM> PLEASE, get you data correct!
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:52/5
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f5.n52.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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1868. God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <692_9808112305@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148027

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> I like these "commandments" you have presented! If only we could
JM> get the others to follow these then there would be NO problems
JM> here.

If 10,000 users of this NG agreed to them, you'd still
be the one onager who didn't, diarrhea mouth.

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1869. Kendrick makes a FOOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <693_9808112305@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148028

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> I don't really care what you think.

We don't really care about you either, L_I_A_R.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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1870. Re: Using Your Scanner with The Perseids Meteor Shower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Clark <clark@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <35D13723.5AB4@hevanet.com>
Source record: 148029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> During the next week, you can view and hear one of nature's most
> exciting light shows, the Perseid meteor shower. Each summer, the
> Earth passes through a curtain of ice and dust that produces a
> hail of blue-green shooting stars.
>
> The best viewing will be Wednesday evening just before local
> moon rise. Look towards the northeastern skies directly above
> the Perseus constellation. The showers will be visible with the
> naked eye and you can expect to see between 60 and 80 meteors
> per hour. Peak showers of over 220 per hour have been reported
> in the past, so you never know.
>
> The Perseids, which appear to radiate from the constellation
> Perseus, are named after the mythological son of Zeus who
> killed Medusa and rescued Andromeda.
>
> A meteor is the streak of light you sometimes see in the night
> sky. It is caused by the vaporization of small bits of rock
> smashing through the upper atmosphere at high speeds. Some
> meteors are random bits of space dust, but most are chunks of
> material thrown off by passing comets. When the Earth passes
> through the orbital ring of cometary debris, we see a meteor
> shower. The parent comet of the Perseids is known as
> Swift-Tuttle.
>
> The meteor showers will also affect radio communication in the
> 50 to 80 MHz range. As each meteor strikes the ionosphere, the
> resultant kinetic energy is sufficient to ionize a column of air
> about 12 miles long in the E layer. The meteors traveling through
> the ionosphere leave ionized trails behind them. These trails
> reflect radio waves and reception can be extended to distances of
> 500 to 1400 miles. While the meteors themselves burn up and never
> reach the ground, it does take a few seconds to a few minutes for
> the ionized column of air to dissipate. You can hear long range
> communications during these moments. With the density of the
> Perseids, these times can possibly extend to tens of minutes.
>
> You can listen to the sounds of the meteors themselves by tuning
> your receiver to an unused frequency in the 50 to 80 MHz range
> and use single sideband mode. You'll hear a distinctive pinging
> sound as each meteor strikes the ionosphere.

>
> So get your scanners and tape recorders ready for a new twist to
> your scanning pleasure.

Not too many scanners have the SSB detectors. AM and FM is all I've ever
seen.... Maybe I've lived an overly sheltered life.. ;^)
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The gene pool could use a little chlorine.
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1871. WTB A PRO 43 W/ CELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: yosfrqdave@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9821-35D1308F-10@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148030
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi
I'm l@@king to pick up a pro 43 w/ cell !
Any out there?
Please email me.

THANKS
DAVE

1872. More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <6b1_9808120121@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148031

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> So where is this proof you are referring to?

The same place that the proof of your college degree is.

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1873. Re: Scanning Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET>
Message-ID: <35D07604.3D6B@LESS.NET>
Source record: 148032

WyzAss wrote:
>
> Whats the difference between a standard scanner and a trunk tracking
> scanner? (i.e. regular bearcat and a "Trunk Tracker" bearcat). Are the
> frequency ranges different? Do they act different?
>
> What does trunk tracking mean anyways?
>
> Sorry if these are lame questions, but I'm somewhat of a newbie.

Check out http://www.trunktracker.com/
Good trunktracking info to get you going...

Robert

1874. Re: Code Gabbers are Burglar Tools

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET>
Message-ID: <35D09EA3.105A@LESS.NET>
Source record: 148033

charl9 wrote:

> Most garage openers,,, open.....if you just give them a few good
> jerks.....they think they've pin a child down......

Don't try it with mine. I've increased the torque adustment.
My door closes so tightly it "loads" the opener. You might
break the handle off but you won't lift the door. A common
theif trick in our area was to lift the door and shove a
skinny kid under to release the door. We have now compensated
for that!

> Like most Titanium locks ($100.00) shatter with a spray of nitrogen
> and a tac hammer.......

Spray with LN2? I use LN2 frequently at work (Aerospace). It would
take MUCH more than a simple spray to do that. Better take a dewar
and a bucket...even then, a tack hammer? Uh, yea. Only on TV.
We make our own LN2 and bring it to our lab in 160L dewars. Where
does the theif acquire his? Again, only on TV.

Code grabbers are real, the rest of this is bunk.

Robert

1875. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET>
Message-ID: <35D0A15B.1899@LESS.NET>
Source record: 148034

Tommy Simmons wrote:
>
> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
> realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
> Thanks,
> Tommy

Check out this link:
http://pages.citenet.net/users/ctmx0718/scanner.html

It lists freqs for [Cordless phones] [Cell Phones] [Fast Food Windows]
[TV Audio] [Color Codes] [CB] [Baby Monitors]

Robert

1876. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access4.digex.net
Message-ID: <6qptlb$ppj@access4.digex.net>
Source record: 148073

In article <19980811062025OO.CAA19002@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
Toreek <toreek@aol.com> wrote:

>I'm a newbie, and have got a question that I still don't know. Why can't
>people use radios and scanners on flights all the time? Some airlines allow
>it, some don't. What's the deal, do they cause some terrible interference or
>something?

There was one incident of an FM radio causing terrible interference.
During cruise, the pilot of an airliner saw that his navigation stuff
wasn't working right. The crew found a group of football fans listening
to a game. The radio was turned off, and the instruments were OK. The
fans turned the radio back on, and the instruments went blooey again.

I've forgotten all the details (this was written up in one of the computer
mags several years ago), but the scene apparently got rude, between the
fans wanting to hear the game and the pilot wanting to know where he was
going.

Policies vary among airlines, and among individual Captains. It depends
on their levels of paranoia vs customer service. They all ban everything
electronic during takeoff and landing (below 10,000 feet), since there is
no time to investigate or argue if somethng funny happens. That's also
the phase where you're not supposed to have stuff out of your carry-on,
anyway.

Ken Plotkin

1877. Re: 2005 Manual Need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access4.digex.net
Message-ID: <6qpu4e$pto@access4.digex.net>
Source record: 148074

In article <ELYa3XAh70z1EwUw@javiation.co.uk>,
Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:

>Use the web :-)
>
>Take a look at Tandy's support pages at:
>
>http://support.tandy.com
[snip]

Great tip. RS has manuals for most (all?) of their current and
near-current stuff there.

Bought a car tape deck at RS. Display model, manual missing. They
ordered one for me, but I needed to install it - and figure out how it
worked! - that weekend. Getting the manual off the web site was a
lifesaver.

Ken Plotkin

1878. More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <61a_9808111100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148075

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> you did win the battle of getting me kicked off of your echo, I won
JM> the WAR which ultimately resulted in getting you kicked off of Fidonet
JM> & losing your node status.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

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> him getting booted from Fido.

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1879. CHEEKS DUMPED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <61b_9808111100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148076

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> True, but YOU are the one who had the "Yank, Yank" theme song!

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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1880. Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <61d_9808111100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148077

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> YOU have been stalking ME as you follow thru by harrasing me with
JM> you lies on both the Fidonet & Internet & now you REFUSE to stop!

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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1881. Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <61c_9808111100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148078

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> Stop posting incorrect & corrupted data & then it ALL will be real!

JM> You've never used facts!

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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1882. Cheek Identified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <61e_9808111100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148079

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> With all the crap YOU post you CERTAINLY would have shown up on the
JM> list some where!

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
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1883. FS:PRO-2004 & 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d08d11.58163@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I've got a PRO-2004 for $225 and a PRO-2005 for $300. Would prefer a
local sale to avoid hassles. E-mail offers.

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

1884. E-mail me direct

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet5 <ramjet5@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uRUy1YUx9GA.51@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148081

E-mail me direct at:
Ramjet5@msn.com
I have a program that will let you program with ease.
Roger

1885. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@swbell.net
Message-ID: <35D0822A.6AE@swbell.net>
Source record: 148082

J Mackey wrote:
>
> Apparently you are BILL CHEEK! Bill is the only person who always
> take things back to the time that Cheek & I went head to head on
> Fidonet. Bill, you are still smarting from our battle there. While
> you did win the battle of getting me kicked off of your echo, I won the
> WAR which ultimately resulted in getting you kicked off of Fidonet &
> losing your node status. You have never been able to get
> over that, it really bothers you because you lost!
>
So what your saying mackey is that Bill is the only one with a
compusereve account .
I hate to burst your bubble but several thousand other people have
commpuserve as a service provider.
Compuserve also provides newsgroup posting services for smaller
providers who use their lines.

> The IP address of the machine you used to make the post below
> was 205.156.234.38. That traces back to a compuserve account. It
> is a well known fact that you have a compuserve account & is
> where your web site is at.

This and $2.00 dollars like you said will get you a cup coffe and means
nothing and further proves your obsession with Bill.

>
>
> charles21@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > John Mackey , you know I posted the truth , the post was not a forge nor was
> > the email from Nick OBFD , where he explains your plan to do Cheek in . Why
> > do you continue with your lies as I have shown proof positive that you are
> > the liar people say you are.
> >
> > I have shown proof that you are lying, you have not shown any proof that OBFD
> > is lying, why he should he be, after all he really did not like what you were
> > doing by disrupting the scanner group with your constant yammering because
> > you got dumped off a fido net for being a jerk.
> >
> > You did the same thing on the fido net, Cheek did not see eye to eye with you
> > and you pulled the same nonsense there as you are now doing and he had no
> > choice but to cut your access to the fido net.

Also it appears that you are very worried about Charles and his
statements to accuse him of being Bill in a lame attempt to try and

discredit him.

You really should do something about your paranoia as it is getting worse with each passing day.

Again proof that you are the one who made up the warrant story in a feeble attempt at black mailing Bill and forcing him off of the newsgroup.

People the late great mackey has once again proven he is guilty as charged in perpatrating the warrant story as leverage to force Bill off the newsgroups.
How can anyone in good conscience believe anything you say as truth when you have consistently lied on here by stating that you are only trying to protect the newsgroup and the world against Bill and his dark forces for the betterment of mankind and world peace.

Hate to tell you this mackey, but your protection and help are not needed or wanted , once you realize that you will on the path to recovery and will once again be able to seperate fantasy from reality.

So now is the time for you to end this once and for all, go back on topic, don't worry about Bill or anyone else , as long as he does not talk to you or speak of you there is no reason for you to continue with your vendetta.
People on here see you for what you are , a pathetic paranoid loser who has nothing better in life to do then make it his life ambition to destroy someone he dislikes.

Why don't you take some of the energy you waste in attacking Bill and use it for good , volunteer some of your time for the betterment of your community, you could join the local volunteer fire department, the hospital, or take time to visit the elderly at one of the nursing homes. Do something constructive with your time and enegery and you won't be obsessed with Bill.

1886. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@swbell.net
Message-ID: <35D085E4.205C@swbell.net>
Source record: 148083

That is due to obfd no longer agreed with mackey that Bill was the problem, he finally realized mackey was greater problem.
Anyone who disagrees with mackey on Bill is no friend of his, hence the I was a friend statement from mackey.

1887. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@swbell.net
Message-ID: <35D08833.71D3@swbell.net>
Source record: 148084

Digital2 Persona wrote:

> Hey Ass Cheeks,
>
> I bet you get far more e-mail messages now asking you to shut the fuck
> up! If you listened to people before when they were "wondering why I
> didn't come out to deal with you" Why haven't you listened to all the
> people that have asked you to stop your tirade in this news group?
> The truth is that you're just a contentious prick that likes to start
> shit with anyone. If it wasn't Mackey, it would be someone else, as
> you have demonstrated many times.
>
> You have continually used this group as your "bully pulpit" against
> anyone that disagrees with whatever shit that spews from your diseased
> mind.
>
> You are one hell of a hypercritical, LYING, DISHONEST, plagiarizing,
> pompous, pretentious, fat-assed, sack of maggot shit!

Interesting enough this out of mackeys neck of the woods.

Registrant:
Infon (FASTER2-DOM)
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1888. Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Beaty <mbeaty@nyx.net>
Message-ID: <902863794.237795@iris.nyx.net>
Source record: 148085

I've got an RS Pro2004 and a coupla POCSAG decoder programs I'd like to try. I tried the various 2004 jacks to the soundcard and the earphone jack off a Pro-39, but it was more finicky and error-prone than I'd like. So, I've been convinced to put a discriminator tap on the 2004 (unless there's one available on my Motorola MaxTrac 300 ;-).

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I'm planning on mounting a female 1/8" phone plug jack to the 2004 chassis. I assume the tip wants to be connected to either the chip leg or TP4.

Where does the barrel of the plug get wired to? Audio ground? Certainly not chassis ground?!? I know enough to know that the circuit must have two leads, but not enough to know where to find the second, probably obvious one. Sigh.

As an aside, when I installed Sema115 and I tried to use it for the first time ever, it said that my trial version had already expired. Anyone else seen this? Note that I'll be registering whatever I end up with, but it won't be sema115 if I can't try it first. No big deal, because poc32 looks very good. Just curious. I'll probably write to the sema115 author once I get the descriminator tap installed.

Many thanks in advance!

Mike

1889. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D09D0D.5989BA8C@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148086

If you've got POC32, this works:

- Plug an audio cable from scanner earphone jack to LINE IN on sound card
- Open the Windows "Volume Control" -- double-click on speaker
- Set the LINE IN slider to the second notch
- Turn the scanner's volume to 50% of maximum

This works for me -- and it works great!

Mike Beaty wrote:

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> write to the sema115 author once I get the descriminator tap
> installed.
>
> Many thanks in advance!
>
> Mike
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1890. Bill's and John's Degrees

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Midnight.Rambler@asu.edu
Message-ID: <6qqad8$7i4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148087

OK, my curiousity has gotten the best of me. Since Bill has been alledged to share his credentials with those who ask politely, then John, by his own "held to the same standard" standard, should be willing to do the same. Therefore, I am asking, politely, if both are willing to disclose to me, through email, the following:

Degree held
Date earned
Institution
Institution's contact information

To be fair, I agree to keep the information confidential until I have confirmed both of your degrees. In fact, I will be willing to indefinately keep the information confidential other than to publicly declare the I have confirmed what I have been told. Are either of you takers? If so, Email your information to:

Midnight.Rambler@ASU.EDU

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1891. software with scanner/sound card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: St&#65533;phane Th&#65533;berge <stheberg@mediom.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <35D0A0EC.AEA32B9E@mediom.qc.ca>
Source record: 148088

I'm looking for a web site where i can found many file to use my
pro-2006 with soundcard to discover and enjoy my powerfull 2006. any
software

thanks!

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Sti¿½phane Thi¿½berge
Beauport,Qc
mailto:Stheberg@mediom.qc.ca
ICQ # 9202102
http://www.geocities.com/motorcity/garage/7246
Pagette: 864-5941

1892. REQ: Uniden Bearcat BC 200 xlt manual (I lost it)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: felix@texas.net
Message-ID: <35cc0f12.2032195@news.texas.net>
Source record: 148089

Im looking for the manual for my scanner
(Uniden Bearcat BC 200 xlt)
If you have it in electronic format, please send me one.

Thanks for your time,

L Felix
L Felix - NT Admin
felix@(unspam)texas.net
Austin, TX

1893. Pro-62 Problem(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Decker <sdecker@esg.intel.com>
Message-ID: <35D0A966.4A5FC9E7@esg.intel.com>
Source record: 148090

Hi all,
I have a RS Pro-62 that seems to have a problem(s) with receiving.
Let me explain. First, under normal power conditions using the NiCads
inside things seem to be normal. When I plug in the AC adapter to either
the re-charging jack or the ext-power jack the reception goes to $&%$#.
It's almost like, as the batteries start to take the charge or the input voltage

jumps up, I get motor boat buzzing noise from signals that get in over the
squelch.
As time goes on, about 3 to 4 minutes, the only signals that get in are the
strong ones.
I'm not sure if this may be a voltage regulation problem with the squelch
circuit or not. I know you are all saying, that the AC adapter is screwed up or
the
scanner power input filters are hosed. Well I don't have to have the adapter
plugged
in to have this problem. This seems to have another affect on the radio also.
After turning the unit on, sometimes I get the channels that I have aircraft
frequencies programed in on. Turn it off and back on, and presto, aircraft
signals come in fine. Sometimes a slap on the side will get rid of the motor
boat noise
but I hate slapping a radio to much. I was thinking that a ceramic filter may
have gone
south or maybe a crystal filter did the same. I will probably send this in to
have it looked
at but I wanted to know if any one else has had a problem like this so I can
direct
the repair center to what's going on? The problem of plugging in the AC adapter
is almost like I'm making a ground connection to the building structure and
building
a Faraday cage around me. I would have thought it would make a better dipole.
Any help or comments would be appreciated. If it would be better to answer via
direct E-Mail rather that the news group, please use the address below. I would
also like to see if I can get a schematic for this radio if they are available.

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Scott Decker
AKA: PadMasterson
Praegitzer Design On Location at
Enterprise Server Group CO3
Intel Corporation
Ph: (503)-677-6582 E-MAIL: Scott.Decker@pii.com

1894. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35d0a9b5.4489899@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148091

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 12:40:16 GMT, fred@banana.net (fred) wrote:

>On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 23:25:12 -0400, allsafe <allsafe@erols.com> wrote:
>
>
>>Wake up Ryan; fred@banana.net is John Mackey. Note the cadence.
>>
>>I find it interesting that he picked a banana for his handle though.
>
>All-waste, you dipshit, I am not Mackey! Yes, this means Mackey is
>right and you are wrong.
>
>If you knew your ass from a hole in the ground, you'd notice posting
>hosts, paths, message style, grammar, etc. But I don't expect a
>Cheek-a-like to have intelligence/analytical ability/empirical
>problem-solving ability, ad infinitum. Dumbass.

Drop Dead, Fred, you gibbering jackanapes.

1895. Re: Sorry K4CC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35d0aa2e.4610953@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148092

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 21:31:44 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>K4CC wrote:
>> John, how about posting a list of the names
>> of all the people who ASKED you to assume
>
>It was a volunteer thing sorta like the national guard or
>reserves of the US.

You do a great disservice to the members of these
organizations, past and present, by comparing yourself to
them. You should hang your head in shame.

1896. Pro 2005 & 2006 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: giaumballa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081120452900.QAA29106@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148093

Pro 2005 scanner for sale, $300.00 , Pro 2006 $350.00
prefer local sale in New Orleans, LA area.
Giaumballa@aol.com

1897. Re: scanner frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc56a$6ff6ea60$e11937a6@default>
Source record: 148094

What freq? Fire, police, sheriff, highway patrol. You need to be more specific.

Mike
--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

H2OPhiSHer <h2ophisher@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980810012914000.VAA05404@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> need freq,for valencia area
>

1898. Re: E-mail me direct

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet5 <ramjet5@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OknN52Vx9GA.211@upnetnews03>
Source record: 148095

OOOPS --- I have a program to program the Bearcat 101

Ramjet5 wrote in message ...
>E-mail me direct at:
>Ramjet5@msn.com
>I have a program that will let you program with ease.
>Roger
>
>

1899. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Beaty <mbeaty@nyx.net>
Message-ID: <902869286.336940@iris.nyx.net>
Source record: 148096

In article <35D09D0D.5989BA8C@nospam.att.net>, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

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> - Set the LINE IN slider to the second notch
> - Turn the scanner's volume to 50% of maximum
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Thanks, Ryan. Perhaps my sound card isn't as good as yours. I've
tried both mic and line-in inputs to the card, as well as different
outputs, scanners, and volumes (both in and out). Tapping the
discriminator sounds reasonably easy and more reliable. I have been
able to get POC32 to decode some pages, just not as many as I'd like.

Mike
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Mike.Beaty@BRFD.boulder.co.us http://www.brfd.boulder.co.us/

1900. Re: new 1100 mAh Nicds - wow!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art Davis <artellad@hitter.net>
Message-ID: <35D0B22F.15E0@hitter.net>
Source record: 148097

Could you please tell us your source at that price? Art.

1901. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35d0b523.735827@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 148098

On 11 Aug 1998 09:09:01 -0500, digital2_persona@softhome.net (Digital2 Persona) wrote:

>You have continually used this group as your "bully pulpit" against
>anyone that disagrees with whatever shit that spews from your diseased
>mind.
>
Ahhh.....another bonehead for the killfilter.....
God THe ng has been sooooo much quieter lately.... :-)

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

1902. Re: PAGER QUESTION!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Isaiah Beard <scared_poet@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35D0B690.880A0EC@pobox.com>
Source record: 148099
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Regulator Del Sol wrote:

> // Are those "new" motorola voice pagers scrambled in some way or are they just
> // sent out in some analog format. I just got one and wondered if they had
> // some special way of sending out the voice page. Any freqs???
>
> try looking on the backside of the pager... I
> think it's standard procedure to print the
> operating freq there.

On the one-way pagers, yes. On the Tenor voice pager and other NPCS pagers, it's iffy. SkyTel pagers are an example: the PageFinder and AccessMate, both "1.5-way" NPCS pagers, don't have the frequencies printed on the back, and the company guards it as a "proprietary secret."

By the way, does anyone know the "inbound" channel for SkyTel two-way? I already know what the freq. is for the "outbound" channel (940.2375 Mhz, with a bandwidth twice as wide as one-way paging freqs to allow for higher bps rates... guard it as "proprietary," and you'll only fuel my curiosity <G>), but I haven't been able to find which channel the pager uses to "talk back" on.

1903. Re: identify these modes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Isaiah Beard <scared_poet@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35D0B3EA.AE4173D3@pobox.com>
Source record: 148100
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jose Cuervo wrote:
>
> Can anyone identify these modes?? Here are the links to them, they are
> .wav's. They reside on my server, someone check 'em out and tell me
> what they are, all where found in 900mhz.
> A.wav
> B.wav
> C.wav

A.wav is the data channel on a GE/Ericsson EDACS trunked system. I'd suggest searching around this frequency, as you might find the frequencies where actual voice transmissions are taking place (on the other hand, the system may be digital, and you won't be able to make sense of it).

B.wav is the data channel on a Motorola trunked system, possibly a type II Smartnet. Like above: check around this channel, as you might find voice transmissions.

No clue what C is.

1904. Re: BC895XLT Computer interface.. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6qqen2$d8u$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148101

no.spam@for.me (FreeTracker Guy) wrote:

>On Sun, 09 Aug 1998 19:34:30 GMT, roy@esp.bellcore.com (Roy Harrison)
>wrote:

>>Does anyone have any info in the 895's computer interface...the
>>pinning, what the heck kind of connector is that thing any way. I've
>>been in computers for years and must have missed this one. Also the
>>data format the radio puts out and expects to see.

>1. Cable - get one from grove (www.grove.net) or Scancat (cat-895
>cable) from www.scancat.com

>2. Program - (obvious plug for my product here): After you get the
>cable, go try FreeTracker: www.AutoWinNet.com/freetrack.html
>As the name implies, it's free. Get more info on the homepage ...

Ummmm, I got URL not found.

1905. Scancat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6qqetd$d8u$2@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148102

Anyone got one to swap/trade?

1906. Re: new 1100 mAh Nicds - wow!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@usit.net
Message-ID: <35d0bfcc.906921@NEWS.USIT.NET>
Source record: 148103

On 11 Aug 1998 00:32:30 GMT, Phil@WB2VGK <pknoll@erols.com> wrote:

>nospam.neilbell@value.net (Neil Bell) writes: > Been using my new 1100 mAH nicds in my AOR8000 scanner. The last at
>> least 50% longer than regular nicds and cost only 9.95 for 6
>> batteries!
>>
>> So far .. great!
>
>I agree. I've been using them in my Yupi 9000 and am very happy with them.
>
Great!! Where do you find these battreies??

Steve

1907. Re: fs: pro2050 trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2536-35D0B393-43@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148104

Thomas do you still have this item?I would like to buy it if you do.Thanks Bruce

1908. Help : AR-1500 Dicriminator (baseband) Audio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: simonineurope@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qqlb7$o4o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148105

Hi

I hope that someone has modified their AR1500 and would be able to point me in the right direction. I'm trying to tap "baseband audio" directly at the output of the discriminator chip of my AR1500. As the dicriminator chip in this scanner is a TA7640AP and after reading the various messages on which pin to tap I used pin 9. Pin 9 it seems is only used for WFM and AM not NFM on this scanner. Where is the correct place to tap into the NFM ?

Thanks in advance !

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1909. Re: new 1100 mAh Nicds - wow!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjheller-nospam@west.net
Message-ID: <pjheller-nospam-1108981614440001@pm5-37.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 148106

Try Costco (Price Club)

In article <35D0B22F.15E0@hitter.net>, artellad@hitter.net wrote:

> Could you please tell us your source at that price? Art.

1910. Re: 895 scanning speed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35D05E19.6AC6CA33@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 148107
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You may have a lemmon, I just received my 895 3 days ago and mine didn't scan any locked out channels even if they were set to 000.0 (ref. to your other problem) and mine scans so fast you can't read the channel # on the display.

Mike

1911. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35D0D179.E1D92F70@primenet.com>
Source record: 148108

J "He he, I'll just keep lying. They'll never know the difference."
Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> lied again:

> How can a DIRECT QOUTE be distorted unless the AUTHOR (YOU)
^^^^^-- learn to spell moron

> distorted it?

For it to be a direct quote, it has to be a *complete* quote. You know, like a complete thought, which you've continually proven incapable of having. Had you gone to high school and college, you would have learned such simple concepts in English class. If the abbreviated quote alters the context of the total quote, as yours did, it shows you are deliberately trying to alter the original message and pervert it into something other than it was intended to be. Since you failed to include the full text, your intent is purely to misquote me and change my original message.

> I didn't chage ANY of your words, it was an exact qoute!

Your sin is one of omission. You failed to include the *entire* text. You know, the part that says you're an inexperienced idiot and doesn't know what he's talking about? Since you have such a pitiful memory (a sign of genetic deficiency and inbreeding), here is the full text to remind you of your stupidity:

In another words, UV is a problem, but not of the monumental proportion you've made it out to be. Bill's quote above said essentially the same thing, but you've denied it's validity because Cheek said. It seems YOU should gain a little more experience in the world before you spout off.

> Thank you for saying it again!

You're welcome, FOOL!

1912. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35D0D1D2.B51CF522@primenet.com>
Source record: 148109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

J "He he, I'm the best liar. Nobody can tell." Mackey
<KAOSSF@parg.org> had another brain spasm and hurt himself:

> Stop posting incorrect & corrupted data & then it ALL will be real!

There there, Toilet Boy, calm down. You know you have such a delicate constitution, you'll give yourself a seizure again. You know you are unable to determine fact from fiction, especially when you don't take your medication regularly like you're supposed to. Yes, you're right, the voices in the real world don't know you really did get caught red handed making all those forged posts, cancellations, and have caused all the trouble in the news groups. It's ok, you can tell all the lies you want, the voices in the real world won't know if it's the truth or not.

> You've never used facts!

Now now, Toilet Boy, it will take a few days for the medication to take effect. Just be patient and you'll be able to calm down again. The voices in the real world will stop telling you what to do. Yes, you can put the aluminum foil back on your head so the aliens can't beam their microwave signals of truth direct into your brain. Here, you can use my duct tape to hold it on. No, the voices in the real world don't know what facts are either.

> Here you go, fresh from Dejanews! Feel free to confirm authenticity!

Yes Toilet Boy, it's ok if you cover your eyes with the duct tape. That way the aliens won't be able to see you either. Yes, you can have jello tonight for dinner. Yes, I think the cafeteria has blue this time. No, the voices in the real world haven't poisoned it with truth. There there, Toilet Boy, take a midol and go back to bed now. The mean man is not going to hit you with anymore truth tonight.

1913. Re: Newsgroup History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0D533.2E78@parg.org>
Source record: 148110

willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Note that this is dated two years ago:
>
> Subject: The envelope please
> From: crs1026@inforamp.net (Paul Cordingley)
> Date: 1996/07/27
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>
> In the spirit of the olympics, let's do some scorekeeping.
>
> Bill posted a FAQ that had some useful technical information.
> That's five points to Bill.
> Hugh says the FAQ also had an element of commercial self-interest.
> Five points to Hugh.
>
> Bill says there was nothing rude or inflammatory in the post, yet Hugh
> attacked him. True. That's five points to Bill.
> Hugh says Bill's response was crude and an escalation of the ill
> manners betweeen the two. Also true. Five points to Hugh.
>
> Hugh says Bill is exaggerating his credentials. Bill cites some
> relevant credentials but declines to say where or when. No decision on
> this one.
>
> Bill says there are lots of commercial people in the newsgroup, so why
> pick on him? But he doesn't name any. Sorry, Bill, no points awarded
> unless you can tag someone.
>
> Bill takes shots at people on medication. No points for Hugh, but Bill
> loses five for bad sportsmanship.
>
> Spoofed messages arrive from Hugh's part of the world. No points off
> Hugh, but Bill gets five in sympathy.
>
> Is there a message here folks? Yep: the message is, this isn't a
> competition, it isn't an olympic event, it's a newsgroup. A nice,
> otherwise friendly newsgroup. There is no reason to compete. In fact,
> there is nothing to be won. No one is bigger here, or stronger, there
> are no little pink bunnies that outlast evil battery-powered dragons.
> We all know *something*, and we all deserve to contribute equally. No
> one has higher, or lower, stature, even if they know more, or less,
> about radios. And you don't help anyone by arguing about who is the
> bigger expert, or the bigger asshole.

>
> One last thing. Life teaches that people rise to the top not because
> they know the most about radios, but because they know the most about
> getting along with other people. That means manners. Each participant
> loses five points for each time they mentioned a bodily fluid, or an
> act of copulation, or the ingestion of personal apparel. (Take off
> your shoes and count backwards on your toes if you have to)
>
> And to all of you who have remained silent throught this childish and
> repulsive episode, thank you. You are great people.
>
> Regards
> Paul
>
> Hugh also called Bill some not-nice things. (Personally, I agree with
> what he said, but that's not the point. Newsgroups don't work if
> people get personal.)
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1914. Re: OBFD's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0D5C5.689D@parg.org>
Source record: 148111

K4CC wrote:
> Or someone obsessed with Bill Cheek.

No, it is easy to pull data from dejanews & takes only a few moments.

Give it a try sometime! If you want I will show you how dejanews works?

1915. Re: BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35d3abb1.1979073567@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 148112
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 16:12:35 GMT, jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com (Jeff Adams) wrote:

>Thanks for the tip, Bob. I had read that and just figured that they
>had fixed the problem long ago. Oh well. No harm done, I hadn't
>gotten very far programming mine.

Ok, I reset the scanner and reprogrammed in about 40 freq's (all none-trunked). It scans much faster now. But now, whenever the scanner stops while scanning, the word DATA with a diagonal line through it appears (but not when I hit Manual and step through the frequencies). I found something in the manual about how you can push the DATA button while searching if the scanner is stopping on freq's containing data and you don't want it to do that. But I didn't see anything about the crossed-out DATA appearing during normal scanning. Anyone?
Thanks,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
==

1916. More of Fire Chief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <672_9808111700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148113

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> "He was given 30 days to shut down....."

> Now you tell me and everyone else that this doesn't mean he was booted.

JM> You know what I said. You used your own personal interpretation to
JM> change it to something else.

Don't play your silly ass games with me, you dimwit.

That statement doesn't need any any interpretation
as to exactly what you meant when you spewed your
lie.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Fire Chief 1:202/777
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1917. Cheek dumped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f5.n52.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <673_9808111700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148114

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Ka> Your knowledge of historical facts on this topic is seriously
Ka> flawed. Cheek left moderatorship of Scanradio, then about 2
Ka> or 3 months later left fidonet altogether after being requested
Ka> to leave.

From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>

JM> I never stated that he got "booted" from Fido, only that he was
JM> asked to leave.
JM> PLEASE, get you data correct!
--
|WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:52/5
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f5.n52.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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1918. Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <671_9808111700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 148115

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

Phil Smalley wrote:
> Why don't you read my post about ending this crap once and for all?

JM> YES!! I would LOVE for this crap to end!

Then why don't you just shut up, dingbat?

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LEO'S FIREFIGHTERS SAR	FIDONET
COMMS AMATEUR RADIO	e-mail newsgroups
Home of THE San Diego County BBS List(619) 441-9679

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

1919. Mr. Mackey I still wait for you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35d0df39.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148116

Mackey I still waiting for you to answer my posts please.

Poppa Dom

1920. Re: FS:PRO-2004 & 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35d0e01d.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jack wrote in message <35d08d11.58163@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>I've got a PRO-2004 for $225 and a PRO-2005 for $300. Would prefer a
>local sale to avoid hassles. E-mail offers.

I give you $100 for the 04 and $75 for the 05 or $150 for boths!

Poppa Dom

1921. Re: Pro 2005 & 2006 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dom Dominico <dominico@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35d0e09d.0@earth.GAIANET.NET>
Source record: 148118

Giaumballa wrote in message
<19980811204529000.QAA29106@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Pro 2005 scanner for sale, $300.00 , Pro 2006 $350.00
>prefer local sale in New Orleans, LA area.
>Giaumballa@aol.com

I give you $75 for the 05 and $150 for the 06 and $175 for boths!

Poppa Dom

1922. WTB: AOR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9565-35D0E38E-7@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 148119
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone who's selling a AOR8000 please let me know. Thanks

1923. Help identify?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Isaiah Beard <scared_poet@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35D0EB29.DF36D0D0@pobox.com>
Source record: 148120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Recently, I ran across some transmissions I'm not familiar with in the West Texas area, on 468.075 MHz. I know it's data, and from the sound of it, it's a network of transceivers as I can hear a strong signal from a nearby station transmitting, followed by a weaker signal from a more distant station immediately following.

For those interested, I have a recording of the transmission in .WAV format, located at:

http://www.eden.rutgers.edu/~poet/oddsound.wav

Would anyone here be able to tell me what this is? Thanks...

1924. Re: REQ: Uniden Bearcat BC 200 xlt manual (I lost it)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35d03fc8.594537@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 148121

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 20:01:30 GMT, (unspam)felix@texas.net (L Felix)
wrote:

>Im looking for the manual for my scanner
>(Uniden Bearcat BC 200 xlt)
>If you have it in electronic format, please send me one.
>
>Thanks for your time,
>
>L Felix
>L Felix - NT Admin
>felix@(unspam)texas.net
>Austin, TX

I have a manual for the BC200xlt in electronic format. It actually is
on my desktop publisher program Microsoft Publisher. If you happen to
have that program than it would work out great, if not, I think that
MS used to have a limited time version of this program downloadable
for review. Let me know what you think and I can e-mail it to you.

Wiggie

1925. Re: WTB: AOR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert W Beeson <rbeeson@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <35D0FA67.CF1E8102@cruzio.com>
Source record: 148122
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You might try the following
link....http://www.grove-ent.com/grove/hmpgbbb.html

Reservoir Dogs wrote:

> Anyone who's selling a AOR8000 please let me know. Thanks

1926. Re: Bill's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d6da34.108179172@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148123

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> WRONG BILL!!!

Noooo, wartlip.

> You are once again seen as a liar as you have been betrayed
> by your own words.

> You have been fighting with people on this newsgroup LONG before
> I ever came here.

Noooo wartlip. I came and went in those days. I was
gone when you started stalking me.

> (They don't even mention me!)

Because even "they" had no use for you,
you friggin wartlip!

1927. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d7dab4.108307193@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148124

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > The truth is....YOU are lying.
>
> OK Bill, what is YOUR proof?

The fact that I said it. That is plenty
proof enough for you, you friggin wartlip.
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1928. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d5d9a4.108035388@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148125

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick <wa7twi@primenet.com> wrote:

> Another lame distortion from you again, Toilet Boy.

Waddya except from a wartlip, Richard?

Just came to find out it's a venereal wart
on the inside of his lower lip......
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1929. Re: new guy exposes posterior

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d8db1c.108411467@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148126

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> K4CC wrote:
> > (Looks like Mackey playing with his AOL
> > account again).
>
> Apparently, FOR YOU, looks are very deceiving!

You ARE rather deceptive, wartlip.

1930. Re: Need New Jersey Freq.'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35CFDCD4.1ADA@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 148127
Cross-posted to: phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

M DeVos wrote:
>
> Help, I'm new to the area and I'm trying to find any and all freq.'s for
> the Wrightstown, Cookstown area of New Jersey. I'm also looking for the
> frequencies for McGuire AFB and Fort Dix.

Sorry , I only know of one that is state - wide , 154.680 (spen #1) .
All police pursuits and emergency broadcasts .

1931. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFDD93.1CEF@parg.org>
Source record: 148128

allsafe wrote:
> Wake up Ryan; fred@banana.net is John Mackey. Note the cadence.

Note the NNTP posting host, path, & news program are totally different
for me & Fred. (In other words, there are no similarities!)

1932. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFDDF3.43BB@parg.org>
Source record: 148129

Despite the bullshit they are telling you Ryan, you & I had a
deal of truce that I have honored & NOT done the stuff they are
referring to.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> allsafe wrote:
> > Wake up Ryan; fred@banana.net is John Mackey. Note the cadence.
> >
> > I find it interesting that he picked a banana for his handle though.
>
> He he -- I should get to know his aliases!

1933. Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: toreek@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081106202500.CAA19002@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148130

Hello,

I'm a newbie, and have got a question that I still don't know. Why can't people use radios and scanners on flights all the time? Some airlines allow it, some don't. What's the deal, do they cause some terrible interference or something?

Thanks

1934. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE336.C44@parg.org>
Source record: 148131

Apparently you are BILL CHEEK! Bill is the only person who always
take things back to the time that Cheek & I went head to head on
Fidonet. Bill, you are still smarting from our battle there. While
you did win the battle of getting me kicked off of your echo, I won the
WAR which ultimately resulted in getting you kicked off of Fidonet &
losing your node status. You have never been able to get
over that, it really bothers you because you lost!

The IP address of the machine you used to make the post below
was 205.156.234.38. That traces back to a compuserve account. It
is a well known fact that you have a compuserve account & is
where your web site is at.

below from www.arin.net regarding the IP address of 205.156.234.38.

CompuServe, Inc. (NETBLK-COMPUSERVE-BLK)
5000 Arlington Centre Blvd.
Columbus, OH 43220

Netname: COMPUSERVE-BLK
>> Netblock: 205.156.192.0 - 205.156.255.0
Maintainer: CMPU

Coordinator:
Huey, Robert J (RH639-ARIN) rhuey@COMPUSERVE.NET
614-723-4553 614-538-3348

charles21@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> John Mackey , you know I posted the truth , the post was not a forge nor was
> the email from Nick OBFD , where he explains your plan to do Cheek in . Why
> do you continue with your lies as I have shown proof positive that you are
> the liar people say you are.
>
> I have shown proof that you are lying, you have not shown any proof that OBFD
> is lying, why he should he be, after all he really did not like what you were
> doing by disrupting the scanner group with your constant yammering because
> you got dumped off a fido net for being a jerk.
>
> You did the same thing on the fido net, Cheek did not see eye to eye with you
> and you pulled the same nonsense there as you are now doing and he had no
> choice but to cut your access to the fido net.

1935. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE433.4612@parg.org>
Source record: 148132

Bill - rather than avoid the issue again, please answer the question.

"In the past you always said this was between YOU & ME, are you now attempting to deny that?"

Bill Cheek wrote:

> <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:
> > Bill Cheek wrote:
> > > No. It all starts AND ends with you,
> > > you friggin wartlip......
> >
> > In the past you always said this was between YOU & ME, are you now
> > attempting to deny that?
> >
> It STARTS and ENDS with you,

1936. Re: Bill's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE4FD.3FDB@parg.org>
Source record: 148133

Tom Jones wrote:
> Now really, John - Who would keep a handy little archival scrapbook of
> posts, going back years, that,(by your own admission) have ABSOLUTELY

Certainly not me!!!m But Dejanews does keep such data which is where
I found it!

1937. Cheek gets delusional again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE571.7896@parg.org>
Source record: 148134

hahahahaha, more of Bill CHeek delusions again!

Bill Cheek wrote:
> You are not authorized or permitted to ask
> anything of me, wartlip. Yours is to be
> seen and not heard. Do not speak to anyone
> unless spoken to, and then only with permission.

1938. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE607.4912@parg.org>
Source record: 148135

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> > > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > In another words, UV is a problem,
>
> > Thanks for your input Richard!
>
> Another lame distortion from you again, Toilet Boy. As usual, you're

How can a DIRECT QOUTE be distorted unless the AUTHOR (YOU)
distorted it? I didn't chage ANY of your words, it was an exact qoute!

> In another words, UV is a problem,

Thank you for saying it again!

1939. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE66F.60C8@parg.org>
Source record: 148136

Bill Cheek wrote:
> Oh yes it is, wartlip. You don't get to
> make ANY decisions. You just do as you are

YOU certainly have NO authority to make such decisions
EITHER!

1940. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE6DB.5297@parg.org>
Source record: 148137

Bill Cheek wrote:
> nothing's been "fine" since you
> started stalking me three years ago. There
> was no "truce" because you refused to accept it.

WRONG!

YOU have been stalking ME as you follow thru by harrasing me with
you lies on both the Fidonet & Internet & now you REFUSE to stop!

1941. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFE75A.1506@parg.org>
Source record: 148138

Bill Cheek wrote:
> you're the one
> who went to "Yankton College" .

True, but YOU are the one who had the "Yank, Yank" theme song!

Would you like me to re-post it?

1942. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFEA88.7E12@parg.org>
Source record: 148139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> You might see it that way in your delusional little world, but you
> have no clue what is and what is not real. Hence, your inability to

Stop posting incorrect & corrupted data & then it ALL will be real!

> > Facts speak for themselves, Kendrick!
>
> Yes, they do. And my facts and

You've never used facts!

> > According to Mr. Eisner, you are wrong!
>
> Present your proof.

Here you go, fresh from Dejanews! Feel free to confirm authenticity!

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Subject: Re: More Rogue Cancels in rec.radio.scanner
From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
Date: 1998/07/06
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Article segment 2 of 2 - Get Previous Segment - Get All 2 Segments

Control: cancel <REPOST-8707.73425292969.35988725.5FC7@usa.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner
Path:
moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!news-ana-7.sprintlink.net!207.13.232.24!news-ana-24.sprintlink.net!news-west.sprintlink.net!news-peer.sprintlink.net!news.sprintlink.net!news-peer.gip.net!news-penn.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!news-feed.netvision.net.il!news.NetVision.net.il!elscintcorp.co.il!nobody
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Subject: Cancel "REPOST: Re: Persistant flamer, what to do?"
Message-ID: <359fd5f1.24084228@elscintcorp.co.il>
Sender: nobody@gateway.elscintcorp.co.il
Organization: you friggin' loon.
Date: Sun, 5 Jul 1998 19:37:27 GMT
X-Newsreader: Forte Free Agent 1.11/32.235
Lines: 1

Control: cancel <REPOST-8707.73425292969.35988725.5FC7@usa.net>
Newsgroups: news.admin.net-abuse.usenet,rec.radio.scanner
Path:

moon.pepperdine.edu!nntp2.cerf.net!usc!howland.erols.net!newsfeed1.swip.net!swipnet!news-fra.maz.net!news-fra1.dfn.de!newsfeed.dpn.de!news-out1.f.gtn.com!news-in1.f.gtn.com!roka.net!nbi-bto.de!nobody
From: John Mackey - KA0SSF <jmackey@usa.net>
Subject: Cancel "REPOST: Re: Persistant flamer, what to do?"
Message-ID: <359fe357.27515331@news.nbi-bto.de>
Sender: nobody@news.nbi-bto.de
Organization: This is Ground Control. . .
Date: Sun, 5 Jul 1998 20:34:33 GMT
X-Newsreader: Forte Free Agent 1.11/32.235
Lines: 1

>
> There is one person who would be likely party for doing such actions,
> but I want to avoid giving his ID untill more can be checked.
>
> thanks for your help, it is appreciated!

Hope This Helps

Bob

1943. PRO 26 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1039b7db795a62ab9896c3@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 148140

Hi,

I'm runiining this ad again,I thought I had it sold TWICE,one guy stopped responding,the other guy wrecked his car...

I have a PRO 26 for sale,I bought it "new",it was a leftover on the shelf,the last one I know of anywhere around here when I got it in June. It's been modded for 800,in great shape except for a small scratch on front display window,about 1/8" long,and a couple of scratches on back from the display case rubbing on it.Looks new other than that.I'm asking $175 firm,I'm only selling it to pay for another toy....
Email me if interested....
Barry

1944. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35CFF595.610B9C9C@uswest.net>
Source record: 148141

Distortion by ommission is still a fabrication, lie, distortion or
corruption of the actual facts.
Therefore, you ommitted the bulk of the fact, therefor you lied by
intention of ommission.

Hawke

J Mackey wrote:

> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > > > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > > In another words, UV is a problem,
> >
> > > Thanks for your input Richard!
> >
> > Another lame distortion from you again, Toilet Boy. As usual, you're
>
> How can a DIRECT QOUTE be distorted unless the AUTHOR (YOU)
> distorted it? I didn't chage ANY of your words, it was an exact qoute!
>
> > In another words, UV is a problem,
>
> Thank you for saying it again!

1945. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081109582800.FAA28104@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148142

J Mackey <KAOBFD@obfd.org> writes:

>Because I was a friend of OBFD & when addressing someone who
>he did not consider a problem he always had an
>initial greeting he used. The post did NOT include it so
>the whole thing is obviously a forge!

That's about the lamest excuse I
believe I ever did see.
You say "was" a friend. Why are
you no longer friends?

1946. Re: OBFD Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081109582900.FAA28106@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148143

dmi1@my-dejanews.com writes:

>If you wanted to truly start mackey , you would just go back on topic and let
>things die.
>

The only topic Mackey has ever been "on"
is his own sick, warped little agenda of
disrupting newsgroups under the banner
of truth, justice and the American way.

1947. Re: Alright then OBFD, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081109583000.FAA28107@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148144

J Mackey <KAOBFD@obfd.org> writes:

>I communicated with OBFD enough to know how he sent his
>private e-mail. The greeting he used was missed!

The fact that he used a particular
greeting to you doesn't necessarily
mean he would use it with someone
else. You'll have to do better than
that if you want anyone other than a
3-year-old to believe you.

1948. Re: Thank you OBFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081109583100.FAA28108@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148145

allsafe <allsafe@erols.com> writes:

>I find it interesting that he picked a banana for his handle though.
>

It has to do with his not-so-distant
simian ancestry.
Dave

1949. Re: OBFD's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081109583200.FAA28109@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148146

txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom Jones) writes:

>Now really, John - Who would keep a handy little archival scrapbook of
>posts, going back years, that,(by your own admission) have ABSOLUTELY
>nothing to do with you?
>
>Maybe someone vying for the title of "Troublemaker of the Decade"?

Or someone obsessed with Bill Cheek.

1950. Re: HEY OBFD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081109583300.FAA28110@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148147

Jobfd Mackey <KAOBFD@obfd.org> writes:

>How can a DIRECT QOUTE be distorted unless the AUTHOR (YOU)
>distorted it? I didn't chage ANY of your words, it was an exact qoute!

Oh, I dunno, sad sack. How about this "direct quote"
from YOU:

>From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
>Date: Tue, 11 Aug 1998 06:22:09 GMT

> Bill, you are still smart

Yessiree, that's a direct quote, written by you,
posted by you, quoted by me in exactly the same
way you quoted Kendrick.

1951. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qpbhc$8nt$0@207.18.224.98>
Source record: 148148

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 06:22:09 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>Apparently you are BILL CHEEK! Bill is the only person who always
>take things back to the time that Cheek & I went head to head on
>Fidonet. Bill, you are still smarting from our battle there. While
>you did win the battle of getting me kicked off of your echo, I won the
>WAR which ultimately resulted in getting you kicked off of Fidonet &
>losing your node status. You have never been able to get
>over that, it really bothers you because you lost!

First off, it is a shame that you have let this degenerate to this, ie
who has won, or lost. In other messages, you state that you are
on here for the good of the newsgroup, but now, you clearly show
that this is just a vendeta.

Secondly, you have been given proof positive that Bill was not
kicked off, booted off, asked to leave by any authority, or other
wise removed from FIDONET, but you still refuse to acknowledge
those facts.

Live from P_ARG!!

1952. Re: opto 456 jumpers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Thomas <ve3tej@home.com>
Message-ID: <35D03248.61C0776F@home.com>
Source record: 148149

Chas wrote:

>
>
> If you mean the dip switches they don't control the com ports, only the data
> rate and the board address.
> The scanner control software e.g. Radio Manager lets you choose the com port
> in the prefs.
> The default settings for the dip switches are: Switch 4 on SW2(closest to
> the transformer) should be on and the remaining switches should be off.
> ADDRESS = 80 DATA RATE = 9600 bps
>

Does anyone know what the rest of the settings are ? Any info would be greatly
appreciated Jim

1953. New Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: UNITECH <unitech@dol.ru>
Message-ID: <6qpc5b$3qb$2@jumbo.demos.su>
Source record: 148150

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Check our new web site www.unitech.ru
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1954. For Sale PRO 60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980811112550200.IAA27921@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148151

1 owner, bought new in 1996. includes original box, manual, ac adapter,
antenna.
$165.00
Range is 30-512, 760-824, 849-869, 894-999.9875

not cellular restorable unless replacement of cpu

200 channel, triple conversion, lock out, priority channel, am/fm/wfm, picks up
broadcast fm radio and broadcast TV, keylock feature. The following
specifications are courtesy of the Radioshack website,
http://www.radioshack.com/Support/

Frequencies Bands
(MHz)

30.00-50.00 VHF Low
50.00-54.00 6-Meter Amateur Radio
54.00-72.00 FM-TV Audio Broadcast, Wide Band
72.00-76.00 Land Mobile Service Band
76.00-87.495 FM-TV Audio Broadcast, Wide Band
87.50-107.95 FM-TV Audio/Radio Broadcast, Wide Band
108-136.975 Aircraft
137-144 U.S. Government
144-148 2-Meter Amateur Radio
148-174 VHF High
174-216 FM/TV Audio broadcast, VHF Wide Band
216-224.995 VHF Hi, 1 1/4 Meter Amateur Radio
225-399.9875 Military Aircraft
400-450 UHF Lo, 70-Centimeter Amateur Radio,
Government
450-470 UHF Low
470-512 FM-TV Audio Broadcast, UHF Wide
760-806 UHF-T Band
806-824 Conventional Systems
849-865.9875 Conventional/Trunked
866-869.000 Public Safety
894-999.9875 Trunked
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****
The Radio Shack PRO-60 Programmable Scanner lets you in on all the action!
This scanner gives you direct access to more than 68,000 frequencies
including police, ambulance, ham radio, and transportation services. You
can select up to 200 channels to scan, and change your selection at any
time. The secret to your scanner's ability to scan so many frequencies is
its custom-designed microprocessor - a tiny, built-in computer.

Your scanner includes these special features:

Triple Conversion Superheterodyne - Virtually eliminates any interference
Receiver from IF (Intermediate Frequency)
images, so you hear only the selected
frequency.

Hyperscan - Searches through frequencies at 50
steps per second or scans stored
channels at 25 channels per second.

Monitor Memory - Lets you temporarily save up to 10
frequencies you find during a frequency
search so you can decide later if you
want to store any of them into
permanent channels.

Direct Frequency Search - Gives you direct access to every
available frequency so you can find
interesting broadcasts.

Two-Second Scan Delay - Delays scanning for about 2 seconds
before moving to another channel, so
you can hear more replies.

Ten Channel Storage Banks - Lets you store 20 channels in each of
10 storage banks to group frequencies
so you can easily identify calls.

Liquid-Crystal Display - Shows the selected channel and
frequency and the selected functions.

Memory Backup - Keeps the frequencies stored in memory
even when you remove the batteries.

Lockout Function - Lets you set your scanner to skip over
specified channels.

Keylock - Prevents you from accidentally changing
the scanner's programming.

Priority Channel - Lets you designate a channel to be
scanned every 2 seconds, so you do
not miss important calls.

AM/FM/WFM Mode - Automatically selects the most common
reception type for the band you are
scanning, and lets you override that
selection.

Battery-Saving Circuit - Draws only 40 percent of the normal
operating power.

Optional Power Sources - Lets you power the scanner from
internal batteries, standard AC power
(with an optional AC adapter), or from

your vehicle's battery (with an
optional DC auto adapter).

Ni-Cd Battery Charging Circuit - Lets you recharge nickel-cadmium
batteries while they are inside the
battery compartment.

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Frequency Coverage:
30.0-87.4950 MHz (in 5 kHz steps)
87.5-107.9500 MHz (in 50 kHz steps)
108.0-136.9750 MHz (in 25 kHz steps)
137.0-224.9950 MHz (in 5 kHz steps)
225.0-399.9875 MHz (in 12.5 kHz steps)
400.0-512.0000 MHz (in 12.5 kHz steps)
760.0-824.0000 MHz (in 12.5 MHz steps)
849.0-869.0000 MHz (in 12.5 kHz steps)
894.0-999.9875 MHz (in 12.5 kHz steps)

Total Channels:.....210 (20 channels x 10 banks)
(10 monitor channels)

Sensitivity:

(FM 20 dB (S+N)/N at 3 kHz deviation):
30-512 MHz:.....1 microV
760-999.9875 MHz:.....1 microV

(AM 20 dB (S+N)/N at 60 % modulation):
30-512 MHz:.....2 microV
760-999.9875 MHz:.....2 microV

(WFM 30 dB (S+N)/N at 45 kHz deviation):
30-512 MHz:.....3 microV
760-999.9875 MHz:.....3 microV

Spurious Rejection: (FM at 328 MHz):.....40 dB

Selectivity:

(FM/AM):
+/-10 kHz,.....-6 dB
+/-15 kHz,.....-30 dB

(WFM):
+/-100 kHz,.....-6 dB
+/-200 kHz,.....-50 dB

IF Rejection Ratio:

611.2 MHz at 512 MHz:.....50 dB

Scanning Rate:.....25 channels/sec.
Search Rate:.....50 steps/sec.
Priority Sampling:.....2 seconds
Delay Time:.....2 seconds
Audio Output Power:.....10% THD 180 mW

IF Frequencies:
1st:.....608.005-611.2 MHz
2nd:.....45 MHz
3rd (WFM):.....10.7 MHz
3rd (FM/AM):.....455 kHz

Squelch Sensitivity:
Threshold (FM/AM):.....Less than 0.5 microV
Threshold (WFM):.....Less than 3 microV
Tight (FM/AM):.....(S+N)/N 25 dB
Tight (WFM):.....(S+N)/N 40 dB

Antenna Impedance:.....50 ohms
Built-in Speaker:.....1 3/8" (36 mm) 8 ohm, dynamic
Power Requirement:.....+9 VDC, 6AA Batteries
or a suitable adapter (negative ground only)
Current Drain (Squelched):.....100 mA
Operating Temperature:.....+ 14 degrees F to + 140 degrees F
(-10 degrees C to +60 degrees C)
Residual Noise:.....Volume control, set to its minimum,
squelched 3 - 5 mV
Channels of Operation:.....Any 200 channels in any band combination
Channels, frequency, and mode display:.....Liquid Crystal Display
Receiving System:.....Direct key entry digital-control synthesizer
1st IF: 608.005 - 611.2 MHz
2nd IF: 45 MHz
3rd IF: 10.7 MHz (WFM), 455 KHz (NFM/AM)
Power Source:.....9VDC negative ground only
6 AA batteries or a suitable adapter
Jacks:.....Antenna, earphone, external power and charge
Receiving System:.....Direct key entry digital-control synthesizer
1st IF: 608.005-611.2 MHz
2nd IF: 45 MHz
3rd IF: 10.7 MHz (WFM), 455 kHz (NFM/AM)
Dimensions:.....6 5/16 x 2 7/16 x 2 1/8 inches (HWD)
(160 x 62 x 54 mm)
Weight (without antenna and batteries):.....Approx. 8.8 oz.
(250 g)
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

1955. Re: Uniden Bearcat SC-150 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana_Hartsock@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <bHvq2TZKOoob-pn2-mEE7RtKcZIIY@slip129-37-219-116.ia.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 148152

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 05:39:00, "jim" <jamese@qnet.com> wrote:

> your dc converter for the car will also charge the batt. pack
>

Jim,

I am still confused about the power requirements of the SportsCat 150.
The case of the SC150 says 12 volts DC.

The AC power adapter says 12 volts DC, 200 millamps. The battery pack
says 4.8 volts DC, 800 milliamps.

I have a car adapter, selectable for 3, 6, 9, and 12 volts...
milliamps not listed. Where does this leave me?

Dana

1956. Re: Pro-90 and Air/Mil. Freqs. in Norfolk/Va, Beach area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081113484400.JAA02276@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148153

IN REPLY TO YOUR NEWSGROUP POST>
>However, being surrounded by
>military bases I was hoping to also be able to monitor some of these
>frequencies. (Mainly the USN Aircraft bands and any freqs that may be used
>on the USN ships that move in and out of port all the time.
------I would suggest going to radio shack and picking up the book police call
and seeing if the freqs are listed in there.
> Also
>will this unit receive regular air bands for commercial airlines?
------Yes, search the 108-136MHz range.
>I enjoy listening to Police calls but, with Va.. Beach having the lowest
>crime rate in the US per Capita for 4 years running it can get kind of
>boring sometimes
-------I live in the fourth most violent area in the United States, there's
alays something on the scanner.

Hope i helped.
From-
Josh Sanders KC8JSU
Skywarn Storm Spotter 155-049
Emergency Management Agency Badge 239

1957. Re: Iridium Satellites

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thomsona@netcom.com
Message-ID: <thomsonaExJ2nn.Dv0@netcom.com>
Source record: 148154
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.comms,aus.comms.mobile,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6qp8u1thi1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net> "Paul Britton"
<curator@www.cops.aust.com> writes:
>Does anyone have any frequency information for the Iridium Satellites....

From www.iridium.com

"The Iridium system will employ a combination of Frequency Division
Multiple Access and Time Division Multiple Access (FDMA/TDMA) signals
multiplexing to make the most efficient use of limited spectrum. The
L-Band (1616-1626.5 MHz), serves as the link between the satellite and
Iridium subscriber equipment. The Ka-Band (19.4-19.6 GHz for downlinks;
29.1-29.3 GHz for uplinks) serves as the link between the satellite and
the gateways and earth terminals."

Presumably there additional control and telemetry links, but I couldn't
find them on the page.

1958. Bearcat 101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rock -n- Rocky <rlwarner@cbpu.com>
Message-ID: <35D07A59.1764B933@cbpu.com>
Source record: 148155

Can Anyone Help With The Programing on This Scanner ???? Please!!!!!

1959. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D05336.7FE1E571@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148156

Yes, they can cause interference, but some airlines (including Delta and my hometown's Northwest) allow it because it is very little.

All scanners and newer radios actually have a very low power transmitter inside, called the local oscillator. I wouldn't guess as to how little it puts out, but I would think less than 0.1mW. Some airlines care about that, others just don't want you to listen to their (or anyone's) communications, and others just want you to request permission.

I'll tell you, using a scanner on aircraft is great because you are sitting inside one big antenna! <grin>

Toreek wrote:

> Hello,
>
> I'm a newbie, and have got a question that I still don't know. Why can't
> people use radios and scanners on flights all the time? Some airlines allow
> it, some don't. What's the deal, do they cause some terrible interference or
> something?
>
> Thanks
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1960. Re: mackey and cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D05358.64870449@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148157

Nice contribution to the problem, Bobby.

Robert W Beeson wrote:

> Gees, why don't you people GROW the (*$%&*$* UP!
> YA FRIGGIN' WARTLIP SWINES.....
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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1961. Re: 900MHz Phone Question???????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D0541A.14442AD5@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148158

Have you tried searching the ENTIRE 902-928 cordless range?

Sly Kapchinski wrote:

> Sounds just like my TROPEZ 900DX phone. It is not spread spectrum. The
> freq. counter shows a definate freq. but when a scanner is tuned to it
> nothing is heard, not even a hiss, static or digital noise. The scanner
> won't even stop on it in search mode neither.
> Kinda neat! I wish I knew what type of modulation it is?
>
> SKane911 wrote:
> >
> > I own a digital 900 MHz Sony Cordless phone and used a frequency counter to
> > record the base and handset frequencies, monitored both frequencies on two
> > separate scanners and heard NOTHING....the scanner did not even stop when in
> > search mode covering the phones frequencies. The phone is not Spread Spectrum
> > ï¿½ (Thanx Heddy) but it is digital.
> >
> > Skane
> >
> > "....I think about life and I think about death, and neither one particularly
> > appeals to me."
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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1962. WTB - Marantz PMD series recorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka4993gg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081114561400.KAA17117@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148159

Looking for a portable recorder to record radio programs. Must be in good to excellent condition. Will pay cash or trade a portable 800 unblocked scanner depending on model.

1963. Re: Code Gabbers are Burglar Tools

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: charly@xmission.com
Message-ID: <35d06b41.4675353@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 148160

On Sat, 08 Aug 1998 23:23:31 GMT, Curt Viscott <"Curt
Viscott"@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>repatch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>
>> Curious as to what these things sound like, what frequencies do they run
>> on?? Or are they all diferent. TTYL
>
>click here: http://www.streetsmartsecurity.com/CG.htm
>
> http://www.clifford.com/acg.html
> http://www.clifford.com/valet.html
> http://www.clifford.com/scanners.html
>
>for more information go to http://home.netscape.com then
>search for "code grabbers" "auto security" "home security" ect.

Most garage openers,,, open.....if you just give them a few good
jerks.....they think they've pin a child down......

Like most Titanium locks ($100.00) shatter with a spray of nitrogen
and a tac hammer.......

1964. fs: pro2050 trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tpowell@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6qpn2n$8rf@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 148161

I have a Pro2050 Truncktracker. It has AC adapter, antenna, and manual.
Sorry, no box. The radio is in excellent condition. I am asking $125.00
plus shipping.
Email: tpowell@qn.net.

1965. FS: Timewave DSP-599ZX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lewitzky <johnl@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <35D064FC.EF90B1C2@ptd.net>
Source record: 148162

In as new condition complete with with original box, instruction book
and cables. Used very little--reason for sale--bought a Yaesu FT-847.
$ 275 including UPS shipping. Postal MO Only.

Please contact John, N3ZQJ, at johnl@ptd.net Thanks.

1966. FS:Crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glapierre@seimac.com
Message-ID: <SAZz1.104$p03.72830@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 148163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,hfx.forsale

I have these crystals (for Realistic scanners) for sale:

154.620 Mhz QTY OF 9 Greenfield, Hantsport, Windsor, Trenton Fire
Depts.
154.710 Mhz " 8 Annapolis, Mahone Bay, Summerville Fire
Depts
167.730 " 10
169.465 " 6
162.850 " 3
154.01 " 1 Bridgetown, Canning etc Fire Depts
$ 5.00 cdn ea. or 3 for $10.00 cdn

Thanks,
Greg
glapierre@seimac.com

1967. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <2nTs0wB8lG01EwIo@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 148164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35d0d116.105845038@news2.cts.com>, Bill Cheek
<bcheek@san.rr.com> writes

>Here in the states, I've found PRO-2005's
>disguised as PRO-2006's with a change of faceplates
>and the rear labels. Inside, they were 2005's,
>and it is hard for the non-technie to tell for sure.

I guess easy to do without intention either - especially if a PRO-2005
case gets damaged and a replacement is sought. Are 2005 "fronts" still
available from RS I wonder.

>> I don't beleive the COM205 is still produced but there are a good number
>> still available here in Europe. The ones we have at the moment all date
>> coded '97 which would be after RS stopped distributing the 2006. They
>> are also identified as "Made in Japan" whereas most (all?) GRE produced
>> sets now seem to be of Chinese origin.
>
>You're kidding! Wow..... Up through the
>PRO-2042, GRE units were all made in Japan.

Forgot about those, yes they were Japan but the majoiry of handhelds
from the PRO-60 onwards all seem to have been made in China with serial
numbers starting with a "C". The last batch of PRO-44 were of Chinese
origin and that would be 2/3 years ago at a guess.

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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1968. Re: BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35d16d35.1963077926@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 148165
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 11 Aug 1998 02:28:43 GMT, parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com (Bob
Parnass, AJ9S) wrote:

>In article <MPG.1039338717ea45a1989694@news.pon.net>,
>bigron <bigron@i-cafe.net> wrote:
>
> >I finally got my scanner today, programmed it and started scanning.
> > I just realized, it was scanning all the blank channels,
> >even though they are 000.0000 Mhz and L/O'd....
>
>
>I found the same thing in the unit I tested in Monitoring Times
>magazine and mentioned it in the review. For some reason,
>they are delivered in an "insane" state.

Thanks for the tip, Bob. I had read that and just figured that they
had fixed the problem long ago. Oh well. No harm done, I hadn't
gotten very far programming mine.

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
==

1969. any opinions on pro 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6qprcb$21g$1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148166

I am considering buying a pro 51. Any opinions on this scanner?

1970. Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommy Simmons <tsimmons@io.com>
Message-ID: <35D07622.68C3A157@io.com>
Source record: 148167

Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
Thanks,
Tommy

1971. Re: Using Your Scanner with The Perseids Meteor Shower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35d23c56.12183667@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks for the info!

1972. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@banana.net
Message-ID: <35d03ac8.11785594@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 148169

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 23:25:12 -0400, allsafe <allsafe@erols.com> wrote:

>Wake up Ryan; fred@banana.net is John Mackey. Note the cadence.
>
>I find it interesting that he picked a banana for his handle though.

All-waste, you dipshit, I am not Mackey! Yes, this means Mackey is
right and you are wrong.

If you knew your ass from a hole in the ground, you'd notice posting
hosts, paths, message style, grammar, etc. But I don't expect a
Cheek-a-like to have intelligence/analytical ability/empirical
problem-solving ability, ad infinitum. Dumbass.

1973. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D075CD.33BFCD13@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148170

Listening to cellular and cordless phones is illegal.

Cordless phones operate from 43.72 to 46.97, 902-928, and cellular phones
frequencies are blocked from all US scanners as of 1994.

There are 832 AMPS cellular channels, so I wont post them all, but the
mobile range is 824-869 and the tower range is 869-894.

Tommy Simmons wrote:

> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
> realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
> Thanks,
> Tommy
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1974. Re: any opinions on pro 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D075F6.816AAC42@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148171

The squelch tail is very annoying, but it can be modified for
out-of-band rx.

It is also discontinued.

camper wrote:

> I am considering buying a pro 51. Any opinions on this scanner?
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

1975. Opto Micro Counter for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghs521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081100153000.UAA19027@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148173

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Optoelectronics Techtoyz Micro Counter
w/ optional antenna
perfect cond $60.00 i ship ups

www.optoelectronics.com
------------------------------------------------------------
ADI AT200 2 meter HT
wide open rx and tx with simple keypad mod
perfect cond $110.00 i ship ups

www.adi-radio.com/
------------------------------------------------------------

both items with original packaging and manuals.
i ship ups 48 states.
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1976. Freq inv Descrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotmockup@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980811100220100.UAA27836@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148174

Freq Inversion is accomplished by mixing the speech spectrum
(typically 300-3000 Hz) with a tone (commonly 3500 Hz) to produce some
audio frequencies (3800-6500 Hz) then filtering to 3200-500 Hz
constituting the speech inversion.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion
Descramblers</A>

1977. Re: More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081100275800.UAA28680@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148175

John "OBFD" Mackey <KAOBFD@parg.org> writes:

>Only a FORGE of a post from
>OBFD!

How would you know it was a forge
if you were not the author? Are you
now admitting your are OBFD?

1978. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081100275900.UAA28687@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148176

John "This Is MY Newsgroup" Mackey <KAOBFD@parg.org> writes:

>YOUR behavior, BILL CHEEK, was spoiling this
>newsgroup LONG before I arrived!

That's not your decision to make, as much as
you blubber that it should be. Problem is, you
don't represent anyone other than yourself,
and you've proven yourself to be a lower life
form than mouse droppings.

1979. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081100280000.UAA20784@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148177

OBFD Mackey <KAOBFD@parg.org> writes:

>The message from Charles is a forge and full of lies.
>

You could ONLY know that if you are
OBFD. Sounds like you're now admitting
that.

1980. Re: Sorry K4CC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980811002801 00.UAA28693@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148178

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>It was a volunteer thing sorta like the national guard or
>reserves of the US.

<phhhhbbbbbbttt .. spitting coffee on monitor>
WHAT? You're likening your grade school crap
to military service? You've hit a new low, even
for you, snakebelly.

1981. new guy exposes posterior

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081100280200.UAA28694@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148179

new guy <newguy@aol.com> writes:

>mackey writes a decent nice worded message to cheeks about a technical
>matter

Your command of the language is nearly as
overwhelming as your total lack of knowledge of
what the hell you're talking about.
It's easy to see why you feel compelled to hide
your identity.
(Looks like Mackey playing with his AOL
account again).

1982. Re: new 1100 mAh Nicds - wow!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil@WB2VGK
Message-ID: <6qo3eu$eg5$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 148180

nospam.neilbell@value.net (Neil Bell) writes: > Been using my new 1100 mAH nicds in my AOR8000 scanner. The last at
> least 50% longer than regular nicds and cost only 9.95 for 6
> batteries!
>
> So far .. great!

I agree. I've been using them in my Yupi 9000 and am very happy with them.

1983. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qo8bj$e4m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148181

In article <35CF6685.6AB7@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > Your a lying sack of crap, The message Charles posted which you are not
> > wanting to acknowledge proves that you do have a vendetta against Bill.
>
> The message from Charles is a forge and full of lies.
>
> > His message is one thing that you cannot deny as fact, you have proven a
liar,
> > fraud, forger, rouge canceler, email bomber etc, the list is numerous in the
>
> I have NEVER done ANY of these things!
>

No mackey your the liar and all of your post are full of lies.
Charles has no reason to lie, on the other hand your reason to lie is your
personal vendetta against Bill.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1984. Re: More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qo8nu$el0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148182

In article <35CF63FC.48A1@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Like the proof that Charles showed mackey made the warrant story up to get
> > Bill off the newsgroup. Shows how low mackey will go with his personal
> > vendetta.
>
> There was never any "PROOF" posted! Only a FORGE of a post from
> OBFD! Even then, OBFD could be lying.

Charles has presented more proof then you ever have , where is your proof that
it is forgery.
Prove that obfd is lying , you live close by and know him.

Now as you see above obfd could be lying and that means mackey is lying to
save his sorry ass.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1985. Scannerworld's "Double duck"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnt.nospam.@ifnie.net
Message-ID: <35cf9bd8.1380754@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 148183

I saw these on their web page. Are they any good?

1986. 895 scanning speed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35cfa0ca.1910747319@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 148184
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

My 895 seems to scan channels very slowly - or, the channel number
that I'm watching increment is deceiving...? I.E., I can see each
individual channel number go by when it scans (probably means it's
scanning at around 5 channels/sec). How fast does other people's
channel numbers increment during scanning?

Thanks,

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| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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1987. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CF9FCE.5DB7@parg.org>
Source record: 148185

Bill Cheek wrote:
> The truth is....YOU are lying.

OK Bill, what is YOUR proof?

1988. Re: Scannerworld's "Double duck"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgln3lwt@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081101371400.VAA01594@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148186

I would not buy anything from scanner world. NOTHING. If it sounds too god to be true it probably is, then again it may pick up Mars. Watch your wallet with those folks.

1989. Re: More of K4CC lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA048.6BB5@parg.org>
Source record: 148187

K4CC wrote:
> How would you know it was a forge
> if you were not the author? Are you
> now admitting your are OBFD?

Because I was a friend of OBFD & when addressing someone who
he did not consider a problem he always had an
initial greeting he used. The post did NOT include it so
the whole thing is obviously a forge!

1990. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA1B2.DCB@parg.org>
Source record: 148188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> I'm not surprised YOU think this is crap, especially when it proves

YES, you presented corrupted data & slanted facts.

> > During the months of April & most of May there was a successful
> > truce & the flaming posts were ceased.
>
> Look it up in DejaNews.

You look it up & see for YOURSELF!

> > Since the cease started in April & lsted until late May this
> > explains the 400% increase in Cheek's posts (April) when compared
> > to June compared to only a 200% increase in my (Mackey) posts.
>
> Since the majority of your posts were directed at Cheek (your ego
> thing again), his posts declined because he ignored you and didn't

Inane jibberish from Kendrick removed.

Facts speak for themselves, Kendrick! Stop trying to distort the facts!

> The number of your own posts canceled by you were of insignificant

According to Mr. Eisner, you are wrong!

> This point has already been discussed elsewhere and you were proven
> to be the culprit. Look it up in DejaNews.

WRONG! There was NEVER any proof presented. Look it up in Dejanews!

1991. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA1F1.6BCA@parg.org>
Source record: 148189

Bill Cheek wrote:
> No. It all starts AND ends with you,

In the past you always said this was between YOU & ME, are you now attempting to deny that?

1992. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA27E.4BB8@parg.org>
Source record: 148190

K4CC wrote:
> That's not your decision to make, as much as

Who's dcision it is is NOT your decision to make, FOOL!

1993. Re: AR8200 CTCSS Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35cfa35a.1071891@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 148191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner.uk

I dont mind when the card is released, I really need to know some
technical info on its operation in the AR82000 before I even think
about ordering one!

David

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 11:16:44 +0000, Mike Hoehn <mh@omnilink.net>
wrote:

>Hi!
>
>The problem is that the ar8k2 has no buildin ctcss-decoder!
>You need a spezial card to decode and this card is planed for 10/98!
>
>Greetings mike
>
>> Hi, I know that the AR8200 is only new, but I was wondering if anyone
>> new anything about how the CTCSS works in this radio. Any info
>> greatfully accepted.
>
>
>

1994. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA33E.2A1E@parg.org>
Source record: 148192

K4CC wrote:
> You could ONLY know that if you are
> OBFD. Sounds like you're now admitting
> that.

Wrong on both!

I communicated with OBFD enough to know how he sent his
private e-mail. The greeting he used was missed!

1995. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA390.1088@parg.org>
Source record: 148193

Bill Cheek wrote:

> J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> > > His message is one thing that you cannot deny as fact, you have proven a liar,
> > > fraud, forger, rouge canceler, email bomber etc, the list is numerous in the
>
> > I have NEVER done ANY of these things!
>
> Funny how you've done them ALL, though......

Every time I have asked you to present your proof of these type of
accusations you admit that you have none!

1996. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35cfa814.2192311@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 148194
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

All public paging services are in the range of 148 to 150 Mhz.

Barry

1997. Bill's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA7C1.23E7@parg.org>
Source record: 148195

Bill Cheek wrote:

<KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:
> > YOUR behavior, BILL CHEEK, was spoiling this
> > newsgroup LONG before I arrived!

> I wasn't here "long" before you arrived. In fact,
> I wasn't here at all. You got here and started
> in on me.....which prompted people to send e-mail
> to me wondering why I didn't come out to deal with
> you. So I did........

WRONG BILL!!!

You are once again seen as a liar as you have been betrayed
by your own words.

You have been fighting with people on this newsgroup LONG before
I ever came here. Following is a message describing a fight between you
& Hugh Duff before I came on the scene. (They don't even mention me!)

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Subject: The envelope please
From: crs1026@inforamp.net (Paul Cordingley)
Date: 1996/07/27
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

In the spirit of the olympics, let's do some scorekeeping.

Bill posted a FAQ that had some useful technical information.
That's five points to Bill.
Hugh says the FAQ also had an element of commercial self-interest.
Five points to Hugh.

Bill says there was nothing rude or inflammatory in the post, yet Hugh
attacked him. True. That's five points to Bill.
Hugh says Bill's response was crude and an escalation of the ill
manners betweeen the two. Also true. Five points to Hugh.

Hugh says Bill is exaggerating his credentials. Bill cites some
relevant credentials but declines to say where or when. No decision on
this one.

Bill says there are lots of commercial people in the newsgroup, so why
pick on him? But he doesn't name any. Sorry, Bill, no points awarded
unless you can tag someone.

Bill takes shots at people on medication. No points for Hugh, but Bill loses five for bad sportsmanship.

Spoofed messages arrive from Hugh's part of the world. No points off Hugh, but Bill gets five in sympathy.

Is there a message here folks? Yep: the message is, this isn't a competition, it isn't an olympic event, it's a newsgroup. A nice, otherwise friendly newsgroup. There is no reason to compete. In fact, there is nothing to be won. No one is bigger here, or stronger, there are no little pink bunnies that outlast evil battery-powered dragons. We all know *something*, and we all deserve to contribute equally. No one has higher, or lower, stature, even if they know more, or less, about radios. And you don't help anyone by arguing about who is the bigger expert, or the bigger asshole.

One last thing. Life teaches that people rise to the top not because they know the most about radios, but because they know the most about getting along with other people. That means manners. Each participant loses five points for each time they mentioned a bodily fluid, or an act of copulation, or the ingestion of personal apparel. (Take off your shoes and count backwards on your toes if you have to)

And to all of you who have remained silent throught this childish and repulsive episode, thank you. You are great people.

Regards
Paul

Hugh also called Bill some not-nice things. (Personally, I agree with what he said, but that's not the point. Newsgroups don't work if people get personal.)

1998. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA835.73A8@parg.org>
Source record: 148196

Richard Kendrick wrote:
> In another words, UV is a problem,

Thanks for your input Richard!

1999. Re: new guy exposes posterior

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35CFA8DE.6EA4@parg.org>
Source record: 148197

K4CC wrote:
> (Looks like Mackey playing with his AOL
> account again).

Apparently, FOR YOU, looks are very deceiving!

2000. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35cfae05.3713849@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 148198
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

All public paging services are in the range of 148 to 150 Mhz.

Barry

2001. Re: BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6qoa8r$jkg@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 148199
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <MPG.1039338717ea45a1989694@news.pon.net>,
bigron <bigron@i-cafe.net> wrote:

>I finally got my scanner today, programmed it and started scanning.
> I just realized, it was scanning all the blank channels,
>even though they are 000.0000 Mhz and L/O'd....

I found the same thing in the unit I tested in Monitoring Times
magazine and mentioned it in the review. For some reason,
they are delivered in an "insane" state.

When you first get a new BC895XLT, you must reset it.

Turn it off. Press and hold 2, 9, and Manual keys
while turning the power on.

Now, you will have to reprogram the channels as they
are zapped during the reset sequence.
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2002. Re: Seeking Detroit Metro TV Audio Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35cfab57.5886391@news.provide.net>
Source record: 148200

Hi,
I am looking for the 4 or 5 Detroit Mich Metro area tv audio freqs.
The audio freqs are the ones that they use when they are on a remote
location doing a story.I am looking for the Fox,WDIV,WXYZ and UPN50
and CHANNEL 62 the CBS FREQS. If you know them,please post or email.
Thanks
Rick in WHite Lake

They are great to have because if you have them programmed and scan
them,you will find out when they are possibly in your neighborhood
doing a story.

2003. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081102400200.WAA19755@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148201

I say---- Mr Kendrick just add up the total posts of all the Cheek-A-Lites and then check the stats.
I've shut up for months now.
It'st amazing what filters will do.
Plonk! Bye yo-all
Hamguy1

2004. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thehamguy1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081102452400.WAA12560@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148202

Mackey's Right**********
Wow I guess there was no reason to invent RG-213 too help.
I have noticed a rather rapid deterioration of RG-8 in less than 10 years.
It appears to be UV related.
Hamguy1

2005. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CFB47F.5B4BE360@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148203
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Barry O'Grady wrote:

> All public paging services are in the range of 148 to 150 Mhz.
>
> Barry
>

One problem: You should realize that not everyone lives in Australia.
Frequencies are much different here.

Here in the "states", public paging services are located from 151 to
152.995 (various services -- popular, used with most local agencies),
454.0 to 454.995 (mainly Alpha and 512-baud stuff, local and metro), and
929.0 to 931.9975 (FLEX & nationwide).

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2006. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CFB358.6520E6BC@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148204

fred wrote:

> Ryan, *you* are wrong. That information was right in the message
> header. Jeez!
>
> Instead of trying to desperately prove how much you know to this NG,
> try an exercise in listening & learning. Trust me, you'll gain more
> respect.
>

Yes, it was. However, z0142 stated that there was a LINK right in front of his face.

Normally (unless all headers are displayed), the "PATH" element is not displayed.

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2007. Re: Scanning Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35cfb4de.3595389@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 148205

Ok here goes. A regular scanner scans according to the frequencies you program into it. You can scan Low band, high band, or UHF. A trunk tracker is for use with the 800 MHZ systems that many cities are switching over too. Under this system the actual frequency being used changes during each transmission. There is a block of say 10 frequencies that are used by each group (police department for example) Each time a unit transmits it uses the next availble frequency. The trunk tracker follows a units id code instead of its frequency. That way no matter what frequency it uses the id is the same.
The scanner you buy should be based on what you are going to listen too. If your are uses 800 MHZ you should look into a trunk tracker. If they still use VFH a regular scanner will do the job.
Also, most trunk trackers can only do one fleet at a time. Meaning if your local PD and your local FD both use 800mhz systems your will only be able to monitor one a time. Same would go for different precincts in from the same department.

I hope this helped. I know its not that clear, but sometimes its hard to explain these things without being able to show you. Anyway good luck.

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 18:53:20 -0700, WyzAss@yahoo.com (WyzAss) wrote:

>Whats the difference between a standard scanner and a trunk tracking
>scanner? (i.e. regular bearcat and a "Trunk Tracker" bearcat). Are the
>frequency ranges different? Do they act different?
>
>What does trunk tracking mean anyways?
>
>Sorry if these are lame questions, but I'm somewhat of a newbie.

2008. Re: Any SC150 Battery Options?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana_Hartsock@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <bHvq2TZKOoob-pn2-gJ39R8zUqG7g@slip129-37-219-204.ia.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 148206

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 01:15:35, "Reddog" <reddog113@goplay.com> wrote:

>
> did you know that you can use a 9 volt in your scanner?? The plans for it
> are here: http://www.loop.com/~troll/SC150.html. Hope this helps!!
>
>

Thanks, it helps to know it can be done, but I am probably not the one
to try it. (G) Give me a soldering iron and a mess is guaranteed. I'll
grab the instructions and maybe someday I'll make a friend who knows
his/her way around electronics.

Dana

2009. Re: Used scanners {california}??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081103304900.XAA19932@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148207

>
>>Hi can someone advice of any store that sales used scanners in souther
>>california if u know please e-mail to me
>>LA or Orange County
>> Than You.

2010. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35CFBB19.7557708B@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148208

allsafe wrote:

> fred wrote:
>
> > Ryan, *you* are wrong. That information was right in the message
> > header. Jeez!
> >
> > Instead of trying to desperately prove how much you know to this NG,
> > try an exercise in listening & learning. Trust me, you'll gain more
> > respect.
>
> Wake up Ryan; fred@banana.net is John Mackey. Note the cadence.
>
> I find it interesting that he picked a banana for his handle though.
>

He he -- I should get to know his aliases!

--
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2011. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qo9fufqm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148209

In article <35CF656D.1682@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Yes, starting with you,
>
> How about starting with BOTH of us, BILL?
>

If you wanted to truly start mackey , you would just go back on topic and let things die.
Ignore any other flames and they will all go away when it is seen your staying on topic.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2012. Re: More of Mackey lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qog78$oo9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148210

John Mackey , you know I posted the truth , the post was not a forge nor was the email from Nick OBFD , where he explains your plan to do Cheek in . Why do you continue with your lies as I have shown proof positive that you are the liar people say you are.

I have shown proof that you are lying, you have not shown any proof that OBFD is lying, why he should he be, after all he really did not like what you were doing by disrupting the scanner group with your constant yammering because you got dumped off a fido net for being a jerk.

You did the same thing on the fido net, Cheek did not see eye to eye with you and you pulled the same nonsense there as you are now doing and he had no choice but to cut your access to the fido net.

That has stuck in your crawl festering because you could not have the last word, so when you saw Cheek on the internet you decided that once and for all you would have the last word and be King John Mackey of scanner group.

But you did not count on a few people knowing the real motive for your temper tantrum on the scanner group.
John Mackey you are acting like a spoiled child that believes he is above all others and can do what he wants, when he wants.
And when caught doing something wrong blames it on others by saying OBFD could be lying.

In article <35CF63FC.48A1@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Like the proof that Charles showed mackey made the warrant story up to get
> > Bill off the newsgroup. Shows how low mackey will go with his personal
> > vendetta.
>
> There was never any "PROOF" posted! Only a FORGE of a post from
> OBFD! Even then, OBFD could be lying.
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2013. BC-200 NEW Stuff FS !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35CFC58F.44846424@alaska.net>
Source record: 148211

I have two NEW UNUSED items for the Uniden BC-200
portable scanner for sale.

AA Batt Pak (6-AA)
1300 ma NiMd batt insert, (Triple you use time
with this insert)
Also will throw in a NEW auto cigar lighter
adaptor/charger cord. !!!!!!!!!!!!

Will sell and ship both for $50

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

John Miller
Anchorage, Alaska

2014. Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980811000858.12522A-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 148212
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hi therre, i am blind and can't even get it into text format. what kind of
nut is this?

***** **********
"Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly. It's
just very particular about who it makes friends with."

On Wed, 5 Aug 1998, Jack wrote:

> Date: Wed, 05 Aug 1998 22:33:22 GMT
> From: Jack <kryppy_X@bellsouth.net>
> Newsgroups: tnn.comm.pager, rec.radio.scanner, alt.radio.scanner
> Subject: Re: What type of paging system is this? (sound attached)
>
> On 5 Aug 1998 16:50:59 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >No, I remember. However, this guy's "signature" was just an encoded HTML
> >file -- the newsreader that I made was not able to decode Base64-encoded
> >stuff (at that time).
>
> X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.72.3110.1
>
> Wow, you must be rich!
>
>
> >I also don't appreciate your bad form -- I myself am trying to stop making
> >degrading comments on the usenet, and if you care to make any criticisms, do
> >it **privately**.
>
> I think you have entirely missed the point of the usenet!
>
>
>
>
>
>
>

2015. Re: If you Here Ham Radio Operators and want to Know almost anything about them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD4OVM <twright@u1.abs.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.96.980811003425.16117A-100000@u1.abs.net>
Source record: 148213

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998 lassiterfamily@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> www.qrz.com
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>
>
No Shit

It must be raining where you are at why don't you get out of it and go
into the house

Tim KD4OVM <--- HAM RADIO OPERATOR

2016. Re: Seeking Detroit Metro TV Audio Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <35CFCA3A.79BF7706@mich.com>
Source record: 148214

rickph@usa.net wrote:

> I am looking for the 4 or 5 Detroit Mich Metro area tv audio freqs.
> The audio freqs are the ones that they use when they are on a remote
> location doing a story.I am looking for the Fox,WDIV,WXYZ and UPN50
> and CHANNEL 62 the CBS FREQS. If you know them,please post or email.

Search 450-451 & 455-456MHz.

> They are great to have because if you have them programmed and scan
> them,you will find out when they are possibly in your neighborhood
> doing a story.

If you know that is the case, how come you need to ask for the freqs?

Nevermind...

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Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

2017. Re: Hey Phil!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35cfcfa4.105475255@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148215

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Trouble is, there is ample reason to suspect you
> > can't control yourself.

> No BIll, everything was fine until YOU started up again & violated
> the terms of truce in May.

No, wartlip, nothing's been "fine" since you
started stalking me three years ago. There
was no "truce" because you refused to accept it.

> I ever posted 2 wrnings to you which you ignored.

You don't "warn" me, wartlip. The ONLY deal
possible is:

1. You don't communicate TO me.
2. You don't communicate ABOUT me.
3. You don't make references to or insinuations
ABOUT me.
4. You don't even THINK about me.
5. Period. No if's, and's, or's, or but's.

> YOU are the one who apparently can't control themself!

Ahhhh yesssssssss, wartlip, we can tell by your
2nd grade pidgin English..... ummmmmm hummmmmm.

You imbecilic wartlip..........

2018. FS: RS Pro-2040 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thjenn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081105162200.BAA12848@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148216

Radio Shack Pro-2040, 100-channel base model scanner. HyperScan, weather channel, search, data skip, priority channel. Covers VHF-lo, 6-meter ham, aircraft, government, 2-meter ham, VHF-hi, 70cm ham, UHF-lo, UHF-T hi, 800 Mhz (no cell) bands. Like new in box with manual, antenna, AC adapter. $80 plus shipping.

2019. Re: PRO-2006 vs Comtel 205 (Bill Cheek are you there?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d0d116.105845038@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148217

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:

> A little late catching up here...

Better late than never! :-)

> >Does the COM205 have IC-10 and the upgraded
> >PLL and Logic/CPU boards *like* the PRO-2006?

> Yes IC-10 (4S4xxxx whatever it is)

TC4s66F, yes.... a single LMOS bilateral switch.

> is present on the COM205. I am at
> home right now so have no reference to check but didn't all the 2006's
> that GRE produce for RS have IC-10 although from memory the Service
> Manual does not/did not show it ?

The schematic shows it, but it isn't mentioned in the
IC Identification section. It is in the parts list.

> Altai started to distribute here in Europe several of the GRE produced
> scanners from around 1994/5 onwards. Initially these were the COM202
> (PRO-44), COM203 (PRO-39), COM204 (PRO-43) and COM205 (PRO-2006).
> Perhaps the numbers "205" were not the most appropriate in view of the
> PRO-2005.

No biggie, so long as the IC-10 is present. That's
the most visible difference between the PRO-2006
and the earlier PRO-2005. There are other underlying
and subtle differences in the CPU and PLL; enough
to make the PRO-2006 much the better deal. Thus,
prospective buyers of the PRO-2006 or COM-205
should be aware of the potential for fraud.

Here in the states, I've found PRO-2005's
disguised as PRO-2006's with a change of faceplates
and the rear labels. Inside, they were 2005's,
and it is hard for the non-technie to tell for sure.

> I don't beleive the COM205 is still produced but there are a good number
> still available here in Europe. The ones we have at the moment all date

> coded '97 which would be after RS stopped distributing the 2006. They
> are also identified as "Made in Japan" whereas most (all?) GRE produced
> sets now seem to be of Chinese origin.

You're kidding! Wow..... Up through the
PRO-2042, GRE units were all made in Japan.
However, their economy being what it is,
probably motivates their own brand of
"maquiladora" now. Bummer.

Rgds,

Bill

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Bill Cheek - President/CEO/Publisher \ /
COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
bcheek@san.rr.com ftp://204.210.11.204 / \
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
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2020. Re: CHEEKS DUMPED FROM LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d1d612.107121447@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148218

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > Go yank yourself,
>
> According to that post of your theme song, YOU are the
> one who does the above!

Huh? You friggin wartlip, you're the one
who went to "Yankton College" .
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2021. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d2d820.107647363@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148219

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Every time I have asked you to present your proof of these type of
> accusations you admit that you have none!

You are not authorized or permitted to ask
anything of me, wartlip. Yours is to be
seen and not heard. Do not speak to anyone
unless spoken to, and then only with permission.

You friggin wartlip.....

2022. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d3d8be.107805822@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148220

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> K4CC wrote:
> > That's not your decision to make, as much as
>
> Who's dcision it is is NOT your decision to make, FOOL!

Oh yes it is, wartlip. You don't get to
make ANY decisions. You just do as you are
told, and only when you're told......

You flippin wartlip.......
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2023. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d4d90c.107883463@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 148221

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Wartlip J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

> Bill Cheek wrote:
> > No. It all starts AND ends with you,
> > you friggin wartlip......

> In the past you always said this was between YOU & ME, are you now
> attempting to deny that?

It STARTS and ENDS with you,
you friggin wartlip.......

2024. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1F02A.67F1@parg.org>
Source record: 147923

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> mackey the question sheould be is when were you appointed to speak for
> obfd ?

I only spoke for myself.

> I remember when I sent an email to you and obfd would reply, I would
> send one to obfd and you would reply.

Another lie! Post one of those e-mails for the entertainment!

2025. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1F12B.FF0@parg.org>
Source record: 147924

Mike Derryberry wrote:
> Nice grammer Mackey.

Nice spelling Derryberry!

The CORRECT spelling is "GRAMMAR".

2026. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1F15A.2CAF@parg.org>
Source record: 147925

Mike Derryberry wrote:
> John your quote was taken out of context.

WRONG, it was his exact words.

2027. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1F198.321B@parg.org>
Source record: 147926

Hawke wrote:
> Funny, when you quote about 5 words

they were his exact words.

2028. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1F2F0.7401@parg.org>
Source record: 147927

FOOL!

Companies lease service & POP's (Point of Presence) all the time.

For example:
Concentric is HQ'd in California but provide service all over.

The POP you list below is in Bellevue regardless of where there uplink
is!

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > > Registrant:
> > > Infon (FASTER2-DOM)
> > > 15600 NE 8 B1-161
> > > Bellevue, WA 98008
> >
> > Yea right, a different & state/city, hundreds of miles away seperated by
> > several area codes from my location. That is hardly my "neck of the
> > woods"!

> mackey is caught in another lie as usual, go to this site
> http://www.IXA.NET/ it is the main provider for faster.net
>
> They happen to have an address in where of all places Portland, Oregon
> mackey's neck of the woods.

2029. OBFD's long term

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <721_9808121300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147928

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

>> To do what ..

> Help you find TRUTH, which you have been unable to find yet!

Boy, he sure won't find it going to you, fat faced LIAR.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

! Origin: Net 202 -=- TNL Online! -=- R10 RHUB -=- (1:202/777)

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2030. Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <720_9808121300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147929

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

> get caught red
> handed making all those forged posts, cancellations, and have caused
> all the trouble in the news groups.

JM> Are you speaking of yourself now?

Everyone else knows he was speaking about YOU, dumbdum.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

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___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2031. Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <722_9808121300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147930

-=> Quoting Richard Kendrick to All <=-

> Richard, GET A LIFE!

RK> I have one. Since you are following the dogma according to PARG on
RK> their web page ("We have no life."), you have no life and are jealous
RK> of someone who does, like me. If it bothers you so much, start buying
RK> your antacids in bulk.

He needs a good, old-fashion enama from his mommy.

It might flush all the hate and lies out of him once and for all.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2032. Re: Pro 2005 & 2006 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35d1e089.647236@news>
Source record: 147931

On 11 Aug 1998 17:23:58 PDT, "Dom Dominico" <dominico@concentric.net>
wrote:

>
>Giaumballa wrote in message
><1998081120452900.QAA29106@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>Pro 2005 scanner for sale, $300.00 , Pro 2006 $350.00
>>prefer local sale in New Orleans, LA area.
>>Giaumballa@aol.com
>
>I give you $75 for the 05 and $150 for the 06 and $175 for boths!
>
>
>
>Poppa Dom
>

I see poor Poppa Dom has been drinking again...
>

2033. Re: AOR AR 8200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Larkin <footman@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <6qstkk$9t522@scotty.tinet.ie>
Source record: 147932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi from Ireland,

They are in very short supply here - I am waiting on one from my supplier who has been allocated only 3 up to recentle which he has already sold and is due a few more in 2 weeks or so. Also, I was in London recently and trawled Tottenham Court Road there and found none!! Dealers have been promised a delivery - look up Short Wave Magazine (UK) for dealers addresses such as Javiation, Martin Lynch, Lowe Waters & Stanton etc.

Anthony Larkin (AR8000K user) (With a deaf aerial!!!)
DenTul wrote in message <6qnljo$mh5@newsops.execpc.com>...
>Anyone know of the overseas availability of the AR 8200?
>
>I know of distributors that plan on selling, but in the fall.
>
>Thanks
>
>

2034. Re: 1100 mAh Nicds/Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Larkin <footman@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <6qsv29$gjd2@scotty.tinet.ie>
Source record: 147933

Hi from Ireland,

I also use them but I use a 2 hour charher for niCads which automatically switches off at 2 hours - Should I charge them in my AR8000K?

Anthony Larkin
ibbryn@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6qsh6oruo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
>
>> >Could you please tell us your source at that price? Art.
>>
>> I bought mine at Costco/Price Club
>
>Costco/Price Club also has a package of 4 with a charger for $15 or the 6 pack
>(no charger) for $10.
>
>I've been buying the 6 pack and using an old ni cad charger I had to charge
>them up. Charger specs are: Again & Again (brand) Model cc-8. Input 8w.
>Output dc 1.2v/2.4v/9v 120 mA/120mA/10mA.
>
>My question-Is my old charger giving these batteries the maximum charge and
>life? Should I buy a new charger or buy more batteries? Am I splitting hairs
>(or micro amps)?
>
>b
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2035. 49 mhz conversion??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Woodzell <tjwood@va.tds.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc63c$b259aa00$e55689d0@tjwood>
Source record: 147934

I need to convert a pair of Radio Shack trc-506 , 49Mhz talkies from 49.830 to something else!
Bought them for kids to use while bike riding but all the baby monitors and the like make it impossible to use them. Any tips on changing the freq??
This model (dual conversion) has 3 xtals, 16.610Mhz, 39.130 and 10.245. I have plenty of xtals in the 37, 10 and 16 mhz range.
Any tips?
Thanks All
Ted Woodzell
tjwood@va.tds.net

2036. Re: Using Your Scanner with The Perseids Meteor Shower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6qt428mqp1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 147935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yaesu FRG-9600. AM/FM/SSB. 60-900 MHz.

Pete

>
>Not too many scanners have the SSB detectors. AM and FM is all I've ever
>seen.... Maybe I've lived an overly sheltered life.. ;^)
>--
> ==========
> The gene pool could use a little chlorine.
> ==========

2037. Re: Used scanners {california}??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081222465800.SAA05138@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147936

One suggestion for used radios...Radio Shack always has "managers' specials" at each store.
This is according to their stock of returned or discontinued radios. It may pay to visit a couple of Radio Shack stores in your area.
Otherwise, post the specific type of radio you are looking for in this newsgroup as WTB
(want to buy). Someone may just have it!
Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

2038. Re: WTB - Marantz PMD series recorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DrD@2020.com
Message-ID: <DrD-ya02408000R1208981853250001@news.cstone.net>
Source record: 147937

>Looking for a portable recorder to record radio programs. Must be in good to
>excellent condition. Will pay cash or trade a portable 800 unblocked scanner
>depending on model.

I have a PMD 201 recorder. I'm not too sure that I want to let it go but I'll
tell you where I got it from. Call "Martel Electronics" in Anaheim, Calif.
Their
tele used to be: (714) 871-7102 or maybe (800) 553-5536. It's been 7 or 8
years since I bought it from them but they had the best prices back in those
days. They were reliable folks, with a good reputation too.

Good luck and let me know if they are still around..
Mike Di Girolamo
DrD@2020.com
Charlottesville, Virginia 22901

"Never pay back evil for evil to anyone. Respect what is right
in the sight of all men. If possible, so far as it depends on you,
be at peace with all men. Never take your own revenge..."
Romans 13:17-19

2039. BC895XLT Trunktracker Base (Recording)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dembinsky <Lottery@cris.com>
Message-ID: <35D247B4.1E89@cris.com>
Source record: 147938

Hello,

Has anyone got this scanner to record with an (optional) tape player hooked up through the Auxiliary and Line jack? I know the tape recorder must have both a microphone and remote input jacks to work with my scanner. But if someone out there found one that does work with the BC895XLT please let me know the make and model number.

Thank you!

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Mike Dembinsky

mailto:Lottery@cris.com
http://www.concentric.net/~Lottery/

2040. FS 2006 6400 channel powerhouse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aciesynski@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081223032300.TAA07391@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147939

Fs radio shack pro 2006 with 6400 channel memory,keypad controlled with 16 stage blue led block indicator.160 scan banks,160 search ranges,160 monitor memories. 10 step LED signal strength meter, 5 step LED center tuning meter,carrier on indicator LED.,255 channel search and store module,adjustable delay,Detachable lcd event counter with reset,data tone squelch mod,cellular mod, 30 Cps scan speed speed mod.Original carton,manual,antenna, and mod operating and adjustment operating instructions. all mods are professional quality and appearance. will need a 12 volt power supply as the power supply was removed for the mods as the original power supply would have to small. Im asking best serois offer. no window shoppers please.please email or call me 612 574 1869 if interested. thanks
al

2041. Re: Batteries for BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Ulrich <ulrich@null.net>
Message-ID: <6qt7a9$la3@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147940

RS can order you a battery for the PRO-90, which will definitely work in your 235. Or at least a competent salesperson in RS can. BUT ... they'll charge you over $25 for it. You can direct-order it from Uniden for about $10 or so. Visit their website at http://www.uniden.com. They'll send it 2-day or overnight, fairly reasonably.

Andy Ulrich

Jason Low wrote in message <35D19C29.F9D0033E@cadvision.com>...
>I've managed to utterly destroy one of my BC235 batteries through carelessness,
>and the second one is well on its way to oblivion as well. Going on the
>assumption that since the Pro-90 is basically a BC235 in RS's clothing, I walked
>into a store and asked if they had any batteries for the Pro-90.
>
>"Um.. no."
>
>I explained what I was looking for.
>
>"No.. we don't carry those."
>
>
>But you have the scanner right there, I prodded.
>
>They wouldn't open the back of the radio to humor me. They instead insisted on
>taking me to the wall of batteries in blister-packs and seeing if we could find
>it there. Naturally, no go..
>
>Another RS outlet told me flat-out that RS doesn't stock those batteries, but
>they could custom-build me one..
>
>WTF is going on here? Does the Pro-90 really *not* take the same battery pack as
>the BC235?
>
>Anyone got any idea where (major chain that might have a few stores in Western
>Canada) I might get a couple of spare batteries for my 235?
>
>RS's slogan should be "you've got questions, we've got answers--although most of

>the time it's usually 'no' or 'uhhhm'.."
>
>(On one of the same trips: me: "Do you have any glassmount scanner
antennas?"
>mgr: "No. I don't even think they make those." "Sure they do, they look
like
>cell antennas in appearance but they're designed for scanners." "Well they
must
>not be a Radio Shack item then." "Well then, how come it's in the damn
catalog?"
><point to cat number> "Oh. Well, it doesn't have a picture of it there."
>(AAARGH! SO WHAT?!))
>--
>Jay lowj@cadvision.com http://www.fumbling.com/heard/
>
http://www.redwoodmeadows.ab.ca/fire/
>
>

2042. Re: 1100 mAh Nicds/Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@writeme.com>
Message-ID: <35D21D8D.E3019A2C@writeme.com>
Source record: 147941

I was just at Costco in Denver, and they do not have the 6 pack at all, just the 4 pack with charger for $14.59
I wanted the 6 pack so I could use them with my existing charger.
Fro the specs you gave, your existing charger is just fine for the 1100mah nicds, just leave them in for 12-15 hrs for a full charge. Any nicd can be safely charged at 1/10C, which means at a current = 0.1X capacity, which in your case is 110 ma, so the 120ma of your charger is fine.
Now, where can I buy the 6 pack for $9.95!! ;-)

ibbryn@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> > >Could you please tell us your source at that price? Art.
> >
> > I bought mine at Costco/Price Club
>
> Costco/Price Club also has a package of 4 with a charger for $15 or the 6 pack
> (no charger) for $10.
>
> I've been buying the 6 pack and using an old ni cad charger I had to charge
> them up. Charger specs are: Again & Again (brand) Model cc-8. Input 8w.
> Output dc 1.2v/2.4v/9v 120 mA/120mA/10mA.
>
> My question-Is my old charger giving these batteries the maximum charge and
> life? Should I buy a new charger or buy more batteries? Am I splitting hairs
> (or micro amps)?
>
> b
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2043. TO: Fire Chief and Joe Nicholson

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@san.rr.com
Message-ID: <35d22272.109876806@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 147942

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@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

Can't seem to get e-mail to you guys.
It gets rejected by the servers somewhere.

So send me an e-mail with your REPLY-TO address.
Got something for ya......

Bill
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2044. Re: REQ: Uniden Bearcat BC 200 xlt manual (I lost it)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: midnightt@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6qt7uu$7fd@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 147943

I OCRed the important parts of my manual.

Operation

The BC 200XLT has 200 memory each of which can be programmed to store one frequency. The channels are divided into 10 - 20 channel banks, useful for storing similar frequencies in order to maintain faster scanning cycles. When scan is pressed, each of the programmed frequencies within a selected bank will be sampled for a transmission (locked channels will be skipped) at the rate of about 15 channels per second. If an active frequency is found the unit will stop and monitor that frequency until there is no longer any activity. A two second delay can be added to each channel and will allow the unit to monitor the frequency for a return or continued transmission. If, after two seconds, the frequency remains inactive, the scanning cycle will resume.

When the unit is first turned on, each channel will contain "000.000". When new frequencies are programmed, the old will be erased. If an invalid frequency is entered, "Error" will be displayed and the old frequency will return.

To operate the scanner make sure that the batteries are charged or power is correctly connected to the unit. Turn the volume control on and adjust the desired level. Adjust the squelch by turning the knob fully clockwise until a rushing sound is heard. Turn the knob back until the receiver is silent After the channels have boon programmed, operation is simple. Press the scan key to scan all the channels While the receiver is scanning channels pressing one of the number keys will turn a bank of 20 channels on or off. The black lines at the top of the LCD display show you which banks are selected. If a bank is already selected (shown by a black line under the bank number) pressing the corresponding button will deselect that bank Press the manual key to stop scanning. Repeatedly pressing the manual key will step through the channels in order. -

LCD Display

The BC 200XLT has a backlit display which shows the current channel and frequency as well as other operational modes. When the unit is scanning, the channel number will rapidly advance while the frequency display will go blank. When the scanner is stopped the current channel and fre-quency will again be displayed. When frequencies are programmed the display will show the digits as they are entered. The display win also shred "PRI" when the priority mode is on, "L/O" when-ever a channel appears that has been locked out, and "DLY"

whenever a channel has been pro-grammed for delay. Across the top of the display a series of dashes under the numbers 1-10 will be present. These are the bank indicator numbers. These are selected or deselected during the scan sequence by the use of the numeric pad.

Programming

To program a frequency into a channel, press the digits of that frequency including the decimal point and then, press the enter key. If an invalid fre-quency is entered, the display will show "Error". To change a frequency enter the new one and the old one will be erased.

To program 162.550 into channel 2: Press 2MAN Press 162.550E

To program 471.2375 into channel 7: Press 7MAN Press 471.2375E

Multiple Entries - When you press the E" key to enter the same frequency in a different channel the LCD will show the channel number of the current frequency "Ch 45". If you want to repeat that frequency in the new channel press the "E" key again. That frequency will now be programmed in both channels. You can repeat a frequency as many times as desired.

Features

The following b a brief description of the opera-tional features of the BC 200XLT.

Manual Channel Selection - To manually select a channel press the manual key repeatedly until the desired channel Rumba appears in the display. If you have deselected any of the banks h will be impossible to access any of those chancels manually until you have selected the particular bank in which your channel exists. Press and hold the manual key to rapidly step through the channels.

or

Press the channel number you wish to access, then press the manual key. The scanner will automatically advance to the desired channel regardless of the bank status.

Lockout - Select the channel to be skipped. Press the lockout key. The lockout indicator win appear in the display whenever that chanted also appears. To take lockout off press the lockout key on that channel. Note: If priority is selected, channel 1 will not be able to be locked out. All other priority chanced may be locked out.

Priority - When it is important to keep track of the activity on one frequency white listening to others, the priority function should be used. Program the important frequency into the first chanted of any bank. Press the priority key to activate the priority function. Every 2 seconds the unit will check the first channel of all selected banks for activity (the priority indicator will appear in the display). If a transmission is found the unit will monitor that channel. If no signal

is found, the unit will return to the previous channel and function. Press the priority key again to turn off the priority function.

Search - Use the search mode to look for new active frequencies within the bands of your scanner.

Enter the lower limit frequency on the keypad and press the limit key;

Enter the higher limit frequency and press the limit key again;

These two frequencies set the range that the Unit will search. Press the search key to start searching. If an active frequency is found the scanner stop to monitor the signal. Press the hold key to hold the search on the frequency. Press the hold key again to step up to the next frequency or press the limit key to step down to the previous frequency. If you press and hold down either the Hold or Limit keys, you will rapidly step through the search fre-quencies. (Step up with the Hold key, and step down with the Limit key.) When the signal stops or if you press the search key, the unit will continue search-ing. Press the manual key to leave the search mode.

Low Battery Indicator The BC 200XLT has a low battery indicator to let you know when your battery needs to be re-charged. When the BATT indicator on the LCD display starts to blink, it means that the battery pack needs to be charged. After the low battery in-dicator has been blinking for about ten minutes, the scanner will shut itself off to prevent the batteries from becoming completely discharged. See the section of this manual on Battery Maintenance for more information.

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 13:00:09 GMT, wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:

>On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 20:01:30 GMT, (unspam)felix@texas.net (L Felix)
>wrote:
>
>>Im looking for the manual for my scanner
>>(Uniden Bearcat BC 200 xlt)
>>If you have it in electronic format, please send me one.
>>
>>Thanks for your time,
>>
>>L Felix
>>L Felix - NT Admin
>>felix@(unspam)texas.net
>>Austin, TX
>
>I have a manual for the BC200xlt in electronic format. It actually is
>on my desktop publisher program Microsoft Publisher. If you happen to
>have that program than it would work out great, if not, I think that
>MS used to have a limited time version of this program downloadable
>for review. Let me know what you think and I can e-mail it to you.
>
>Wiggie

2045. FS: Pro-2006 w/opto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc64b$a16a7f80$474406d1@savy>
Source record: 147944

Cell mod, mint condition copy of latest version of scancat gold, original box, antenna.

$450

Paul

2046. Pro 2004 $225

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: harleyfxd <harleyfxd@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35D23F95.29842F94@erols.com>
Source record: 147945

Pro 2004 with 400ch, and cell mod. Display is bright and unit is clean and comes with book. Some minor scratches on top cover. Not really significant.
Will ship C.O.D at additional cost, but I will ship the scanner for the advertised price of $225 if it is paid for prior to shipping.

harleyfxd2erols.com

2047. Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC Woodard <j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35D2443D.1FC1EC94@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much appreicated!!

Thanks,

JC

j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com

2048. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Morisseau <dpm3@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <35D250BA.BF8829A2@accessone.com>
Source record: 147947

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Yes, however many large airlines allow it. To name a few, Northwest,
> Delta, TWA (and American, I believe).

I'm going to dredge up my recollection and differ slightly. I know
Delta does, and can't speak as to American or Northwest; but TWA doesn't.
I've heard many a FA announce that cell phones and receivers of any kind
are forbidden at any time.

--
National Headquarters: Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
Dan Morisseau, N7ZXL - N 47ï¿½ 16' 45" / W 122ï¿½ 30' 00"
Watkins Johnson HF-1000: 60' Random Wire & Palomar Loop
ICOM R-7000: Discone
ICQ: UIN# 5313018

2049. Need PAGENET(So.Calif.) Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11795-35D2463A-162@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147948
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Can any one give me the Frequencys to Southern California PageNet
please? Thanks

2050. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Macca <s9761980@minyos.its.rmit.edu.au>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.96.980812121818.2437A-100000@minyos.its.rmit.edu.au>
Source record: 147949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 10 Aug 1998, Bill Cheek wrote:

> J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:
>
> > Pete wrote:
> >.......
> > If you ever do anything like this again, I will contact your ISP
> > about your conduct.
>
> ....because YOU are the newsgroup Savior and
> Great Redeemer, huh?
>
> You friggin wartlip........
>
>
These two are like the two old farts out of the movie "Grumpy Old
Men". Maybe they're fighting over a common love interest!!

--Macca

You Can't Prove A Thing - I Was Never Here And It's Not Signed!!

2051. More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <749_9808122100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147950

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> Another lie! Post one of those e-mails for the entertainment!

John Mackey is the only person in this newsgroup who lies.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Fire Chief 1:202/777
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2052. SCAN ARIZONA! New Audio Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Sykes <kf4ndq@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35D26F9E.1C0BAC17@qsl.net>
Source record: 147951

This site for for those who want to know more about
Scanning Arizona. Located in southeastern Arizona,
Pima County
is the home of Arizona's' second largest population
area, Tucson.
Over 800,000 people live in the county. The close
proximity to the
Border of Mexico allows you to hear some interesting
intercepts.

Recent Listener History

This information is uploaded on an irregular
basis. We hope
to find a way to automate the process so you can see
who is
listening and where they are from. This is log
information output
by Radio Destiny Server.

Pro 2006 - OS456 - Scan*Star 6.43

The Scanner is a Radio Shack PRO2006. The
computer
interface is Optoelectronics OS456. The software that
keeps the
scanner following the action is Scan*Star. Soon the
G/Wiz
board will help Scan*Star follow the Pima County
Sheriffs
Office a bit better.

Radio Destiny Broadcast Software & DSL

Radio Destiny is a new software program that
allows people
like you and me to broadcast from a basic computer with
a basic
connection. This site is served by US WEST DSL service
that is a
full-time point to point connection to the net at a
minimum speed
of 256K upload and download, sometimes much greater.
This will
allow many connections at one time depending on
connection

speed and CPU speed. Right now this is all running on an AMD
K6-2 300 mhz (3D Now) w 64meg of ram.

This is just the beginning...

Much integration is planned to the scanner and hopefully
soon dynamic information can be generated. Check this site often
and let us know what you think about it as it progresses.

2053. FS: RS Pro 2005 $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JIM RUNGE <wa6zuf@jps.net>
Message-ID: <35d2772c.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 147952

For Sale Radio Shack Pro 2005 not blocked 25 mhz to
1300 mhz with manual $200
Jim WA6ZUF

2054. Re: SCAN ARIZONA! New Audio Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Sykes <kf4ndq@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35D27753.7ECAF54@qsl.net>
Source record: 147953

It would be handy to have the url, wouldn't it? I decided to be
fair and not make you look it up so.....

http://www.users.uswest.net/~arizonet/

> This site for for those who want to know more about
> Scanning Arizona. Located in southeastern Arizona,
> Pima County
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> Over 800,000 people live in the county. The close
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> Border of Mexico allows you to hear some interesting
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> This information is uploaded on an irregular
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> listening and where they are from. This is log
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> by Radio Destiny Server.
>
> Pro 2006 - OS456 - Scan*Star 6.43
>
> The Scanner is a Radio Shack PRO2006. The
> computer
> interface is Optoelectronics OS456. The software that
> keeps the
> scanner following the action is Scan*Star. Soon the
> G/Wiz
> board will help Scan*Star follow the Pima County
> Sheriffs
> Office a bit better.
>
> Radio Destiny Broadcast Software & DSL
>
> Radio Destiny is a new software program that
> allows people
> like you and me to broadcast from a basic computer with
> a basic
> connection. This site is served by US WEST DSL service
> that is a

> full-time point to point connection to the net at a
> minimum speed
> of 256K upload and download, sometimes much greater.
> This will
> allow many connections at one time depending on
> connection
> speed and CPU speed. Right now this is all running on
> an AMD
> K6-2 300 mhz (3D Now) w 64meg of ram.
>
> This is just the beginning...
>
> Much integration is planned to the scanner
> and hopefully
> soon dynamic information can be generated. Check this
> site often
> and let us know what you think about it as it
> progresses.

2055. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fearless.Fosdick@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <750_9808122300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147954

Originally from: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>

This article was posted in the *.radio.scanner hierarchy.
It was canceled for one or more of the following reasons:

1) spew from or to or about John Mackey
2) binary - discussion newsgroups only
3) spam
4) MLM

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|WarpGate: Fearless Fosdick 52:1000/211
|Internet: Fearless.Fosdick@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2056. DTMF Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dolph <dolph@qnet.com>
Message-ID: <35d288de.0@news.qnet.com>
Source record: 147955
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have plans for a dtmf decoder? I will gladly pay for a schematic
and parts list.or an avenue where I can find one?
Thanks in advance!
Isaiah Beard wrote in message <35D0B3EA.AE4173D3@pobox.com>...
>Jose Cuervo wrote:
>>
>> Can anyone identify these modes?? Here are the links to them, they are
>> .wav's. They reside on my server, someone check 'em out and tell me
>> what they are, all where found in 900mhz.
>> A.wav
>> B.wav
>> C.wav
>
>
> A.wav is the data channel on a GE/Ericsson EDACS trunked system. I'd
>suggest searching around this frequency, as you might find the
>frequencies where actual voice transmissions are taking place (on the
>other hand, the system may be digital, and you won't be able to make
>sense of it).
>
> B.wav is the data channel on a Motorola trunked system, possibly a type
>II Smartnet. Like above: check around this channel, as you might find
>voice transmissions.
>
> No clue what C is.

2057. New Audio Site!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Sykes <kf4ndq@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35D28421.314C0E78@qsl.net>
Source record: 147956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Scan Arizona! You gotta check it out. Check out the map
button and look at the sat photos!
http://www.users.uswest.net/~arizonet/

2058. Re: Computer Interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Captain Bob <radioman@vol.com>
Message-ID: <6quf7k$4ps$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147957

Captain Bob wrote in message ...
>I am new to this group and unaware of computer/scanner hook-ups.
>I have a BC890XLT, and 2 BC895XLT's...Can I hook these up to my computer,
>and what will this do ?
>If you can help, please let me know...
>
>
>radioman@vol.net
>
>

2059. 2006 "low-bat" problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gs.patton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6qrqhdsjj1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 147958

hi there!

Is there sombody who can help me??
my scanner sayï¿½s "low-batt" although i have changed the 9volt-batterie.
The peeping on low-bat makes me very nervous!!

greetings from germany,

emil

2060. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E581.2D31@parg.org>
Source record: 147973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> get caught red
> handed making all those forged posts, cancellations, and have caused
> all the trouble in the news groups.

Are you speaking of yourself now?

2061. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D132C8.7927@parg.org>
Source record: 147974

K4CC wrote:
> You're the one who used the word "was" in
> referring to your friendship with OBFD. Check

So what?

We were speaking in the past tense about things that happened months
ago so words like "was", "were", & "had" would be common.

2062. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D13386.5F78@parg.org>
Source record: 147975

George Vetterle wrote:

> J Mackey wrote:
>
> >The Cb Guy wrote:
> >> God THe ng has been sooooo much quieter lately.... :-)
> > >
> > >We all thank for you helping make it that way by not posting!
> >
> Now if *you* would just follow his lead...

Why don't you lead the way George!

2063. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#AUzWbbx9GA.150@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147976

Tommy Simmons <tsimmons@io.com> asked:
> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on?

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Cellular Telephone [22.902]

Chs Freqs (base) System Use

991-1023 869.040 - 870.000 A - RCC voice
1-312 870.030 - 879.360 A - RCC voice
313-333 879.390 - 879.990 A - RCC data
334-354 880.020 - 880.620 B - Telco data
355-666 880.650 - 889.980 B - Telco voice
667-716 890.010 - 891.480 A - RCC voice
717-799 891.510 - 893.970 B - Telco voice

Transmissions are FM (some systems are adding digital).
Channels are 30 kHz apart. Mobiles transmit 45 MHz below the
base (824.040-848.970) and are usually repeated by the base.
Channels 991-1023 are also identified as Chs 800-832.

Cordless Telephone [15.233]

Chan Base Handset Chan Base Handset

1 43.72 48.76 16 46.61 49.67
2 43.74 48.84 17 B 46.63 49.845
3 43.82 48.86 18 C 46.67 49.86
4 43.84 48.92 19 46.71 49.77
5 43.92 49.02 20 D 46.73 49.875
6 43.96 49.08 21 A 46.77 49.83
7 44.12 49.10 22 E 46.83 49.89
8 44.16 49.16 23 46.87 49.93
9 44.18 49.20 24 46.93 49.99
10 44.20 49.24 25 46.97 49.97
11 44.32 49.28
12 44.36 49.36 Chs A - E handset frequencies
13 44.40 49.40 are also used for baby room
14 44.46 49.46 monitors and low power
15 44.48 49.50 handie-talkies.

The original 10 channels were renumbered 16-25 in June 95
when the new channels 1-15 were added.

2064. Re: Alright then Ma Bell, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D13418.E54@parg.org>
Source record: 147977

K4CC wrote:
> Hmm. How far is an area code, exactly?
> I never knew them to be measures of
> distance. I'll bet you even know how high

They are a relative measure. In this case, it is hundreds of miles!

2065. Re: OBFD's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D134EA.C84@parg.org>
Source record: 147978

K4CC wrote:

> J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:
> >If you want I will show you how dejanews works?
>
> To do what ..

Help you find TRUTH, which you have been unable to find yet!

2066. Re: Bill's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1352A.2115@parg.org>
Source record: 147979

Jack wrote:
> This is the first for JM! Something worth posting in here coming from
> his internet account!

Very typical actually! Thanks!

2067. Re: Alright then OBFD, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D13657.67B2@parg.org>
Source record: 147980

K4CC wrote:

> Well, I know not what "informational facts" are.

That's obvious.

> So, now you're telling me that you can prove
> that OBFD started all of his messages, to
> you and anyone else he sent them to, the
> same way. So now tell me how in the
> world you would know that if you are not
> OBFD?

Because I communicated with him enough to know how he
started his messages. OBVIOUSLY you DID NOT
or you wouldn't be asking this (stupid) question!

2068. Re: Mackey's Famous Quotations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D136B7.31E1@parg.org>
Source record: 147981

K4CC wrote:

> <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:
> >I simply used the summary of his statement as he
> >presented it in his first few words.
>
> No, you quoted him out of context just like

Wrong, see my above statement!

2069. ATTN: CB GUY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D13735.3870@parg.org>
Source record: 147982

Weren't you using a hotmail address for a while?

What happened?

2070. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qrcjs$s0q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147983

In article <35D0DDD4.781A@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@swbell.net wrote:
>
> > So what your saying mackey is that Bill is the only one with a
> > compusereve account .
>
> No, what I am saying it that "Bill is the only person who always
> take things back to the time that Cheek & I went head to head on
> Fidonet".
>
John Mackey , you know that I am not Cheek and your just trying to validate yourself on here by saying that .

What bothers you is that someone has proof of your lies about Cheek and you cannot have that . So what do you do, start claiming they are Cheek, you claimed Phil is Cheek, you claim that I am Cheek, the next time around it will be claiming your mom or dad is Cheek.

> > I hate to burst your bubble but several thousand other people have
> > commpuserve as a service provider.
>
> I never said anything that would disagree with this so what is your
> point?

The point he was trying to make is that many service providers use compuserve for their news provider and you cannot understand that concept.
>
> > Again proof that you are the one who made up the warrant story in a
> > feeble attempt at black mailing Bill and forcing him off of the
>
> So where is this proof you are referring to?
>
>

I have shown all of the proof that was necessary to show everyone on here that your a liar when you stated there was a warrant for Cheek and then you tried to use that against Cheek.

John Mackey you have yet to show any proof that my statements are not true, the reason being is you cannot because they are true , you know that as well as the good people on here know that.

It takes someone with a sick mind to make up a story like you have and then post it on here.

I know your a liar, you know your a liar and everyone else on here knows your a liar.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2071. Re: Mr. Mackey I still wait for you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qrd9jsku1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147984

In article <35D0E2E6.111D@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> Dom Dominico wrote:
> >
> > Mackey I still waiting for you to answer my posts please.
>
> What posts?
>

I wait for John Mackey to show any proof to dispute my claims he is a full fledged liar but you never see him show any proof, just claims that I am someone else because I speak the truth.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2072. New LAPD Comm System "Digital"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <Kencaz@att.net>
Message-ID: <35D140AC.5B4D3360@att.net>
Source record: 147985

I found this article and was wondering since these are digital systems
how will they impact analog scanners, and would we still be able to
monitor the LAPD...

THE Los Angeles City Council approved a $50.8 million, six-year contract
with Motorola's Land Mobile Products Sector on
March 3 for an advanced, UHF digital, ASTROï¿½ radio communications system
for the police department.

The new radio communications system is part of the overall LAPD plan to
upgrade its emergency communications system.
Motorola will install a new communications infrastructure so officers in
all parts of the city can use their portable radios to
communicate directly with each other and the dispatch center.

"The new radio system will provide the citizens of Los Angeles with
enormous public safety benefits," LAPD Police Chief
Bernard C. Parks said. "It is a major priority of this department to
enhance the communications capabilities of the LAPD to
strengthen our ability to protect our communities. Police officers will
have the ability to communicate across the street or across
town, greatly enhancing our day-to-day communications efforts and
strengthening our communications capabilities during
emergencies."

The master radio system will interface with the emergency command,
control and communications system (ECCCS) and the
newly planned 9-1-1 dispatch centers. The system will be a UHF,
57-channel, digital wide-area simulcast system specifically
engineered for Los Angeles' varied terrain.

There will be five simulcast subsystems that will use 24 sites
throughout the city to support more than 9,500 ASTRO SABER
IIIIï¿½ portable radios used by LAPD officers. The portables are dual mode
(analog and digital). When the system is in place,
the radios will work in the digital mode.

The portables were designed by Motorola to accommodate future technology
and feature enhancement through software
downloads.

In November 1996, the city finalized an $8.3 million contract with
Motorola to begin the civil-site development part of the
contract, which includes construction of tower sites and buildings
critical to the installation of the ECCCS or master radio

system.

The installation of the communications infrastructure will begin in conjunction with the civil contract work already under way. The design, development and installation of this complex system will take about three and a half years, Motorola said.

Motorola also will install a $20 million state-of-the-art data communications system designed to provide the LAPD with expanded data capabilities, support today's dispatch and informational data requirements and many new data applications. The system, Private DataTACï¿½, will offer a high level of data capacity to support future multiple data terminal devices and connectivity to national, state and local crime information computers and records management systems.

With the installation of the new voice radio system, Los Angeles will join the growing number of public safety organizations to install systems based on Project 25 digital radio standards.

The Los Angeles radio system will meet the Project 25 conventional radio systems standard. This will ensure that a compliant Project 25 radio will be able to "communicate" with another one, regardless of the manufacturer.

2073. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D14013.82A@juno.com>
Source record: 147986

J Mackey wrote:
>
> K4CC wrote:
> > That's about the lamest excuse I
> > believe I ever did see.
>
> I have yet to see you post anything better!
>
> > You say "was" a friend. Why are
> > you no longer friends?
>
> Because we were talking about the past. I never said we were
> no longer friends. You are making assumptions without information.

What data do you have to support this statement above? When
were you appointed to speak for OBFD?

2074. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D13E9E.2A9D@juno.com>
Source record: 147987

Charles showed proof that you made the story up.
When are you going to show any proof he is not telling the truth?

2075. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D13FC0.3E81@juno.com>
Source record: 147988

J Mackey wrote:
>
> dmi853@swbell.net wrote:
> > That is due to obfd no longer agreed with mackey that Bill was the
> > problem, he finally realized mackey was greater problem.
>
> What data do you have to support this statement above? When
> were you appointed to speak for OBFD?

mackey the question sheould be is when were you appointed to speak for
obfd ?
What data do yo have to support any of your statements?

I remember when I sent an email to you and obfd would reply, I would
send one to obfd and you would reply.
Always thought something was wrong there and that you were one the same
person.

2076. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D14791.46A2@juno.com>
Source record: 147989

J Mackey wrote:
>
> dmi853@swbell.net wrote:
>
> > Interesting enough this out of mackeys neck of the woods.
> >
> > Registrant:
> > Infon (FASTER2-DOM)
> > 15600 NE 8 B1-161
> > Bellevue, WA 98008
>
> Yea right, a different & state/city, hundreds of miles away seperated by
> several area codes from my location. That is hardly my "neck of the
> woods"!

mackey is caught in another lie as usual, go to this site
http://www.IXA.NET/ it is the main provider for faster.net

They happen to have an address in where of all places Portland, Oregon
mackey's neck of the woods.

1001 SW Fifth Ave., Suite 1100 Portland, OR 97024 Phone: 503-220-1810

Want to try another lie mackey .

2077. Re: New LAPD Comm System "Digital"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jklein1050@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081208090000.EAA25724@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147990

To be specific NO, NO and NOT in your wldest derams...

J.K.
Jklein1050@aol.com

2078. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc5cf$e94112a0$ac1a37a6@default>
Source record: 147991

Nice grammer Mackey. Did you ever take an English class in school?

Mike
--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote in article <35CFA27E.4BB8@parg.org>...
>
> Who's dcision it is is NOT your decision to make, FOOL!
>

2079. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc5d2$2993d480$ac1a37a6@default>
Source record: 147992

John your quote was taken out of context. It is a distortion of the truth.
If you are going to quote, please don't take things out of context.

Thanks,
Mike

--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote in article <35CFE607.4912@parg.org>...
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > > > Richard Kendrick wrote:
> > > In another words, UV is a problem,
> >
> > > Thanks for your input Richard!
> >
> > Another lame distortion from you again, Toilet Boy. As usual, you're
>
>
> How can a DIRECT QOUTE be distorted unless the AUTHOR (YOU)
> distorted it? I didn't chage ANY of your words, it was an exact qoute!
>
>
>
> > In another words, UV is a problem,
>
> Thank you for saying it again!
>

2080. Re: Who Own's the M-450 Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <gibronni@mark.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc5de$941297e0$a56aa1cf@markspac>
Source record: 147993
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mr. Dogs,

I've had an M-450 for about a year already, and it is working excellent. I have decoded a number of different POCSAG modes here in my home city (approx. 650,000 people), as well as ACARS, CTCSS and DTMF. No luck on RTT as yet, but I think that may have more to do with the limitations of my Sony ICF-2010 than anything else. Most POCSAG signals are recieved using "POCSAG" in the "Normal" mode. Lots of text messages, with the occasional numeric page. I have tried hooking the M-450 to my P-100 through the parallel port, but no luck as yet. . .

Darrell

Reservoir Dogs <mgdforty@webtv.net> wrote in article
<4287-35D0FD2D-21@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>...
: Can you tell me who ever owns the Universal M450 Decoder how it's
: performing? Also if your decoding pageing mode, what mode do you have it
: on and tell me what comes on the LCD screen? Also tell me if you have it
: hooked on the computer or a printer and tell me where did you get the
: adapter to hook it up and how much? Thanks
:
:

2081. Re: Balloonist Steve Fossett's HF Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdavis@nyx.nyx.net
Message-ID: <902920496.738194@iris.nyx.net>
Source record: 147994

mmoss@mindspring.com (Marvin Moss) writes:

>Does anyone have the HF frequencies he is using. They are quite
>classified as far as I know.

According to the web page, he uses HF SSB airways frequencies
to communicate when necessary, but most ATC is VHF and all
communication with St.Louis is via satellite.

Hearing him on HF will be really hard.

c

--
rdavis@nyx.net Robert (Bob) Davis Amateur Radio K0FPC
Emporia, Kansas
38d 24m 43s N 96d 09m 40s W

2082. FS: SONY best reciever CRF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Akio Fujikawa <fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp>
Message-ID: <35D17F65.CDC1DCA@nk.rim.or.jp>
Source record: 147995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

FS: SONY radio CRF-1 HF Best reciever.
with manual and ac adapter. It is exc.condition.
If you are interested in it, please send you hope price.

akio fujikawa
fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
ï¿½@

2083. Re: FS: SONY best reciever CRF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35D18EED.2C12@qsl.net>
Source record: 147996
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Akio Fujikawa wrote:
>
> FS: SONY radio CRF-1 HF Best reciever.
> with manual and ac adapter. It is exc.condition.
> If you are interested in it, please send you hope price.
>
> akio fujikawa
> fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
> ï¿½@

The way I look at it is, if you don't post the price then you must want
to much for it!
I never make offers to posting with no price.

--
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub and CPT De-scrambler. Humor on "how to be a LID"
and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

2084. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ucXIPGfx9GA.375@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147997

toreek@aol.com (Toreek)
> Why can't people use radios and scanners on flights all the time? Some
> airlines allow it, some don't. What's the deal, do they cause some terrible
> interference or something?

The Federal Aviation Regulations (FARs) specify that all portable
electronic devices (PEDs) are banned from airliners, with certain exceptions.
In particular, if an airline deems a device safe, they may allow it. Absent
a specific authorization, the device is not allowed. The FAA has set the
ground rules and given the airlines responsibility for exceptions.
Most carriers have taken the easy way out and only authorized the bare
minimum, i.e. heart pacemakers, electronic watches, etc. A notable exception
is the laptop computer. While these might radiate more than a receiver,
no airline is going to risk losing the business traveller.
For a copy of the actual FAR 91.21 and the official position of a number
of airlines (a bit dated, but probably still accurate), download

ftp://oak.oakland.edu /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/ scan.airline
-or- CompuServe HamNet Forum Lib 2 AIRLNE.TXT

Rich Wells' "New Scanner Users FAQ" was an good plain language description
of FAR 91.21 and its implications.

As to the actual risks, ASRS (the NASA Aviation Safety Reporting System)
has received a significant number of incident reports from pilots and
controllers. You might want to read the May 1994 issue of "Callback", the
monthly safety bulletin from ASRS, for some very specific descriptions of
inflight incidents with PED interference.

kplotkin@access4.digex.net (Ken Plotkin) wrote:
> Policies vary among airlines, and among individual Captains.

Far 91.21 gives the operator, i.e. the airline, the authority to allow
PEDs. The captain may impose additional limits depending on conditions, but
he may not relax his company's policy. General aviation pilots can risk their
own planes as they wish.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
> I'll tell you, using a scanner on aircraft is great because you are sitting
> inside one big antenna! <grin>

Actually, it's more like sitting inside a Faraday cage. Unless you plaster
your antenna right up to the window, you'll receive very little. Working
420-450 MHz, I got good results with a 16-foot wide box beam array hung below
the fuselage, but I doubt your airline would go along with that <g>.

/* barry /&

2085. Help! Help !!!! Bearcat 101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rock -n- Rocky <rlwarner@cbpu.com>
Message-ID: <35D1C08C.7A45FF58@cbpu.com>
Source record: 147998

Need A Manual For A Bearcat 101 or Help Programing This Thing !!!!!!!!
Please ....You Can ICQ Me At ICQ # 9442847
Thank You
Rock-n-Rocky

2086. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D19977.E5B@ibm.net>
Source record: 147999

UHF Handies work much better inside aircraft than do VHF.

Make sure you get a window seat and be discrete! 8-)

Some pilots are quite decent and one even allowed on of the hams I know
to have a few QSOs from the HF rig in the cockpit!

Cheers!
Andy

2087. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D197B9.20C95C9C@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148000

Cool! I wonder how many contacts they make...

Now, I do hope the pilots don't allow 160-meter antennas onboard!

Andy Moss wrote:

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>
> Make sure you get a window seat and be discrete! 8-)
>
> Some pilots are quite decent and one even allowed on of the hams I know
> to have a few QSOs from the HF rig in the cockpit!
>
> Cheers!
> Andy
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2088. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D197E8.B16FFDF3@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148001

Yes, however many large airlines allow it. To name a few, Northwest,
Delta, TWA (and American, I believe).

D Stark wrote:

> Toreek wrote in message
> <1998081106202500.CAA19002@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >Hello,
> >
> >I'm a newbie, and have got a question that I still don't know. Why
> can't
> >people use radios and scanners on flights all the time? Some
> airlines allow
> >it, some don't. What's the deal, do they cause some terrible
> interference or
> >something?
> >
> >Thanks
>
> Basically, the Federal Aviation Administration does not allow it,
> according to the Federal Aviation Regulations FAR 91.21.
>
> 73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2089. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D19909.970FB44F@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148002

That question does not even deserve the dignity of a response.

Jack wrote:

> How do you know what is normal for anyone's newsreader except for your
> own?

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

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2090. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D19AF4.C00A67ED@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148003

I receive all [2400 baud] transmissions, however a couple out of about 100 can be somewhat garbled, but hey, what can you expect when you don't use the descrim output?

I've yet to see an imperfect 1200 or 512 transmission...

Jack wrote:

> On 11 Aug 1998 19:35:40 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >If you've got POC32, this works:
> >
> >- Plug an audio cable from scanner earphone jack to LINE IN on sound card
> >- Open the Windows "Volume Control" -- double-click on speaker
> >- Set the LINE IN slider to the second notch
> >- Turn the scanner's volume to 50% of maximum
> >
> >This works for me -- and it works great!
>
> Do you receive many 2400baud pocsag transmissions, or you limited to
> 1200 & 512?
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2091. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D19B7A.9F1460F5@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148004

Whoops! Sorry about that. I was only quickly looking at my manual and was typing the wrong stuff, evidently.

Jack wrote:

> On 11 Aug 1998 16:48:12 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >Listening to cellular and cordless phones is illegal.
> >
> >Cordless phones operate from 43.72 to 46.97, 902-928, and cellular phones
> >frequencies are blocked from all US scanners as of 1994.
> >
> >There are 832 AMPS cellular channels, so I wont post them all, but the
> >mobile range is 824-869 and the tower range is 869-894.
>
> I would like to point out that the input range is 824.-849.990mhz and
> the output range is 870.-894.mhz. The trunked users still have some
> space left...:)
>
> >Tommy Simmons wrote:
> >
> >> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
> >> realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
> >> Thanks,
> >> Tommy
> >>
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2092. Batteries for BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <35D19C29.F9D0033E@cadvision.com>
Source record: 148005

I've managed to utterly destroy one of my BC235 batteries through carelessness, and the second one is well on its way to oblivion as well. Going on the assumption that since the Pro-90 is basically a BC235 in RS's clothing, I walked into a store and asked if they had any batteries for the Pro-90.

"Um.. no."

I explained what I was looking for.

"No.. we don't carry those."

But you have the scanner right there, I prodded.

They wouldn't open the back of the radio to humor me. They instead insisted on taking me to the wall of batteries in blister-packs and seeing if we could find it there. Naturally, no go..

Another RS outlet told me flat-out that RS doesn't stock those batteries, but they could custom-build me one..

WTF is going on here? Does the Pro-90 really *not* take the same battery pack as the BC235?

Anyone got any idea where (major chain that might have a few stores in Western Canada) I might get a couple of spare batteries for my 235?

RS's slogan should be "you've got questions, we've got answers--although most of the time it's usually 'no' or 'uhhhm'.."

(On one of the same trips: me: "Do you have any glassmount scanner antennas?" mgr: "No. I don't even think they make those." "Sure they do, they look like cell antennas in appearance but they're designed for scanners." "Well they must not be a Radio Shack item then." "Well then, how come it's in the damn catalog?" <point to cat number> "Oh. Well, it doesn't have a picture of it there." (AAARGH! SO WHAT?!))
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Jay lowj@cadvision.com http://www.fumbling.com/heard/
http://www.redwoodmeadows.ab.ca/fire/

2093. HELP: 800 mhz receive problem BC895

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <n8cop@tir.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc5f9$e40b0d20$db54dacd@hp-customer>
Source record: 148006

Thanks for reading this and hope someone has a solution. I recently put an all-band (25-1300mhz) Diamond discone up on my roof, to maximize the receive capability of my Bearcat 895 Trunktracker scanner. The antenna was assembled to specifications and I used a 30 foot run of low-loss coax (braided 9913). Here is my problem...since placing my 895 on the outside antenna, it is now DEAF in the 851-869 mhz region !!.
All other bands (low through uhf and the business portion of 900 mhz) show much improved receive. A nearby local government station, at 851.2125 mhz, comes in full scale, but sounds like an image frequency (hiss on the signal...doesn't sound natural). When I put the 895 back on the indoor antenna...all is well with 800 mhz.

Anybody with a similar experience or suggestions, please send them my way.

Thanks,

Chris M.
n8cop@tir.com

2094. Re: Batteries for BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980812150031001.LAA17825@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148007

You might want to visit the following site. I bought my BC235XLT from them and remember seeing spare battery packs among the 235 accessories, $14.95 I believe.

Good Luck

http://www.usascan.com/html/bearcat_scanners.html

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>carelessness,
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>taking me to the wall of batteries in blister-packs and seeing if we could
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>

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>
>http://www.redwoodmeadows.ab.ca/fire/

Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

2095. FS/PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35D1B4B1.2647@flash.net>
Source record: 148008

HAVE A PRO-43 SER#A007903...DON'T THINK IT CAN BE MODIFIED BUT WORKS
PERFECT AND IS REAL CLEAN ON FRONT SIDE BUT IS KINDA SCRATCHED ON BACK
FROM SLIDING AROUND IN GLOVE BOX...HAS CENTER LOADED TELESCOPING
ANTENNA...WILL SHIP FOR $115.00...TNX JOHN

2096. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35D1B442.41CCA0C5@uswest.net>
Source record: 148009

You really don't thing so?

Funny, when you quote about 5 words out of 49, I'd call that an
INCOMPLETE QUOTE (a.k.a. fabrication or lie by ommission).

The truth speaks for itself.

J Mackey wrote:

> Hawke wrote:
>
> > Distortion by ommission is still a fabrication, lie, distortion or
> > corruption of the actual facts.
>
> I omitted nothing. I simply used the summary of his statement as he
> presented it in his first few words.

2097. 1100 mAh Nicds/Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ibbryn@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qsh6oruo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 148010

> >Could you please tell us your source at that price? Art.
>
> I bought mine at Costco/Price Club

Costco/Price Club also has a package of 4 with a charger for $15 or the 6 pack (no charger) for $10.

I've been buying the 6 pack and using an old ni cad charger I had to charge them up. Charger specs are: Again & Again (brand) Model cc-8. Input 8w. Output dc 1.2v/2.4v/9v 120 mA/120mA/10mA.

My question-Is my old charger giving these batteries the maximum charge and life? Should I buy a new charger or buy more batteries? Am I splitting hairs (or micro amps)?

b

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2098. Re: HELP: 800 mhz receive problem BC895

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qsej4$bkf@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 148011

One guess (although, it may not help much) is that a nearby 800MHz signal is overloading the front end and causing it to reduce its sensitivity in that band. I don't know if the 895 receiver will do that of not, but I know many scanners have this "feature". One way to test this theory would be with an attenuator.

My only other guess would be some weird RF effect like a short or something that is creating a 'stub' effect and filtering the 800MHz range (although I think it is unlikely since a stub would not cause so much attenuation).

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Chris wrote in message <01bdc5f9$e40b0d20$db54dacd@hp-customer>...
>Thanks for reading this and hope someone has a solution. I recently put an
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>receive capability of my Bearcat 895 Trunktracker scanner. The antenna was
>assembled to specifications and I used a 30 foot run of low-loss coax
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>antenna, it is now DEAF in the 851-869 mhz region !!.
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>antenna...all is well with 800 mhz.
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>Anybody with a similar experience or suggestions, please send them my way.
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>Thanks,
>
>Chris M.
>n8cop@tir.com

2099. Location of Frequency Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryant@cts.com
Message-ID: <902936364.825859@optional.cts.com>
Source record: 148012

I am trying to locate the frequencys that the long range sportfishing boats use that are out of San Diego. I believe that they use single sideband but if anyone know for sure or has a FAQ on scanning the sportboats I'd appreciate it.

Thanks in advance!

Bill
bryant@datelsys.com

2100. Re: Several Questions 1 of 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6qsg8m$d2e@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 148013

A better antenna would help. however do go spending a lot of money on one. Most handheld scanners are quite sensitive and a big rooftop antenna often just makes signals over load. An amplifier can only amplify a weak signal to make it a bit stronger. It can't "pull in" more signals. I would start with a better handheld antenna - a better duck type antenna, or a telescoping type. If you live out in the boonies, a rooftop antenna, like a discone, would probably work great (since there are not a lot of strong signals to overload your scanner).

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Blackbeard wrote in message <6qnn5g$jnu4@news.midusa.net>...
Would gettin a coaxial scanner antenna help my reception on a hand held BC Scancat....I have on of those little GRE inline antenna amp....it doesnt really seem to help "that" much...kinda a placebo effect I think more than anything..Am I right?
Thanks In Advance for any responses
pjcglc@midusa.net

Paul

2101. Re: BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35d1bcab.2048956113@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 148014
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 12 Aug 1998 05:12:32 GMT, "Jason Webb"
<orlscan(idonotwantspam)@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Real Easy Answer On this One Hit The "Data" Button
>
>Please When you get a scanner read the Manual

Thanks for the input - if you read my post, I said I read the manual
and that I found this comment applied to searching, not scanning.
Perhaps I missed the part about it applying to scanning, I'll have to
go back and check.

But the bigger question was, is that the way the scanner is supposed
to work? I.E., when I program in a frequency, is it supposed to, by
default, display the crossed-out DATA ONLY when scanning and not when
I manually step through?

>>Ok, I reset the scanner and reprogrammed in about 40 freq's (all
>>none-trunked). It scans much faster now. But now, whenever the
>>scanner stops while scanning, the word DATA with a diagonal line
>>through it appears (but not when I hit Manual and step through the
>>frequencies). I found something in the manual about how you can push
>>the DATA button while searching if the scanner is stopping on freq's
>>containing data and you don't want it to do that. But I didn't see
>>anything about the crossed-out DATA appearing during normal scanning.
>>Anyone?
>>Thanks,
======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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2102. New NASA hurricane study - freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6qshbneqo1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148015

From a NASA press release:

When a hurricane or tropical storm erupts in the Atlantic, a NASA Dryden Flight Research Center DC-8 -- equipped with instruments to measure the storm's structure, environment and changes in intensity and tracking -- will fly into the storm at 35,000-40,000 feet.

At the same time, a specially equipped Dryden ER-2 -- a high-altitude research plane -- will soar above the storm at 65,000 feet. The high-flying plane will measure the storm's structure and the surrounding atmosphere that steers the storm's movement.

Anybody have frequencies for this operation?

2103. Info Need On 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@usit.net
Message-ID: <35d1cc0c.1862341@NEWS.USIT.NET>
Source record: 148016

Can someone tell me the pick off point on the RS 2006 for s-meter out?
I built the led version a few years ago, have a 2006 now and would
like to use it.

thanks
Steve

2104. Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081217592200.NAA07450@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148017

Thought this list of PL tones for fed freqs might be of some use. I'm not the author of the list. I grabbed it from who knows where a while ago

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PL-Tone Government Agency
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077.0 Department Of Energy
082.5 U.S. Postal Service
091.5 U.S. Postal Service
094.8 Bureau Of Land Management
094.8 Department Of Energy (Nest Teams)
097.4 U.S. Postal Service
100.0 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
100.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
100.0 Civil Air Patrol
100.0 Department Of Justice
100.0 Immigration & Naturalization Service
100.0 Internal Revenue Service
100.0 U.S. Customs
103.5 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
103.5 Central Intelligence Agency
103.5 Department Of Agriculture
103.5 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
103.5 Gsa Federal Supply Service
103.5 National Highway Traffic Administration
103.5 U.S. Marshals Service
103.5 U.S. Postal Service (Atlanta)
103.5 U.S. Secret Service
107.2 Department Of Agriculture
110.9 Civil Air Patrol
110.9 Department Of Geological Survey
110.9 U.S. Postal Service
114.8 Environmental Protection Agency
114.8 U.S. Postal Service
118.8 U.S. Capitol Police
123.0 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
123.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
123.0 Immigration & Naturalization Service
123.0 Institute Of Standards & Technology
123.0 Internal Revenue Service
123.0 IRS/DEA Shared Frequencies (Surveillance)
123.0 U.S. Customs
127.3 Bureau Of Export Administration
127.3 Department Of Commerce
127.3 Department Of Energy
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127.3 Department Of Veterans Affairs
127.3 Federal Reserve Banking System
127.3 General Services Administration
127.3 Immigration & Naturalization Service
127.3 Nuclear Regulatory Commission
127.3 U.S. Marshals Service
131.8 Federal Reserve Banking System
131.8 Internal Revenue Service
131.8 Internal Revenue Service
136.5 Federal Aviation Administration
136.5 U.S. Geological Survey
136.5 U.S. Marshals Service
136.5 U.S. Postal Service
146.2 Federal Aviation Administration
146.2 General Services Administration (Atlanta)
146.2 U.S. Fish & Wildlife
146.2 U.S. Marshals Service
151.4 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
151.4 Immigration & Naturalization Service
151.4 State Department
151.4 State Department
151.4 State Department (Bureau Of Diplomatic Security)
156.7 Drug Enforcement Agency
156.7 Federal Aviation Administration
156.7 Federal Bureau Of Investigation
156.7 Federal Executive Board
156.7 Internal Revenue Service
156.7 IRS/DEA Shared Frequencies (Surveillance)
156.7 National Marine Fisheries
156.7 U.S. Attorney
156.7 U.S. Postal Service
167.9 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
167.9 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms (OCDETF)
167.9 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
167.9 Department Of Energy (Nuclear Material Security)
167.9 Department Of Justice
167.9 Federal Bureau Of Investigation
167.9 Health & Human Services
167.9 Immigration & Naturalization Service
167.9 U.S. Marshals Service
173.8 Federal Communications Commission
186.2 U.S. Marshals Service
192.8 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
192.8 Federal Communications Commission
192.8 U.S. Marshals Service
203.5 U.S. Marshals Service
206.5 Immigration & Naturalization Service
206.5 National Security Agency
241.8 Unknown (Received In Atlanta)

2105. Digital Comms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <nospampoustie@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6qsm3q$n7u@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 148018

I have read about many government agencies switching to DIGITAL communications equipment. It seems that this will render scanning obsolete--? Are these systems totally secure, or is there some way to decode these? Thank you all in advance. Please reply to newsgroup,spamgard in effect.

Tim, VE7SEZ

2106. Re: Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D1E980.B2869733@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 148019

One post is enough.

MAlexder wrote:

> Thought this list of PL tones for fed freqs might be of some use. Iï¿½m not
> the author of the list. I grabbed it from who knows where a while agoï¿½
>
> PL-Tone Government Agency
> -------------------------------------
> 077.0 Department Of Energy
> 082.5 U.S. Postal Service
> 091.5 U.S. Postal Service
> 094.8 Bureau Of Land Management
> 094.8 Department Of Energy (Nest Teams)
> 097.4 U.S. Postal Service
> 100.0 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
> 100.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
> 100.0 Civil Air Patrol
> 100.0 Department Of Justice
> 100.0 Immigration & Naturalization Service
> 100.0 Internal Revenue Service
> 100.0 U.S. Customs
> 103.5 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
> 103.5 Central Intelligence Agency
> 103.5 Department Of Agriculture
> 103.5 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
> 103.5 Gsa Federal Supply Service
> 103.5 National Highway Traffic Administration
> 103.5 U.S. Marshals Service
> 103.5 U.S. Postal Service (Atlanta)
> 103.5 U.S. Secret Service
> 107.2 Department Of Agriculture
> 110.9 Civil Air Patrol
> 110.9 Department Of Geological Survey
> 110.9 U.S. Postal Service
> 114.8 Environmental Protection Agency
> 114.8 U.S. Postal Service
> 118.8 U.S. Capitol Police
> 123.0 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
> 123.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
> 123.0 Immigration & Naturalization Service
> 123.0 Institute Of Standards & Technology
> 123.0 Internal Revenue Service
> 123.0 IRS/DEA Shared Frequencies (Surveillance)
> 123.0 U.S. Customs

> 127.3 Bureau Of Export Administration
> 127.3 Department Of Commerce
> 127.3 Department Of Energy
> 127.3 Department Of Veterans Affairs
> 127.3 Federal Reserve Banking System
> 127.3 General Services Administration
> 127.3 Immigration & Naturalization Service
> 127.3 Nuclear Regulatory Commission
> 127.3 U.S. Marshals Service
> 131.8 Federal Reserve Banking System
> 131.8 Internal Revenue Service
> 131.8 Internal Revenue Service
> 136.5 Federal Aviation Administration
> 136.5 U.S. Geological Survey
> 136.5 U.S. Marshals Service
> 136.5 U.S. Postal Service
> 146.2 Federal Aviation Administration
> 146.2 General Services Administration (Atlanta)
> 146.2 U.S. Fish & Wildlife
> 146.2 U.S. Marshals Service
> 151.4 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
> 151.4 Immigration & Naturalization Service
> 151.4 State Department
> 151.4 State Department
> 151.4 State Department (Bureau Of Diplomatic Security)
> 156.7 Drug Enforcement Agency
> 156.7 Federal Aviation Administration
> 156.7 Federal Bureau Of Investigation
> 156.7 Federal Executive Board
> 156.7 Internal Revenue Service
> 156.7 IRS/DEA Shared Frequencies (Surveillance)
> 156.7 National Marine Fisheries
> 156.7 U.S. Attorney
> 156.7 U.S. Postal Service
> 167.9 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
> 167.9 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms (OCDETF)
> 167.9 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
> 167.9 Department Of Energy (Nuclear Material Security)
> 167.9 Department Of Justice
> 167.9 Federal Bureau Of Investigation
> 167.9 Health & Human Services
> 167.9 Immigration & Naturalization Service
> 167.9 U.S. Marshals Service
> 173.8 Federal Communications Commission
> 186.2 U.S. Marshals Service
> 192.8 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
> 192.8 Federal Communications Commission
> 192.8 U.S. Marshals Service
> 203.5 U.S. Marshals Service
> 206.5 Immigration & Naturalization Service

> 206.5 National Security Agency
> 241.8 Unknown (Received In Atlanta)
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2107. FS: ICOM R-7100 Unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: danwee@cyberway.com.sg
Message-ID: <35d1d8b1.0@news.cyberway.com.sg>
Source record: 148020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi,

I have an ICOM R-7100 communications receiver
for sale. Covers 25-2000MHz continuous. It is modified
to provide a buffered discriminator out. Good condition
and non-smoking owner. Looking for $875 negotiable.
E-mail me if interested. May throw in a pre-amp (JIM-75).

Daniel

+------------+-----------------------------------+
Daniel Wee	daniel@pandora.lugs.org.sg
9V1ZV	http://www.cyberway.com.sg/~danwee
QRP-L #667	9V1ZV@amsat.org
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2108. Re: Mr. Mackey I still wait for you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1EDD3.58FA@parg.org>
Source record: 148021

charles21@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I wait for John Mackey to show any proof to dispute my claims he is a full
> fledged liar but you never see him show any proof, just claims that I am
> someone else because I speak the truth.

You've never demonstrated where you think I lied so how can I
provide proof for something that never happened?

2109. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D1EF4C.872@parg.org>
Source record: 148022

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> What data do you have to support this statement above? When
> were you appointed to speak for OBFD?

I never spoke on OBFD's behalf, I only spoke of my opinion.

YOU have stated comments about a friendship between OBFD & I,
who by & when were you appointed to speak for OBFD or myself?

2110. JRC NRD545

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleslie@pd.jaring.my
Message-ID: <MPG.103b4f50622088ed989684@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 148035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Has anyone any experience and/or views on the wideband converter for the
JRC NRD 545.

2111. Re: new 1100 mAh Nicds - wow!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.neilbell@value.net
Message-ID: <35d0dd19.31961471@news.value.net>
Source record: 148036

Art Davis <artellad@hitter.net> wrote:

>Could you please tell us your source at that price? Art.

I bought mine at Costco/Price Club

2112. looking for person want trade DX99v

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldmantube@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081200255200.UAA19933@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148037

Looking for the person that has a DX99V for trade on scanner ?

2113. Re: Sorry K4CC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DC2C.51C8@parg.org>
Source record: 148038

George Vetterle wrote:
> You do a great disservice to the members of these
> organizations, past and present, by comparing yourself to
> them. You should hang your head in shame.

No actually it compliments them.

2114. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DC81.4306@parg.org>
Source record: 148039

dmi853@swbell.net wrote:
> That is due to obfd no longer agreed with mackey that Bill was the
> problem, he finally realized mackey was greater problem.

What data do you have to support this statement above? When
were you appointed to speak for OBFD?

2115. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DDD4.781A@parg.org>
Source record: 148040

dmi853@swbell.net wrote:

> So what your saying mackey is that Bill is the only one with a
> compusereve account .

No, what I am saying it that "Bill is the only person who always
take things back to the time that Cheek & I went head to head on
Fidonet".

> I hate to burst your bubble but several thousand other people have
> commpuserve as a service provider.

I never said anything that would disagree with this so what is your
point?

> Again proof that you are the one who made up the warrant story in a
> feeble attempt at black mailing Bill and forcing him off of the

So where is this proof you are referring to?

2116. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DE3F.7BA5@parg.org>
Source record: 148041

K4CC wrote:
> That's about the lamest excuse I
> believe I ever did see.

I have yet to see you post anything better!

> You say "was" a friend. Why are
> you no longer friends?

Because we were talking about the past. I never said we were
no longer friends. You are making assumptions without information.

2117. Re: OBFD Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DE77.111D@parg.org>
Source record: 148042

K4CC wrote:
> under the banner
> of truth, justice and the American way.

So what do you claim is YOUR justification?

2118. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DEFA.1719@parg.org>
Source record: 148043

Blake Bowers wrote:

> First off, it is a shame that you have let this degenerate to this, ie
> who has won, or lost. In other messages, you state that you are
> on here for the good of the newsgroup, but now, you clearly show
> that this is just a vendeta.

Sorry Blake, but I am not the one who brought it up. Direct your
complaint to the individual who first raised this issue.

> Secondly, you have been given proof positive that Bill was not
> kicked off, booted off, asked to leave by any authority, or other
> wise removed from FIDONET, but you still refuse to acknowledge

That is because there was NO proof given my any individuals who
are aware!

2119. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0DF91.7DEE@parg.org>
Source record: 148044

dmi853@swbell.net wrote:

> Interesting enough this out of mackeys neck of the woods.
>
> Registrant:
> Infon (FASTER2-DOM)
> 15600 NE 8 B1-161
> Bellevue, WA 98008

Yea right, a different & state/city, hundreds of miles away seperated by several area codes from my location. That is hardly my "neck of the woods"!

2120. Re: Alright then OBFD, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E01B.3B43@parg.org>
Source record: 148045

K4CC wrote:

> The fact that he used a particular
> greeting to you doesn't necessarily
> mean he would use it with someone
> else.

On what informational facts do you base this statement?

K4CC, You'll have to do better than that if you want anyone
to believe you.

2121. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E058.5936@parg.org>
Source record: 148046

Hawke wrote:

> Distortion by ommission is still a fabrication, lie, distortion or
> corruption of the actual facts.

I omitted nothing. I simply used the summary of his statement as he
presented it in his first few words.

2122. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E166.3B33@parg.org>
Source record: 148047

The Cb Guy wrote:

> Ahhh.....another bonehead for the killfilter.....

Are you putting yourself in a kill filter?

> God THe ng has been sooooo much quieter lately.... :-)

We all thank for you helping make it that way by not posting!

2123. Re: New guy exposes posterior, Cheeks always bare

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E1AC.68AD@parg.org>
Source record: 148048

willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> > bcheek@san.rr.com wrote:
SNIP

> This from a guy who only tells the truth by accident.

heheehehehe!

2124. Re: Mr. Mackey I still wait for you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E2E6.111D@parg.org>
Source record: 148049

Dom Dominico wrote:
>
> Mackey I still waiting for you to answer my posts please.

What posts?

2125. Software Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ksmith@best.com
Message-ID: <6qqo9cdtb1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 148050

This may be old news, but I find this very interesting:

http://www.eetimes.com/news/98/1019news/radio.html

Imagine the possibilities...

2126. Re: OBFD's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081200512600.UAA23964@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148051

Mam's Little Helper, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>If you want I will show you how dejanews works?

To do what .. prove your obsession with Cheek?
Thanks, but that's already been proven. Maybe
next time.

2127. Re: Bill's long term fighting on this NG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d2e926.9294630@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148052

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 02:12:02 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>
>Is there a message here folks? Yep: the message is, this isn't a
>competition, it isn't an olympic event, it's a newsgroup. A nice,
>otherwise friendly newsgroup. There is no reason to compete. In fact,
>there is nothing to be won. No one is bigger here, or stronger, there
>are no little pink bunnies that outlast evil battery-powered dragons.
>We all know *something*, and we all deserve to contribute equally. No
>one has higher, or lower, stature, even if they know more, or less,
>about radios. And you don't help anyone by arguing about who is the
>bigger expert, or the bigger asshole.
>
>One last thing. Life teaches that people rise to the top not because
>they know the most about radios, but because they know the most about
>getting along with other people. That means manners. Each participant
>loses five points for each time they mentioned a bodily fluid, or an
>act of copulation, or the ingestion of personal apparel. (Take off
>your shoes and count backwards on your toes if you have to)
>
>And to all of you who have remained silent throught this childish and
>repulsive episode, thank you. You are great people.

This is the first for JM! Something worth posting in here coming from
his internet account!

Why not go back to the top and reread it..?

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2128. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980812010910001.VAA26837@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148053

John "He's MY Imaginary Friend And You Can't Have Him" Mackey
<KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

> I never said we were
>no longer friends. You are making assumptions without information.

You're the one who used the word "was" in
referring to your friendship with OBFD. Check
Dejanews since you claim to be such an expert at it.
That's not an assumption, cheese whiz,
those were YOUR WORDS.

2129. Re: Alright then Ma Bell, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081201091300.VAA26846@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148054

He's About Two Area Codes Short Of A Completed Call, But That Doesn't Stop J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> from writing gibberish:

>seperated by
>several area codes from my location.

Hmm. How far is an area code, exactly?
I never knew them to be measures of
distance. I'll bet you even know how high
'up' is! And how long is a piece of string?

2130. Re: Alright then OBFD, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081201091400.VAA26852@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148055

In article <35D0E01B.3B43@parg.org>, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>On what informational facts do you base this statement?

Well, I know not what "informational facts" are.
I based my statement on a couple of concepts
you know nothing about, called common sense and logic.
So, now you're telling me that you can prove
that OBFD started all of his messages, to
you and anyone else he sent them to, the
same way. So now tell me how in the
world you would know that if you are not
OBFD?

2131. Mackey's Famous Quotations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980812010915 00.VAA26857@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148056

John "I'm Not A Real Human, But I Try And Play One In Front Of The TV" Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>I simply used the summary of his statement as he
>presented it in his first few words.

No, you quoted him out of context just like
you always do, in a laughable attempt
to back up your asinine distortions, lies
and flames.

2132. Re: Mr. Mackey I still wait for you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980812010916O1.VAA05744@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148057

John "Whistle Ears" Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> writes:

>What posts?

The ones that are holding up your
cranium because the space between
your ears is empty.

2133. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d3eabc.9700962@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148058

On 11 Aug 1998 16:48:12 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Listening to cellular and cordless phones is illegal.
>
>Cordless phones operate from 43.72 to 46.97, 902-928, and cellular phones
>frequencies are blocked from all US scanners as of 1994.
>
>There are 832 AMPS cellular channels, so I wont post them all, but the
>mobile range is 824-869 and the tower range is 869-894.

I would like to point out that the input range is 824.-849.990mhz and
the output range is 870.-894.mhz. The trunked users still have some
space left...:)

>Tommy Simmons wrote:
>
>> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
>> realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
>> Thanks,
>> Tommy
>>

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2134. Balloonist Steve Fossett's HF Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmoss@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35d0ebed.659632@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 148059

Does anyone have the HF frequencies he is using. They are quite classified as far as I know.

Marv

2135. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d5f0d4.11260684@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148060

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 19:29:54 GMT, Mike Beaty <mbeaty@nyx.net> wrote:

>I'm planning on mounting a female 1/8" phone plug jack to the 2004
>chassis. I assume the tip wants to be connected to either the chip
>leg or TP4.
>
>Where does the barrel of the plug get wired to? Audio ground?
>Certainly not chassis ground?!? I know enough to know that the
>circuit must have two leads, but not enough to know where to find the
>second, probably obvious one. Sigh.

The tip is TP4 and the barrel is chassis ground! It will take you
longer to make the hole then connect it!

>As an aside, when I installed Sema115 and I tried to use it for the
>first time ever, it said that my trial version had already expired.
>Anyone else seen this? Note that I'll be registering whatever I end
>up with, but it won't be sema115 if I can't try it first. No big
>deal, because poc32 looks very good. Just curious. I'll probably
>write to the sema115 author once I get the descriminator tap
>installed.

Poc32 works ok, but another excellent project for you to try is the
data slicer! Much more reliable decoding and including
flex,mdt,mobitex edacs and motorola trunked data with free software!

Check out these url's:
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Launchpad/4039/
The pocsag,flex decoder program located here is the best one available
anywhere! Build the 4level interface, you won't be sorry!

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lab/1067/PROJECTS.HTM

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2136. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d6f54c.12404651@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148061

On 11 Aug 1998 19:35:40 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>If you've got POC32, this works:
>
>- Plug an audio cable from scanner earphone jack to LINE IN on sound card
>- Open the Windows "Volume Control" -- double-click on speaker
>- Set the LINE IN slider to the second notch
>- Turn the scanner's volume to 50% of maximum
>
>This works for me -- and it works great!

Do you receive many 2400baud pocsag transmissions, or you limited to
1200 & 512?

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2137. Re: software with scanner/sound card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d7f75b.12932524@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148062

On Tue, 11 Aug 1998 15:52:12 -0400, "Stï¿½phane Thï¿½berge"
<stheberg@mediom.qc.ca> wrote:

>I'm looking for a web site where i can found many file to use my
>pro-2006 with soundcard to discover and enjoy my powerfull 2006. any
>software
>
>thanks!

http://www.muenster.de/~welp/sb.htm

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2138. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d8f827.13136260@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148063

On 11 Aug 1998 02:58:33 GMT, Master Oracle Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>fred wrote:
>
>> Ryan, *you* are wrong. That information was right in the message
>> header. Jeez!
>>
>> Instead of trying to desperately prove how much you know to this NG,
>> try an exercise in listening & learning. Trust me, you'll gain more
>> respect.
>>
>
>Yes, it was. However, z0142 stated that there was a LINK right in front
>of his face.
>
>Normally (unless all headers are displayed), the "PATH" element is not
>displayed.

How do you know what is normal for anyone's newsreader except for your
own?

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2139. Re: FS:PRO-2004 & 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dafb0f.13880283@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 11 Aug 1998 17:21:50 PDT, "Dom Dominico" <dominico@concentric.net>
wrote:

>
>Jack wrote in message <35d08d11.58163@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>>I've got a PRO-2004 for $225 and a PRO-2005 for $300. Would prefer a
>>local sale to avoid hassles. E-mail offers.
>
>
>I give you $100 for the 04 and $75 for the 05 or $150 for boths!
>
>
>
>Poppa Dom
>

PRO-2005 is sold.

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2140. Re: Alright then Phil, how about this??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35d0f6c5.1132223@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 148065

On Wed, 12 Aug 1998 00:26:46 GMT, J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org> wrote:

>The Cb Guy wrote:
>
>> Ahhh.....another bonehead for the killfilter.....
>
>Are you putting yourself in a kill filter?
>
>
>> God THe ng has been sooooo much quieter lately.... :-)
>
>We all thank for you helping make it that way by not posting!

Now if *you* would just follow his lead...

2141. Re: More of Fire Chief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dbfdf5.14622905@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148066

On 11 Aug 98 13:17:24 , Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com (Fire
Chief) wrote:

Is it safe to assume that all posts originating from warpgate are from
Joe Nicholson?

> -=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-
>
> JM> "He was given 30 days to shut down....."
>
> > Now you tell me and everyone else that this doesn't mean he was booted.
>
> JM> You know what I said. You used your own personal interpretation to
> JM> change it to something else.
>
>
> Don't play your silly ass games with me, you dimwit.
>
> That statement doesn't need any any interpretation
> as to exactly what you meant when you spewed your
> lie.
>
>
>Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
>From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
>To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
>Subj: Hello Replies: None
>Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06
>
> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>
> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> > him getting booted from Fido.
>
>which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?
>
>:)

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2142. Re: Iridium Satellites

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-1108982256370001@pm56-13.magicnet.net>
Source record: 148067
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.comms,aus.comms.mobile,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6qp8u1thi1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>, "Paul Britton"
<curator@www.cops.aust.com> wrote:

> Does anyone have any frequency information for the Iridium Satellites....

The Iridium mobile phone service will be digital, so an analog scanner
will not pick anything up anyway.

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

2143. Regency HX1500 schematic needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: acrted@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081204392100.AAA29670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148068

Anyone have a schematic for the Regency HX1500 scanner? I sure could use one to repair a power supply problem!

Thanks!

Ted

2144. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6qr6ds$1e48$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 148069

Toreek wrote in message
<19980811062025OO.CAA19002@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Hello,
>
>I'm a newbie, and have got a question that I still don't know. Why
can't
>people use radios and scanners on flights all the time? Some
airlines allow
>it, some don't. What's the deal, do they cause some terrible
interference or
>something?
>
>Thanks

Basically, the Federal Aviation Administration does not allow it,
according to the Federal Aviation Regulations FAR 91.21.

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

2145. Re: BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <4v9A1.280$mR3.1193368@news4.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 148070
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Real Easy Answer On this One Hit The "Data" Button

Please When you get a scanner read the Manual

Jason

>
>Ok, I reset the scanner and reprogrammed in about 40 freq's (all
>none-trunked). It scans much faster now. But now, whenever the
>scanner stops while scanning, the word DATA with a diagonal line
>through it appears (but not when I hit Manual and step through the
>frequencies). I found something in the manual about how you can push
>the DATA button while searching if the scanner is stopping on freq's
>containing data and you don't want it to do that. But I didn't see
>anything about the crossed-out DATA appearing during normal scanning.
>Anyone?
>Thanks,

2146. Re: PRO 26 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081205355700.BAA06556@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 148071

well I want that scanner but some how I can't e-mail you

2147. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey <KAOSSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D0E532.43A5@parg.org>
Source record: 148072

Richard Kendrick wrote:

> be. Since you failed to include the full text, your intent is
> purely to misquote me and change my original message.

Wrong! I simply summarized your VERY wordy response. You did
state that UV is a factor with coax, which agrees with the statements
I originally made!

2148. FS: BC100XLT (must sell!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lstrain@email.msn.com
Message-ID: <6qtjj1$f4m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147823

Bc100XLT for sale. Good condition. Good battery. The nicads have been unsoldered from the pack so the scanner can be used only as a base scanner, but I can resolder it in no problem. Comes with charger, flex antenna, and carry case. Make an offer.

Shaun
LSTRAIN@EMAIL.MSN.COM

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2149. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qtqdcloc0@207.18.224.139>
Source record: 147824

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 02:19:53 GMT, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>OK,,,, lets try it ONE MORE TIME!

>So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the
>order to benefit all.
>
While you obviously are using an address, with my name
in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
your crap.

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2150. Re: Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d77158.8253498@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 12 Aug 1998 21:41:18 -0400, JC Woodard <j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting
>ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no
>web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much
>appreicated!!

I just got mine from www.uniden.com
I sure like it so far!

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2151. Re: FS 2006 6400 channel powerhouse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d87444.9001574@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147826

On 12 Aug 1998 23:03:23 GMT, aciesynski@aol.com (ACiesynski) wrote:

>Fs radio shack pro 2006 with 6400 channel memory,keypad controlled with 16
>stage blue led block indicator.160 scan banks,160 search ranges,160 monitor
>memories. 10 step LED signal strength meter, 5 step LED center tuning
>meter,carrier on indicator LED.,255 channel search and store module,adjustable
>delay,Detachable lcd event counter with reset,data tone squelch mod,cellular

Adjustable delay..wow I want that..anyone know of a source for that
mod?

>mod, 30 Cps scan speed speed mod.Original carton,manual,antenna, and mod
>operating and adjustment operating instructions. all mods are professional
>quality and appearance. will need a 12 volt power supply as the power supply
>was removed for the mods as the original power supply would have to small. Im
>asking best serois offer. no window shoppers please.please email or call me 612
>574 1869 if interested. thanks
>al

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2152. What's a good scanner software program ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stormtracker <Stormtracker@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc679$1a47d6a0$f795440c@default>
Source record: 147827

Thinking of interfacing my 2006 with my pc; What's a good program to use ?
I want to decode CTCSS also, do I need a seperate program such as Wintone
to do that?
TIA
KM
Fairfield County Fire Monitoring

2153. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D2757E.63FE@parg.org>
Source record: 147828

Blake Bowers wrote:
> While you obviously are using an address, with my name
> in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
> your crap.

Blake - you started using the "P_ARG.ORG" address only a couple weeks
ago. You claim it is for the "Pottersville ARG" yet according to
the ARRl & yahoo, there is no such group.

I am using a legitimately assigned address for me from my domain
while YOU are using a BOGUS address, lying to the internet everytime
you post from that address!

In other words, shut your lying mouth!

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2154. Re: Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d97582.9319735@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147829

On 12 Aug 1998 19:14:04 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>One post is enough.

In your case, one post is too much! Did you really need to quote the
entire post?

>MAlexder wrote:
>
>> Thought this list of PL tones for fed freqs might be of some use. Iï¿½m not
>> the author of the list. I grabbed it from who knows where a while agoï¿½
>>
>> PL-Tone Government Agency
>> -------------------------------------
>> 077.0 Department Of Energy

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2155. Frequency database site with PL codes ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stormtracker <Stormtracker@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc679$d8a6e280$f795440c@default>
Source record: 147830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone know of any frequency database web sites that include the CTCSS pl codes.
Primarly interested in CT and NY.
TIA
KM
FCFM

2156. Re: HELP: 800 mhz receive problem BC895

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081305194300.BAA02952@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147831

Chris,

If you're anywhere near a cell site, especially if they've gone digital, your BC895 is probably drowning in overload/desense/intermod/etc. A filter would be your best solution but can't think of any inexpensive ones at the moment. An attenuator from Radio Shack might help but it will of course reduced your desired signal also. Good luck.
Bob
r1c1w@aol.com

2157. Re: Location of Frequency Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35da76f9.9684756@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147832

On 12 Aug 1998 15:39:22 GMT, bryant@cts.com (Bill Bryant) wrote:

>I am trying to locate the frequencys that the long range sportfishing
>boats use that are out of San Diego. I believe that they use single sideband
>but if anyone know for sure or has a FAQ on scanning the sportboats I'd
>appreciate it.

Don't they use the standard marine band? The freq's can be found at:
http://www.navcen.uscg.mil/marcomms/vhf.htm

http://www.navcen.uscg.mil/marcomms/Default.htm

Has tons of info on maritime com's, check it out!

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2158. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35db7add.10680816@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147833

On 12 Aug 1998 13:38:58 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I receive all [2400 baud] transmissions, however a couple out of about 100 can
>be somewhat garbled, but hey, what can you expect when you don't use the
>descrim output?
>
>I've yet to see an imperfect 1200 or 512 transmission...
>

Tap the discriminator and you will see just how many you are missing!
Then build a slicer and REALLY see how many you are missing...

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2159. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dc7bf9.10964851@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147834

On 12 Aug 1998 13:30:46 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>That question does not even deserve the dignity of a response.

Then why did you reply?

>Jack wrote:
>
>> How do you know what is normal for anyone's newsreader except for your
>> own?

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2160. FS - Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tf911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081305515300.BAA05984@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147835

Excellent condition, cellular mod, price is $275, postpaid.

Tom.............

2161. Re: Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Hanrahan <ttom@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6qtv6h$ccn@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 147836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Try Communications Electronics of Ann Arbor MI:
http://www.usascan.com/html/bearcat_scanners.html

JC Woodard wrote in message <35D2443D.1FC1EC94@ix.netcom.com>...
>My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting
>ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no
>web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much
>appreicated!!
>
>Thanks,
>
>JC
>
>j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com
>

2162. FS: POWER SUPPLY AND HANDHELD RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert LeBaron Frost Jr <rfrost1@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6qu04f$1bh$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147837

I have a power supply and handheld (GE) with two batteries and charge.
Make offer. Looking to buy a new or used scanner with computer interface.
Email me if interested.

2163. Re: 49 mhz conversion??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Crane <"Shawn Crane"@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35D285D5.2061C93B@flash.net>
Source record: 147838

You should get FRS Radios, but not from radio shack!

Ted Woodzell wrote:
>
> I need to convert a pair of Radio Shack trc-506 , 49Mhz talkies from 49.830
> to something else!
> Bought them for kids to use while bike riding but all the baby monitors and
> the like make it impossible to use them. Any tips on changing the freq??
> This model (dual conversion) has 3 xtals, 16.610Mhz, 39.130 and 10.245. I
> have plenty of xtals in the 37, 10 and 16 mhz range.
> Any tips?
> Thanks All
> Ted Woodzell
> tjwood@va.tds.net

2164. Pager help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay-Uwe <hartz@vxdesy.desy.de>
Message-ID: <35D2909C.1E8C@vxdesy.desy.de>
Source record: 147839

Hello from Germany

I search a Motorola Memo Express Pocsag Pager !!!

but !!!

frequency band : VHF 135.000 - 174.000

please help me to find where can I buy it
regrettably not in germany
Motorola producing this only for usmarket

thanks for help
Kay-Uwe

2165. Re: Is the new Panasonic 2.4 Ghz cordless Spread Spectrum?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael914@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6quf6a$dm9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147840

In article <zeno-2107980245550001@pm51-08.magicnet.net>,
zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
> I saw a picture of it in Popular Science magazone. It says "digital" on
> the phone, but would like to know if it is also Spread Spectrum. I have a
> 900 Mhz Spread Spectrum phone now, and want the best defense against
> scanners.
>

yes -- 3 s/s models due next month

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2166. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.org
Message-ID: <6qui7t$3sq$0@207.18.224.87>
Source record: 147841

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 05:10:58 GMT, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> While you obviously are using an address, with my name
>> in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
>> your crap.
>
>Blake - you started using the "P_ARG.ORG" address only a couple weeks
>ago. You claim it is for the "Pottersville ARG" yet according to
>the ARRl & yahoo, there is no such group.
>
Chuckle. So, you are saying, that the definitive test, for an
organizations existance is the ARRL, and Yahoo?

Not so Bucky. My ISP considers it OK, as there IS a
group by that name, and I am the president of said group.

>In other words, shut your lying mouth!
I agree John, you should shut your lying mouth. The
newsgroup as a whole would be better if you did.

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2167. Re: Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980813122225000.IAA02064@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147842

>From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net

>Ryan Faricy said: >>One post is enough.

>In your case, one post is too much! Did you really need to quote the entire post?

My apologies for the two extra posts. The program kept hanging it didn't appear that the post was going through.

As for that wanker Faricy, I put him in my bozo filter so I didn't see his original post. However, I now see he's still being a little punk. Run along boy.

2168. FS: SONY CRF-1 HF reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Akio Fujikawa <fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp>
Message-ID: <35D2DC5A.A4DB36F1@nk.rim.or.jp>
Source record: 147843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Hello!
Thank you for your e-mail.
CRF-1 is great condition. Cosmetic is exc.condition.
I think CRF-1 Best HF reciever.

I hope price us$1,700+shipping.
Shipping fee is
us$105- via EMS.

I wait your good answer.

Bets regards,
73
akio fujikawa
fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp

2169. FS: ICOM R71A General Coverage (shortwave) receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bodoh@splitrocktel.net
Message-ID: <903011331.930783@nntpcache2.nortel.net>
Source record: 147844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale: ICOM R71A shortwave receiver. Excellent condition, some scratches on top. Just gone through by ICOM dealer. Though it is no longer in production this is still the benchmark that they compare others to. For those unfamiliar with this radio it resembles an Amateur Radio HF transceiver - so it is a ï¿½base' rather than a portable (though it will run mobile). It has coverage from 100 Khz shrough 30 Mhz, has AM/FM/USB/LSB/CW/RTTY, noise blanker, AGC, memory scan,multiple filters,attenuator, dual VFO memory, etc. Dealers sell this radio used for $600 to $700.

Asking $450 firm, payment by postal money order. I pay your choice of USPS or UPS shipping. Sorry, so sales outside US contiguous 48. No trades. If interested please respond by Email.

Tom, N0YGT

2170. Cleveland State University Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: sth2@po.CWRU.Edu
Message-ID: <6qunak$5bt$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 147845

I'm trying to find the frequency for Clevland State University Police.
If anyone knows what this is please let me know. Thank you.

2171. Pro-2004 sensitivity question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35d3e3a7.3141505@news.jps.net>
Source record: 147846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I just got a Pro-2004 a week ago, and in comparing it with my Pro-2006 on 800 MHz (870-893.970 MHz) I noticed that the 2004's sensitivity wasn't as good as the 2006's. I went to the Radio Shack webpage and checked the specs on the 2004, but the sensitivity specs are listed in millivolts instead of microvolts. Is this a typo? I did get lucky in other ways on this unit; the display is still in good shape and it doesn't have any signs of being one of those units that was made with the defective wave-soldering machine, even though the date code is 6A7 (June 1987). When I got it it had the cell mod and 400-channel mod. I did the speedup mod and the keypad beep delete mod, and I also removed a TNC connector that someone had wired directly to the existing BNC connector with a short length of RG-58 under the top circuit board. This improved reception a lot, but I am still curious if the sensitivity is supposed to be as good as the 2006. If anyone knows, please post a response to this newsgroup. Thanks in advance.

2172. Re: FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <6qur1k$mbv@acmez.gatech.edu>
Source record: 147847

Someone posted a FCC beta site here a few months ago. You could look up by frequency or callsign from a form on their page. I went to the FCC web page the other day and could not find it. I lost the bookmark with the URL during a change from 60 MHz Power Mac with Netscape to 333 MHz P2 with Explorer. Anyone have it? Please E-mail me if you have time. Thanks, BiLL

--
Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

2173. Re: 49 mhz conversion??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D2F509.18812CF7@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147848

Why not from Radio Shack? They are the same radios that Alinco and another company make. RS just puts their name on it.

Alinco makes the model with which the antenna flips up from the back.

Shawn Crane wrote:

> You should get FRS Radios, but not from radio shack!
>
> Ted Woodzell wrote:
> >
> > I need to convert a pair of Radio Shack trc-506 , 49Mhz talkies from 49.830
> > to something else!
> > Bought them for kids to use while bike riding but all the baby monitors and
> > the like make it impossible to use them. Any tips on changing the freq??
> > This model (dual conversion) has 3 xtals, 16.610Mhz, 39.130 and 10.245. I
> > have plenty of xtals in the 37, 10 and 16 mhz range.
> > Any tips?
> > Thanks All
> > Ted Woodzell
> > tjwood@va.tds.net
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2174. Re: Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D2F58B.2BDB4E77@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147849

It seems "run along boy" is all you've got for a retort. Wow!

Also, I don't appreciate being degraded in public, especially when being called a "wanker" (you do know what that means, right?). Should you choose to do this again, AOL will be notified. You put me in your filter, so you leave me alone.

MAlexder wrote:

> My apologies for the two extra posts. The program kept hanging it didn't appear
> that the post was going through.
>
> As for that wanker Faricy, I put him in my bozo filter so I didn't see his
> original post. However, I now see he's still being a little punk. Run along
> boy.

--
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2175. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D2F600.A3284A8A@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147850

I may actually try that an on old PRO-2028 I've got.

The interesting thing is, whenever I hear the transmission, it always comes up perfectly decoded in POC32, so I will see whether I need a slicer/discrim output or not.

Jack wrote:

> Tap the discriminator and you will see just how many you are missing!
> Then build a slicer and REALLY see how many you are missing...

--
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2176. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D2F643.AE07479D@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147851

Maybe they've changed since, but I flew them about 4 years ago, and it was
allowed. Even asked the first officer when he came around.

Dan Morisseau wrote:

> I'm going to dredge up my recollection and differ slightly. I know
> Delta does, and can't speak as to American or Northwest; but TWA doesn't.
> I've heard many a FA announce that cell phones and receivers of any kind
> are forbidden at any time.
>
> --
> National Headquarters: Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
> Dan Morisseau, N7ZXL - N 47ï¿½ 16' 45" / W 122ï¿½ 30' 00"
> Watkins Johnson HF-1000: 60' Random Wire & Palomar Loop
> ICOM R-7000: Discone
> ICQ: UIN# 5313018
>

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2177. Re: Thank you Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D2F670.77643C88@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147852

To let you know that your question ... didn't deserve the dignity of a response [to the question, not in general].

Jack wrote:

> On 12 Aug 1998 13:30:46 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >That question does not even deserve the dignity of a response.
>
> Then why did you reply?
>
> >Jack wrote:
> >
> >> How do you know what is normal for anyone's newsreader except for your
> >> own?
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2178. computer RF interference on scanner... how to eleminate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6quspr$fi3$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 147853

I've been getting a good deal of RF interference from my computer even though the antenna is on the roof. Is there any way to get rid of this or lessen it? Maybe I could shield the scanner? Maybe I could shield the computer? Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks

Tyler

tyler@cyberia.com

2179. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D2F729.45FEF664@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147854

Pottersville Amateur Radio Group certainly does exist.

J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:

> Blake Bowers wrote:
> > While you obviously are using an address, with my name
> > in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
> > your crap.
>
> Blake - you started using the "P_ARG.ORG" address only a couple weeks
> ago. You claim it is for the "Pottersville ARG" yet according to
> the ARRl & yahoo, there is no such group.
>
> I am using a legitimately assigned address for me from my domain
> while YOU are using a BOGUS address, lying to the internet everytime
> you post from that address!
>
> In other words, shut your lying mouth!
>
>
> > Pottersville_Amateur Radio Group
> > Live from P_ARG!!
>
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2180. Re: Frequency database site with PL codes ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6quteq$ra8$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Stormtracker wrote in message <01bdc679$d8a6e280$f795440c@default>...
>Anyone know of any frequency database web sites that include the
CTCSS pl
>codes.
>Primarly interested in CT and NY.

Yeah, mine (NY). My info is kinda light in the Hudson Valley area,
though. I just received a bunch of updates from listeners in that
area and hope to get them online this week.

73 de Dave, NF2G
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nf2g@ggw.org ICQ #236637 NYSING-01
NF2G Scannist Pages and Web BBS at www.ggw.org/nf2g
A.S. Criminal Justice '98 Phi Theta Kappa
"He who has not endured the stress of study
will not taste the joy of knowledge."
'Abd Al-Latif (1162-1231)
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2181. Re: Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6quqgp$j6o$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 147856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

There is also National Electronics where it's $212.95 including the
shipping...

http://www.national-electronics.com/

Tom Hanrahan wrote in message <6qtv6h$ccn@newsops.execpc.com>...
>Try Communications Electronics of Ann Arbor MI:
>http://www.usascan.com/html/bearcat_scanners.html
>
>JC Woodard wrote in message <35D2443D.1FC1EC94@ix.netcom.com>...
>>My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting
>>ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no
>>web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much
>>appreicated!!
>>
>>Thanks,
>>
>>JC
>>
>>j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com
>>
>
>

2182. VENTRONICS COMMUNICATIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ventronics <ventronics@ventronics.com>
Message-ID: <35D303D3.D6125DB5@ventronics.com>
Source record: 147857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio,uk.radio.amateur,uk.media.radio.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur,triangle.radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

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2183. Modifying BC235XLT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081315284600.LAA08363@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147858

Does anyone have information about modifying a BC235XLT to receive freqs other than the standard programmed range. I am not looking for cellular. I am looking for the military air freqs of 225.000 - 399.9875. Is this possible or should I keep my Pro60?
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

2184. Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: 123robertv@meol.net
Message-ID: <35d30d98.5912635@news.meol.net>
Source record: 147859

Can someone point me in the direction to a list of parts to make the computer interface for the Pro 64?

To email me remove the numbers before my address!

2185. FS BC 855XLT $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: normpadilla@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qv72a$bh2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147860

Bearcat 855XLT for sale, $125. New in box. The scanner has not been modified. The scanner has 12 Bands, 50 Channels including 800 MHz. The price is $125. (COD or Money Order)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2186. FS BC 855XLT $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: normpadilla@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qv72c$bh3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147861

Bearcat 855XLT for sale, $125. New in box. The scanner has not been modified. The scanner has 12 Bands, 50 Channels including 800 MHz. The price is $125. (COD or Money Order)

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2187. FS BC 855XLT $125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: normpadilla@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qv7q2$c8t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147862

For sale, Bearcat Model 855XLT
New in box. Not modified.
12 Bands, 50 Channels, 800 MHz.
$125 (COD or Money Order)

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2188. Re: VENTRONICS COMMUNICATIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Phillips <markp@imaging.co.uk>
Message-ID: <35d3166b.0@news1lo.highwayone.net>
Source record: 147863
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio,uk.radio.amateur,uk.media.radio.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur,triangle.radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

And this would interest a UK newsgroup why?

Mark Phillips, G7LTT

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2189. Re: FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: joees1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081316514900.MAA26738@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147864

Hi,

Here is the address you are looking for
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/state_county.hts

Take care,

Joe

2190. Re: 49 mhz conversion??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: analyzer <spam@no.there.com>
Message-ID: <35D3186E.D52F198@no.there.com>
Source record: 147865

to change freq, the required xtals are:

tx xtal = tx freq / 3

rx xtal = rx freq - 10.7

yours are on 49.83 MHz. If you stray too far from this some retuning
will be required. Check old cordless phones for xtals if your a
'scavanger'.

Mike

(no email because I sneak out at work where I live)

Ted Woodzell wrote:
>
> I need to convert a pair of Radio Shack trc-506 , 49Mhz talkies from 49.830
> to something else!
> Bought them for kids to use while bike riding but all the baby monitors and
> the like make it impossible to use them. Any tips on changing the freq??
> This model (dual conversion) has 3 xtals, 16.610Mhz, 39.130 and 10.245. I
> have plenty of xtals in the 37, 10 and 16 mhz range.
> Any tips?
> Thanks All
> Ted Woodzell
> tjwood@va.tds.net

2191. Re: Computer Interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.103cbce89114faff989696@news.pon.net>
Source record: 147866

In article <6quf7k$4ps$1@supernews.com>, radioman@vol.com says...

Captain Bob wrote in message ...
I am new to this group and unaware of computer/scanner hook-ups.I
have a BC890XLT, and 2 BC895XLT's...Can I hook these up to my
computer, and what will this do ? If you can help, please let
me know...

The 895s can be connected to the computer to either scan with your computer or program frequencies. You can program more banks than the scanner holds and change them around (by copying over). I created my own cable for less than $2 worth of supplies and downloaded "PC 895" to control it. Surprisingly, everything worked properly. This weekend, I'm planning on going down to the Santa Cruz area and will program a few banks for frequencies down there, but I have no need for them here. I'll just program the frequencies on top of what I currently have for the trip and when I get back, I'll copy the banks back the way it was. You could also clone your 2 895s if you wanted to.

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

2192. Re: FS:PRO-2004 & 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Hennigan <dennis@top.monad.net>
Message-ID: <6qv6dhccj1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 147867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I picked up my 2006 two months ago for $200US.

Deals can be had. But if u want something bad enuf.....

2193. Re: Cleveland State University Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6qvafo$gf2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147868

> I'm trying to find the frequency for Clevland State University Police.
> If anyone knows what this is please let me know. Thank you.

Give these at try . . . .

151.7450 plant operations, maintenance
851.0625 police
862.1875 police?
864.0375 plant operations, maintenance

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
--oOO--(_)---OOo----------
The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
----\ (---) /----------
_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2194. Re: Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <35D29D28.5EB4@extremezone.com>
Source record: 147869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

JC Woodard wrote:
>
> My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting
> ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no
> web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much
> appreicated!!
>
> Thanks,
>
> JC
>
> j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com

some of the best prices I have seen are at http://www.scanusa.com or
Uniden is selling Refurbished units at thier web site (limited
qunanties) http://uniden.com

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Charles Simmont - ICP509 Dispatcher & National Coordinator
Incident Command Page of Arizona
"Arizona's Public Saftey Notification Network"
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/icp.html

Other incident paging groups
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/other.html

*** The views expressed here are my own and not that of ICP unless
otherwise stated.***

2195. Re: New NASA hurricane study - freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM@LESS.NET>
Message-ID: <35D32B8B.5416@LESS.NET>
Source record: 147870

D Stark wrote:

> From a NASA press release:

> When a hurricane or tropical storm erupts in the Atlantic, a
> NASA Dryden Flight Research Center DC-8
SNIP
> Anybody have frequencies for this operation?

Try http://www.irisz.hu/~ivan/mir/nasafr.html

Robert

2196. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <AvHA1.1$465.2002@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 147871

I'd guess that this was an international carrier. Most of them have far more latitude than US domestic carriers. With the FAA's sterile cockpit rules, a pax isn't supposed to so much as poke his head in.

Rob

Andy Moss wrote in message <35D19977.E5B@ibm.net>...
>UHF Handies work much better inside aircraft than do VHF.
>
>Make sure you get a window seat and be discrete! 8-)
>
>Some pilots are quite decent and one even allowed on of the hams I know
>to have a few QSOs from the HF rig in the cockpit!
>
>Cheers!
>Andy

2197. BC80XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: grmpy@iquest.net
Message-ID: <35D35385.4F891A1B@iquest.net>
Source record: 147872

anyone have any opinions on the Uniden BC80XLT am considering purchasing
and found what I thought was a reasonable price of $99

2198. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35D2DA9C.1135CC62@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 147873
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The popular VHF Alpha frequency is 152.24; however, you will still hear some voice pages from time to time.

Mike

2199. Re: computer RF interference on scanner... how to eleminate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D349B1.EE08EE00@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147874

If you're using RG58, there's your problem. I recommend RG-11 or RG-8 for the best RF shielding.

tyler wrote:

> I've been getting a good deal of RF interference from my computer even though
> the antenna is on the roof. Is there any way to get rid of this or lessen it?
> Maybe I could shield the scanner? Maybe I could shield the computer? Any
> help would be appreciated.
>
> Thanks
>
> Tyler
>
> tyler@cyberia.com
>

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2200. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D34A28.5DAD07FA@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147875

Check out Ken Plotkin's scanner site at
http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

Robert Viveiros wrote:

> Can someone point me in the direction to a list of parts to make the
> computer interface for the Pro 64?
>
> To email me remove the numbers before my address!
>

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2201. RE: Attention ALL John Mackey Spews More Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qvl47umf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147876

John Mackey once again tries to pass off a forged email supposedly forwarded by Nick OBFD as the truth.

I sent email to The CB Guy and he has stated , he has never had a hotmail account, and never sent the email letter John Mackey claims he did.

The proof is below in the email I received from The CB Guy.
One can only wonder why John Mackey would want to pass the blame on to someone else once more, first it was Nick OBFD who started the story , now he wants to put the blame on The CB Guy .

Date: Thu, 13 Aug 1998 15:52:28 -0400
From: The Cb Guy <thecbguy@iname.com> Add to Address Book
Subject: Re: Have you seen this latest post from John Mackey?
Organization: Freebanders of America
To: Charles <charles21@my-dejanews.com>

I do not have a hotmail account.......
This is not a letter from me....

Charles wrote:

> Subject: Re: More of Cheek lies > From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org> > Date: 1998/08/13 > Message-ID: <35D24532.707B@parg.org> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner > [More Headers] > [Subscribe to rec.radio.scanner] > > dmi853@juno.com wrote: > > Charles showed proof that you made the story up. > > Charles' post was a lie & he could present NOTHING to prove otherwise! > > > When are you going to show any proof he is not telling the truth? > > Here ya go, son! e-mail from the CB GUY to OBFD that he (OBFD) > forwarded to me. Bill knew about this a head of time too as OBFD sent > him a warning about the issue giving him a chance to change his his > ways. > Of course, Bill declined! > > CB GUY was the first to bring up the accusation of BIll Cheek > as a child molester! >

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2202. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D3526E.7174@ibm.net>
Source record: 147877

Rob Lang wrote:
>
> I'd guess that this was an international carrier. Most of them have far
> more latitude than US domestic carriers. With the FAA's sterile cockpit
> rules, a pax isn't supposed to so much as poke his head in.

...and this is quite understandable. This airline was JAL the fella I
know was on.

The pilots I've met seem to be a funny bunch and aren't very quick to
give information out.

Dunno why! I have no problem telling people about my job! 8-D

Cheers!
Andy

2203. Re: Computer Interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35D2DE44.54E73C38@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 147878

Just curious where would I buy a copy of pc895 ?

Mike

2204. Re: Need Alpha-Numeric paging Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D35496.F49A0A@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147879
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Yes, we have one freq here in MN with about 50% alpha, 40% numeric, and the remaining pages are voice.

Michael May wrote:

> The popular VHF Alpha frequency is 152.24; however, you will still hear
> some voice pages from time to time.
>
> Mike
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2205. Regency T-2 Repair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6qvkbf$e5a$1@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 147880

A friend of mine has a Regency TS-2 scanner.
Uniden either will not or can not repair it
and returned it to him. The scanner will just
stop scanning after a while. The display
hangs up but it will not scan and otherwise
just sits there. If it is turned off for
a while then turned back on it will resume
scanning. The time varies before it quits again.
Does anyone know if there is an alternative
to Undien.
tia
bill

2206. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35d3627a.1504780@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 147881

On 11 Aug 1998 16:48:12 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Listening to cellular and cordless phones is illegal.
>
>Cordless phones operate from 43.72 to 46.97, 902-928, and cellular phones
>frequencies are blocked from all US scanners as of 1994.

I thought cordless were 43-49, I do not program in all 50 base &
handsets so I just search that range

>There are 832 AMPS cellular channels, so I wont post them all, but the
>mobile range is 824-869 and the tower range is 869-894.
>
>Tommy Simmons wrote:
>
>> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
>> realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
>> Thanks,
>> Tommy
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>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2207. Re: Computer Interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081321055500.RAA18448@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147882

>Subject: Re: Computer Interface?
>From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
>Date: Thu, Aug 13, 1998 08:38 EDT
>Message-id: <35D2DE44.54E73C38@email.sps.mot.com>
>
>Just curious where would I buy a copy of pc895 ?

Indeed, why would you buy it? It's free!

2208. Antennae for UBC3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35d3632f.1685263@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 147883

All right, I got my new UBC3000XLT from finlandand it works great, but I wish I received better, can you make an antennae, instead of buying it? Or which is the best to buy? I am about to go do some searches but I just wanted to post here.

2209. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D356AE.DC00E3EE@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147884

I was speaking of the base frequencies, which is the only range where both sides of conversations can be heard.

Chris Tominkson wrote:

> I thought cordless were 43-49, I do not program in all 50 base &
> handsets so I just search that range

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2210. Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D35A84.6D78C909@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147885
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?

I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for legal reasons.

This decision to end his life has changed many times, and has left me very frustrated. He has now decided to do it himself, which really gets me irritated, frustrated, and leaves me in wonderment. It would have been "better" if he chose to have someone else do it, but to kill yourself by yourself, that's a different story.

Anyway, please have sympathy for me, as I am not mentally cheerful, and I probably won't be for some time. I cannot write much more, as I don't want to even think about this possible action my dad may take.

I realize this is off-topic in many ways, however I needed to get this out to others, and I apologize for past, present, and future bad behavior now.

*** For those who continue to pester, flame, vex, or otherwise harass me, just leave me alone. I am sick of the flames, and flames are things I don't need at all right now. Those flamers include Jack (and especially him), Hidden and Gone, among a few others.

Ryan Faricy

2211. Frequency Converters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Bergthold <kcin@whidbey.com>
Message-ID: <6qvmchefp1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147886
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

hello. i have a schematic to build a frequency converter, but am not sure about a few things. my scanner recieves 30-50, 144-174, 430-512. I was wondering if it would work. does anybody out there with the same scanner freq. specs use a converter? does it work for you? please reply.

~NICK~

2212. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aellery@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081321475300.RAA03316@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147887
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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>
Subject: Re: ATTENTION ALL!
>From: bbowers@P_ARG.org (Blake Bowers)
>Date: Thu, Aug 13, 1998 07:21 EDT
>Message-id: <6qui7t$3sq$0@207.18.224.87>
>
>On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 05:10:58 GMT, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
> wrote:
>
>>Blake Bowers wrote:
>>> While you obviously are using an address, with my name
>>> in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
>>> your crap.
>>
>>Blake - you started using the "P_ARG.ORG" address only a couple weeks
>>ago. You claim it is for the "Pottersville ARG" yet according to
>>the ARRl & yahoo, there is no such group.
>>
>Chuckle. So, you are saying, that the definitive test, for an
>organizations existance is the ARRL, and Yahoo?
>
>Not so Bucky. My ISP considers it OK, as there IS a
>group by that name, and I am the president of said group.
>
>
>>In other words, shut your lying mouth!
>I agree John, you should shut your lying mouth. The
>newsgroup as a whole would be better if you did.
>
>Pottersville Amateur Radio Group
>Live from P_ARG!!
>

Sounds like an organization with some class if Mackey isn't a member. Is there
a non-voting, non-dues paying internet membership available for the rest of us
in cyberspace? If so, sign me up.

Allen
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2213. Mackey ....is this what happens when I ignore you?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35d65fcf.19667661@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 147888

I got this letter today, informing my of a post in which I was
supposedly involved.
I have never e-mailed obfd any such info, and have never had a hotmail
account.
Gosh Macky, I thought you'd do better than this.....
Too bad I killed any thread that had the words this one must have had
in it, because had it not been for the email, I'd have never know.
Now, Mackey, if you feel man enough to involve me in your childish
little games, buck up and confront me.
Otherwise stay on the short bus to school.

>Received: (qmail 7746 invoked by uid 0); 29 Mar 1998 05:00:31 -0000
>Message-ID: <19980329050031.7745.qmail@hotmail.com>
>Received: from 151.164.43.69 by www.hotmail.com with HTTP;
> Sat, 28 Mar 1998 21:00:31 PST
>X-Originating-IP: [151.164.43.69]
>From: "THECBGUY CBGUY" <thecbguy@hotmail.com>
>To: obfd@aol.com
>Subject: bill cheek
>Date: Sat, 28 Mar 1998 21:00:31 PST
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
>Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
>
>I just found this out about Bill Cheek, and just think I have been
>defending him for so long.
>
_______Obvious lies snipped_____________
>
>
>-----== Sent via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Easy access to 50,000+ discussion forums

Never written by me...and not even amusing.
Mackey at his best/worst.

If you look at the Posting IP, it was posted through Texas.....I'm in
Michigan.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

2214. BC895 Computer Programs A review.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <IHJA1.107$Je.369785@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147889
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello Fellow TrunkTrackers,

I have been evaluating the available software and here are my conclusions.

#1 to Buy is Scancat-Gold SE, It Works really well with the 895

It has a newly designed interface that looks really great.

It was the Best $99.00 I have ever spent and makes programming the radio a Breeze.

you can also get the Cable (Nicely done, and well constructed) from scancat.

Also if you are good at soldering you can "Roll your own" with parts from Radio Shack.

You can Reach Scancat(Computer Aided Technologies) at
1-888-Scancat
or http://www.scancat.com/

Also don't forget the great tech support that Comes with Scancat

In the time that I have owned scancat with my AR8000 and BC895 I have nothing but good experiances with C.A.T.

Here are My Other observations.

Pc895 is free but the new release seems buggy and crashes, I really would reccomend it but it gave me all kind of errors when i started it up (On 2 different Machines) When it quits crashing I will Most Wholeheatedly Reccomend it.
Free program so can't complain much. if it worked.

Freetracker is Very Good and it is free - The Creator is really doing a good Job, with no more crashing,and a friendlier database he is making progress,,,Reccomended for a good free program

Radio Manager is ok also and costs around $40.00, Does not crash, however I feel the Interface could use a little pep-up, very nice Database

Scanstar is Buggy and Crashes - Trunk Commander (scanstars trunking module) Crashed on me and locked up the computer. Plus it is the only program that rewrites your Autoexec.bat file (a scary thought) I do like the look but it was confusing when i could get the demo to work. (one time for 2 minutes)

Just My Opinion,

Jason Webb

Jason Webb EMT/EMD
The Orlando Florida TrunkTracking Page
http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/
orlscan@bellsouth.net

2215. Re: Radios and scanners on commercial planes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uingiXwx9GA.404@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147890

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
> Maybe they've changed since, but I flew them about 4 years ago ....

The airline you flew went bankrupt. The "TWA" now flying took the name
and nothing else.
. /* barry /&

2216. Need Scanner Repair Shop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <TOJA1.2458$Cg.1093553@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 147891

Hi All,
I am looking for a reliable service repair shop to repair
an old Crystal Control Scanner.

It is a SBE Scanner that in the same box as a SBE CB Radio.
It is a SBE Super Console Model SBE-14CB. The scanner will
scan, but don't receive, it has noise if you open the squelch but
no signal. I do have the Sams CB photofact #CB-51, January
1974 that has board layout and schematic and alignment.

Any help will be appreciated. reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks, Boyd

2217. Anyone Know?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: otalk2meo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081322420900.SAA10416@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147892

Anyone Know any mods or tricks for the BC3000XLT? I've tried to search around, but I've had little luck. Plus, I read previous posts, but nothing much came up. Any help would be much appreciated. Thanks,

Jeff

2218. PRO-2005 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13936-35D36754-5@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147893

Near mint and shows hardly any sign of use.Cellular modified with box,manual and antenna.$325 shipping included.thanks

2219. Re: Pro 2004 $225

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: harleyfxd <harleyfxd@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35D378E5.2B5188B@erols.com>
Source record: 147894

Email me directly for more info. I tried to reply to your post but the address came back as undeliverable.
harleyfxd@erols.com

PDoddy wrote:

> I am interested in your PRO 2004 .Where are you located. pdoddy.aol.com

2220. FS: Max Syst. 225-400 Mhz Ground Plane Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: fbals@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081323541900.TAA20173@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147895

I still have a mint condition, never used, military aircraft ground plane antenna with BNC connector for sale. Elements cut for the band. It was never used since I've been using my modified discone.

Price is $20.00 shipped to the lower 48 states

E-mail: Fbals@aol.com

2221. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gonner@spamming.not
Message-ID: <35D3840E.3E6C08D3@spamming.not>
Source record: 147896

yes this site does
http://www.inetone.net/Fsmith/index.html

Tommy Simmons wrote:

> Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
> realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
> Thanks,
> Tommy

2222. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <LIMA1.157$Lc3.4406431@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147897

I have tried to make the cable work. I make cables all the time as part of
my job and I cannot get the pro 64 to communicate !!!!!!!!

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D34A28.5DAD07FA@nospam.att.net>...
>Check out Ken Plotkin's scanner site at
>http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm
>
>Robert Viveiros wrote:
>
>> Can someone point me in the direction to a list of parts to make the
>> computer interface for the Pro 64?
>>
>> To email me remove the numbers before my address!
>>
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>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2223. Re: 49 mhz conversion??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <35D39E9C.7AB9@blarg.net>
Source record: 147898

Ted Woodzell wrote:
>
> I need to convert a pair of Radio Shack trc-506 , 49Mhz talkies from 49.830
> to something else!
> Bought them for kids to use while bike riding but all the baby monitors and
> the like make it impossible to use them. Any tips on changing the freq??
> This model (dual conversion) has 3 xtals, 16.610Mhz, 39.130 and 10.245. I
> have plenty of xtals in the 37, 10 and 16 mhz range.

I don't own any of these walkie talkies, nor have I acually seen the inside of one, but this is info that I read in a magazine article. Since I haven't done this myself, don't blame me if you flunk up your radio.
In order to make these walkie talkies cheap, the manufacturers used the little chips used in cordless phones. These chips controll the old ten channel cordless plan for the 49.xx freqs only. A separate chip controlled the 46.xx freqs.
The chips have four inputs that are set in a binary plan. 1-10 set the standard ten freqs, if 11-16 are used, the chip defaults to channel 10.
On the 5 channel 49mhz walkie talkie, the freqs are 49.83, 49.845, 49.86, 49.875, 49.89. These freqs are set via a diode matrix. Just change the diodes and you'll get freqs 49.67, 49.77, 49.93, 49.97, 49.99. These aren't used by the baby monitors, or by anything alse but other cordless phones, so you'll have notably less interferance.
For the fixed one channel talkies, I imagine that the freq is set by the pins permanantly soldered high or low. So, it'll be more work to change the freqs. But just some wire snips and a piece of wire or two will do the job.
I hafta say this, it's the law: Remember, these radios aren't certified to use freqs that they don't allready use from the store. Changing the freqs violates FCC certification and they'll be illegal to operate ever again.
With that out of the way, I'd like to hear if this really works. Someone e-mail me or post to the groups if you've done this.

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
-=Jack the TechnoDragon=-	Please remove the second,
a.k.a.	anti-spamming N from the
-=Jack T.Dragon=-	end of tdragon in my
tdragonn@blarg.net	address to respond.
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2224. Lincoln

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Rolland <mroll@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6r007f$74f$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 147899

Anyone have a freq list for Lincoln, NE (public service, air, military, etc)?

Thanks

Mark

mroll@sprynet.com

2225. Re: Mackey ....is this what happens when I ignore you?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D3A681.6189@parg.org>
Source record: 147900

The Cb Guy wrote:

> >Received: (qmail 7746 invoked by uid 0); 29 Mar 1998 05:00:31 -0000
> >Message-ID: <19980329050031.7745.qmail@hotmail.com>
> >Received: from 151.164.43.69 by www.hotmail.com with HTTP;
> > Sat, 28 Mar 1998 21:00:31 PST
> >X-Originating-IP: [151.164.43.69]
> >From: "THECBGUY CBGUY" <thecbguy@hotmail.com>
SNIP

> Never written by me...and not even amusing.
> Mackey at his best/worst.

I never said it was you, according to the messaged I posted it
was from "thecbguy@hotmail.com".

2226. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D3A796.4C1E@parg.org>
Source record: 147901

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Not so Bucky. My ISP considers it OK, as there IS a
> group by that name, and I am the president of said group.

Has internic assigned your group the domain name of "P_ARG.ORG"
or are you lying when you use that domain name?

When I use the e-mail address of "bbowers@parg.org" I am using a
e-mail address assigned to me by the "PARG.ORG" domain authorities
under the approval of internic!

2227. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D3A8FF.30B4@parg.org>
Source record: 147902

How did you confirm this Ryan?

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Pottersville Amateur Radio Group certainly does exist.

2228. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6r08ndaqg1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147903

I don't know what the problem is. I have never before built a computer type cable until the one I did for my Pro-64. It worked the first time I tried it.

Peter Altman wrote in message ...
>I have tried to make the cable work. I make cables all the time as part of >my job and I cannot get the pro 64 to communicate !!!!!!!!

2229. Santa Cruz County CTCSS tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.103d52bd687eada298969d@news.pon.net>
Source record: 147904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm making a trip for the weekend to Santa Cruz County and was curious if anyone had the CTCSS tones used by different public safety agencies in that county. I have found lists on the Internet for various frequencies, but none include the tones. If anyone knows tones I can program in, let me know. Thanks.
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_____
Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

2230. Alright then Phil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7eb_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147905

-=> Quoting Phil Smalley to All <=-

PS> THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he
PS> has made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed,
PS> folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

PS> I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have
PS> proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A
PS> personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

We all know now that Mackey has posted nothing but lies
in this newsgroups. Cheek's own NC, who couldn't care
one way or the other, has this to say.................

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

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2231. More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7ec_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147906

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

> Secondly, you have been given proof positive that Bill was not
> kicked off, booted off, asked to leave by any authority, or other
> wise removed from FIDONET, but you still refuse to acknowledge

JM> That is because there was NO proof given my any individuals who
JM> are aware!

M A C K E Y you are a L I A R

You don't believe that Cheek's NC is aware?

You don't believe that R10C knows what's going on?

You don't believe that other members of NET202 are aware?

GEcho 1.00

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2232. ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7ed_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147907

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>

> OK,,,, lets try it ONE MORE TIME!

> Those people who carry on with Cheek making trouble have certainly
> shown themselves lately as being the trouble makers they are.

> So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the
> order to benefit all.

> If everyone simply stops the flames & off-topic posts, all will be
> well!

> Try it, it's simple!

Mackey is a:

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2233. ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7ee_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147908

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> In other words, shut your lying mouth!

You would do well to do the same.

Mackey is a:

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2234. Mackey's Famous Quotation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7ef_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147909

-=> Quoting K4cc to All <=-

K4> No, you quoted him out of context just like you always do, in a
K4> laughable attempt to back up your asinine distortions, lies and flames.

Ah, we already knew that anything out of Mackey is a lie.

Mackey is a:

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2235. ~John Mackey Produces

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7f0_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147910

-=> Quoting Charles21@my-dejanews.com to All <=-

Ch> I'm not your son and if I were I would never admit to it.
Ch> After all who wants to be associated with a liar!

Yep, we all know the truth about the lying Mackey now.

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2236. ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7f1_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147911

-=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-

>In other words, shut your lying mouth!

BB> I agree John, you should shut your lying mouth. The
BB> newsgroup as a whole would be better if you did.

Yep, Mackey seems to be the only one throwing out lies left and right.

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2237. ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7f2_9808132202@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147912

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the
> order to benefit all.

It will end when Y O U admit you slandered Cheek with a lie about a
warrant for his arrest and a lie about him being kicked out of FidoNet.

It's going to take a confession from you. No other way are you going
to get out of the situation you created by yourself.

Your goose is cooked, well done.

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2238. Disneyland Trunk System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Sauer <rrcom@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35D3DB52.5FD9@pacbell.net>
Source record: 147913

I acquired a nice little Motorola Visar. The person who gave
it to me *thought* it was an 800 MHz conventional radio. Neat!
I planned to program LA City Fire into it, until I figured out
it was a 900 MHz trunking radio. DA-OH!

Has anyone decoded the talk groups for the 900 MHz trunk system
used at Disneyland in Anaheim, CA? That's the only thing I
know of on 900 MHz that MIGHT be interesting to listen to...

Anything else in SoCal that anyone has info on out there that's
900 MHz Motorola Type II/IIi trunked?

Any help would be appreciated.

Rich.

2239. Alright then Phil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <811_9808140100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147914

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> The message from Charles is a forge and full of lies.

And you're a big bagful of lies and hate, Mackey.

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2240. I want to recognize someo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <812_9808140100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147915

-=> Quoting Tscommone to All <=-

> And I wish that more people like you still lived in America, if they
> didwe wouldn't be going to hell in a hand basket and getting no better.
> Thank you and God Bless you... Rick D. Adkins, TSC
> Mid Central Region

Do you feel real good about possessing a copy that violates U.S.
copyright laws, and which deprives the rightful owner (Uniden)
of the fees it's entitled too?

Maybe we're going to hell in a handbasket because the world is full
of crooks like you, cheating whenever they can.

I don't think your God blesses people like that.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2241. Conditions and 46 MHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sells <sells@greenapple.com>
Message-ID: <6r1llq$iop@news1.ee.net>
Source record: 147916

Sometimes I recieve traffic in the area of 46 to 47 MHZ from bolcks away and for periods nothing at all. Is the freqs in this area subject to band conditions because every winter I recieve this stations then during summer they fade no trees are involved .

Just curious of course
Thanks Bob

2242. Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAlexder <malexder@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6qsjoo$u5n$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 147959

Thought this list of PL tones for fed freqs might be of some use. I m not the author of the list. I grabbed it from who knows where a while ago

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PL-Tone Government Agency
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077.0 Department Of Energy
082.5 U.S. Postal Service
091.5 U.S. Postal Service
094.8 Bureau Of Land Management
094.8 Department Of Energy (Nest Teams)
097.4 U.S. Postal Service
100.0 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
100.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
100.0 Civil Air Patrol
100.0 Department Of Justice
100.0 Immigration & Naturalization Service
100.0 Internal Revenue Service
100.0 U.S. Customs
103.5 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
103.5 Central Intelligence Agency
103.5 Department Of Agriculture
103.5 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
103.5 Gsa Federal Supply Service
103.5 National Highway Traffic Administration
103.5 U.S. Marshals Service
103.5 U.S. Postal Service (Atlanta)
103.5 U.S. Secret Service
107.2 Department Of Agriculture
110.9 Civil Air Patrol
110.9 Department Of Geological Survey
110.9 U.S. Postal Service
114.8 Environmental Protection Agency
114.8 U.S. Postal Service
118.8 U.S. Capitol Police
123.0 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
123.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
123.0 Immigration & Naturalization Service
123.0 Institute Of Standards & Technology
123.0 Internal Revenue Service
123.0 IRS/DEA Shared Frequencies (Surveillance)
123.0 U.S. Customs
127.3 Bureau Of Export Administration
127.3 Department Of Commerce
127.3 Department Of Energy
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127.3 Department Of Veterans Affairs
127.3 Federal Reserve Banking System
127.3 General Services Administration
127.3 Immigration & Naturalization Service
127.3 Nuclear Regulatory Commission
127.3 U.S. Marshals Service
131.8 Federal Reserve Banking System
131.8 Internal Revenue Service
131.8 Internal Revenue Service
136.5 Federal Aviation Administration
136.5 U.S. Geological Survey
136.5 U.S. Marshals Service
136.5 U.S. Postal Service
146.2 Federal Aviation Administration
146.2 General Services Administration (Atlanta)
146.2 U.S. Fish & Wildlife
146.2 U.S. Marshals Service
151.4 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
151.4 Immigration & Naturalization Service
151.4 State Department
151.4 State Department
151.4 State Department (Bureau Of Diplomatic Security)
156.7 Drug Enforcement Agency
156.7 Federal Aviation Administration
156.7 Federal Bureau Of Investigation
156.7 Federal Executive Board
156.7 Internal Revenue Service
156.7 IRS/DEA Shared Frequencies (Surveillance)
156.7 National Marine Fisheries
156.7 U.S. Attorney
156.7 U.S. Postal Service
167.9 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
167.9 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms (OCDETF)
167.9 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
167.9 Department Of Energy (Nuclear Material Security)
167.9 Department Of Justice
167.9 Federal Bureau Of Investigation
167.9 Health & Human Services
167.9 Immigration & Naturalization Service
167.9 U.S. Marshals Service
173.8 Federal Communications Commission
186.2 U.S. Marshals Service
192.8 Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms
192.8 Federal Communications Commission
192.8 U.S. Marshals Service
203.5 U.S. Marshals Service
206.5 Immigration & Naturalization Service
206.5 National Security Agency
241.8 Unknown (Received In Atlanta)

2243. Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAlexder <malexder@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6qsjr7$u5q$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 147960

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100.0 Bureau Of Indian Affairs
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100.0 Internal Revenue Service
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127.3 Department Of Commerce
127.3 Department Of Energy
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127.3 Federal Reserve Banking System
127.3 General Services Administration
127.3 Immigration & Naturalization Service
127.3 Nuclear Regulatory Commission
127.3 U.S. Marshals Service
131.8 Federal Reserve Banking System
131.8 Internal Revenue Service
131.8 Internal Revenue Service
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136.5 U.S. Marshals Service
136.5 U.S. Postal Service
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146.2 U.S. Marshals Service
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192.8 U.S. Marshals Service
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206.5 Immigration & Naturalization Service
206.5 National Security Agency
241.8 Unknown (Received In Atlanta)

2244. 235xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Weaver <weavert@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <6qtchqene1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 147961
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In my BC235XLT manual, it indicates a feature "direct channel access".
It's not listed anywhere else in the manual...do they mean channel banks,
or is there a way to go directly to Channel 92, say, w/o having to stop
and "scroll" through them all.

TIA,
Tim

2245. Re: Pro 2004 $225

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081301343800.VAA09166@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147962

I am interested in your PRO 2004 .Where are you located. pdoddy.aol.com

2246. Re: More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D24532.707B@parg.org>
Source record: 147963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> Charles showed proof that you made the story up.

Charles' post was a lie & he could present NOTHING to prove otherwise!

> When are you going to show any proof he is not telling the truth?

Here ya go, son! e-mail from the CB GUY to OBFD that he (OBFD)
forwarded to me. Bill knew about this a head of time too as OBFD sent
him a warning about the issue giving him a chance to change his his
ways.
Of course, Bill declined!

CB GUY was the first to bring up the accusation of BIll Cheek
as a child molester!

From - Sun Mar 29 14:26:57 1998
Received: from 192.108.254.21 (192.108.254.21) by
mx03.netaddress.usa.net via mtad (2.4)
id mx03-ccCVsp0685; Sun, 29 Mar 1998 21:18:41 00000 (MST)
Received: (from justinb@localhost) by smtp1.teleport.com (8.8.7/8.7.3)
id NAA19663 for jmackey@usa.net; Sun, 29 Mar 1998 13:18:39 -0800 (PST)
Received: from imo25.mx.aol.com (imo25.mx.aol.com [198.81.17.69]) by
smtp1.teleport.com (8.8.7/8.7.3) with ESMTP id NAA19656 for
<ka0ssf@parg.org>; Sun, 29 Mar 1998 13:18:36 -0800 (PST)
Received: from OBFD@aol.com
by imo25.mx.aol.com (IMOv13.ems) id 8BQa010380
for <ka0ssf@parg.org>; Sun, 29 Mar 1998 16:18:21 -0500 (EST)
From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
Message-ID: <111ab62d.351eba9f@aol.com>
Date: Sun, 29 Mar 1998 16:18:21 EST
To: ka0ssf@parg.org
Mime-Version: 1.0
Subject: Fwd: bill cheek
Content-type: multipart/mixed;
boundary="part0_891206301_boundary"
X-Mailer: AOL 3.0 16-bit for Windows sub 58
X-Mozilla-Status: 0001
Content-Length: 1932

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--part0_891206301_boundary
Content-ID: <0_891206301@inet_out.mail.aol.com.1>
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII

--part0_891206301_boundary
Content-ID: <0_891206301@inet_out.mail.aol.com.2>
Content-type: message/rfc822
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-disposition: inline

Return-Path: <thecbguy@hotmail.com>
Received: from rly-zb01.mx.aol.com (rly-zb01.mail.aol.com
[172.31.41.1]) by
air-zb03.mail.aol.com (v40.16) with SMTP; Sun, 29 Mar 1998 00:00:19
-0500
Received: from hotmail.com (f9.hotmail.com [207.82.250.20])
by rly-zb01.mx.aol.com (8.8.5/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with SMTP id AAA19415 for <obfd@aol.com>;
Sun, 29 Mar 1998 00:00:32 -0500 (EST)
Received: (qmail 7746 invoked by uid 0); 29 Mar 1998 05:00:31 -0000
Message-ID: <19980329050031.7745.qmail@hotmail.com>
Received: from 151.164.43.69 by www.hotmail.com with HTTP;
Sat, 28 Mar 1998 21:00:31 PST
X-Originating-IP: [151.164.43.69]
From: "THECBGUY CBGUY" <thecbguy@hotmail.com>
To: obfd@aol.com
Subject: bill cheek
Date: Sat, 28 Mar 1998 21:00:31 PST
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

I just found this out about Bill Cheek, and just think I have been
defending him for so long.

INDECENT EXPOSURE
Bill Cheek has contacted five different
eleven year old boys and
exposed his penis to them. He has attempted
to get the boys
into his car. Cheek has also masturbated in
front of the boys.
OR. AG.: SDPD/Mid City; Warrant: M728645CA,
Issued:
09/21/93. Bail: $100,000.

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Get Your Private, Free Email at http://www.hotmail.com

--part0_891206301_boundary--

2247. FS: RS Discone Base Scanner Antenna ($30)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <35d246d4.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 147964

>>Radio Shack Discone Base Scanner Antenna
>>Good condition
>>
>>Works fine - Moving, can't put up at new place!
>>
>>$30 shipped/pick up.

2248. Re: Fire Hat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D247E1.5D02@parg.org>
Source record: 147965

willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> So Brenda Donovan is the Ultimate Authority?

Fire Chief thinks so! Actually, she has very little authority at all!

2249. FS Pro 23 $70 shipped!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Bruckmann <wbruckmann@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6qthd6$gt9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

For sale "pro 23" 50 channel 900mhz scanner. It is in great
shape. Wife says it gives her a headache, and the novelty
of listening to EMS, Police, Fire dept, ATC, cell phones,
and cordless phones has worn off. First $70.... shipped!

2250. Re: OBFD's long term

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D24918.83B@parg.org>
Source record: 147967

Fire Chief wrote:
> Boy, he sure won't find it going to you, fat faced LIAR.

You saying such words is certainly the pot calling the kettle black!

2251. Re: Bill's and John's Degrees

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D24960.3015@parg.org>
Source record: 147968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Midnight.Rambler@asu.edu wrote:
> OK, my curiousity has gotten the best of me. Since Bill has been alledged to
> share his credentials with those who ask politely, then John, by his own
> "held to the same standard" standard, should be willing to do the same.
> Therefore, I am asking, politely, if both are willing to disclose to me,

See my private e-mail headed your way to work this out!

2252. Scanner radio web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotmockup@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081302204500.WAA07416@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147969

Scanner radio/Descrambler web site. Lots of scanner links.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion Descramblers</A>

2253. ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D24CB5.6C7F@parg.org>
Source record: 147970

OK,,,, lets try it ONE MORE TIME!

Those people who carry on with Cheek making trouble have certainly shown themselves lately as being the trouble makers they are.

So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the order to benefit all.

If everyone simply stops the flames & off-topic posts, all will be well!

Try it, it's simple!

2254. Re: FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kathleen A. Kaercher" <brownandschwaninger@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D283F9.AE61F6FC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147971

Have you tried the FCC's web site for data? www.fcc.gov? They're putting all of their databases in one basket.

Kate

William K McFadden wrote:

> [last changed 09-Oct-97]
>
> The latest version of this file can be accessed via my web page at:
> http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc
>
> FCC License Data Sources
> Bill McFadden
> billmc@agora.rdrop.com
>
> Changes preceeded by "|". Please e-mail corrections and additions to me.
>
> INTRODUCTION
>
> This is a list of FCC license data sources available to scanner
> hobbyists. The FCC master contains a wealth of data about every
> non-government license in the United States (over three million
> records). Most of the sources listed contain a subset of this data,
> although a few contain all or nearly all of it. Government licenses are
> not administered by the FCC, and the data is not available to the
> public.
>
> Also available are subscrition services from companies like ISI and CET.
> Since they charge by the minute, they are not really practical for the
> hobbyist and hence are not included in this list.
>
> Prices are rounded to the nearest dollar and include shipping, if known.
>
> C.E.T.
>
> CET sells records of all stations inside a 30-mile radius for $80.
> (Major cities cost extra.) A 70-mile search costs $178. The data is
> provided on floppy disks and is available in ASCII columnar and
> comma-delimited formats.
>
> CET does not provide data for licenses that do not contain specific
> geographic coordinates (i.e., mobile-only systems) or specific operating
> frequencies (e.g., amateur radio).
>

> To do the search, CET requires the latitude and longitude of the center
> of the 30-mile radius. I calculated mine from a USGS topographic map I
> obtained at a local nautical supply store. Alternatively, you can obtain
> the coordinates for your town from the University of Michigan's
> geographic name server. Run "telnet 141.212.99.9 3000" and enter your
> zip code. For my area, the server returned the coordinates of the main
> post office.
>
> CET can be reached at 800-445-0297.
>
> CSP TECHNOLOGIES
>
> CSP Technologies sells FCC data on CD-ROM. ScannerBase covers the entire
> US and comes with a database search program.
>
> ScannerBase costs $34. CSP Technologies can be reached at 888-857-4240
> (voice) or http://www.csp-tech.com/.
>
> FCC
>
> The database is also available from the FCC for free. It covers most
> services but not all. Sections can be downloaded, processed with a
> supplied Visual BASIC program, and viewed with Microsoft Access. The
> entire database is approximately 3 GB in size. See:
>
> http://www.fcc.gov/oet/info/database/raeddf.html
>
> GROVE
>
> Grove sells FCC data on CD-ROM and floppy. The CD-ROM covers the entire
> US and is available with or without mapping support. The mapping version
> brings up a map with the requested station plotted on it. The regular
> version is $104, and the mapping version is $174.
>
> Floppies are available by state for $44 per state (add $10 for CA, FL,
> TX). The disk comes with a database search program. Grove Enterprises
> can be reached at 800-438-8155 (voice) or http://www.grove.net/.
>
> MICROFICHE
>
> The Bearcat Radio Club sells the FCC master by state for $15. Bearcat
> Radio Club can be reached at P.O. Box 291918, Kettering OH, 45429.
>
> PERCON
>
> PerCon sells FCC data on CD-ROM. The Spectrum CD covers the entire US
> and comes with a simple database search program. Regional CDs cover
> subsets of the US but come with a more powerful database manager and
> provide more detail about each license. Also available is a Ham callsign
> and repeater database CD.

>
> Spectrum costs $37, and the Ham and Repeater Database is $22. Regional
> CDs are $137 for the first CD, $102 each additional CD ($560 for the
> entire 6 CD set). Data is updated twice a year. PerCon can be reached
> at 716-386-6015 (voice), 716-386-6013 (fax), support@perconcorp.com, or
> http://www.perconcorp.com. The Spectrum database can be searched free of
> charge via Percon's WWW page.
>
> POLICE CALL
>
> This is probably the most cost-effective source of public service license
> information. The detail is limited, but the information that is there is
> often more useful than the FCC master. For example, an entry in Police
> Call that reads, "Portland Police, Net 3, North Precinct," reads,
> "Portland, City of" in the master. Police Call has been merged with its
> sister publication, Beyond Police Call, and now includes a limited
> selection of business listings.
>
> Police call is available in 9 volumes covering different regions of the
> US. It can be purchased at Radio Shack stores for $13 per volume.
>
> | PRO DATA
>
> | Pro Data is a database manager program for license data. It does not come
> | with its own data but can import data from APF, Percon, ScanWare, and
> | UFDBF database files.
>
> | Pro Data costs $60. For more information, write to prodata1@gte.net, or
> | visit http://home1.gte.net/prodata1/index.htm.
>
> RADIOMAP SERVICE
>
> Developed by long-time Usenet contributor Bob Parnass, this service
> provides a custom report of frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names
> for a specified area in any of the 50 states. Coverage areas of 4 to 256
> square miles will be chosen by Bob depending on transmitter site
> density. Standard and deluxe reports are available. Both reports
> include a color plot with transmitter sites marked. The deluxe report
> adds a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum
> analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the
> map coverage area.
>
> To create the report, Bob requires the latitude and longitude (or nearest
> street intersection) of the center location. Standard reports are
> $29.95, and deluxe reports are $34.95. Write to Bob Parnass at 2350
> Douglas Rd, Oswego, IL, 60543, or call him at 630-554-3839 between 6-10
> PM central time.
>
> SCANWARE ASSOCIATES
>

> ScanWare Associates has developed a PC-based database program called the
> FCC Frequency Retrieval System. FCC data for all states is available,
> covering all services and all frequencies. Current data is for first
> quarter, 1996.
>
> Scanware has chosen to discontinue developing this software, but the good
> news is that the software and data are now FREE! It is being hosted by
> the West Virginia Educational Network. See:
> http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/index.html
>
> APPENDIX
>
> Here is table of data fields in the FCC master. Fields provided by
> various products are indicated by "#" or the field length, if known.
>
> PERCON PERCON POLICE SCAN
> DESCRIPTION SIZE CET GROVE SPECTRUM REGION CALL WARE CSP
> Frequency (or Lower Limit) 16 11 12 16 16 # 11 #
> Upper Frequency Limit 16 16 11
> Callsign 10 8 10 10 10 # 10 #
> Service Code 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
> Licensee DBA Name 40 32 40 30 40 # 40 #
> Licensee State 2 2 2 2 #
> Licensee Zip 9 5 9 9 #
> Licensee Address 35 30 35
> Licensee City 20 15 12 20 20 #
> Licensee Name 200 100
> Applicant Phone 10 10
> Transmitter Latitude 6 6 6 6 6 6 #
> Transmitter Longitude 7 7 7 7 7 7 #
> Transmitter Elevation 5 5 5 5 #
> Transmitter Height 5 5 5 5
> Transmitter HAAT 5 5 5
> Transmitter Effective Height 5 5 5
> TX Antenna Structure Height 5 5 5
> Transmitter Address 80 80
> Transmitter City 20 10 20 20 # 20 #
> Transmitter County 30 10 20 20 30 30 #
> Transmitter State 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
> Class of Station 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
> Type of Message Service 1 1
> Area of Operation 1 1
> Radius of Operation 4 4 4
> Antenna Type 10 10
> Antenna Elevation Angle 6 6
> Antenna Azimuth 6 6
> Antenna Polarization 3 3 3
> Antenna Gain 4 4
> Antenna Path Length 6 6
> Antenna Beam Width 8 8

> ERP Out 8 4 8 8
> ERP Units 2 1 2
> ERP Indicator 1 1
> Power Out 8 4 8 8
> Power Out Units 2 1 2
> Power Out Indicator 1 1
> Emissions 15 15 15
> License Issue Date 6 6
> License Expiration Date 6 4 6 #
> Operation Begin Time 4 4
> Operation End Time 4 4
> Number of Vehicle Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
> Number of Portable Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
> Number of Aircraft Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
> Number of Marine Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
> Number of Pager Mobiles 5 4 5 5 5
> Originating Database ID 1 1
> Authorization Type 1 1
> CP Authorization Number 2 2
> Area of Operation Descript. 100 100
> Paint & Lighting Specs 33 33
> Special Conditions 100 100
> TX Latitude Direction 1 1
> TX Longitude Direction 1 1
> Type of Last Contact 1 1
> Date of Last Contact 6 6
> Number of Units 4 4
> Reverse Azimuth 6
> Path Connection Latitude 6
> Path Connection Longitude 7
>
> CP = Construction Permit, ERP = Effective Radiated Power,
> HAAT = Height Above Average Terrain
>
> --
> Bill McFadden Tektronix, Inc. P.O. Box 500 MS 50-350 Beaverton, OR 97077
> bill.mcfadden@tek.com http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc
> CAUTION: Don't look into laser beam with remaining eye.
> Any opinions expressed above are not necessarily those of Tektronix, Inc.

2255. J. Mackey wants Proof he lied.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6qtjm9$f6s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147972

John Mackey here is proof you lied about knowing whether or not there was a warrant out for Cheek's arrest.

As the email from Nick OBFD below shows you made up the whole thing and then wanted others to lie and say it was true. The proof of it is below you can say it's forged all you want but it is not and you know it is not.

>From obfd@aol.com Mon Mar 30 13:28:19 1998
>Received: from OBFD@aol.com
> by imo25.mx.aol.com (IMOv13.ems) id PFYa010381
> for <charleshdn@aol.com>; Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 -0500 (EST)
>From: OBFD <OBFD@aol.com>
>Message-ID: <be37d08a.351ebb4e@aol.com>
>Date: Mon, 30 Mar 1998 16:21:16 EST
>To: charleshdn@aol.com
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Subject: Re: bill cheek
>Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
>Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
>X-Mailer: AOL 3.0 16-bit for Windows sub 58
>
>Bill Cheek kicked John off of the fido net so John has decided that he will do
>the same for Bill on the internet.
>
>John has come up with a sure fire ideal, and since Cheek is not one of your
>favorite people you can help us in getting rid of him once and for all.
>
>John's ideal will do this, he is going to accuse cheek of sexual abuse
>with young boys and this will make people turn against him.
>
>What he needs from you and myself is to back him up on this, don't worry no one
>will find out that John has just made the story up as they will not be able to
>check it out since it is not true.
>
>Just putting this idea in peoples minds will cause them not to want to have
>anything to do with cheek, you know tit for tat.
>
>cheek will not be able to defend himself against this and we will be rid of him
>once and for all.
>
>I for one am hoping you will help and so is John and like I said you don't have
>to worry about someone finding out as there are no real charges and that can't
>be traced .
>
>This will get rid of cheek in a hurry and we really could use your help.

>Take care, Charles, hope to see you around!
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2256. Trade for scanner-worth reading

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Bertone <dbertone@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35D52235.70349DF6@flash.net>
Source record: 147673

3COM Impact ISDN modem that I bought new so it has everything

Kodak portable PhotoCD player with all the extras-looks like Discman on steroids and plays audio CD'S too.

Yaesu FT 209 and 709 older HT's that look tired but work good. 10 memeory channels

Bernoulli Transportable 150's (3 of them) with 11 disks LOADED with XXX-entire contents of defunct BBS

Let me know what you have.!

2257. Re: SONY CRF-1 HF reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Gacek <pgacek@eni.net>
Message-ID: <6r36sd$lf4$1@paxfeed.eni.net>
Source record: 147674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

$1700 - you have got to be joking!

Akio Fujikawa wrote in message <35D2DC5A.A4DB36F1@nk.rim.or.jp>...
>Hello!
>Thank you for your e-mail.
>CRF-1 is great condition. Cosmetic is exc.condition.
>I think CRF-1 Best HF reciever.
>
>I hope price us$1,700+shipping.
>Shipping fee is
>us$105- via EMS.
>
>I wait your good answer.
>
>Bets regards,
>73
>akio fujikawa
>fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
>$B!!(J
>

2258. Re: Pro-2004 sensitivity question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Hay <tedh@xcelco.on.ca>
Message-ID: <6r58io$b6o$1@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 147675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Pursuit10851 wrote in message <35d3e3a7.3141505@news.jps.net>...
> I just got a Pro-2004 a week ago, and in comparing it with my
>Pro-2006 on 800 MHz (870-893.970 MHz) I noticed that the 2004's
>sensitivity wasn't as good as the 2006's. I went to the Radio Shack
>webpage and checked the specs on the 2004, but the sensitivity specs
>are listed in millivolts instead of microvolts. Is this a typo? I did
>get lucky in other ways on this unit; the display is still in good
>shape and it doesn't have any signs of being one of those units that
>was made with the defective wave-soldering machine, even though the
>date code is 6A7 (June 1987). When I got it it had the cell mod and
>400-channel mod. I did the speedup mod and the keypad beep delete mod,
>and I also removed a TNC connector that someone had wired directly to
>the existing BNC connector with a short length of RG-58 under the top
>circuit board. This improved reception a lot, but I am still curious
>if the sensitivity is supposed to be as good as the 2006. If anyone
>knows, please post a response to this newsgroup. Thanks in advance.

I have owned a Pro 2004 and 2006 for years. The 2004 is not as sensitive as my 2006. My first scanner was a 2021 and when I bought the 2004 it missed many signals the 2021 received clearly. The squelch action isn't as good on the 2004 as my other scanners either, is easy to miss signals when scanning if they are weak. The alignment of the 2004 was checked once several years ago and very little improvement was made.

Ted

2259. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Hay <tedh@xcelco.on.ca>
Message-ID: <6r58j0$b6o$2@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 147676

Pro43 wrote in message <1998080713015700.JAA14591@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Ive been using Pro Turbo for a few months now. It is a great program which
>completes the marriage of the 2004-5-6 ,Ce-232 and computer. It is very
>intuitive. I have tried alot of other software and prefer PT.

When you say a lot of other software do you mean for the HB232? I dont see a lot of software for it and would like to hear about the other options other than the software originally designed for it or Pro Turbo which I have seen.

Thanks Ted

2260. Re: New NASA hurricane study - freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6r1p92$1pb8$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147723

UF1 wrote in message <35D32B8B.5416@LESS.NET>...
>D Stark wrote:
>
>> From a NASA press release:
>
>> When a hurricane or tropical storm erupts in the Atlantic, a
>> NASA Dryden Flight Research Center DC-8
>SNIP
>> Anybody have frequencies for this operation?
>
>Try http://www.irisz.hu/~ivan/mir/nasafr.html
>
>Robert

Thanks. That's quite a comprehensive list, and there are lots of
Dryden frequencies there.

If anyone comes up with specific discrete frequencies assigned to the
tropical weather program, please let me know.

73 de Dave, NF2G

2261. FS: Electra Bearcat Scanner Xtals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Lovell <electra@tcon.net>
Message-ID: <jF%A1.422$jp5.586095@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 147724
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Greetings:

Am disposing old stock; selling Bearcat Scanner
Crystals (10.8 MHz IF) ASAP. Price: $5.00 each,
add $1.00 shipping. Many frequencies in stock,
many also lacking - Advise frequencies needed,
will check stock. Also have AC Cords, Antennas,
Manuals and a few ICs.

Regards,

David A. Lovell
RF Engineer/President
Electra Corporation
electra@tcon.net

2262. Re: [Fwd: K. Patterson's comments]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hidden And Gone <"can't find it"@no>
Message-ID: <6r1ulh$c9c@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,talk.euthanasia,alt.support.mult-sclerosis

Who cares what someone sent you.
I don't remember this new service being called alt.Ryan's.problems. If I am correct it says alt.radio.scanner.
Your little personal battles should be kept between you and the person(s) that don't like you. not on the News Server any longer. I know I posted a Message about you but I didn't post any emails or anything like that on the Server. That is stupid. If you are such that little and sorry leave
Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D46291.BA6A9516@nospam.att.net>...
>First of all, K Patterson's real email address is <kandtp@fiai.net>.
>
>His comments are also inappropriate and saddening (just like loser
>MAlexder's).
>
>Some people just think of themselves, and themselves only. MAlexder and
>K. Patterson are two of them -- they are Gods of selfishness and
>stupidity. It just shows how INSENSITIVE they are to others' problems.
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2263. Joy King Of Towels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: DGDJJR@classic.msn.com
Message-ID: <00001ff6+00009cdc@classic.msn.com>
Source record: 147726

Would you like some towels?

2264. Pro64 Excel Template

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ibbryn@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r240deam1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147727

I've tried to download this template from Ken's site many times. Each time the file unzips but when I try to open it I get a "file not valid type" error. Can someone send me the files directly?

I'm using Widows95 with Excel 7.0.

Many thanks.

b

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2265. Re: sony scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rel3el@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081418333500.OAA24820@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147728

>I just got a new sony scanner as a gift. Is it worth keeping?

Well, tim. I really hate to tell you this, but as much as I love Sony, (i have a sony computer, TV, stereo...) Its a bit too user friendly and government controlled. I'd rather go for raw power without a fancy case and some way of easy access. If you need one that is user friendly, yet not to the point of smarmyness, get a Uniden Bearcat. I can highly reccomend these scanners. Get the new one with 300 channels, turbo scan, and Trunk Tracking.

>And are
>there any good mods available?

Well, Tim. Ive actually never heard of a mod for sony's scanners. Sorry. I'd return it if I were you.
John Rand

2266. Re: Crystals for Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Finney <kenneth.c.finney@boeing.com>
Message-ID: <35D47721.54B2@boeing.com>
Source record: 147729

Timothy E. Starr wrote:
>
> Does anyone have a good source for scanner crystals for an old radio
> shack scanner. I need several vhf crystals. Tnx in advance. Tim

Radio Shack has a special order system called "Radio Shack Unlimited"
where they can order items they normally don't stock. I was looking
through the "Unlimited" catalog (only available in the store) and they
have a listing of many of their old (and I mean old) scanners and list
all the crystals for them. Very nice service on Radio Shack's part.

2267. Which are better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6r214e$1c1$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147730

I am getting ready to but some rechargeable batteries for my scanner. I notice that there are rechargeable alkalines and nickel cadmium. Which is the better choice? Does one last longer than the other? Is the charge time different for the two types? Thanks for the help.

2268. Re: [Fwd: K. Patterson's comments]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980814191111400.PAA08875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147731

>From: "Hidden And Gone" <can't find it@no way jose.com>

>
>Who cares what someone sent you.
>I don't remember this new service being called alt.Ryan's.problems. If I am
>correct it says alt.radio.scanner.

Amen!

2269. Re: ETrunk single scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6r26rnkjc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> Anyone know of a soloution like Etrunk that uses a single scanner (in my
> case AR8000) or if Etrunk can be used in single scanner mode?

I would doubt such a system would be available anytime soon. I had tried using one scanner with ETRUNK, just to see how it would work, but not successful. ETRUNK would monitor the control coming from the BC895XLT, then when it switches to the audio it lost the data. Unfortuently you need that control channel to tell the scanner to switch back. So unless you can detect the end of transmission and switch back to control, it is not possible. It would most likely take a radio with a dual receiver to do such a task just like the Trunk Trackers and other commercial radios.

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

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2270. Re: Myrtle Beach, Horry County Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6r27vm$mk6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147733

> Does anyone have the Police, Fire, EMS and Prison freq's for the
> Myrtle Beach area? Would appreciate.

This is the collection of frequencies that I researched before going down to MB this summer. Rule number one, bring a Trunk Tracker. Basically all Public Safety operates on the system. There is simulcasting on some fire/medical dispatches . . .

Trunked Systems: SC MPX TRUNKED 856.0375-860, 856.3375-860 <-- statewide?, didn't hear anything Horry County TRUNKED 855.2375, 856-860.2125, 856-860.4375 <-- YES Myrtle Beach TRUNKED 866.7, 867.2875, 868.2, 868.5875, 868.925 <-- Not in service at the time, MB operated on Horry County's system North Myrtle Beach TRUNKED <-- Operational (but forgot where i put the freqs)

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Horry County Trunked Talkgroup IDs:

16 Horry Co Police Dispatch
48 Horry Co Police talkaround
272 Horry Co Beach Patrol
304 J. Ruben Long Detention Center
336 Horry County Sheriff
368 Horry County Warrants
784 Horry County Coroner
1264 Jetport Police 1
1296 Jetport Police 2
1328 Jetport MATS
1360 Jetport?
1392 Jetport Operations
1424 Jetport?
1456 Jetport ARFF (Airport Rescue/Firefighting)
1488 Jetport ARFF Talkaround
2416 Myrtle Beach Police 1
2448 Myrtle Beach Police 2
2960 Myrtle Beach Waterfront
3056 Myrtle Beach Traffic
3088 Myrtle Beach beach patrol
3152 Myrtle Beach beach patrol talkaround
3632 North Myrtle Beach
4112 Radio Test
4816 Civil Defense and Disaster
4848 Public Works (trash)
5168 Public Works
5200 Public Works

5232 Public Works
5232 Public Works
5264 Animal Control
5424 Horry County 911
6032 Conway Police 1
6064 Conway Police 2
8432 Horry County EMS 1
8464 Horry County EMS 2 Talkaround
7216 Horry County Fire
7344 Horry COunty Fire Administration
7376 Horry County Fire alternate
7428 Horry County Fire talkaround
7280 Horry County Fire Tac 1
7312 Horry County Fire Tac 2
8432 Horry Co EMS
9616 Aynor Police
10832 Loris Police
12016 Surfside Beach Police
12816 Myrtle Beach Fire Dispatch
12848 Myrtle Beach Fire Talkaround
12880 Myrtle Beach Fire Fireground 1
12912 Myrtle Beach Fire Fireground 2
13104 Myrtle Beach Fire Administration
14096 SCHP
14128 SCHP Talk 1
14160 SCHP Talk 2
14896 Atlantic Beach Police
15280 S.C. Department of Natural Resources
16176 Probation and Parole

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SC State Police: (Didn't listen much to this stuff . . .)
(042.08, 042.1, 042.34, 155.58, 155.01, 156.21)*FCC
042.0600 HP 8
042.0800* HP 4
042.1000* HP 1
042.1200 HP 3
042.1400 HP 7
042.2600 HP 2
042.3400* HP 6
154.6550 SLED (Narcotics)
154.6950 SLED (Investigators)
155.0100* SLED (Regional)
155.0700 SLED (Regional)
155.4450 SLED (Field Operations)
155.4600 SLED (Regional)
155.4750 SLED (National Intercity)
155.5350 SLED (Regional)
155.5500 Intercounty Sheriff's Link
155.5950 SLED (Investigators)

155.9550 Highway Patrol (BASE/BASE)
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SC PP 800Mhz Conventional:
866.2250 SCTAC1
866.6875 SCTAC2
867.7750 SCTAC3
868.6375* SCTAC4 (Also Myrtle Beach PD Channel 3) <-- VERY Important, but
operates in SIMPLEX so you've gotta be pretty close . . .
868.9750 SCTAC5
- - - - - - -
SC PL (Emergency Preparedness Division):
(45.08, 45.48)*FCC
- - - - - - -
SC PH:
(47.22, 47.34, 47.36)*FCC
- - - - - - -
SC PL (Parks, Recreation and Tourism Dept):
(453.9250)*FCC
- - - - - - -
State of South Carolina PO (*FCC):
151.25, 151.43, 158.985 (Wildlife and Marine Reserves)
159.27, 159.45 (Aynor, Loris, Wampee Fire Towers)
= = = = = = =
Myrtle Beach 800Mhz (GF?): <-- Didn't hear anything
(866.2, 810.2375, 821.2)*FCC
- - - - - - -
Myrtle Beach PP: <-- Conventional for intercity, etc . . .
(154.8, 154.86, 155.01, 155.37, 155.685)*FCC
- - - - - - -
Myrtle Beach PF: <-- simulcast MB fire dispatches on 153.8
(153.8300, 154.1750, 154.2200)*FCC
- - - - - - -
Myrtle Beach PL (Purchasing?):
(153.7550, 158.7450)*FCC
= = = = = = =
Area Medical Frequencies (*FCC): <-- medical dispatches simulcasted on
one of these, forgot though . . . .
155.2350 Horry County Rescue Squad Inc PS
155.2950 County of Horry PM
155.3400 County of Horry PM
155.4000 County of Horry PM
155.4000 Horry County Ambulance Commission PS
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Myrtle Beach Airport

CTAF: 128.45
UNICOM: 122.95
ATIS: 123.925
MYRTLE BEACH GROUND: 120.3 [0600-2300]
275.8 [0600-2300]

MYRTLE BEACH TOWER: 128.45 [0600-2300]
259.3 [0600-2300]
MYRTLE BEACH APPROACH: 119.2(322-170) [0600-2300]
127.4(171-321) [0600-2300]
257.95(171-321) [0600-2300]
350.3(322-170) [0600-2300]
MYRTLE BEACH DEPARTURE: 119.2(322-170) [0600-2300]
127.4(171-321) [0600-2300]
257.95(171-321) [0600-2300]
350.3(322-170) [0600-2300]
BASIC RADAR: 119.2(322-170)
257.95(171-321)
350.3(322-170)
BASIC RADAR IC: 127.4(171-321)
EMERG: 121.5
243.0
PMSV: 239.8

Stop by the airport, pretty cool. There are probably some more Military frequencies to dig up though, saw alot of C-5A activity.

That should give you a very decent start. Most Hotels, Resturants, Etc, use radios in one way or another. Bring a list of business itinerant frequencies with "dot" colors, it will help out alot. Planet Hollywood uses Motorola radios on the "Silver Star" frequency, and Sandcastle South used "Green Dot". If you don't have a list of this, it can be found on my web site . . . .

All the lifeguards had radios . . . not sure if on the trunked system though, looked more like VHF antennas, don't know the frequency, maybe a business itinerant . . . .

Have some fun . . . . .

Jeff

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2271. Last chance?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D49494.E9FECF44@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147734
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I hope this is the last time I need to post this, but I apologize (I know I've said this a lot, but give me my 7832nd chance <grin>), and no hard feelings are conveyed to anyone, as long as everyone "plays nice" (Mackey excluded). I hope everyone else feels the same way.

I would like to contribute to the clean-up of this group. Mackey and I have had a truce (we just don't say anything to each other, really), but I think it would be in the best interest of everyone -- excepting Mackey -- to get him out of here. These newsgroups are turning into his "playpens", as it were.

Every time I apologize, I just go back on it with time. The situation with my dad doesn't help, but as someone else put it, I should not take my frustration out on others. I shall calm down a bit and READ before I hit that "Send" button.

No hard feelings, and does anyone/everyone forgive me?

Ryan Faricy

2272. WHATS THE PERFORMANCE LIKE ON THE TR2400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081419474800.PAA03850@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147735

pdoddy@aol.com

2273. Re: BC895XLT Trunktracker Base (Recording)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dembinsky <Lottery@cris.com>
Message-ID: <35D4BF63.6BD1@cris.com>
Source record: 147736

Mike Dembinsky wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> Has anyone got this scanner to record with an (optional) tape player
> hooked up through the Auxiliary and Line jack? I know the tape recorder
> must have both a microphone and remote input jacks to work with my
> scanner. But if someone out there found one that does work with the
> BC895XLT please let me know the make and model number.
>
> Thank you!
>
> --
> Mike Dembinsky
>
> mailto:Lottery@cris.com
> http://www.concentric.net/~Lottery/

I finally got it to work using the (Optimus CTR-108) Radio Shack
recorder. The first one I bought ended up having a bad reducer plug.

Thanks to everyone that helped.

Sincerely,
--
Mike Dembinsky

mailto:Lottery@cris.com
http://www.concentric.net/~Lottery/

2274. Re: Pro64 Excel Template

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D495CC.5D90C32B@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147737

It may have been created with Excel 97 (ver 8.0). Do you have the converter?

ibbryn@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I've tried to download this template from Ken's site many times. Each time
> the file unzips but when I try to open it I get a "file not valid type"
> error. Can someone send me the files directly?
>
> I'm using Widows95 with Excel 7.0.
>
> Many thanks.
>
> b
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2275. HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <85a_9808141300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147738

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> Wrong! I simply summarized your VERY wordy response.

Mackey is a L I A R

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2276. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35D3E7B9.20EB2C4A@uswest.net>
Source record: 147739

John,
don't bother. You tried this before about 71 days ago in fact. It didn't work then and it won't work now. better check your service, I think you will be heading elsewhere again, and soon.

J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:

> OK,,,, lets try it ONE MORE TIME!
>
> Those people who carry on with Cheek making trouble have certainly
> shown themselves lately as being the trouble makers they are.
>
> So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the
> order to benefit all.
>
> If everyone simply stops the flames & off-topic posts, all will be
> well!
>
> Try it, it's simple!

2277. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D4A286.6B74E353@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147740

I'm a member.

J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:

> How did you confirm this Ryan?
>
> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> > Pottersville Amateur Radio Group certainly does exist.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2278. Uniden BC8500XLT - Light Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35d4a382.1085543@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 147741

The baclights for teh display on my scanner burnt out. I opened the scanner to check the bulbs, but I can' tell what size (voltage) they are. There is nothing in the owners manual about them either. Does anyone know what type of bulb I need to replace them. Any hel pwould be greatly appreciated. TIA

2279. Knight-Kit Star Roamer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk6pd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.103e42cd8bbb24698969b@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147742
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hello all, name is Pat. I am looking for either Original
or Xerox of the Instruction Manual and Assembly Manual
prints of the Knight Kit Star Roamer. I you have the
paperwork for the radio please drop me a line. I will be
happy to cover reproduction costs etc. Thanks Pat S
kk6pd@ix.netcom.com

2280. Re: Frequency Converters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6r2b6p$nrj@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 147743
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Since you didn't say what frequencies you want to convert I'll assume that
you mean it is for 800 Mhz. Every 800 MHz converter I have seen receives
800 MHz signals and cuts the frequency down by 400MHz and then feeds it into
your scanner. So you would turn on the converter and search or scan the 430
to 512 Mhz band. A signal on 862.2375 would get picked up on your scanner
as 462.2375 - just add 400 MHz to what ever your scanner picks up to figure
out what the signal really is (512 MHz would be 912 MHz). If you are going
to build one, I'd suggest you start with a kit, or at least a PC board. At
800MHz, small soldering or component errors can detune the whole converter.
My guess is that it would all be surface mount components, which take a
little more skill to solder.

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Nick Bergthold wrote in message <6qvmchefp1@supernews.com>...
>hello. i have a schematic to build a frequency converter, but am not sure
>about a few things. my scanner recieves 30-50, 144-174, 430-512. I was
>wondering if it would work. does anybody out there with the same scanner
>freq. specs use a converter? does it work for you? please reply.
>
>~NICK~
>
>

2281. Re: Crystals for Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081421051300.RAA22894@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147744

>
>Does anyone have a good source for scanner crystals for an old radio
>shack scanner. I need several vhf crystals. Tnx in advance. Tim
>

HI

I HAVE SOME. PLMK WHAT FREQS YOU NEED.

THANKS

2282. bc200xlt (help!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: BA <panthers@i-plus.net>
Message-ID: <35D4A948.7F01DCB5@i-plus.net>
Source record: 147745

I try to input 902.13 but everytime I do, the frequency changes to
902.125!! How come? Is there anything that I can do?
thanks barry

2283. SHINWA001 SOLD: THANKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081421372900.RAA17236@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147746

THANKS TO ALL WHO REPLIED

2284. Re: sony scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35d3fb8c.721142@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 147747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 14 Aug 1998 18:33:35 GMT, rel3el@aol.com (Rel3eL) wrote:

>>I just got a new sony scanner as a gift. Is it worth keeping?
>
>Well, tim. I really hate to tell you this, but as much as I love Sony, (i have
>a sony computer, TV, stereo...) Its a bit too user friendly and government
>controlled. I'd rather go for raw power without a fancy case and some way of
>easy access. If you need one that is user friendly, yet not to the point of
>smarmyness, get a Uniden Bearcat. I can highly reccomend these scanners. Get
>the new one with 300 channels, turbo scan, and Trunk Tracking.
>
>>And are
>>there any good mods available?
>
>Well, Tim. Ive actually never heard of a mod for sony's scanners. Sorry. I'd
>return it if I were you.
>John Rand

Tim-
Even though I don't have a Sony scanner or even had time to
look at one, they have received a "thumbs up" from several ppl that I
know that have reviewed these scanners, namely Rich Wells.
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/icf-sc1.htm
t sounds like it is an excellent scanner, especially for a
company just getting back into production of scanners again. The first
model was a solid unit and the company isn't having to kick out a "new
and improved" model to correct their many mistakes.
As for the mods go, any scanner can have mods performed on it.
It might not be exactly the mods that you are looking for such as cell
mods, but try to find cell mods on any of the more recent scanner.
Other mods abound...it just takes a person that knows the basics of
mods that were performed on many other scanners and it helps to have
the service manual. Sony usually has pretty good service manuals. The
mods just are not going to be the clip a diode and get cell though.

Wiggie

2285. ATTN: CB GUY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <86a_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147748

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> Weren't you using a hotmail address for a while?

> What happened?

What the hell difference does it matter, mr "diarrhea mouth" mackey?

What the hell does it have to do with the topic of scanners, LIAR
of all LIARS?

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

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|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
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2286. Mr. Mackey I still want

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <86b_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147749

-=> Quoting Charles21@my-dejanews.com to All <=-

Ch> I wait for John Mackey to show any proof to dispute my claims he is a
Ch> full fledged liar but you never see him show any proof, just claims
Ch> that I am someone else because I speak the truth.

Here's proof that he ***IS*** a LIAR.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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2287. More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <86c_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147750

-=> Quoting Dmi853@juno.com to All <=-

Dm> What data do you have to support this statement above?

mr "diarrhea mouth" mackey has NO proof.

But here is proof that he's a L I A R.

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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2288. More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <86d_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147751

-=> Quoting Dmi853@juno.com to All <=-

Dm> I remember when I sent an email to you and obfd would reply, I
Dm> would send one to obfd and you would reply.
Dm> Always thought something was wrong there and that you were one
Dm> the same person.

OBFD must be the Oregon Butt F___ers Dynasty.

Fits in perfectly with mr "diarrhea mouth" mackey.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2289. Alright then Phil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <86e_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147752

-=> Quoting "mike Derryberry" to All <=-

> Nice grammer Mackey. Did you ever take an English class in school?

They don't teach that in kindergarten. And mr "diarrhea mouth" mackey
hasn't entered the first grade yet.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2290. HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <86f_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147753

-=> Quoting "mike Derryberry" to All <=-

> John your quote was taken out of context. It is a distortion of the
> truth.

mr "diarrhea mouth" mackey has never been know to speak the truth.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2291. More of Cheek lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <870_9808141500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147754

-=> Quoting J Mackey to All <=-

JM> OK Bill, what is YOUR proof?

You have no right asking for proof, when you continually
refuse to offer any yourself, mr "diarrhea mouth" mackey.

But here's proof that what you say is a big, fat L I E

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
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2292. SC150 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jreif@se-iowa.net
Message-ID: <35d4b488.7024504@news.lisco.com>
Source record: 147755

Are there frequency mods for the Uniden SC150 or are there
different versions of the unit (US or elsewhere)?
Thanks.

2293. scanners for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <903B1.188$Lc3.4898510@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147756
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale the following:

Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)

RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)

AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)

If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

2294. FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <e33B1.189$Lc3.4899668@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147757
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale the following:

Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)

RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)

AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)

If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

2295. HEATH Most Accurate Clock II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zkk6pd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.103e68022ccc04d98969c@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147758
Cross-posted to: alt.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hello all, name is Pat and I am looking for a Heath
GC-1001 Most accurate Clock Master Unit. Anybody got one,
drop me a line....73's es
TNX de Pat KK6PD

2296. Re: I want to recognize someo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tscommone@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081423465500.TAA03455@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147759

Whether there was or not yes I am still proud sir. Sorry I stepped on your sand box, have a nice life...

Rick D. Adkins, TSC
Mid Central Region

2297. Re: bc200xlt (help!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sujkowski <ronalds@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35D4CC65.C08692F6@concentric.net>
Source record: 147760

nope mine is the same way too.

BA wrote:

> I try to input 902.13 but everytime I do, the frequency changes to
> 902.125!! How come? Is there anything that I can do?
> thanks barry

2298. fs:bearcat wall cube ad-70u

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sujkowski <ronalds@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35D4CD9B.35D3D99D@concentric.net>
Source record: 147761

was for a bc-70xlt but many bearcats use it.

2299. Re: ATTN: CB GUY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35d4ce7c.621197@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 147762

On 14 Aug 98 11:04:51 , Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com (Joe Nicholson) wrote:

> -=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-
>
> > Weren't you using a hotmail address for a while?
>

I don't get Mackey's posts, so this was new to me.
No, I have not used a hotmail address.
Period.
End of story.
You Mackey, however, are a known forger and liar.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

2300. NIRSC Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcomms@cci-29palms.com
Message-ID: <35d4ce2a.2008022@news.cci-29palms.com>
Source record: 147763

NATIONAL INCIDENT RADIO SUPPORT CACHE (NIRSC)

CHANNEL, OUTPUT FREQUENCY, INPUT FREQUENCY, REMARKS

AIR TACTICAL
1 166.675 N/A ROTOR, FIXED WING - AIR TO AIR
2 169.150 N/A ROTOR, FIXED WING - AIR TO AIR
3 169.200 N/A ROTOR, FIXED WING - AIR TO AIR
4 170.000 N/A ROTOR, FIXED WING - AIR TO GROUND
5 167.950 N/A ROTOR, FIXED WING - AIR TO AIR

COMMAND (PL - 110.9 / 123.0 / 136.5 / 141.3)
1 168.700 170.975
2 168.100 170.450
3 168.075 170.425
4 166.6125 168.400
5 167.100 169.750
6 168.475 173.8125

LOGISTICS
1 414.650 410.775
2 415.400 411.400
3 415.500 411.500
4 417.300 411.750
5 417.350 411.925
6 417.500 412.150
7 417.800 412.200

TACTICAL (GROUND)
1 USFS 168.050 N/A
2 USFS 168.200 N/A NATIONAL INCIDENT TACTICAL
3 USFS 168.600 N/A
1 BLM 166.725 167.250
2 BLM 166.775 ???
3 BLM 168.250 N/A

VHF AIR
V1 122.925 N/A ROTOR, FIXED WING - AIR TO AIR, AIR TO GROUND
V2 123.025 N/A ROTOR - AIR TO AIR, AIR TO GROUND
V3 122.975 N/A ROTOR - AIR TO AIR
V4 122.850 N/A ROTOR - AIR TO AIR, AIR TO GROUND
V5 123.075 N/A ROTOR - AIR TO AIR, AIR TO GROUND
V6 123.050 N/A ROTOR - AIR TO GROUND
V7 135.975 N/A FIXED WING - AIR TANKER / AIR TANKER BASE

MISC / COMMON
ICS CALLUP 168.550 N/A INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM CALLUP/SMOKE JUMPER A-G

AIR GUARD 168.625 N/A INTERAGENCY - AIR GUARD (PL-110.9)

AIR SAFETY 172.600 N/A INTERAGENCY - AIR SAFETY

FLGHT FLW 168.650 N/A INTERAGENCY - FLIGHT FOLLOWING

FED CMN 163.100 N/A FEDERAL NATIONAL - GROUND TAC/AIR TANKER RAMP

FED CMN 168.350 170.050 FEDERAL NATIONAL - GROUND TAC
FED CMN 418.050 N/A FEDERAL NATIONAL - A13
FED CMN 418.575 N/A FEDERAL NATIONAL - A14
FED CMN 418.075 N/A FEDERAL NATIONAL - B13
FED CMN 408.400 N/A FEDERAL NATIONAL - B14
LE CMN 168.025 N/A USFS - LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMON
FAA 169.350 N/A FAA
NWS-1 165.6625 N/A NATIONAL WARNING SYSTEM
NWS-2 164.8625 N/A NATIONAL WARNING SYSTEM
EOC-1/2 167.975 173.1875 NATIONAL RADIO SYSTEM
EOC-3 169.875 N/A NATIONAL RADIO SYSTEM
EOC-4 167.925 N/A NATIONAL RADIO SYSTEM

ALASKA
1 164.525 N/A
2 163.050 N/A
3 163.050 163.8375
4 163.175 N/A
5 163.175 163.9125
6 163.025 N/A
7 163.025 166.6325
8 164.150 N/A
9 164.800 N/A
10 166.875 163.9875
11 168.475 173.8125 (CMD-6)

Best Reguards to all,
Jerry

2301. DIDCRIMINATOR TAP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35D4E1A7.39EB@flash.net>
Source record: 147764

I SEE SEVERAL PEOPLE TALKING ABOUT POSSIBILITIES OF DIGITAL OPERTUNITIES
OPENING UP WITH A DISCRIMINATOR TAP...I HAVE A PRO-2022 AND KNOW WHERE
TO TAP IT BUT WHAT AND HOW DO I USE IT? TNX JOHN

2302. Re: ATTN: CB GUY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D4E7A6.1C21@parg.org>
Source record: 147765

The Cb Guy wrote:

> No, I have not used a hotmail address.

hmmmm, more BS!

> You Mackey, however, are a known forger and liar.

More BS again, all from someone who says that AOL is an ISP!

2303. Blake Powers forging PARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D4E975.13DC@parg.org>
Source record: 147766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Ok, have fun. They say imatation is the highest form of flattery,
> so I guess you are so enthralled with my name, that you wish
> to use it.

YES!! We were just joking about that on the PARG mail list last night!

For 2 or 3 weeks how you have been imitating the PARG.ORG domain
& the Phantom's Amateur Radio Group even though no recognized
orginization recognizes (or has even heard of) your "Pottersfield ARG".

So Blake, why don't we continue this on rec.radio.amateur.misc?

2304. Re: Alright then Phil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D4E9A0.4EBC@parg.org>
Source record: 147767

Joe Nicholson wrote:
SNIP

Joe-

Learn to SPELL!

2305. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D4EA04.1219@parg.org>
Source record: 147768

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Because I am a member.

How many members are in the group?

How many meeting have you attended?

Do they have a newsletter?

When were they founded?

hehe - just mildly curoius!

2306. Re: More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D4EAB9.1D7A@parg.org>
Source record: 147769

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> the Oregon Butt F___ers Dynasty.

Leave it to you to come up with something sick like this. :(

2307. Scanner considerations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: OIC18U2 <bob47@msn.com>
Message-ID: <6r2lro$3o1$1@news2.myriad.net>
Source record: 147770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I would like any information and/or valid opinions about either the Radio Shack Pro 2036 or the Pro 66.

Do these units receive cellular freq's?

I know they are not the most popular units... but are they reliable or are they dogs?

Thank you,
Deven

2308. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35D4FC09.C7F57508@netwit.com>
Source record: 147771

Jack wrote:

> Leave out the resistors..and push the small button located in the tiny
> hole on the side!

Yowza! Ok-Ok, I screwed up on that Pro-43. My Pro-39 has a little "reset" button in a teeny hole on the left side of the scanner. I thought maybe the Pro-43 had the same thing. I was wrong. Several posters advised me of that.

But thanks for running with it Jack! (Jeeez, cut me some slack JACK!)

2309. Re: Last chance?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17504-35D50C5E-120@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147772

maybe we'll forgive you:)If you stay on the subject from here on out.You have alot of knowledge-lets use it and not lose it.

2310. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35d3a7a3.8425042@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 147773

Tommy Simmons wrote:
:
: Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
: realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
: Thanks,
: Tommy

Cordless is from 30.075 to 30.300 MHz in 25 KHz steps.
Cell is from 825 to 845 MHz for phone TX and 870 to 890 MHz for cell TX
in 30 KHz steps.

Barry

2311. Re: Lincoln

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <gibronni@mark.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc733$62683d20$de6aa1cf@markspac>
Source record: 147774

Mark,

Air freqs;

CTAF (Common Traffic Advisory Frequency): 118.5
UniCom: 122.95
ATIS (Automatic Terminal Information Service): 118.05 302.2
Radio: 122.65
Tower: 118.5 125.7
Ground: 121.9 275.8
Clearance Delivery: 120.7 396.0
Air National Guard Ops: 236.85 4280 KHz
National Guard Ops: 38.8 (Probably wide-band FM) 123.075

Good Luck!

Darrell

Mark Rolland <mroll@sprynet.com> wrote in article
<6r007f$74f$1@juliana.sprynet.com>...
: Anyone have a freq list for Lincoln, NE (public service, air, military,
: etc)?
:
: Thanks
:
:
: Mark
:
: mroll@sprynet.com
:
:
:
:

2312. Excel Frequency Manager Template

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35d3ae61.143326929@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 147775

The Excel frequecny manager template, which can also be used to program a PRO-64 and/or PRO-2041, has been updated (08/06/98) with a few tweeks. The biggest change is that it will now program any bank, one bank at a time (or all 400 channels). It is available at Ken Plotkin's website:

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

CATHY

2313. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@usit.net
Message-ID: <35d3b899.11342891@NEWS.USIT.NET>
Source record: 147776
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 13 Aug 1998 21:28:29 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?
>
>I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's
>MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he
>should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members
>with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group
>has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for
>legal reasons.
>
I am very sorry to hear about your dad. Mine died when I was 21, he
was 49 years old. Yes, this is off topic, but hopefully others will
understand.

Steve, W4LW

2314. PRO-43 400 Channel Mod??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6r0ckp$2l8$3@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 147777

Hello. I have looked around and I havn't been able to find a copy of the mod for the RS PRO-43 HT scanner that will double the amount of memory channels to 400. I have found all of these mods, but not the one for the 400 channels:

-Better Audio
-Adding A S-Meter
-RX From 6-1000 MHz

If anyone has the 400 channel mod, or any other mods for the radio not listed, please let me know. Thanks a lot in advance.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

2315. Re: Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d8bc2c.1588533@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 01:00:40 -0700, Charles Simmont
<simmont@extremezone.com> wrote:

>JC Woodard wrote:
>>
>> My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting
>> ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no
>> web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much
>> appreicated!!
>>
>> Thanks,
>>
>> JC
>>
>> j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com
>
>some of the best prices I have seen are at http://www.scanusa.com or
>Uniden is selling Refurbished units at thier web site (limited
>qunanties) http://uniden.com

I must say, mine just came from there (uniden) and it's a great unit!
Looks and works like brand new, well worth the $175 + $5 shipping!

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2316. Re: BC895 Computer Programs A review.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dcc148.2896356@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147779
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 22:23:13 GMT, "Jason Webb"
<orlscan(idonotwantspam)@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Hello Fellow TrunkTrackers,
>
>I have been evaluating the available software and here are my conclusions.
>
>#1 to Buy is Scancat-Gold SE, It Works really well with the 895
>
>It has a newly designed interface that looks really great.
>
>It was the Best $99.00 I have ever spent and makes programming the radio a
>Breeze.
>
>you can also get the Cable (Nicely done, and well constructed) from scancat.

I sure wish Probe supported this fine new scanner. Oh well...what kind
of speed do you get with SCG?

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2317. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dec5c8.4048660@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147780

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 02:59:58 GMT, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry
O'Grady) wrote:

>Tommy Simmons wrote:
>:
>: Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
>: realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
>: Thanks,
>: Tommy
>
>Cordless is from 30.075 to 30.300 MHz in 25 KHz steps.

Not in America!

>Cell is from 825 to 845 MHz for phone TX and 870 to 890 MHz for cell TX
>in 30 KHz steps.

Will my American cellphone work in the outback?

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2318. Is my Uniden Exp95 Cordless Telephone easily scannable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@spamaway.com
Message-ID: <35d3bfea.8533341@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 147781

I bought a Uniden Exp95 Cordless Telephone. It is very clear and has a comfortable headset for hands-free operation. [I'm amazed that this type of phone hasn't caught on. It is one of my favorite pieces of black plastic]. It is 900MHz, but I know that it is not Digital Spread Spectrum. Is this phone easily scannable?

2319. Re: Here are Fed PL Tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dfc819.4641835@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147782

On 13 Aug 1998 12:22:50 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
>
>>Ryan Faricy said: >>One post is enough.
>
>>In your case, one post is too much! Did you really need to quote the entire
>post?
>
>My apologies for the two extra posts. The program kept hanging it didn't appear
>that the post was going through.

I would much rather see an informative post like that five times in a
row then the BS from some of the participants here...

>As for that wanker Faricy, I put him in my bozo filter so I didn't see his
>original post. However, I now see he's still being a little punk. Run along
>boy.

-

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2320. FS;SHINWA001 200CH SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081405351600.BAA07917@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147783

pdoddy@aol.com.

2321. Re: Pro2004 discriminator help, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e0cc6c.5749039@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147784

On 13 Aug 1998 14:19:39 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I may actually try that an on old PRO-2028 I've got.
>
>The interesting thing is, whenever I hear the transmission, it always comes up
>perfectly decoded in POC32, so I will see whether I need a slicer/discrim output or
>not.
>

You would be surprised how much data is contained in that
transmission!

>Jack wrote:
>
>> Tap the discriminator and you will see just how many you are missing!
>> Then build a slicer and REALLY see how many you are missing...

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2322. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e1ccc1.5833802@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147785

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 21:51:31 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
wrote:

>I have tried to make the cable work. I make cables all the time as part of
>my job and I cannot get the pro 64 to communicate !!!!!!!!

Leave out the resistors..and push the small button located in the tiny
hole on the side!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2323. Re: Scanning a EDACS system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e2cda5.6061777@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147786

On 14 Aug 1998 01:40:39 GMT, rnkimba@aol.com (RNKIMBA) wrote:

>I really liked listening to the local public safety folks on my old scanner,
>then they swiched to something my husband said is called edacs. He said we
>need two new scanners and a computer. I really don't want to buy all kinds of
>stuff, but he said if we only buy one scanner, it would still need over $100 of
>work and we would have to put up with the water, sewer, schools and parks and
>everyone else.
>
>QUESTION!
>What is the bare minimun I can spend, or the very basic equipment to buy (It
>has to be plug and play, as neither of us is technical) so we can listen to the
>police and fire only. He wont let me tie up his computer, because it is our
>only source of income. I would also like to use the scanner in my car, but I
>don't want to lug all kkinds of stuff around.
>
>Please help

Your best choice would be to find a capable two-way unit and talk
someone in the radio shop into programming it as receive only!
If not plan on spending $300-$400 for a computer controlled radio
another $50-$100 or so for a scanner for the control chan and another
$150 for an old 486 66 to run it! ($300 if you want to be mobile with
an old laptop) ..oh yeah, another $20 or so for the dataslicer ($5 if
you build it)
Good luck!

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2324. Re: BC895 Computer Programs A review.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3XQA1.632$mR3.2388397@news4.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147787
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well not too bad Haven't really Measured the Speed but It is as fast as the scanner normally goes

In Trunking mode ALL Computer Programs Just Basically Alpha Tag the Talkgroups. There is no real way to scan Pre-made lists like you would with frequencies. but the program keeps up with the changes.

>I sure wish Probe supported this fine new scanner. Oh well...what kind
>of speed do you get with SCG?
>
>
>
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>
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>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

2325. ETrunk single scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Reilly <jreilly@tassie.net.au>
Message-ID: <35D3E575.9106B7F7@tassie.net.au>
Source record: 147788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi all,
Anyone know of a soloution like Etrunk that uses a single scanner (in my case AR8000) or if Etrunk can be used in single scanner mode?
Thanks - Jason

2326. Re: HEY BILL CHEEK!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35D3E6AB.7FBAF9F6@uswest.net>
Source record: 147789

Thank you for proving my point.

You have now quoted me out of context (buy only using what works for you and clipping the rest, sincee it fails to support your position).

Again, you have obfuscated by fact of ommission (basically, you have lied).

Hawke

J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:

> Hawke wrote:
> > Funny, when you quote about 5 words
>
> they were his exact words.

2327. Re: Pro-2004 sensitivity question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35d428a4.1828440@news.jps.net>
Source record: 147790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 00:47:07 GMT, wf3h@enter.netxx wrote:

>i seem to recall reading several articles over the years dealing with
>this observation. i think that the conclusion was that RS reduced the
>sensitivity on the 2004 to reduce intermod in urban environments from
>pagers, etc. this change was noticed and complained about to RS which
>then corrected it in the 2006....

Thanks! I didn't know this. I was afraid my scanner might need a "tune
up", but now I don't have to worry about that :-).

2328. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@Townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6r19hqnfj0@207.18.224.137>
Source record: 147791

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 20:03:27 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>How did you confirm this Ryan?
>
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> Pottersville Amateur Radio Group certainly does exist.

Heck, Ryan is a member!

2329. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6r19mknfj1@207.18.224.137>
Source record: 147792

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 19:57:26 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>When I use the e-mail address of "bbowers@parg.org" I am using a
>e-mail address assigned to me by the "PARG.ORG" domain authorities
>under the approval of internic!

Ok, have fun. They say imatation is the highest form of flattery,
so I guess you are so enthralled with my name, that you wish
to use it.

Sad to think that you can not come up with a better
idol, but hey, whatever works for you.

2330. WTB ICOM IC-R700 Remote Control Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Britton <curator@www.cops.aust.com>
Message-ID: <6r1a3c$8sh$1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 147793
Cross-posted to: aus.comms,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi All

I'm after the Remote Control unit for the ICOM IC-R7000 Communications
Receiver.

Please e-mail with offers and or information...

2331. How to Find Scanner Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6r19g9$bpd@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 147794
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HOW DO YOU FIND THESE SCANNER FREQUENCIES?

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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"Scanner Equipment" column for Monitoring Times magazine,
published by Grove Enterprises, but views expressed in this
article are his own.]

I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

Books
Magazines
Government Records
Web Sites
Federal Radio Stations
Radio Clubs
Do Your Own Sleuthing
What Makes Station Identification Difficult?
Examine the FCC License on Premise
Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment
Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band
Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage
How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example
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Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies
is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional
volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Magazines

Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times and the sensationalistic Popular Communications magazines.

Government Records

Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS).

These lists contain license information for the industrial (e.g. Illinois Armored Car, Pinkerton's Security, Joe's Towing, etc.), highway maintenance, commercial broadcast, aviation, common carrier, and maritime services, as well as for police and fire. For more info call NTIS at 703-487-4630.

Back in "the good old days," Grove Enterprises sold copies of some FCC microfiche files, and this was much cheaper than buying directly from NTIS. Grove no longer sells microfiche, but sells information on CDROM for $49 instead.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on both floppy disks and CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100.

The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for under $30 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. However, Public Safety license information contained in the Winter 1996 Spectrum doesn't appear as up to date as in the 1997 Police Call Plus.

Spectrum works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments. One can try restricted sample searches of the Spectrum CD for free via PerCon's web page at

http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

Companies have appeared which are "plugged into" the FCC licensing system and they sell computer time allowing on-line file access. They also sell paper copies of FCC information. Washington Radio Reports is one example. A monthly publication, it lists license applications made to the FCC. A few members of my scanner club subscribe and share the information with me.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than a pile of magazines.

Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

Do Your Own Sleuthing

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio,

or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at

the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find Dymo or P-Touch tape labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret.

- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. Some models, including the Radio Shack PRO-2035, ICOM R7000/R7100, Bearcat 2500XLT, and Bearcat 250, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and

store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, another spectrum analyzer connected to a receiver IF stage, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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Grove Enterprises
7540 Highway 64 West
Brasstown, NC 28902.
tel (828)837-9200
order line (800)438-8155

Official Scanner Guides
P.O. Box 525-NS
Londonderry, NH 03053.
tel (603)432-2615
order line (800)351-7226

Scan America
430 Garner Drive,
Suffield, OH 44260-1557

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Newton Highlands, MA 02161.
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2332. Buying a Used Scanner Radio

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Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6r19gf$bpg@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

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Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios
and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get
it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but
you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used
scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used
radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment.
Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in
today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase
most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

Cal Crystal Lab Inc.
1142 N. Gilbert St.
Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

G & G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, NY 14482.
tel. 716-768-8151

Jan Crystals
Box #-6017
Fort Myers, FL 33911
tel. 813-936-2397

Monitor Crystal Svc
124 W Walnut St Watseka, IL 60970
tel. 815-432-5296

Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

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25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. I published the pinout for both Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor receivers in June 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

You can buy the proper replacement power cords but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and solder

on a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760

email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 11915 E. Washington St., Cumberland, IN 46229. Phone 317-894-3229.

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. See March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine for BC800XLT capacitor locations and repair information.

The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner

owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140.

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Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
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This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

Why Scanning?
Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
What is a CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature?
How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
Scanner Antennas
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Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is http://www.grove-ent.com

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp sites including the /pub/hamradio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises,
7540 Highway 64 West,
Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

I don't get any part of this reprint fee.

Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 828-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100. The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for $29 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. The Spring 1995 edition works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments.

Grove enterprises sells FCC license information on CDROM for $100. In the 1995 edition, fields are different than PerCon's Spectrum CDROM but the data appears to be of the same vintage. The licensee name and licensee city are used instead of the DBA (doing business as) name and transmitter city which makes query results confusing.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation. This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and try to determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio, or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

You can examine the FCC license on premise. I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the mall security office or company guard shack. You can examine the labels on radio equipment. Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the

scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy, a Radio Shack CTR-82 will do. It's best to use a shielded, attenuating cable to feed the scanner audio into the recorder rather than relying on the recorder's internal microphone.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than any pile of magazines.

Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 fee for 200 hours use of the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83
and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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IMPROVE THE SQUELCH IN YOUR MONITOR RECEIVER

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent to return to its original value when the cause of the change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching. The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a 1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis? Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping" the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003, PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

4. If space permits, you can replace the stock resistor with a higher value variable resistor ("trimpot") and adjust to suit.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14

	of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197 47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148 47K remove R148
	or replace with 220K.
	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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References

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2. "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

3. "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

4. US patent 4,947,456, "Scanning Radio Receiver," granted August 7, 1990 to Noel D. Atkinson, William B. Ahlemeyer, and Ben F. McCormick, inventors. Assigned to Uniden America Corporation.

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How Does It Compare with the PRO-2006?," by Bob
Parnass AJ9S, Monitoring Times, January 1995.

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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.html. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic

front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board.

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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than
70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. This article
describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and
other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of
these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
Jan 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2035 vs. Radio Shack PRO-2006
Feb 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-62 Portable
Mar 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
Apr 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT Portable
May 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT
Jun 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT & Radio Shack PRO-2036
Jul 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2037
Aug 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT
Sep 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable
Oct 1995 - AOR AR-2700 Portable
Nov 1995 - selected AOR AR-8000 measurements
Dec 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2040
Feb 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2042
Apr 1996 - Uniden/Bearcat BC220XLT, BC230XLT Portable
Jun 1996 - modifications & tips for the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
Jul 1996 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT-10 mobile
Oct 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2046 mobile
Dec 1996 - AOR AR5000
Jan 1997 - ICOM R8500
Feb 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-2045
Mar 1997 - ICOM IC-R10
Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
Jul 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC235XLT portable Trunktracker
Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
Oct 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-67
Nov 1997 - Sporty's JD-100 Air Scan
Dec 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC895XLT Trunktracker
Mar 1998 - RELM MS-200 mobile
Apr 1998 - RCA RP-6150 portable
May 1998 - Radio Shack PRO-2050 base Trunktracker
Jun 1998 - Opto DC442 CTCSS/DCS/DTMF display
Aug 1998 - Sony SC1PC portable

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally

generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong, causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are 287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot

be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks. Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/BEARCAT AND ELECTRA/BEARCAT

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be

arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics). The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service

Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at http://www.grove-ent.com for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older

Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as

federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob. Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during

search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

REGENCY

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby

SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RCA

RP-6150: 1997 vintage. No frills, good performing portable. 200 channels in 10 banks. No military aircraft frequency coverage. Triple conversion and a flexible battery arrangement. Lacks duplicate channel detection, search skip, and empty channel lockout features of newer designs. Our sample isn't super sensitive at 470 - 512 MHz and has some intermod around the VHF railroad channels but is generally more resistant to image problems than the BC230XLT. For technical test results and a review, see "The RCA RP-6150 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1998.

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. See "The RELM HS-200 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display. Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

RADIO SHACK

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other

owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be

loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound

Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod,

especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed. Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT

but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2050: 1998 vintage 300 channel Motorola trunk system tracking base made by Uniden. Tight front end. Excellent performance. Chassis-less, plastic construction. Squelch and volume knobs too close and Manual key is hard to find. IFs are 380.7 (approx.), 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. AM and NFM modes are factory set and not selectable. 300 channels in 10 banks and a 2 second rescan delay may be programmed on a per channel basis. Query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Our PRO-2050 scans at 78 channels/sec., skipping over empty channels. 10 priority channels. Up to 50 frequencies may be locked out from limit search. A single pair of limits may be programmed for a limit search. No Direct key or direct search facility. Factory preprogrammed frequencies for police, fire/emergency, commercial air, public service, and weather, but not marine. See May 1998 Monitoring Times for a review which includes quantitative test results.

SONY

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers 25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size and mode. Computer control and downloading with software and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries. Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10 banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per-channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out ("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds. SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. See "The SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test

results.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

CRAIG (division of PIONEER)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you find one in good condition.

SONAR

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no

scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

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FR104 6 X no
FR105 6 X no
FR2512 24 X no
FR2513 24 X no
FR2514 8 X yes no
FR2515 8 X yes no
FR2516 10 X yes yes
FR2517 10 X yes yes
FR2525 10 X yes yes
FR2526 10 X X yes yes
FR2527 10 X X yes yes
FR2528 10 X X yes yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

TENNELEC

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel

programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. For more information, see "Add a Crystal Receiver to Your Arsenal," by Bob Parnass, January 1996 Monitoring Times.

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For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

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rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
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Washington, DC 20231

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2339. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6r19h1$bps@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 147802
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1998 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
last updated August 12, 1998 |

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

AUGUST 1998

Aug 2 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 8 (Sat), Quincy, IL Western Illinois Amateur Radio Club Quincy, Illinois. Ham Radio and Computer SWAPFEST 1998 8:00AM to 2:00PM. The Western Illinois 1998 Swapfest will be held at the Eagles Alps Grounds (3737 North 5th Street) 4.5 miles north of downtown Quincy, with easy access from US Highway 24. Admission is $3.00 at the Gate ($2.50 in advance) per person, under 12 - Free. ARRL VEC testing for all license classes at 12:30PM. Indoor Flea Market space available for $5.00 which includes one 5' table. Outdoor tailgating space - Free. Talk-in on 147.63/147.03 MHz. Plenty of convenient parking available. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Children's playground area. Card Checking for ARRL awards at 9AM, 10AM, and 11AM. For additional information contact N9JF, jfunk@adams.net.

Aug 30 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. Talk-in: 146.52 Simplex. info: Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/. Tickets: Advance With Double Stub $4.00 - At Gate $5.00 Single Stub - $6.00 With Double Stub . Exhibit Building: 8:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. Table Rental: $12.00 For 8' Table. Flea Market: 6:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. No Additional Charge For Flea Market Space Info (708) 944-0500. Fax (847) 658-1678. (fairly good, small to mid sized hamfest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1998

Sep 13 (Sun), Joliet, IL. Bolingbrook ARS. Inwood Recrea- |
tion Center. 3000 W. Jefferson St. Joliet, IL. Talkin on |
147.330 (+6020KHz), 224.540 (-1.6 KHz), and 146.820 (- |
600KHz). VE Testing 9AM-Noon. Outdoor flea market area (no |
charge for space) and indoor dealer tables ($8-$12). Admis- |
sion $5 at the gate. Gate opens at 8AM. For additional |
information contact N9GH at (630) 759-4955 or listen to the |
weekly BARS Net, Thurs at 8PM on 147.330 (+600) or 224.540 |
(-1.6). You can also E-Mail dshourd@juno.com.

Sept 26, 27 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club.
Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127
North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel.
708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL -
AJ9S)

Sept 27 (Sun) Valparaiso, IN. Porter County ARC annual Ham- |
fest at Valparaiso Natinal Guard Armory on US30 just west of |
RT2. Take I 94 to Rt49 exit south to Rt30. Go west. Watch |
for signs or take Rt30 to Valparaiso IN. Watch for signs. |
Inside tables 6.00 ea admission 3.00. outside venders with |
your addmission plently of room. Food will be avaiable. |
Door prizes. Talk in 146.775- 131.8 pl or 146.000. Info: |
contact Carl W9TAD 219 878 9675. |

OCTOBER 1998

NOVEMBER 1998

NOTES - Computer Central and Giant Computer shows

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of
DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park
Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5
admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am
- 3:00 pm.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park
Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or
at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester
Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM
- 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information,
call (847)974-3123. See http://www.gicancomputershow.com

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2340. Re: ICOM Information (PCR1000 addendum)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <35D42D93.A2A49988@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 147803

Rob Lang schrieb:

> Thanks for your comments and advice John. You summed up my concerns
> well.
>
> I may indeed buy the radio, and I'll be making the purchase with my
> eyes
> open thanks to posts by you and others around the net. I agree it is
> a
> nifty package for the price, and I expect the software issues to shake
>
> themselves out in time.
>
> Rob Lang

I bought one here in Germany a while ago but I did not think that it
is so hard to get other IF- Filters with smaller bandwidth - because
IF-frequenc is 450 khz - to modify the hardware. It would improve
performance on shortwave a lot if one could change the 2,8 khz -filter
to a more narrow one with a good shape-factor.
Without the DSP- Unit UT-106 the sw-performance is like the Sony2010
(2001D). For SW- Listening the DSP-Unit is very good. But for the
digital modes there is an adjustable peak -or better doublepeak-filter-
missing. I hope it will be available in the future -maybe by programming
the DSP in another way ????- .

vy 73 de odo

2341. pro2006 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinjan@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r1db1$6lf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147804

Good money waiting for nice unit. Please email description and price to:

beljan@compuserve.com

Thanks,
Robin

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2342. pro2006 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinjan@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r1dfh$6m3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147805

Good money waiting for nice 2006. Please email description and price to:

beljan@compuserve.com

Thanks,
Robin

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2343. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D43BEA.DFB61EC4@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147806
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Yes, my dad's 42. I hope he doesn't "do it", and I've tried to ask him not to "do it", but he's only thinking of his own 'miserable future' rather than looking at his family's possible miserable future.

Steven Fritts wrote:

> I am very sorry to hear about your dad. Mine died when I was 21, he
> was 49 years old. Yes, this is off topic, but hopefully others will
> understand.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2344. Re: Is my Uniden Exp95 Cordless Telephone easily scannable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D43CB1.BA722849@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147807

If it's an analog phone, then yes. If it is digital [with no encryption], then it is fairly easy with a decoder. If it is digital and encrypted, it is much harder. With spread spectrum, about 99.9% impossible.

SteveK wrote:

> I bought a Uniden Exp95 Cordless Telephone. It is very clear and has
> a comfortable headset for hands-free operation. [I'm amazed that this
> type of phone hasn't caught on. It is one of my favorite pieces of
> black plastic]. It is 900MHz, but I know that it is not Digital
> Spread Spectrum. Is this phone easily scannable?
>

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2345. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D43E5F.8F90E5CB@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147808
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I will also add MAlexder to my small list of people who are really giving me
a hard time and bringing me beyond being only irritated.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> *** For those who continue to pester, flame, vex, or otherwise harass
> me, just leave me alone. I am sick of the flames, and flames are things
> I don't need at all right now. Those flamers include Jack (and
> especially him), Hidden and Gone, among a few others.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2346. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D44118.92E62FC3@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147809
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

One more person to "add" to the list -- K. Patterson.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?
>
> I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's
> MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he
> should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members
> with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group
> has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for
> legal reasons.
>
> This decision to end his life has changed many times, and has left me
> very frustrated. He has now decided to do it himself, which really gets
> me irritated, frustrated, and leaves me in wonderment. It would have
> been "better" if he chose to have someone else do it, but to kill
> yourself by yourself, that's a different story.
>
> Anyway, please have sympathy for me, as I am not mentally cheerful, and
> I probably won't be for some time. I cannot write much more, as I don't
> want to even think about this possible action my dad may take.
>
> I realize this is off-topic in many ways, however I needed to get this
> out to others, and I apologize for past, present, and future bad
> behavior now.
>
> *** For those who continue to pester, flame, vex, or otherwise harass
> me, just leave me alone. I am sick of the flames, and flames are things
> I don't need at all right now. Those flamers include Jack (and
> especially him), Hidden and Gone, among a few others.
>
> Ryan Faricy
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2347. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D43DF0.66B14862@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147810

Try using Cathy de Viney's instructions. When I tried Ken's, they didn't work
for me either, even with the right parts. Cathy's worked great!

Cathy's site has a link to it on Ken's site.

Peter Altman wrote:

> I have tried to make the cable work. I make cables all the time as part of
> my job and I cannot get the pro 64 to communicate !!!!!!!!
>
> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D34A28.5DAD07FA@nospam.att.net>...
> >Check out Ken Plotkin's scanner site at
> >http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm
> >
> >Robert Viveiros wrote:
> >
> >> Can someone point me in the direction to a list of parts to make the
> >> computer interface for the Pro 64?
> >>
> >> To email me remove the numbers before my address!
> >>
> >
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> >
> >
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> >--
> >73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> >Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
> >SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
> >RySoft Corporation
> >
> >http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
> >
> >Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
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> >
>

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2348. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D43EED.E9EE99DC@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147811

Barry: You must realize that *you aren't in America* -- there are different frequencies here.

Cellular phones operate at 824-849 (mobile) and 869-894 (tower). Cordless phone bases operate from 43.72 to 46.97.

Barry O'Grady wrote:

> Tommy Simmons wrote:
> :
> : Can anyone suggest what frequencies cordless and cell are located on? I
> : realize this may be a lame question, but new to scanning.
> : Thanks,
> : Tommy
>
> Cordless is from 30.075 to 30.300 MHz in 25 KHz steps.
> Cell is from 825 to 845 MHz for phone TX and 870 to 890 MHz for cell TX
> in 30 KHz steps.
>
> Barry
>
>

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2349. Re: police scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rob67@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r1mc3ldv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147812

SVPD - 155.640
SV Fire - 154.250
DPS District 9 (Sierra Vista Area) - 460.325
EMSCOM (Emerg Medical Serv) - 463.050

If you find the Fry Fire, can you let me know?? They broke off on their
own.

Thanks,

Rob

In article <6pqme9$v8h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
edmundharris@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Does anyone know any freq for Sierra Vista Az? I need police and fire and DPS.
>
> --
> I hope to here back soon:
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

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2350. PRO-43 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35D44880.18F5@flash.net>
Source record: 147813

PRO 43 ADVERTISED FOR $115.00 HAS BEEN SOLD...TNX JOHN

2351. Re: Attention ALL John Mackey Spews More Lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <35D44569.8B64BDC9@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 147814

CAN`T THIS BE A RADIO.SCANNER GROUP???

2352. Re: I want to recognize someo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6r1i5v$r61$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147815

There is no copyright violation here.

Fire Chief wrote in message <812_9808140100@warpgate.com>...

> Do you feel real good about possessing a copy that violates U.S.
> copyright laws, and which deprives the rightful owner (Uniden)
> of the fees it's entitled too?

2353. Lots of links to Scanner Web Sites

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: territorie@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081416055000.MAA07659@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147816

This site has tons of links and cool products as well.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">
CTP Descramblers/ Signal Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

2354. [Fwd: Your Old Man]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D46125.1AF378AD@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,talk.euthanasia,alt.support.mult-sclerosis

For those who don't know what MS is, it is a a debilitating, myelin-eating disease that can progress to blindness and being a quadriplegic.

***** Look at what malexder@aol.com wrote (regarding my dad wanting to kill himself because of Multiple Sclerosis) !

malexder@aol.com said, "If I had a whiny, punk kid like you I would kill myself."

That was totally inappropriate, and that really saddens me, almost to the point of crying. If you would like to talk with this loser, his email address is malexder@aol.com.

Ryan Faricy

If I had a whiny, punk kid like you I would kill myself.

2355. [Fwd: K. Patterson's comments]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D46291.BA6A9516@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,talk.euthanasia,alt.support.mult-sclerosis

First of all, K Patterson's real email address is <kandtp@fiai.net>.

His comments are also inappropriate and saddening (just like loser
MAlexder's).

Some people just think of themselves, and themselves only. MAlexder and
K. Patterson are two of them -- they are Gods of selfishness and
stupidity. It just shows how INSENSITIVE they are to others' problems.
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(Rockliffe SMTPRA 2.1.2) with SMTP id <J2826321024@kpat@aol.com> for
<@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net>;
Received: from email.uc.edu (email.uc.edu [16.29.207.212]) by bolis.com (4.9.8/0.5.2) with
SMTP id RQV37282 for <@kpat@aol.com,@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net>;
Fri, 14 Aug 1998 10:25:16 M
Received: from aol.com (aol.com [121.226.253.90]) by email.uc.edu (1.2.0/0.1.1) with SMTP
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<@bolis.com,@kpat@aol.com,@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net>; Fri, 14 Aug
1998 10:25:16 M
Message-Id: <793385812098.FMZ72662@kpat@aol.com>
X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.71.0544.0
Date: Fri, 14 Aug 1998 10:25:16 P
To: jtonsa@att.net
From: "K Patterson" <kpatterson@aol.com>
Subject: Sympothy For You
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"
If you think because you have problems at home gives you the right
to take it out on us you are wrong. I feel bad for what you are going
through, BUT you have no right to shoot down everyone. Take care of your problems on your
own time
not on ours. We are tired of hearing you bitch and Moan about your
problems at home. Frankly We don't care anymore. You always make
up a excuse of why you are being a ASSHOLE and we don't want to
here it any more. Why don't you unsuscribe from this news service
and go some where else. Get a fucking life you lamer.

p.s.

I dare you to try and Reply. HA HA HA HA

2356. Re: [Fwd: K. Patterson's comments]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <35D462F6.5CF1DFBE@nospam.att.net>
Source record: 147819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,talk.euthanasia,alt.support.mult-sclerosis

... and he can't spell worth crap.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> First of all, K Patterson's real email address is <kandtp@fiai.net>.
>
> His comments are also inappropriate and saddening (just like loser
> MAlexder's).
>
> Some people just think of themselves, and themselves only. MAlexder and
> K. Patterson are two of them -- they are Gods of selfishness and
> stupidity. It just shows how INSENSITIVE they are to others' problems.
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> Subject:
> Date: Fri, 14 Aug 1998 14:29:07 +0000
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<@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net>;
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> Message-Id: <793385812098.FMZ72662@kpat@aol.com>
> X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.71.0544.0
> Date: Fri, 14 Aug 1998 10:25:16 P
> To: jtonsa@att.net
> From: "K Patterson" <kpatterson@aol.com>
> Subject: Sympothy For You
> Mime-Version: 1.0

> Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"
> If you think because you have problems at home gives you the right
> to take it out on us you are wrong. I feel bad for what you are going
> through, BUT you have no right to shoot down everyone. Take care of your problems on your own time
> not on ours. We are tired of hearing you bitch and Moan about your
> problems at home. Frankly We don't care anymore. You always make
> up a excuse of why you are being a ASSHOLE and we don't want to
> here it any more. Why don't you unsuscribe from this news service
> and go some where else. Get a fucking life you lamer.
>
> p.s.
>
> I dare you to try and Reply. HA HA HA HA
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2357. Crystals for Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: timstarr@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6r1o4j$a40$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147820

Does anyone have a good source for scanner crystals for an old radio shack scanner. I need several vhf crystals. Tnx in advance. Tim

2358. FAQ's and Santa Fe, NM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gilbert J. Garduno" <ggarduno@lanl.gov>
Message-ID: <35D46670.1C5E@lanl.gov>
Source record: 147821

Are there any FAQ's for this site?

And if this information is not on the FAQ that may exist.....Does anybody have State Police and other law enforcement frequencies for Santa Fe County NM? I have found Albuquerque frequencies on sites around the net, but nothing on our Capital city area. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

2359. Re: fire dept dreq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6r1p91$1pb8$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147822

REMOVE_THIS idirect.com (Mina Naguib) wrote in message
<35d4c955.3679480@n3.idirect.com>...
>
>
>A quick question from a complete newbie.
>
>Anyone in the GTA or Mississauga region/Canada have the frequencies
>for the 4 channels used by the fire department here (I'm interested
in
>Mississauga)

Go to the NF2G Scannist Pages - Ontario Section at
http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/ontario_index.html and click on Peel Region.

73 de Dave, NF2G

2360. FS: AOR 2700 and Opti Scout $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomgetty@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35d40a50.595835936@news.atl.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Forsale:

AOR 2700 and Optielectronics Scout.

AOR 2700
500 channel
100 khz to 1.3 gig FULL
built-in RS232 interface
AC Adapter
2 Antennas
Scout Adapter for reaction scanning
Manuel

Opti SCOUT
AC Adapter
Maunel
Case
mini antenna

$400 + COD shipping

tomgetty@mindspring.com

2361. fire dept dreq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <35d4c955.3679480@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 147918

A quick question from a complete newbie.

Anyone in the GTA or Mississauga region/Canada have the frequencies
for the 4 channels used by the fire department here (I'm interested in
Mississauga)

Thanks a lot in advance.

"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
then realize that the prisoner was you."

Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
ICQ UIN #6181556

To email me, remove "REMOVE_THIS" from my
email address

2362. Re: Pro-2004 sensitivity question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <35d388ac.467256015@news3.enter.net>
Source record: 147919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 13 Aug 1998 13:12:39 GMT, mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
(Pursuit10851) wrote:

> I just got a Pro-2004 a week ago, and in comparing it with my
>Pro-2006 on 800 MHz (870-893.970 MHz) I noticed that the 2004's
>sensitivity wasn't as good as the 2006's. I

i seem to recall reading several articles over the years dealing with
this observation. i think that the conclusion was that RS reduced the
sensitivity on the 2004 to reduce intermod in urban environments from
pagers, etc. this change was noticed and complained about to RS which
then corrected it in the 2006....

2363. Re: BC895 scanning blank channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35d38d8f.6864996@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 147920
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jeff

I belive that no data bit is global...it affects all the channels or
non of the channels.

Peace

Roy

On Wed, 12 Aug 1998 16:04:49 GMT, jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com (Jeff
Adams) wrote:

>On Wed, 12 Aug 1998 05:12:32 GMT, "Jason Webb"
><orlscan(idonotwantspam)@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>>Real Easy Answer On this One Hit The "Data" Button
>>
>>Please When you get a scanner read the Manual
>
>Thanks for the input - if you read my post, I said I read the manual
>and that I found this comment applied to searching, not scanning.
>Perhaps I missed the part about it applying to scanning, I'll have to
>go back and check.
>
>But the bigger question was, is that the way the scanner is supposed
>to work? I.E., when I program in a frequency, is it supposed to, by
>default, display the crossed-out DATA ONLY when scanning and not when
>I manually step through?
>
>>>Ok, I reset the scanner and reprogrammed in about 40 freq's (all
>>>none-trunked). It scans much faster now. But now, whenever the
>>>scanner stops while scanning, the word DATA with a diagonal line
>>>through it appears (but not when I hit Manual and step through the
>>>frequencies). I found something in the manual about how you can push
>>>the DATA button while searching if the scanner is stopping on freq's
>>>containing data and you don't want it to do that. But I didn't see
>>>anything about the crossed-out DATA appearing during normal scanning.
>>>Anyone?
>>>Thanks,
>======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
>| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
>| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
>| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
>==

2364. Scanning a EDACS system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnkimba@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081401403900.VAA05354@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147921

I really liked listening to the local public safety folks on my old scanner, then they swiched to something my husband said is called edacs. He said we need two new scanners and a computer. I really don't want to buy all kinds of stuff, but he said if we only buy one scanner, it would still need over $100 of work and we would have to put up with the water, sewer, schools and parks and everyone else.

QUESTION!
What is the bare minimun I can spend, or the very basic equipment to buy (It has to be plug and play, as neither of us is technical) so we can listen to the police and fire only. He wont let me tie up his computer, because it is our only source of income. I would also like to use the scanner in my car, but I don't want to lug all kkinds of stuff around.

Please help

2365. I want to recognize someone special!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tscommone@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081402580300.WAA08280@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147922

I won't identify him publicly because he might not want to be recognized as being what I consider a good example of what we should see more of on this and other NG's and all around true scanner fanatic. I recently asked for help aquiring a manual for my newly purchased (at a yardsale) BC 760 XLT scanner. I received several replies from people telling me how to purchase one from Uniden, a couple of people were good enough to say they would sell me thier old manuals for a fair price and one guy who tried to convince me to hack into Uniden and steal it online! Well one individual stood up and did what I feel warranted this acknowlwedgement. Today I received a high quality, unfolded, correctly stapled photo cpoy of the manual I needed!!!!! I was thrilled because I am on a limited budget and sinply couldn't afford the minimal ammount Uniden wanted for the manual. This person, using his own money copied the manual, placed it in a correctly sized envelope, placed neatly written lables, both e return and addresseand paid the going US Postal rate to ship it to me... first class even! Now I know this person had to take time out of their schedule to do all these things, had to take the time to actually "DO" what he said he would do and did it within a few days of saying he would. Well to say the least I am impressed and plan on paying back what this gentleman did for me. You see my job just picked back up again, I am working now and can afford to do something in return for the good deed done for me. You can expect $15.00 in the mail on payday sir, you have earned it! And I wish that more people like you still lived in America, if they didwe wouldn't be going to hell in a hand basket and getting no better. Thank you and God Bless you...
Rick D. Adkins, TSC
Mid Central Region

2366. NEW - MTrunk/Trunker & ETrunk Mailing List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: drickch19d@sgi.net
Message-ID: <35d5be1a.43797995@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 147573
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In an effort to assist with MTrunk/Trunker & ETrunk usage a new mailing list
has been set up.

Trunker

This list is for the discussion of the MTrunk aka Trunker and the ETrunk
trunking radio control data channel decoding programs. Discussion on how to use
MTrunk & ETrunk along with information on Motorola & E/GE EDACS TRS systems is
welcome.

You can subscribe by going to the MTrunk & ETrunk Home Page at:
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/trnkv3x.htm

You can also subscribe by following the link below:
http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/trunker

Look forward to seeing all the MTrunk & ETrunk Users!

I am Geek Spice, who do you wannabe?

** Remove d's in email address to email me! **
Western Pennsylvania Scanner Frequency Page
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/
Western PA Scanner Mailing List -
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/wpascanl.htm
Radio Scanner Web Ring - Find a scanner web site quickly!
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/scnrng.htm
Spice Girls ! ! http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/spice.htm
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"Through the gateway, off the repeater,
over the backbone, nothing but net!"

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any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
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US. E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

2367. Re: FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dre@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <6r4ev2ihm1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147574
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

It would save us all a step if you would post your asking prices for
these items
On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:44:21 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
wrote:

>I have for sale the following:
>
>Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
>AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
>RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)
>
>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
>
>AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
>Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
>
>If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net
>
>
>
>

2368. 44 Mhz English

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mvarnhem@wxs.nl
Message-ID: <35d58c48.17199049@news.wxs.nl>
Source record: 147575

Today, aug 15th, many stations were heard by SpE.
As I mentioned before, US English was audible on 37.250 Mhz.
Now I also heard on 44.675 British English with radiochecks "Tango one zero".
Also digital noise on this frequency.
73,
Max, the Netherlands
mvarnhem@wxs.nl

2369. Re: 2005 Manual Need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat <valdemar@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D5BC49.FA4FF676@ibm.net>
Source record: 147576

Thank's to everyone for the help. My manual has come within one week of my posting!!!

Pat in San Francisco

Ken Plotkin wrote:

> In article <ELYa3XAh70z1EwUw@javiation.co.uk>,
> Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:
>
> >Use the web :-)
> >
> >Take a look at Tandy's support pages at:
> >
> >http://support.tandy.com
> [snip]
>
> Great tip. RS has manuals for most (all?) of their current and
> near-current stuff there.
>
> Bought a car tape deck at RS. Display model, manual missing. They
> ordered one for me, but I needed to install it - and figure out how it
> worked! - that weekend. Getting the manual off the web site was a
> lifesaver.
>
> Ken Plotkin

2370. cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat <valdemar@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D5BD54.9BCF2C81@ibm.net>
Source record: 147577

Hello all...

On July 23, Thursday there was a very complete posting of all cordless phone frequencies that I had printed for reference but latter saw that my printer was on the blink. Does anyone have a copy of that post that they could forward to me??

Thanks in advance for the help.

Pat in San Francisco

2371. radioraft

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jim@techno1.com>
Message-ID: <35D5C287.DB6EB8D6@techno1.com>
Source record: 147578

Anyone got and want to tell me password for radioraft

2372. US Navy on 37 Mhz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mvarnhem@wxs.nl
Message-ID: <35d58c88.17263202@news.wxs.nl>
Source record: 147579

At this time 10.30 UTC I am listening to a lot of SpE on the OIRT bands, but also between 30 and 50 MHz.
I wonder what is this:
American English on 37.250 FMn : call sign "India zero one" and talks on a speedboat, coastguard, a harbour and a beach full of civilians 9(US Navy??).
This type of communications remember me on the reception of US Navy between 30 and 50 Mhz and F2 conditions during the last high sunspot activity.
Can anybody help?
Max, The Netherlands
mvarnhem@wxs.nl

2373. Re: OPINIONS Wanted For PRO-90 TRUNKTRACKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <jmorris@i-55.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc87e$0ecea4a0$3765e7d0@default>
Source record: 147580

I have a Pro-60 and a Pro-90 (Trunktracker). The Pro-90 seems to me to have a better speaker and better display. The display is more visible in existing light, and the backlight display stays on for 5 sec. when the light button is pushed. The Pro-90 also has 300 channels (30 per bank). It is easier to input frequencies as well: there are fewer steps and the numeric pad has oversized round keys for ease of data entry.

The trunking features are very powerful. You scan one talk group ID or several at a time (as long as they are in the same bank). You can even lockout certain IDs.

You can always scan frequencies in the traditional way--even the ones entered in your trunking bank(s). I am very please with my Pro-90 so far.

The only thing I'm not totally happy with is the car adapter (optional). The Pro-90 comes with an AC adapter charger. My car adapter for my Pro-60 won't work on the 90 becauase the 90 runs on 12 volts, where the 60 runs on 9 volts. In addition, the recommended 12v car adapter from RS is actually an adapter for a radar detector (270-031). The 1.3mm plug is long and does not seat into the scanner with a definite click. It appears as if it the coiled cord could pull out from the scanner with a little pressure.

Just my $.02.

Joe

joe <jc123@prodigy.net> wrote in article <35D5AB8F.4813@prodigy.net>...
> I'm thinking of buying one today cause it is on sale for 199.00
> I don't know anything technical about trunk tracking but I've been a
> scanner hobbyist for years.
>
> Please tell me whether or not this is a decent radio for the price and
> if the trunking technology changes, am I stuck with a useless radio?
>
> Thanks in advance,
> Joe
>

2374. Re: 2006 "low-bat" problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35D5D35F.8FA@home.here>
Source record: 147581

Mine also continued to beep after changing the battery. The problem was the battery connector terminals were spread apart and not making good contact. I removed the battery, crimped up the "acorn" terminal and reinstalled the battery. Make sure you get a tight snap on both terminals.

gs.patton@t-online.de wrote:
> hi there!
> Is there sombody who can help me??
> my scanner sayï¿½s "low-batt" although i have changed the 9volt-batterie.
> The peeping on low-bat makes me very nervous!!
>
> greetings from germany,
>
> emil

2375. Re: LSP Trunk Tracking Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6r4n88$a48@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147582

Joe,

You might try Lindsay Blanton's web page. Lots of good info on trunking.

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

Joe Morris wrote in message <01bdc80c$0f1c0820$7464e7d0@default>...
>Hi Anyone in South Louisiana:
>
>I recently purchased a RS Pro-90 primarily for scanning the Louisiana State
>Police who use the Motorola Type II Smartzone System. I have obtained the
>frequencies from several internet sources for confirmation. I can trunk
>track the Baton Rouge area O.K., but I'm having trouble tracking the Hamond
>Site. The frequencies listed by several sources are 866.1023, 866.1750,
>866.7500 (DATA), 867.2750, and 868.8375. I am fairly sure I have
>programmed the frequencies into the scanner correctly. When starting the
>trunking mode on the bank in which I have these frequencies the scanner
>searches for the data channel but never finds it. It just keeps searching.
> When scanning these same frequencies in the conventional way (not trunk
>tracking), all of the traffic appears to be on 866.75, supposedly the data
>channel. I am new to trunk tracking, but have thoroughly read the Pro-90
>manual. Could it be that the Hammond Site is not yet using the trunking
>system with these frequencies? Are there more frequencies that have not
>yet been identified (including the data channel)? Am I doing something
>wrong?
>
>Any suggestions or theories would be appreciated. Thanks.
>
>Joe

2376. Re: cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35D5E1C7.6DD2E08E@navix.net>
Source record: 147583

pat wrote:

> Hello all...
>
> On July 23, Thursday there was a very complete posting of all cordless
> phone frequencies that I had printed for reference but latter saw that
> my printer was on the blink. Does anyone have a copy of that post that
> they could forward to me??
>
> Thanks in advance for the help.
>
> Pat in San Francisco
>

They MIGHT be mine,,,,here's a copy....good luck...

Cellular or Airplane Telephones

From Here To Here Classification
824.040 834.360 CELL
834.390 835.620 CELL
835.650 848.970 CELL
849.000 851.000 AIR
869.040 879.360 CELL
879.390 880.620 CELL
880.650 893.970 CELL
896.000 901.000 AIR

Ch.	BASE	HANDSET	Ch.	BASE	HANDSET	Ch.	BASE	HANDSET
01	902.100	926.100	11	902.400	926.400	21	902.700	926.700
02	902.130	926.130	12	902.430	926.430	22	902.730	926.730
03	902.160	926.160	13	902.460	926.460	23	902.760	926.760
04	902.190	926.190	14	902.490	926.490	24	902.790	926.790
05	902.220	926.220	15	902.520	926.520	25	902.820	926.820
06	902.250	926.250	16	902.550	926.550	26	902.850	926.850
07	902.280	926.280	17	902.580	926.580	27	902.880	926.880
08	902.310	926.310	18	902.610	926.610	28	902.910	926.910
09	902.340	926.340	19	902.640	926.640	29	902.940	926.940
10	902.370	926.370	20	902.670	926.670	30	902.970	926.970
31	903.000	927.000	41	903.300	927.300	51	903.600	927.600
32	903.030	927.030	42	903.330	927.330	52	903.630	927.630
33	903.060	927.060	43	903.360	927.360	53	903.660	927.660
34	903.090	927.090	44	903.390	927.390	54	903.690	927.690
35	903.120	927.120	45	903.420	927.420	55	903.720	927.720
36	903.150	927.150	46	903.450	927.450	56	903.750	927.750

37 903.180 927.180 47 903.480 927.480 57 903.780 927.780
38 903.210 927.210 48 903.510 927.510 58 903.810 927.810
39 903.240 927.240 49 903.540 927.540 59 903.840 927.840
40 903.270 927.270 50 903.570 927.570 60 903.870 927.870

Panasonic Other 900MHZ Cordless

COLOUR BASE HANDSET
Blue 902.100 926.100
Hot Pink 902.130 926.130
Banana 902.160 926.160
Cerise 902.190 926.190
White 902.220 926.220
Off White 902.250 926.250
Gray 902.280 926.280
Fuschia 902.310 926.310
Pink 902.340 926.340
Chartreuse 902.370 926.370
Neon Purple902.400 926.400
Black 903.870 927.870

V-TECH Cordless Phones
Ch. BASE HANDSET Ch. BASE HANDSET Ch. BASE HANDSET
01 905.600 925.500 08 906.300 926.200 15 907.000 926.900
02 905.700 925.600 09 906.400 926.300 16 907.100 927.000
03 905.800 925.700 10 906.500 926.400 17 907.200 927.100
04 905.900 925.800 11 906.600 926.500 18 907.300 927.200
05 906.000 925.900 12 906.700 926.600 19 907.400 927.300
06 906.100 926.000 13 906.800 926.700 20 907.500 927.400
07 906.200 926.100 14 906.900 926.800

2377. Re: US Navy on 37 Mhz ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <uQtGGTIy9GA.211@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147584

Military narrow band FM frequencies, mainly PRC-77 transcievers used by
ground troops and support boats or aircraft.

Mostly likely training exercise involving National Guard or Reserve units in
Joint Services Operation.

English military also uses same band.

Ivan Ivanovich

m. van arnhem wrote in message <35d58c88.17263202@news.wxs.nl>...
>At this time 10.30 UTC I am listening to a lot of SpE on the OIRT
>bands, but also between 30 and 50 MHz.
>I wonder what is this:
>American English on 37.250 FMn : call sign "India zero one" and talks
>on a speedboat, coastguard, a harbour and a beach full of civilians 9(
>US Navy??).
>This type of communications remember me on the reception of US Navy
>between 30 and 50 Mhz and F2 conditions during the last high sunspot
>activity.
>Can anybody help?
>Max, The Netherlands
>mvarnhem@wxs.nl

2378. SC150 & BC3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: otalk2meo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081519503800.PAA07345@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147585

I'm looking for any mods for these two scanners. I'm especially looking to find mods to extend their frequency coverage. Any help would be much appreciated. Thanks,

Jeff

2379. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5EC6F.3CEA799E@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147586
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Good points (only a newsgroup, and skin needs to thicken).

I accept the apology, too, and you are forgiven.

Jack wrote:

> Now I'm a flamer? I've yet to flame you or anyone else in this NG!
> You need to learn not to take everything so personally, it's only a
> newsgroup! The purpose is for everyone to throw their opinion in and
> hopefully learn something in the process. It is certainly not to get
> all upset and cry to their ISP if someone disagrees with you. You
> don't need to have the last word EVERY time opinions vary....really!
> Life is a bitch, your skin needs to thicken up a bit, or the world is
> going to eat you up! If you feel that I've flamed you in the past, I'm
> really sorry and will try to lighten up in the future. Good luck!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2380. Re: cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5EDF2.E7C74314@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147587

And, to add to Matt Virus' list, the 6.5 meter (25 channel) cordless phone frequencies are:

Channel Frequency
1 43.72
2 43.74
3 43.82
4 43.84
5 43.92
6 43.96
7 44.12
8 44.16
9 44.18
10 44.20
11 44.32
12 44.36
13 44.40
14 44.46
15 44.48
16 46.61
17 46.63
18 46.67
19 46.71
20 46.73
21 46.77
22 46.83
23 46.87
24 46.93
25 46.97

pat wrote:

> Hello all...
>
> On July 23, Thursday there was a very complete posting of all cordless
> phone frequencies that I had printed for reference but latter saw that
> my printer was on the blink. Does anyone have a copy of that post that
> they could forward to me??
>
> Thanks in advance for the help.
>
> Pat in San Francisco
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2381. Re: Paybacks can be a bitch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5EE6D.664A6973@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147588

Uploading a 1gB file will tie up your PC for awhile, too.

Danno wrote:

> Why don't we start an email bomb to these two jerks. everytime they post
> here we all reply to their email by one long message with a file about
> 1gb attached. that will tie up their pc's for awhile.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2382. Re: Last chance?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5EF01.C7C5654C@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147589

He he.

Thanks, and I shall try not to deviate from the subject!

Bruce K wrote:

> maybe we'll forgive you:)If you stay on the subject from here on out.You
> have alot of knowledge-lets use it and not lose it.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2383. Re: FS: SONY CRF-1 HF reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5EF62.B8B4F15D@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Good luck finding a buyer at $1700... !

Akio Fujikawa wrote:

> Hello!
> Thank you for your e-mail.
> CRF-1 is great condition. Cosmetic is exc.condition.
> I think CRF-1 Best HF reciever.
>
> I hope price us$1,700+shipping.
> Shipping fee is
> us$105- via EMS.
>
> I wait your good answer.
>
> Bets regards,
> 73
> akio fujikawa
> fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
> $B!!(J
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2384. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5F03D.D8BA490D@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147591

Sure! Give me a time (please send by email) and I shall try to get on
the air then. I know that I will be unavailable from 9:30am to 1:00pm,
but otherwise, I should be home all day.

Hopefully, there won't be a Weather Net going on then. There may be some
strong storms building here around 4-6 pm.

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Ryan,
>
> If you are around Sunday PM, I will most likely give you a call on
> the Twin Cities Club repeater, 7.21 I have to be up there Monday AM
> for a class I get to teach.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2385. Re: BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6r4qp0$en0$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 147592

Replace the battery.

Mike

Night663 wrote in message
<1998081510442300.GAA08710@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>I have a problem in my 760 the memories are lost asap when the power is
>disconnected.Can anyone steer me to the right part to fix this
problem.Thanks
>Bill

2386. My Alleged Existance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D5F6CC.A45924C4@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147593
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I apologize for this message, but this must be cleared up.

It seems that a couple people here think I don't exist. Well, I do. Don't believe it? Ask Ed Walsh, KC0CKK by emailing him at emw-1@att.net (we even use the same online service). I exist as much as all of you exist.

My QRZ address information is all correct (except my 4 digit appendage to my zip code -- it really is 2946), I was born August 10, of 1982, I just turned 16 five days ago, I live near Edina with my mom.

I've talked with Ed several times on the repeater here in the Twin Cities.

Ryan Faricy
KC0DSZ

2387. Buy Cheap scanner with airband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roberto BP <rbarquinp@nexo.es>
Message-ID: <6r4ss8$c1e$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 147594

I'd like to buy a very cheap handheld scanner for listening airband, mainly.
Please send your offer to rbarquinp@nexo.es. Thanks

2388. Scanner Price Guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35D5FBF6.DB6@prodigy.net>
Source record: 147595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

The used scanner price guide has now been updated for June and July. Go to http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/home.html to check it out.

2389. I need help with a bearcat '250' it is stuck on 51.175.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrmack@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r51p3$9iu$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147596

In article 357a93d4.269548@news k5kip@qsl.net (Kip Chatterson) wrote I need help with a bearcat '250 it is stuck on 51.175.
It will scan
I can enter freq but can't write it to memory.'

Did anybody reply to this message. I also have a bearcat 250, which exhibits the same fault, which I have been unable to fix.

Have tried to email Kip Chatterson but e-mail returned as not known on server.

Also does anybody have an e-mail or fax address for newly incorporated Electra Corporation in Cumberland IN for the purpose of obtaining service manuals for the Bearcat 250 and 20/20 scanners?

Any information would be appreciated.
Pse e-mail me at warrmack@fl.net.au

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2390. where is the best place to purchase scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mikeman@shaw.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <bioB1.2320$hr3.766127@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 147597

Hi you all,

i live calgary, alberta, canada. right now i currently have a net-set pro-49 scanner. it is a 10 channel direct entry. i looking to get a new scanner so i can tune in to all the band. i was woundering were the best place to buy one is?

thank's

Mike

2391. Re: FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <jOoB1.240$Lc3.5351025@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147598
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I did not list prices, because if you are interested you will contact me.
If you are not interested don't waste the EFFORT of posting.............

Douglas R. Eisenstein wrote in message <6r4ev2ihm1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>It would save us all a step if you would post your asking prices for
>these items
>On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:44:21 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
>wrote:
>
>>I have for sale the following:
>>
>>Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
>>AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
>>RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)
>>
>>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
>>
>>AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
>>Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
>>
>>If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net
>>
>>
>>
>>
>

2392. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6r56gi$o3s$0@207.18.224.27>
Source record: 147599

On 15 Aug 1998 20:31:47 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Sure! Give me a time (please send by email) and I shall try to get on
>the air then. I know that I will be unavailable from 9:30am to 1:00pm,
>but otherwise, I should be home all day.
As soon as I get the strong desire, (Grin) I will
be headed that way. I will most likely drop a line
when I leave out.

2393. Re: BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc8a7$403ee800$381637a6@default>
Source record: 147600

Try replacing the lithium memory battery. It's available from Uniden for
about $3.50.
Good luck...

Mike

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Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

Night663 <night663@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980815104423 00.GAA08710@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> I have a problem in my 760 the memories are lost asap when the power is
> disconnected.Can anyone steer me to the right part to fix this
problem.Thanks
> Bill
>

2394. Re: where is the best place to purchase scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <_2qB1.245$Lc3.5375292@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147601

Try Bandercom at http://www.bander.com/usa/index.html

Mike wrote in message ...
>Hi you all,
>
>i live calgary, alberta, canada. right now i currently have a net-set
pro-49
>scanner. it is a 10 channel direct entry. i looking to get a new scanner so
>i can tune in to all the band. i was woundering were the best place to buy
>one is?
>
>
>thank's
>
>Mike
>
>

2395. Re: Pro 34 help needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <8E9B6A1EE25EFB5C.C2AFEE41E40E0596.9BE92B32261FA0B6@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 147602

i had to resolder the antenna connection a few times on mine since i bought it years ago...i was running one of those telescoping antennas that put a lot of strain on the bnc connector..i'd check that out first...

2396. Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <93c_9808152118@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147603

J Mackey wrote:

> You sure have a lot of time & energy to spend on CRAP like this!
> Richard, GET A LIFE!

His crap is more interesting than your SHIT.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2397. Re: Don't buy from radio shack until we get manuals!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4upimnu8@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147604
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Thats crap. Radio shack doesn't want anyone to stop scanning, thats waht they are all about!!! They've been selling scanners for 40 years, why the hell would they stop now?

David Abrams.... (david084@flash.net) wrote:
: Emilio Goldstein wrote:
: >
: > You fools!
: > That's what they want you to do!
: > They want you to stop scanning!
: > Instead, buy extra scanners from those bastards!
: > Screw them against the wall!
: > That is all.
: > PROTECT OUR RIGHTS!!!

: I think under the clinton ku klux klan, you have no rights

--

2398. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4uebmnu6@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147605

Certainly. Radio Shack makes several models that have that frequency
range open.

mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
: Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?

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2399. Re: DIGITAL SCANNERS -where the HELL are they!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4u7pmnu5@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147606
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Not to mention that the encryption used on digital signals will be
impossible to decrypt.

DL (dlambo55@tir.com) wrote:
: Emilio Goldstein wrote:
: >
: > Are you some kind of dumb-ass?
: > You can't scan digital signals because they are encrypted.
: > If you could pick them up - then what would be the point of going digital.
: >
: > Reality really bites
: >
: > Reality Hurts wrote in message <626n5a$72419@kidd.cal.shaw.wave.ca>...
: > >as i have posted in a few other notes on this NG, (which no one has
: > >responded to) i was wondering about digital scanenrs... are they out? who
: > >makes them? if they arnt out who is gonna make them... what is their price
: > >range gonna be around?
: > >
: > >thanks!
: > >
: > >:o)
: > >
: > >

: Emilio get off your high horse and get back on your medication !
: While you're getting things.....GET A FRICKEN CLUE too and lighten
: up......

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2400. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4ulkmnu7@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147607

No, its a bunch of smart old geeks who don't like paying someone to use
the airwaves that they have every right to use for free. Now, if you like
to pay for something that already belongs to you, then go right ahead.

Emilio Goldstein (Egoldstein@somanet.com) wrote:
: What is the point of "ham radio"?
: Is it more than a bunch of old geeks who haven't heard of cell phones?

--

2401. Re: Listen to your handheld through your car speakers! Read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4u1qmnu4@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147608

Wow, that is a great idea!!!

Glenhollow (glenhollow@aol.com) wrote:
: I see some messages about which external speaker to use for your hand held
: scanner in your car. Well I day I took my cd adapter for my car casstte player
:
: and plugged it in the cassette player. I then took the cord and plugged it in
: the earphone hole my handheld, and it worked great. I now listen to my
: handheld through my four car speakers! It sounds great too! You can get one of
: these adapters for around $15.00 at any Radio Shack!

: John

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2402. Pro2040 On Closeout Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4roomnu1@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147609

I am not sure if any of the Radio Shacks have any left, but I just picked up a PRO2040 on closeout for $89.95. This scanner regularly goes for $229.99. I thought this was a pretty good deal.

They also have thier PRO2046 mobile scanner on closeout for $69.95 which is normally $229.99. Thats a really great deal on a fine mobile scanner.

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2403. Re: Car speaker for handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4sctmnu2@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147610

: Brian Kane <bkane@rice.edu> wrote in article
: >
: > Is this feasible? Or is my only course of action to rig up some sort of
: > external speaker? If the external speaker is the only route, does anyone
: > have any recommendations on a small powered external speaker that would
: > work well?

Brian, your best bet is to just get the external powered speaker from Radio Shack. Part #21-541 $24.99. It uses 12VDC. This is a great speaker.

They also make an unpowered version, 21-549 which sounds excellent and might be loud enough for you even without the amp. I like these little speakers so much that I screwed the mounting bracket to a small piece of nice pine and I use it for my table-top scanner in the house. These are definately great communication speakers.

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2404. Re: Computer Interface for Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
Message-ID: <6r4tuhmnu3@news.cc.ucf.edu>
Source record: 147611

I saw an add once for a device that would connect to your scanner's
earphone jack and also to your computer. This device would allow you to
recieve packet. It wasn't that expensive either. I'm kinda surprised
that RS hasn't sold something like this.

Stacy Saveall (stacy_saveall@avid.com) wrote:
: Does anyone know of any scanner models that provide output means for a
: computer interface, i.e. remote viewing of alphanumeric display from
: scanner on a computer? This would be so a user could monitor scanner
: traffic directly from his computer desktop.

: Also any opinions on what manufacturer provides the best auxiliary audio
: output from a scanner?

: Please feel free to reply to group but also directly to me at
: stacy_saveall@avid.com

: Stacy Saveall
: AvidNews Broadcast Support
: Avid Technology Inc.
: www.avid.com

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2405. pro 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert and Sonia Ingersoll <bsing@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <903274071.151390@michelob>
Source record: 147612

Anyone have any information on the later pro 51 mods for cmr?
Bob @ Bsing@sprint.ca

2406. NEW ICOM R 2 available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: TELCOM-GmbH.HV@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6r41fq$75d$2@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 147613
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Hello,
we will have the R 2 European version available middle of September. It
is the european version which do not feature the cell-block feature....
More details you can find with all specs on our homepage
http://www.telcom-gmbh.com/icom.htm
Please click the R2 letters and see the specs.
vy 73 from germany

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2407. YAESU VX1R Cellular band instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan@pacificnet.com.mx
Message-ID: <6r2o0q$fr1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147677

Does somebody have the instructions to scan cellular band in the Yaesu VX1R.
If you have it please let me know I will appreciatte that.

Thanks

Alan Castro

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2408. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d4dd22.1371629@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147678
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 14 Aug 1998 13:40:39 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I will also add MAlexder to my small list of people who are really giving me
>a hard time and bringing me beyond being only irritated.
>
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
>> *** For those who continue to pester, flame, vex, or otherwise harass
>> me, just leave me alone. I am sick of the flames, and flames are things
>> I don't need at all right now. Those flamers include Jack (and
>> especially him), Hidden and Gone, among a few others.

Now I'm a flamer? I've yet to flame you or anyone else in this NG!
You need to learn not to take everything so personally, it's only a
newsgroup! The purpose is for everyone to throw their opinion in and
hopefully learn something in the process. It is certainly not to get
all upset and cry to their ISP if someone disagrees with you. You
don't need to have the last word EVERY time opinions vary....really!
Life is a bitch, your skin needs to thicken up a bit, or the world is
going to eat you up! If you feel that I've flamed you in the past, I'm
really sorry and will try to lighten up in the future. Good luck!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2409. Re: bc200xlt (help!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081501262100.VAA16503@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147679

I believe the BC200xlt only has 12.5khz steps.
in that range. I don't think it can be changed.
You would have to upgrade to a newer scanner.

2410. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6r2rdn$t12$0@207.18.224.127>
Source record: 147680

On 14 Aug 1998 20:47:55 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I'm a member.
>
>J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:
>
>> How did you confirm this Ryan?
>>
>> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> > Pottersville Amateur Radio Group certainly does exist.
>>

Ryan,

If you are around Sunday PM, I will most likely give you a call on
the Twin Cities Club repeater, 7.21 I have to be up there Monday AM
for a class I get to teach.

2411. NASA hurricane study - freqs and schedule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081503420700.XAA17433@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147681

>If anyone comes up with specific discrete frequencies assigned to the
>tropical weather program, please let me know.

The three acft that have been working the last few days are:
NASA 806, the ER-2 (i.e., U-2)
NASA 817, the DC-8
N77ND, the U of N Dak Citation.
The freqs are:
133.75 Patrick Twr
134.95 Patrick Appr/Dep N
126.65 CCAS Grd Ops-Air (main freq)
378.8 ER-2 Discrete for Patrick

The ER-2 operates at 50-60,000 feet; the DC-8 operates at 36,000 feet.
Yesterday I heard the Citation work up to 31,000 feet.

Tomorrow, Sat 98/8/15 the ER-2 and DC-8 will take off at 1430 local and work until 1930 local. The Citation will take off at 1530 local and work until 1830 local.
AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

2412. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d709ae.1471923@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147682

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 23:10:01 -0400, allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
wrote:

>
>
>Jack wrote:
>
>> Leave out the resistors..and push the small button located in the tiny
>> hole on the side!
>
>Yowza! Ok-Ok, I screwed up on that Pro-43. My Pro-39 has a little "reset"
>button in a teeny hole on the left side of the scanner. I thought maybe the
>Pro-43 had the same thing. I was wrong. Several posters advised me of that.
>
>But thanks for running with it Jack! (Jeeez, cut me some slack JACK!)

On a PRO-64 that won't program, pressing the little button is the
answer, if the cable is ok! :)

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2413. Re: bc200xlt (help!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35d50bde.5060972@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 147683

BA <panthers@i-plus.net> wrote:

:I try to input 902.13 but everytime I do, the frequency changes to
:902.125!! How come? Is there anything that I can do?
:thanks barry

The same thing happens with my UBC3000XLT. The work around seems
to be to enter the frequency, change the step rate, then re-enter
the frequency.

How did you know my name was Barry?

Barry

2414. Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <6r34is$95a$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 147684
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I have a few comments now up on my Web site on the RadioShack 23-410 Pulse Battery Charger. A few pictures as well. (and for the radio pepole, have added a few Short Wave . wav files and additional pictures of some of my older gear).

at:
http://www.ticon.net/~davez

thank's
davez

2415. Re: [Fwd: K. Patterson's comments]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6r34r5$56l$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147685
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,talk.euthanasia,alt.support.mult-sclerosis

>
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
>> First of all, K Patterson's real email address is <kandtp@fiai.net>.

Yes it is! Its the only one I have ever had. Except that a year ago it was just kandtp@fia.net. The service changed hands. I have never disguised my address, I just clicked on one of my posts and it came up as the one Ryan mentioned.

>> His comments are also inappropriate and saddening (just like loser
>> MAlexder's).

The post Ryan is refering to below was sent from an AOL account (looks like to me) I do not have AOL. Its not my post. Believe me or not, I guess I don't care. But none of that was my doing! Looks like it came from CA. I live in Iowa. On second thought ,this does makes me a bit upset that people may think I wrote this. I am not perfect, but I'm no jerk. And I am not mean spirited. Had I known of Ryans "situation" I would have never replied to him at all.

>> Some people just think of themselves, and themselves only. MAlexder and
>> K. Patterson are two of them -- they are Gods of selfishness and
>> stupidity. It just shows how INSENSITIVE they are to others' problems.

Insensitivity? You wrote me that VERY mean e-mail, and you can call others insensitive? Some one used my name Ryan. Plain and simple. I don't expect an appology, lets just drop the whole thing.

>> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>>
>> Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
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>> Subject:
>> Date: Fri, 14 Aug 1998 14:29:07 +0000
>>
>> (Rockliffe SMTPRA 2.1.2) with SMTP id <J2826321024@kpat@aol.com> for
<@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net>;
>> Received: from email.uc.edu (email.uc.edu [16.29.207.212]) by bolis.com
(4.9.8/0.5.2) with SMTP id RQV37282 for
<@kpat@aol.com,@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net>; Fri, 14
Aug 1998 10:25:16 M

>> Received: from aol.com (aol.com [121.226.253.90]) by email.uc.edu
(1.2.0/0.1.1) with SMTP id UZZ58815 for
<@bolis.com,@kpat@aol.com,@mailhost.att.net,@ocf.berkeley.edu:jtonsa@att.net
>; Fri, 14 Aug 1998 10:25:16 M
>> Message-Id: <793385812098.FMZ72662@kpat@aol.com>
>> X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.71.0544.0
>> Date: Fri, 14 Aug 1998 10:25:16 P
>> To: jtonsa@att.net
>> From: "K Patterson" <kpatterson@aol.com>
>> Subject: Sympothy For You
>> Mime-Version: 1.0
>> Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"
>> If you think because you have problems at home gives you the right
>> to take it out on us you are wrong. I feel bad for what you are going
>> through, BUT you have no right to shoot down everyone. Take care of your
problems on your own time
>> not on ours. We are tired of hearing you bitch and Moan about your
>> problems at home. Frankly We don't care anymore. You always make
>> up a excuse of why you are being a ASSHOLE and we don't want to
>> here it any more. Why don't you unsuscribe from this news service
>> and go some where else. Get a fucking life you lamer.
>>
>> p.s.
>>
>> I dare you to try and Reply. HA HA HA HA
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>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2416. LSP Trunk Tracking Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <jmorris@i-55.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc80c$0f1c0820$7464e7d0@default>
Source record: 147686

Hi Anyone in South Louisiana:

I recently purchased a RS Pro-90 primarily for scanning the Louisiana State Police who use the Motorola Type II Smartzone System. I have obtained the frequencies from several internet sources for confirmation. I can trunk track the Baton Rouge area O.K., but I'm having trouble tracking the Hamond Site. The frequencies listed by several sources are 866.1023, 866.1750, 866.7500 (DATA), 867.2750, and 868.8375. I am fairly sure I have programmed the frequencies into the scanner correctly. When starting the trunking mode on the bank in which I have these frequencies the scanner searches for the data channel but never finds it. It just keeps searching. When scanning these same frequencies in the conventional way (not trunk tracking), all of the traffic appears to be on 866.75, supposedly the data channel. I am new to trunk tracking, but have thoroughly read the Pro-90 manual. Could it be that the Hammond Site is not yet using the trunking system with these frequencies? Are there more frequencies that have not yet been identified (including the data channel)? Am I doing something wrong?

Any suggestions or theories would be appreciated. Thanks.

Joe

2417. Radio Shack Pro 2045 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Bedard <brianb@xcelco.on.ca>
Message-ID: <6r36ki$2oo$1@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 147687

I would like to know if anyone has any type of mod for the Radio Shack Pro 2045.

Thankyou in Advance

Brian

2418. Whatever happened to ERIC OYEN in Phoenix, Arizona?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980815060151 01.CAA05177@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147688

Anyone remember our old friend Eric Oyen? Used to hang out on here all day, flaming, arguing, and generally making a nuisance of himself. Also liked to threaten legal action against anyone who dared to disagree with him publicly. One day, he suddenly disappeared. How 'bout it, OYE BOY? Where y'all hiding?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

2419. Re: Last chance?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081506175900.CAA06610@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147689

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2420. Re: LSP Trunk Tracking Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081506212700.CAA06912@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147690

Food for thought. The data chanel in my area (Redding, Ca.) changes almost daily and there are 3 frequencies the data channel switches from.

2421. PRO-23 help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: thelanlord@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r3aal$65r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147691

I got a Radio Shack PRO-23 and i got a problem with it. First of all, it powers on, and scans the bank channels but i can't pick up anything. I've also done a scan of freq ranges and don't get anything either. I've checked the antenna and tried another, as well as cracking it open and resoldering the connections, still nothing.

Does anyone have an idea of what could be causing this and how i go about fixing it?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2422. Re: LSP Trunk Tracking Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <G1aB1.310$Je.1223131@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147692

Louisiana State Police's System Has Had Problems in the Past

I would find someone with trunker to confirm

I used to live in Opelusas and Could barely pick up the Abbeville Site.

Police Call is a good source as is The fcc web Database

Hope this Helps,

Jason

2423. Paybacks can be a bitch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danno <danno7@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35D52660.6939@earthlink.net>
Source record: 147693

Why don't we start an email bomb to these two jerks. everytime they post here we all reply to their email by one long message with a file about 1gb attached. that will tie up their pc's for awhile.

2424. Re: Posting Statistics for Mackey, Cheek, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danno <danno7@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35D5259D.25BC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 147694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

J Mackey wrote:
>
> Richard Kendrick wrote:
>
> > With the aid of DejaNews, I have analyzed the quantity of postings by
> > several regular posters in the alt.radio.scanner and rec.radio.scanner
> > news groups for a one year period and compiled the statistics. The full
>
> You sure have a lot of time & energy to spend on CRAP like this!
> Richard, GET A LIFE!
>
> > Date | Mackey | Cheek | Kendrick | Bowers | Vetterle | allsafe | K4CC
> > ---
> > JUL 98 | 413 | 386* | 6 | 32 | 28 | 75 | 234
> > JUN 98 | 413 | 502* | 0 | 64 | 45 | 97 | 95
> > MAY 98 | 22 | 208 | 0 | 11 | 8 | 12 | 12
> > APR 98 | 194 | 128 | 27 | 41 | 25 | 12 | 0
> SNIP
>
> During the months of April & most of May there was a successful
> truce & the flaming posts were ceased. Since the cease started in
> April & lsted until late May this explains the 400% increase in
> Cheek's posts (April) when compared to June compared to only a 200%
> increase in my (Mackey) posts.
>
> > TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 | 201 | 203 | 275 | 266 | 341
> > ---
> > AVG/DAY| 5.86 | 6.43 | 0.55 | 0.56 | 0.75 | 0.73 | 0.93
> > ---
> > AVG/ADJ| 5.86 | 6.43 | 0.95 | 0.74 | 0.75 | 1.09 | 3.72
> SNIP
> > The AVG/DAY is the average number of posts per day based on the formula
> > TOTALS / 365.
>
>
> > The two months marked with an asterisk (*) for Bill Cheek are inflated
> > values. The actual values are probably much lower because these values
>
> If Cheek gets this consideration then I (Mackey) should also as several
> of
> my posts were also canceled during this same time which caused me to
> have
> to re-post the same way Cheek had to.

>
> > included the reposts of the messages canceled by John Mackey.
>
> What proof do you have to back up this accusation? You won't
> have any because I didnt' do any canceling. Remember, many of my
> messages were also being canceled.

Why don't we start an email bomb to these two jerks. everytime they post here we all reply to their email by one long message with a file about 1gb attached. that will tie up their pc's for awhile.

2425. Re: Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: druding@nospamrs.straw.com
Message-ID: <35d93391.19360938@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147695
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dave,

Interesting review, thanks.

I just wanted to add a note re. something you mention on your review page re. the Saitek Charger (I have one from Real Goods, which is called ECO Charger, but it's the Saitek - it says so on the bottom).

I've been using it for NiCads for about 9 months and it's great! I also top up my alkaline batteries with it. The readout shows charging time nicely and it discharges NiCads before re-charging.

I was told by Real Goods last week that it might not do a full charge on NiMh batteries - (I've just bought a Nikon Coolpix 900 camera and am switching to metal hydride for that) so I found your review of interest.

Susan

Susan Druding
Quilting Guide at the Mining Co.
http://quilting.miningco.com

On Sat, 15 Aug 1998 00:00:30 -0500, "davez" <davez@ticon.net> posted:

>I have a few comments now up on my Web site on the RadioShack 23-410 Pulse
>Battery Charger. A few pictures as well. (and for the radio pepole, have
>added a few Short Wave . wav files and additional pictures of some of my
>older gear).
>
>at:
>http://www.ticon.net/~davez
>
>thank's
>davez
>

2426. FS Trident TR4500 AKA AOR 2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: webmedics@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081507553500.DAA02914@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147696

Looking to sell this outright or swap for:
Spectra VHF mobile
HT1000, JT1000 or MT2000 UHF with full keypad
MT1000 99 channel VHF

Make an offer either way.
Thanks!

Good judgement comes from experience. And experience ? Well that comes from
poor judgement.

2427. Re: Where can I buy a BC895XLT of the web?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bryan G." <bgridley@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <6r3gac$edg@netaxs.com>
Source record: 147697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

My recommendation would be CEI/USA Scan at
http://www.usascan.com/html/bearcat_scanners.html

ordered mine there and was at my door 2 days later. Great price and great
service.

Bryan

JC Woodard wrote in message <35D2443D.1FC1EC94@ix.netcom.com>...
>My computer crashed, trashing all my scanner bookmarks - I was getting
>ready to buy a TT scanner, the afore mentioned BC895XLT - now have no
>web site addresses, any suggestions/info would be very much
>appreicated!!
>
>Thanks,
>
>JC
>
>j.c.w.@ix.netcom.com
>

2428. NEED 2-4 VHF HANDHELD RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: lthouse3@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081508264900.EAA04206@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147698

Looking for 2-4 Handheld VHF 5watt radios on same Freq. 2 or more channels, in good cond., w/ batt chargers...please reply by E-mail DTS33@AOL.COM

2429. For Sale pro 46 scanner Cell...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35d64736.572218@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147699

Selling a pro 46 100 ch handheld radio shack scanner gets full 800 mhz
no gap's 7a3 date code.. the good one ready to hear it all!! good cond
selling for 150.00 shipped via priorty mail in so cal.... email me.

2430. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin R Bosworth <Boz@xmission.com>
Message-ID: <35D56726.2BD8@xmission.com>
Source record: 147700
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?
>
> I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's
> MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he
> should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members
> with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group
> has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for
> legal reasons.
>
> This decision to end his life has changed many times, and has left me
> very frustrated. He has now decided to do it himself, which really gets
> me irritated, frustrated, and leaves me in wonderment. It would have
> been "better" if he chose to have someone else do it, but to kill
> yourself by yourself, that's a different story.
>
> Anyway, please have sympathy for me, as I am not mentally cheerful, and
> I probably won't be for some time. I cannot write much more, as I don't
> want to even think about this possible action my dad may take.
>
> I realize this is off-topic in many ways, however I needed to get this
> out to others, and I apologize for past, present, and future bad
> behavior now.
>
> *** For those who continue to pester, flame, vex, or otherwise harass
> me, just leave me alone. I am sick of the flames, and flames are things
> I don't need at all right now. Those flamers include Jack (and
> especially him), Hidden and Gone, among a few others.
>
> Ryan Faricy

If your story is true, I am very sorry and wish you the best. But one thing. Why give other people a hard time? Do you need someone to talk to? Lets keep this NG to Scanners. Do unto others as you wish them do unto you. And no I am not a religious freak, its just a good saying. I am very sorry to here about what you are going throught, but kick the crap out of a pillow or something. Lets not bash each other. Thats all man, take it easy. K

73's de Kc7hgn.
Kevin

2431. BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: night663@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081510442300.GAA08710@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147701

I have a problem in my 760 the memories are lost asap when the power is disconnected.Can anyone steer me to the right part to fix this problem.Thanks
Bill

2432. Re: FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc838$8511c520$9013c9cf@compaq>
Source record: 147702

It's at http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts

Harry
marnells@snowcrest.net

William C. Thompson <wt2@prism.gatech.edu> wrote in article
<6qur1k$mbv@acmez.gatech.edu>...
> Someone posted a FCC beta site here a few months ago. You could look up
by
> frequency or callsign from a form on their page.

2433. Re: Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: SpamTrap@[127.0.0.1]
Message-ID: <6r3r1j$sju@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 147703
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

The cells cool down during the top-off period, so if you're going to judge
temperature the only accurate way to do it is to interrupt the charging
and pop the top at the end of the fast-charge to look for hot potatoes.
(Or tape the lid latch down so it thinks it's closed, and leave it open).

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Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

2434. New SCANNER Site - Over 700 Hits In It's First Month - Must Be Good .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roggy <roggy@globalnet.co.OK>
Message-ID: <6r3ucp$4te$5@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 147704

Well Worth Checking Out, Even If I Do Say So Myself.

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Check Out Roggy's Wonderful World At.....
http://www.users.globalnet.co.uk./~roggy/
Scanners...East/West Midlands Frequencies.

Mail To roggy@globalnet.co.uk

2435. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6r3up4$287$0@207.18.224.99>
Source record: 147705

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:53:08 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>How many members are in the group?

Hundreds. And the number grows daily.
>
>How many meeting have you attended?
>
Meetings are a rather loose affair. We have
cyber meetings, but no one keeps attendance.

>Do they have a newsletter?
>
Yep.

>When were they founded?
>
1996

>hehe - just mildly curoius!

I am sorry John, but the membership committee already
made their feelings known about allowing you membership.

They voted to boot you from membership, even before you
were a member!

2436. Re: Alright then Phil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6r3urb$287$1@207.18.224.99>
Source record: 147706

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:51:28 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>Joe Nicholson wrote:
>SNIP
>
>Joe-
>
>Learn to SPELL!

Chuckle. This, coming from you? Be glad no one
points out all your spelling errors John.

2437. Re: Blake Powers forging PARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6r3uvh$287$2@207.18.224.99>
Source record: 147707

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:50:45 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> Ok, have fun. They say imatation is the highest form of flattery,
>> so I guess you are so enthralled with my name, that you wish
>> to use it.
>
>
>YES!!
>

>So Blake, why don't we continue this on rec.radio.amateur.misc?

Nah, I have no need to. Have a nice day.

2438. Re: Wireless Microphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Bentzen/Arne Roel <bth@vip.cybercity.dk>
Message-ID: <01bdc850$e61ad920$e88c08c3@cybercity.cybercity.dk>
Source record: 147708
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,dk.teknik.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Danish import of AKG wireless mic's:
SC Sound in Taastrup (near copenhagen)

BRGDS
Jan Bentzen

Tom Kildal Halvorsen <talkback@online.no> skrev i artiklen
<6olv3hcrv1@o.online.no>...
> Hello everybody !!!
>
> Anybody out there who knows the company AGK, or was it AKG, and are
dealing
> with wireless microphones ??
> I know they have delivered wireless microphone systems in the frequency
area
> 841 - 886 MHz in e.g. Spain , but don't know their real name.
> Anybody out there who know that company, and could give me their actual
> name, address, phone, fax number and/ or home page on WEB ??
>
> Thank's a lot.....,,, and good night to all of you.....
>
>
> Tom
>
>
>

2439. Quest: PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: katkey007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081513373600.JAA27835@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147709

I would very much appreciate hearing from anyone who has done the freq mods which involve the resistor move and pin grounding. I am curious if there were any problems or did it affect any other operations.
Thank you,
Bob

2440. Re: bc200xlt (help!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.103f6673581f4ec49896c6@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 147710

In article <35D4A948.7F01DCB5@i-plus.net>, panthers@i-plus.net says...
> I try to input 902.13 but everytime I do, the frequency changes to
> 902.125!! How come? Is there anything that I can do?
> thanks barry
>
> You'll still hear what's on 902.13,your radio isn't that tight,
And how did you know MY NAME IS BARRY?

2441. Re: NASA hurricane study - freqs and schedule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6r46iq$18v0$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147711

AllanStern wrote in message
<19980815034207OO.XAA17433@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>The three acft that have been working the last few days are:

Thanks, Al.

2442. Base Antenna Suggestion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc85c$b21af720$414406d1@savy1>
Source record: 147712

Can someone suggest a good base scanner antenna? Also what
should the range be for cordless in a neighborhood w/antenna on roof and
rg-6 cable about 50' run to a 2006? I have the Scantenna from Grove and
I am picking up about 2-250yds, is this normal? Not that I would listen to
cordless....

TIA

2443. Base Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc85d$090554e0$414406d1@savy1>
Source record: 147713

Can someone suggest a good base scanner antenna? Also what
should the range be for cordless in a neighborhood w/antenna on roof and
rg-6 cable about 50' run to a 2006? I have the Scantenna from Grove and
I am picking up about 2-250yds, is this normal? Not that I would listen to
cordless....

TIA

2444. FS: AR8000 (mint) $410 inc. ship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Treefrog <treefrog@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D5A32B.442478D5@ibm.net>
Source record: 147714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Due to lack of demand, I'm willing to sell my AR8000DX and Opto Optolinx interface separately. If you're interested in a mint condition AR8000DX (blocked, modified for Scout, narrow AM filter that can be disabled) for $410 including shipping to Canada/US, please email.

If, on the other hand, you're only interested in a mint condition Optolinx interface (can connect AR8000, ICOM CI-V receivers, Scout, and M1 to computer) for $100 including shipping, email away as well!

2445. FS: Optolinx interface $100 inc. ship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Treefrog <treefrog@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D5A46E.70995E92@ibm.net>
Source record: 147715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Due to lack of demand, I'm willing to sell my Optoelectronics Optolinx interface and AR8000DX separately. If you're interested in a mint condition Optolinx (can connect AR8000, ICOM CI-V receivers, Scout, and M1 to computer) for $100 including shipping to Canada/US, please email.

If, on the other hand, you're only interested in a mint condition AR8000DX (blocked, modified for Scout, narrow AM filter that can be disabled) for $410 including shipping, email away as well!

2446. Scanner mailing list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bean <Bluzebean@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u0w3SMGy9GA.306@upnetnews05>
Source record: 147716

Please check out the following new scanner mailing list:
http://ScanningMass.listbot.com
It is primarily concerned with scanning in Massachusetts, but all are
welcomed to join in!

2447. OPINIONS Wanted For PRO-90 TRUNKTRACKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe <jc123@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35D5AB8F.4813@prodigy.net>
Source record: 147717

I'm thinking of buying one today cause it is on sale for 199.00
I don't know anything technical about trunk tracking but I've been a
scanner hobbyist for years.

Please tell me whether or not this is a decent radio for the price and
if the trunking technology changes, am I stuck with a useless radio?

Thanks in advance,
Joe

2448. Motarola Secure'net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lawrence Family <"mattlawrence@snet"@snet.net>
Message-ID: <6r4cp6$t2l@news2.snet.net>
Source record: 147718

Does anyone know of a way to decode the Motarola Secure'Net digital encoding? Please E-Mail back

2449. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35D5B8F2.8A1976@netwit.com>
Source record: 147719

Jack wrote:

> On a PRO-64 that won't program, pressing the little button is the
> answer, if the cable is ok! :)
>

Oopsies. nevermind. ;)

2450. Re: Quest: PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcdermon@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r4fkf$ha6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147720

In article <1998081513373600.JAA27835@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
katkey007@aol.com (Katkey007) wrote:
> I would very much appreciate hearing from anyone who has done the freq mods
> which involve the resistor move and pin grounding. I am curious if there were
> any problems or did it affect any other operations.
> Thank you,

No need to move any resistors. Put away your soldering iron. Surf yourself
over to http://hoth.gcn.ou.edu/~jahern/home/pcr1000/ and follow the links to
Patrick Masotta's downloadable EEPROM backup/restore utility. Not only will
it backup your EEPROM data, but the restore has some interesting capabilities
to modify the 'nationality' of your bandplan. Enjoy! Just be safe and keep
a copy of the original EEPROM data file it creates so you can always get it
back to OEM setups.

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2451. Louisville?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobs@icdc.com
Message-ID: <35e7b96e.16812160@news2.icdc.com>
Source record: 147721

Is Louisville still using 460.xxx for public safety?
Is Jefferson County still on VHF for public safety?

thanks....bob

Bob Schoenleber
Bucks County,PA
40 14' 44"N**74 50'47"W
"On the Delaware River"

2452. Re: OPINIONS Wanted For PRO-90 TRUNKTRACKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dre@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <6r4doboum1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147722

I have one and think it's a great deal especially at $199. You will
only be able to scan trunk systems using Motorola Equipment. If they
use G.E. as they do in the Tucson area, you won't be able to follow
the conversation. If the trunking technology changes, you'll still
have a good scanner for general use in non-trunked systems (probably
90% of all systems are non-trunked.
Doug
On Sat, 15 Aug 1998 10:38:55 -0500, joe <jc123@prodigy.net> wrote:

>I'm thinking of buying one today cause it is on sale for 199.00
>I don't know anything technical about trunk tracking but I've been a
>scanner hobbyist for years.
>
>Please tell me whether or not this is a decent radio for the price and
>if the trunking technology changes, am I stuck with a useless radio?
>
>Thanks in advance,
>Joe

2453. Re: My Alleged Existance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D65C6D.6F45FFF3@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147523
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Yes? He happens to be a FRIEND of mine, too.

Bud wrote:

> On 15 Aug 1998 20:59:45 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
> wrote:
>
> >I apologize for this message, but this must be cleared up.
> >
> >It seems that a couple people here think I don't exist. Well, I do.
> >Don't believe it? Ask Ed Walsh, KC0CKK by emailing him at emw-1@att.net
> >(we even use the same online service). I exist as much as all of you
> >exist.
>
> Ed Walsh happens to be a FRIEND of mine, and I HOPE he has told you to grow
> up, if he really knows you. Ask him where his MTX radio is.
>
> Too bad he has to be stuck in a backwater area like that, I hope he gets
> back to San Diego soon.
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2454. pro-63 any mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jim@techno1.com>
Message-ID: <35D65A85.E8B5474F@techno1.com>
Source record: 147524

Could anybody point me in the right direction to find mods for this
scanner.
Thanks....Jim

2455. Re: poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D65C39.77F0F862@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147525

Set your scanner volume to about 50%, and set the Line In volume to just
about the second notch. This works ok for me.

Misanthrope wrote:

> i am interested in playing with pocsag decoding, and bought a rat shack
> scanner... i downloaded a program called poc32, and ran it... it seems
> to run ok, but i never get anything... is it possible that my scanner is
> just lame? or what... anyone have any experiance with poc32? any ideas?
>
> thanks...
>
> please reply to m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2456. Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d85fce.2762265@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I would like to ask that Bill Cheek's account be reinstated, and
that further complaints about his Usenet posts be THOROUGHLY
investigated before any action is taken. There are some in the
newsgroup with a vendetta against him!

Thank's for your time kryppy@bellsouth.net

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2457. Re: poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Britton <curator@www.cops.aust.com>
Message-ID: <6r5ocabh1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 147527

I also have the poc32 running on an ICOM IC-R7000 and
its OK here. I found it better to use a PCI Sound card and
for the first time I got 1200 bps paging messages...

--

Paul Britton
curator@www.cops.aust.com
http://www.cops.aust.com
0419 697809
Misanthrope wrote in message <35D50914.20ECF71D@rigelnet.ml.org>...
>i am interested in playing with pocsag decoding, and bought a rat shack
>scanner... i downloaded a program called poc32, and ran it... it seems
>to run ok, but i never get anything... is it possible that my scanner is
>just lame? or what... anyone have any experiance with poc32? any ideas?
>
>thanks...
>
>please reply to m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org
>
>

2458. Re: poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@usit.net
Message-ID: <35d66a87.6005279@NEWS.USIT.NET>
Source record: 147528

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 00:34:55 GMT, "Misanthrope <iLL>"
<m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org> wrote:

>i am interested in playing with pocsag decoding, and bought a rat shack
>scanner... i downloaded a program called poc32, and ran it... it seems
>to run ok, but i never get anything... is it possible that my scanner is
>just lame? or what... anyone have any experiance with poc32? any ideas?
>
>thanks...
>
>please reply to m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org
>
>
I am using a RS 2006 and using the discriminator output. Works great!!

Steve

2459. Re: FS: SONY CRF-1 HF reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35d66ada.879508@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 147529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Maybe 1700 Yen..... Price it more realistically. Like $600 including
shipping from Japan.....

On 15 Aug 1998 20:28:07 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Good luck finding a buyer at $1700... !
>
>Akio Fujikawa wrote:
>
>> Hello!
>> Thank you for your e-mail.
>> CRF-1 is great condition. Cosmetic is exc.condition.
>> I think CRF-1 Best HF reciever.
>>
>> I hope price us$1,700+shipping.
>> Shipping fee is
>> us$105- via EMS.
>>
>> I wait your good answer.
>>
>> Bets regards,
>> 73
>> akio fujikawa
>> fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
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>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2460. Re: Paybacks can be a bitch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r5udhdpl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147530

In article <35D52660.6939@earthlink.net>,
danno7@earthlink.net wrote:
> Why don't we start an email bomb to these two jerks. everytime they post
> here we all reply to their email by one long message with a file about
> 1gb attached. that will tie up their pc's for awhile.
>

Why don't you check with your ISP and see if sending e-mail bombs
violates their TOS or AUG?

/Sal

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2461. Re: Alright then Phil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r5urj$ef4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147531

In article <6r3urb$287$1@207.18.224.99>,
bbowers@P_ARG.ORG (Blake Bowers) wrote:
> On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:51:28 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
> <bbowers@parg.org> wrote:
>
> >Joe Nicholson wrote:
> >SNIP
> >
> >Joe-
> >
> >Learn to SPELL!
>
> Chuckle. This, coming from you? Be glad no one
> points out all your spelling errors John.
>

Who would have that kinda time to spend? I'd hate to take
on a job of that magnitude.

/Sal
>

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2462. Re: My Alleged Existance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r606dfek1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147532
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35D5F6CC.A45924C4@nospam.atandt.net>,
jtonsa@worldnet.att.net wrote:
> I apologize for this message, but this must be cleared up.
>
> It seems that a couple people here think I don't exist. Well, I do.
> Don't believe it? Ask Ed Walsh, KC0CKK by emailing him at emw-1@att.net
> (we even use the same online service). I exist as much as all of you
> exist.
>
> My QRZ address information is all correct (except my 4 digit appendage
> to my zip code -- it really is 2946), I was born August 10, of 1982, I
> just turned 16 five days ago, I live near Edina with my mom.
>
> I've talked with Ed several times on the repeater here in the Twin
> Cities.

Hey, I believe you're real Ryan. I think some of these guys just
enjoy yanking your chain. You probably oughta just ignore the ones
who persist in fooling with you. They ain't worth the time and
aggravation.

/Sal

Live From South Parg Colorado!

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2463. what is the best hand held scanner to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Man <jaramill@phoenix.net>
Message-ID: <3nvB1.3892$381.1347055@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 147533

What is the best hand held scanner to buy? will use it for racing and all the other local stuff. is Radio Shack scanner good?

2464. Pro-2056 800Mhz mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les and Shelly Davies <seaspike@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <35D68B00.7114B194@ionet.net>
Source record: 147534

In my pro-2056 there is a slot labeled 800Mhz. Has anyone modified their 2056 to receive 800 Mhz using this slot. If so, where do I get the parts and is it just plug in and go or is more involved. Thanx.

2465. Russia frequency list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Konstantin Rilcov <cordon2@orc.ru>
Message-ID: <35D6B261.772920B4@orc.ru>
Source record: 147535

Help ! I Find Russia (or Moscow) frequency list !

2466. Re: what is the best hand held scanner to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081611405700.HAA10633@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147536

>From: "The Man" <jaramill@phoenix.net>

>What is the best hand held scanner to buy? will use it for racing and all
>the other local stuff. is Radio Shack scanner good?

How much money do you want to spend? For racing you might try the Uniden Sportcat or the new Relm (www.strongsignals.net for more info). Some RS scanners are good; some aren't.

2467. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6r6ldn$r8k$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147537

In article <6r4ulkmnu7@news.cc.ucf.edu>, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:
>
>No, its a bunch of smart old geeks who don't like paying someone to use
>the airwaves that they have every right to use for free. Now, if you like
>to pay for something that already belongs to you, then go right ahead.
>
>Emilio Goldstein (Egoldstein@somanet.com) wrote:
>: What is the point of "ham radio"?
>: Is it more than a bunch of old geeks who haven't heard of cell phones?

It's also about a "bunch of geeks" that like to meet and talk to people from all over the world. It's also about helping in times of disasters. It's about electronics,antennas,digital communications,propagation,satellites,etc.

Yhea, we've heard of cell phones. You can have them. I'm not to keen on paying the prices they want to use them. A few short years ago nobody had them or needed them, now they are another fad that people like to follow. Like pagers.

Ham radio is a lot of fun.

Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
*Changing soon to: http://www.idsi.net/~trandall/index.html
Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

2468. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35d6d97f.2905202@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 147538

So now that you have seen Pro-Turbo what is the verdict? It
is the only Windows software out there for the CE-232 interface. Has
anyone else downloaded and tried Pro-Turbo?

If you have a CE/HB-232 and want a true Windows program for it
check out http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 22:31:23 -0400, "Ted Hay" <tedh@xcelco.on.ca>
wrote:

>
>Pro43 wrote in message <19980807130157OO.JAA14591@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>Ive been using Pro Turbo for a few months now. It is a great program which
>>completes the marriage of the 2004-5-6 ,Ce-232 and computer. It is very
>>intuitive. I have tried alot of other software and prefer PT.
>
>When you say a lot of other software do you mean for the HB232? I dont see
>a lot of software for it and would like to hear about the other options
>other than the software originally designed for it or Pro Turbo which I have
>seen.
>
>Thanks Ted
>

2469. Re: PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <35D6DE92.4480D948@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 147539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

DJS127 schrieb:

> In article <6r0hfd$kaq@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, "Macgyver9"
> <Macgyver9@worldnet.att.net> writes:
>
> >Subject: Listening guide needed
> >From: "Macgyver9" <Macgyver9@worldnet.att.net>
> >Date: 14 Aug 1998 05:20:45 GMT
> >
> >Hello, I have the PCR1000 and I am looking for a broadcast radio
> schedule
> >for countries around the world. Does anyone know where I can get
> access to a
> >list or data base on the web? I would appreciate any help!!!!!
> >
> >Regards,
> >Nick
>
> Nick,
> How do you like the PCR1000? I read it was not that good for DXing on
> Short
> wave. Do you have a communications receiver also?
> David

I also own a PCR1000 with DSP-unit UT-106 and it works very fine on voice.-stations. It seems to be equal with the Sony 2010/2001D I own also.
But to to get better performance on the digital modes I`m lookink for better IF-Filters with 450 khz centre-frequency and Bandwidth 2,4khz or less with god shape-factor of 2.5 or better. - It seems to be available nowhere :-(((-
I have modified my Sony with better and switchable IF-filters and switchable AGC and that works very fine.
On the PCR1000 I changed the 6khz -filter to a one with 4khz (MURATA CFWS 450 IT) .
The 15 khz-filter I kicked off and put the 6khz-filter in. It seems to me with this changes I have less noise over all.

Now I`m looking for to upgrade my software to show the new filterbandwidth`s.

IS THERE ANYONE TO FIX THE PCR1000.EXE ???

Have a look at PCR1000 mailing list on
http://www.qth.net

it is a must for all PCR1000 owners

best regards
vy 73 de odo

2470. If police go undercover, so will WE....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpinero@pobox.com
Message-ID: <35d8e766.81726754@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147540

Well we aren't REALLY going "undercover" ourselves. Actually I am happy to announce that the cause of open broadcasting has signed up with LISTBOT.COM to produce its own listserv. So we aren't going undercover, but we are going to be unified under one communication method like never before.

Open broadcasting advocates the maintenance of open public safety radio systems in this era of trunking and digitalization. Our suggestion is that open systems increase public and officer safety, lower the crime rate, and maintain trust between police and the community, particularly as many police departments now tout community policing principles.

If you want to join the discussion list or learn more about this issue, visit:

http://members.aol.com/truth4000/page1.htm

To sign up for the discussion list, use the form there so presented.

Dave
Are your local police going undercover?
http://members.aol.com/truth4000/page1.htm
David Pinero ICQ # 3887811 * AIM Name TDAVE365
Personal Homepage http://www.pobox.com/~dpinero

2471. Re: BC350A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35d6f0be.41531306@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 147541
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

there are NO mods for the 350A some 700A's can be modified for cell reception......I have one I don't even use much looking to trade it for something....

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 00:31:18 GMT, howitzer@computer.net (Howitzer) wrote:

>Does anyone know of any mods for the BC350A to either expand the
>listening range or number of frequencies?
>
>Thanks!
>

2472. Re: LSP Trunk Tracking Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <CC8C84164F7262ED.E7780010A39A1DB3.30B8B6EB273DF172@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 147542

Joe,

Try scanning the entire range from 851-868.9875 and see if you can find any data channel in that area. It might be possible that you can't receive the Smartzone site you think you are receiving. Write down all the data channels that you find in the area, and then cross check those frequencies with the FCC licenses....or poste'm here and I'll help

-Lb

Lindsay C. Blanton
The Trunked Radio Systems Information Homepage
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm
lblant1@airmail.net

Joe Morris wrote in message <01bdc80c$0f1c0820$7464e7d0@default>...
>Hi Anyone in South Louisiana:
>
>I recently purchased a RS Pro-90 primarily for scanning the Louisiana State
>Police who use the Motorola Type II Smartzone System. I have obtained the
>frequencies from several internet sources for confirmation. I can trunk
>track the Baton Rouge area O.K., but I'm having trouble tracking the Hamond
>Site. The frequencies listed by several sources are 866.1023, 866.1750,
>866.7500 (DATA), 867.2750, and 868.8375. I am fairly sure I have
>programmed the frequencies into the scanner correctly. When starting the

2473. Re: DIDCRIMINATOR TAP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <B2D87CA17F41622A.D23653EED0CEAAD0.4B65DC8F3CE80630@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 147543

John,

See http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw/digital.htm for information on
discriminator tapping and some of the software applications you can use.

-Lb

Lindsay C. Blanton
The Trunked Radio Systems Information Homepage
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm
lblant1@airmail.net

John Sanders wrote in message <35D4E1A7.39EB@flash.net>...
>I SEE SEVERAL PEOPLE TALKING ABOUT POSSIBILITIES OF DIGITAL OPERTUNITIES
>OPENING UP WITH A DISCRIMINATOR TAP...I HAVE A PRO-2022 AND KNOW WHERE
>TO TAP IT BUT WHAT AND HOW DO I USE IT? TNX JOHN

2474. Trunk Tracking

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Stacy <bstacy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35D6F41F.F37AEC43@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 147544

Hello All
help a newbie at this...
What is Trunk Tracking and or what's a trunk and why is it so
interesting?
Thanks for responding

Bill

2475. Chicago Lakefront Air & Water Show Post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980816152300001.LAA16681@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147545

Suggested likely frequencies for airshow listening. Chicago Lakefront Air & Water Show Sat/Sun, Aug 22, 23. Note: Good listening will start about Wednesday. There may be a media show at Meigs Thursday morning. Theres a Park District show at the main site on Friday. Blue Angels will likely have spotters flying on Wednesday. If anyone spots or hears them in the area please post here, or on the carma list ASAP. Thanks.

123.100 / 319.850 Show Platform Control
121.300 / 257.800 Meigs Tower
134.400 / 308.400 Show Arrival / Departure
120.550 / 290.200 Show Arrival / Departure

126.800 Chicago Radar
134.100 Chicago Radar
122.725 Show Discrete
122.150 Meigs FSS
126.200 Ohare USAF
384.900 Ohare Tanker Command Post
372.200 Ohare Pilot Dispatch USAF
143.800 Ohare USAF (AM)
311.000 ACC Primary
321.000 ACC Secondary
364.200 USAF AICC Primary
303.000 USAF Air-Air
255.400 USAF Flight Service Stations
123.450 Chit-Chat
123.475 Golden Knights
126.050 Meigs Arrival / Departure
148.150 Civil Air Patrol
397.850 Past use as alternate platform UHF freq
045.920 Lifeguards
145.770 (151.4) CARMA Simplex
123.050 Copters
122.750 Misc Air-Air
453.775 (107.2) Police Towing

-All the Marine Channels, especially Coast Guard stuff
-All the Park District Channels, including Lincoln Park Zoo
-All the Chicago Police Citywides
-All the CTA Channels
-All the media Channels
-All the Chicago Center ARTCC stuff
-All other area air traffic control
-All the business itinerant channel at the site

-The 640A/B MINNOW MOA Training area over the lake is often active before, during and after the show, for refuelling, holding and practice. Check:

298.775 BROCHURE Primary
283.775 BROCHURE Secondary
396.900 Air-Air Tac
305.500 640A Refuel Primary
291.900 640B Refuel Primary
320.900 640 A/B Refuel Secondary

Additional military UHF channels needed by the show are often drawn from the same frequency pool used at Wisconsin's Volk Field training facility. Possibilities:

319.850 (usually used for platform w/123.100)
322.450
327.050
335.550
343.750
346.250
348.650
370.950
377.050
(hot freqs year round anyway)

BLUE ANGELS 1998:

Confirmed this year:

164.900 (000.0) Ground Support / Spotters
168.900 (000.0) Ground Secondary (NFM Mode)
170.900 (000.0) Ground Primary (NFM Mode)
238.150 (000.0) Formation Air to Air (AM Mode)
263.350 (000.0) Air to Air Tac (AM Mode)
275.350 (000.0) Solos 1 & 4 (AM Mode)
345.900 (000.0) Air to Air Tac (AM Mode)

Others used last 5 years:

142.000, 143.000, 235.500, 235.600, 251.600, 302.150, 384.400

-At least 3 other VHF NBFM channels in their handhelds (162-174 Mhz) remain unfound.

-If you are coming to the show on Saturday or Sunday, you should be aware that this is the largest spectator event in the country, and usually draws over 2 MILLION people. Forget about parking in the area much after 9 AM. If you park illegally anywhere within miles your car will be towed to a city auto pound, not a fun place for your car to be. Show center is the beach at North Avenue, just east of Lake Shore Drive. Take public transportation. Dont bring your dog or bike. Young children will need hearing protection and everyone will need sun block. Food concessions do what they can, but you might be better off bringing lunch.

-Happy Scanning! - Ted

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http://www.qth.net

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630-852-1292 8/N/1

2476. gettin bill cheek back

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvillafane@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081615254600.LAA16952@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147546

for all of you who would like to get bill cheek back on this newsgroup
please write to edwin kruse at ekruse@san.rr.com
he is the supervisor for isp accounts just e-mail a quick note asking to re
assign
bill cheeks thanks enjoy

2477. Re: Bob Parnass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Ewald <wgewald@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35D70579.334A48FB@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147547

Bud wrote:

> Does the name Bill Parnass ring a bell?

Sure it does! Doesn't he write for Monitoring Times? I just downloaded a few useful text files about scanners and scanning he recently posted here.

Seems he's a guy who can quietly go about making contributions without tooting his horn about it. Add Rich Wells to that list, as well.

2478. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Reed <reedb@xxx.pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <35D70DBD.1D8E@xxx.pacifier.com>
Source record: 147548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Are you nuts? You want Bill BACK???
Maybe now the newsgroup will get back to scanning without Bill's
constant flaming.

Jack wrote:
>
> I would like to ask that Bill Cheek's account be reinstated, and
> that further complaints about his Usenet posts be THOROUGHLY
> investigated before any action is taken. There are some in the
> newsgroup with a vendetta against him!
>
> Thank's for your time kryppy@bellsouth.net
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org

2479. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frequr <Monitor@kdsi.net>
Message-ID: <6r72ihjih1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147549

My Icom R-10 and IC-T8 both include the FM broadcast band.

Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote in message <6r4uebmnu6@news.cc.ucf.edu>...
>
>Certainly. Radio Shack makes several models that have that frequency
>range open.
>
>mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
>: Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?
>
>
>
>--

2480. F.S. Moto/Misc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ResQ551@juno.com
Message-ID: <35d6fba3.442074006@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amatuer.equipment

1-Moto Visar 800mhz type I & conventional 16 talkgroup $300
15-Moto Mostar 800mhz type I/PP some w'multi sys/sub $25--50
1-MT500 4 ch uhf/DPL w'drop-in chrgr $100
1- Moto Director II S/V (stored voice) vhf tone/voice pager $75
2-Bendix-King 14 ch/pri scan uhf port $300/pair
2-HD rotors w'contol box & cables $150 each

2481. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frequr <Monitor@kdsi.net>
Message-ID: <6r73f6$651$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147551

And many high end scanners like the r-10 and aor 8000 will also tune in the AM broadcast band, CB radios, worldwide shortwave broadcast bands, TV audio, military aircraft bands, and lots of upper and lower sideband xmissions.

Frequr wrote in message <6r72ihjih1@supernews.com>...
>My Icom R-10 and IC-T8 both include the FM broadcast band.
>
>
>Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote in message <6r4uebmnu6@news.cc.ucf.edu>...
>>
>>Certainly. Radio Shack makes several models that have that frequency
>>range open.
>>
>>mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
>>: Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?
>>
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>

2482. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6r718f$3h0$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147552

None of the current scanner radios at RadioShack will receive commercial FM
radio stations or the military airband.

Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote in message <6r4uebmnu6@news.cc.ucf.edu>...
>
>Certainly. Radio Shack makes several models that have that frequency
>range open.
>
>mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
>: Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?
>
>
>
>--

2483. Re: Listen to your handheld through your car speakers! Read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35D711FF.B67A8605@navix.net>
Source record: 147553

Well rocket scientists,,,I've been doing this for about 3 years...here's another tip,,,when you're listening to cordless phones,,,turn down the treble and turn up the bass...it will eliminate the fuzz even more...if you have an equalizer...it's even better...:) Good luck...--Matt

Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote:

> Wow, that is a great idea!!!
>
> Glenhollow (glenhollow@aol.com) wrote:
> : I see some messages about which external speaker to use for your hand held
> : scanner in your car. Well I day I took my cd adapter for my car casstte player
> :
> : and plugged it in the cassette player. I then took the cord and plugged it in
> : the earphone hole my handheld, and it worked great. I now listen to my
> : handheld through my four car speakers! It sounds great too! You can get one of
> : these adapters for around $15.00 at any Radio Shack!
>
> : John
>
> --
>

2484. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frequr <Monitor@kdsi.net>
Message-ID: <6r745j$b4e$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147554

Good post Tom... and you know a lot of these scanner listeners could probably pass the technician exams with a little effort! Two multiple choice tests and you can legally xmit with up to 1500 watts on select bands. What a bargain!

Tom@astro.net wrote in message <6r6ldn$r8k$1@supernews.com>...
>In article <6r4ulkmnu7@news.cc.ucf.edu>, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:
>>
>>No, its a bunch of smart old geeks who don't like paying someone to use
>>the airwaves that they have every right to use for free. Now, if you like
>>to pay for something that already belongs to you, then go right ahead.
>>
>>Emilio Goldstein (Egoldstein@somanet.com) wrote:
>>: What is the point of "ham radio"?
>>: Is it more than a bunch of old geeks who haven't heard of cell phones?
>
>
> It's also about a "bunch of geeks" that like to meet and talk to people
>from all over the world. It's also about helping in times of disasters. It's
>about electronics,antennas,digital communications,propagation,satellites,etc.
>
>Yhea, we've heard of cell phones. You can have them. I'm not to keen on paying
>the prices they want to use them. A few short years ago nobody had them or
>needed them, now they are another fad that people like to follow. Like pagers.
>
>Ham radio is a lot of fun.
>
>Tom
>
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
> Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

> *Changing soon to: http://www.idsi.net/~trandall/index.html
> Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

2485. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35D71BC2.7DBF7C3F@home.com>
Source record: 147555

Yes most radio transmissions in VHF-UHF are FM.

> mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:

> Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?
>
> --

--
Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

2486. Re: New SCANNER Site - Over 700 Hits In It's First Month - Must Be Good .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc93f$095f3900$2eafbacd@mikey>
Source record: 147556

Boy it's a winner ! Maybe the reason you had so many hit's is because you
posted it alot.
--
http://members.aol.com/frg9600/Yaesu.html

Roggy <roggy@globalnet.co.OK> wrote in article
<6r3ucp$4te$5@heliodor.xara.net>...
> Well Worth Checking Out, Even If I Do Say So Myself.
>
> --
>
> Check Out Roggy's Wonderful World At.....
> http://www.users.globalnet.co.uk./~roggy/
> Scanners...East/West Midlands Frequencies.
>
> Mail To roggy@globalnet.co.uk
>
>
>
>

2487. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081618320700.OAA09855@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147557

I was refering to scanner software in general. Not CE232 software exclusively.
I only know of 2 programs for the CE232 the original and the new Pro Turbo. Ira

2488. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r7n1u$k9p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147558

In article <6r6i68$4gi$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Both Bill Cheek and John Mackey will be remembered for their feuding
> and mutual obsession. The contributions by Cheek that you speak of will
> be obscured by the volumes of garbage produced by his feud with Mackey.
> The world moves on.
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^

Your comment "The world moves on" strikes me as strange. You speak
as though Bill and John are no longer with us. Do you have percipient
knowledge that you might share with us less privileged readers? Do
they sleep with the fishes, perhaps?

/Salvatore G. Gambino

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2489. Re: FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35d71506.1259979@news>
Source record: 147559
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

OK Mr. Arrogance...

I guess we'll all just PASS on this nonsense, then....

On Sat, 15 Aug 1998 19:28:14 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
wrote:

>I did not list prices, because if you are interested you will contact me.
>If you are not interested don't waste the EFFORT of posting.............
>
>Douglas R. Eisenstein wrote in message <6r4ev2ihm1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>>It would save us all a step if you would post your asking prices for
>>these items
>>On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:44:21 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>I have for sale the following:
>>>
>>>Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
>>>AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
>>>RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)
>>>
>>>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
>>>
>>>AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
>>>Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
>>>
>>>If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>
>
>

2490. Re: FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <%6GB1.270$Lc3.5689669@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147560
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I guess people like you have nothing better to do than fight with other people... If it really bothers you that I didn't post any prices than why are you even taking the time to read my message. I haven't had any complaints from anybody else, not to mention that there are a lot of people doing the same thing. If you want to complain and fight with someone why don't you try the postings that everybody else is arguing about , AND LEAVE PEOPLE THAT ARE NOT DOING ANYTHING WRONG ALONE!!!!

dconti2@carroll.com wrote in message <35d71506.1259979@news>...
>OK Mr. Arrogance...
>
>I guess we'll all just PASS on this nonsense, then....
>
>
>On Sat, 15 Aug 1998 19:28:14 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
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>>>>
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>>>>
>>>>AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
>>>>Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
>>>>
>>>>If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net
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>

2491. How to Determine PD Trunking System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Macri <lavernes@tstonramp.com>
Message-ID: <35D72B75.6A15@tstonramp.com>
Source record: 147561

I 'm considering buying a PR0-90 scanner, but would like to know if my
local Police Departments are using Motorola or Ericson Trunking Systems.
Is there an easy way to find out?

Thanks in advance...
-John

2492. Re: HEATH Most Accurate Clock II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Zengerle <jzeng@nbn.net>
Message-ID: <35d7079a.0@207.226.241.101>
Source record: 147562
Cross-posted to: alt.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi Pat:

Well, this will be my first post so I hope everything goes well.

Read your request for the "most accurate clock." I don't have any information where you can get an old Heathkit which they don't make anymore, but I have some information that will give you a big jump in the correct time into the 21st century. And you don't have to put it together and suffer the agony if it doesn't work.

Would you believe that there is a watch that has a built in radio receiver that works in the VLF range and receives a signal from the atomic clock in Fort Collins, Colorado. The accuracy of this arrangement will give you billionths of a second over a million years. Can't beat that!

They have a web site that you can connect to: http://www.arctime.com. I will give you a little tip. I just received a flyer from them and they have a $79 watch that is not listed at the web site. That might be a price range that is hard to beat. They call it a digital sport watch. Check it out.

I have owned the desk clock for over a year now, and all the watches and clocks have the same time, because I reference this clock to the others. Pretty neat stuff.....

I have always been a bug about the correct time, but not being on time.....

See Ya!!!

Jim Z

2493. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35D734E5.3387@yahoo.com>
Source record: 147563

Jim Lee wrote:
>
> THANKS
>
> As you may or may not know RoadRunner is a cable connection with very
> fast speed and you can bet that Bill is very mad at losing his RR
> account. Blah, blah blah, ad nauseum.

And this rambling of bullshit is better than Bill Cheeks postings....how? How is this any different than Bills "abuse" of this group?

Bill may have posted some off topic junk that didn't belong here, but he also posts relevant scanning information almost daily on this group. Something I have yet to see from you. Is that just coincidence, or is there more to it than that? Perhaps you are just one more of the many who come here with the sole intention of stirring the flames?

We shall see. In any case, don't bother to send a seething reply, as I will only ignore it and you.

But, if you post something about scanning, that would be worth reading. Do let me know if that happens would ya? Thanks.

-Phil

2494. Re: Paybacks can be a bitch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35D735AA.5C86@yahoo.com>
Source record: 147564

sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <35D52660.6939@earthlink.net>,
> danno7@earthlink.net wrote:
> > Why don't we start an email bomb to these two jerks. everytime they post
> > here we all reply to their email by one long message with a file about
> > 1gb attached. that will tie up their pc's for awhile.
> >
>
> Why don't you check with your ISP and see if sending e-mail bombs
> violates their TOS or AUG?
>
> /Sal
> Even better. Lets just IGNORE the bs and concentrate on scanning. If the
post ain't about scanning, then forget it!

Ain't no TOS or AUG on earth that says you can't do that!

-Phil

2495. Re: How to Determine PD Trunking System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D732B3.EC2DC898@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147565

The best way would be to call them. However, at the end of EDACS (Ericsson) transmissions, there is a two-second hang with 4 beeps.

I believe on a Motorola system, there is a half-second data burst at the beginning of transmissions.

John Macri wrote:

> I 'm considering buying a PR0-90 scanner, but would like to know if my
> local Police Departments are using Motorola or Ericson Trunking Systems.
> Is there an easy way to find out?
>
> Thanks in advance...
> -John
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2496. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D739E5.686DEBD0@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147566

Hmmm. Well, then you know nothing about ham radio.

I've got a cell phone, pager, etc. Ham radio is more than about talking for free. Remember, you can talk to people halfway around the world with only 5 watts of power (QRP)!

Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote:

> No, its a bunch of smart old geeks who don't like paying someone to use
> the airwaves that they have every right to use for free. Now, if you like
> to pay for something that already belongs to you, then go right ahead.
>
> Emilio Goldstein (Egoldstein@somanet.com) wrote:
> : What is the point of "ham radio"?
> : Is it more than a bunch of old geeks who haven't heard of cell phones?
>
> --
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2497. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D73A27.B49CD505@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147567

Incorrect. The PRO-2042 (1000 channels, receives 25-1300) receives both of
these bands.

John Habbinga wrote:

> None of the current scanner radios at RadioShack will receive commercial FM
> radio stations or the military airband.
>
> Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote in message <6r4uebmnu6@news.cc.ucf.edu>...
> >
> >Certainly. Radio Shack makes several models that have that frequency
> >range open.
> >
> >mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
> >: Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?
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> >--
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2498. ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <9a7_9808161300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147568

-=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-

BB> I am sorry John, but the membership committee already
BB> made their feelings known about allowing you membership.

BB> They voted to boot you from membership, even before you
BB> were a member!

Boy, you really know how to kick a fellow who's
already fallen from disgrace. <g>

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2499. More of KAOBFD lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <9a8_9808161300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147569

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

>> the Oregon Butt F___ers Dynasty.

> Leave it to you to come up with something sick like this. :(

Actually some queer in Oregon who likes to flame
this newsgroup was the source of / drive behind
the idea.

I guess he's the one who is really sick.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2500. So John, are you finally satisfied?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35D73D09.69F2@yahoo.com>
Source record: 147570

I see that your efforts have finally borne fruit, after 3+ years of stalking, skulking, lurking, forging, flaming, whining, bitching, lying, complaining, etc. Even though it's cost your lots of money, several ISP accounts and your own personal reputation, you persevered. Bill Cheek has finally lost his ISP account and is, for the moment at least, "off the air".

How does that make you feel? Are you happy with yourself? I certainly hope so.

I have to admit my dissapointment, however. I was really hoping that when you finally had savored your little victory, that you would knock off the crap and focus on the topic at hand. In case you have forgotten, that topic is scanners.

But, when I looked in here, this is just a small sampling of what I have seen:

This post, from you:

>Subject: ATTENTION ALL!
>Date: Thu, 13 Aug 1998 02:19:53 GMT
>From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>
>Reply-To: bbowers@parg.org
>Organization: PARG
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>
>OK,,,, lets try it ONE MORE TIME!
>
>Those people who carry on with Cheek making trouble have certainly
>shown themselves lately as being the trouble makers they are.

>So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the
>order to benefit all.
>
>If everyone simply stops the flames & off-topic posts, all will be
>well!
>
>Try it, it's simple!

was almost immediately followed by this one:

>Subject: Re: ATTENTION ALL!
>Date: Thu, 13 Aug 1998 05:10:58 GMT
>From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>
>Reply-To: bbowers@parg.org
>Organization:PARG

>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>References: 1 , 2
>
>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> While you obviously are using an address, with my name
>> in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
>> your crap.
>
>Blake - you started using the "P_ARG.ORG" address only a couple weeks
>ago. You claim it is for the "Pottersville ARG" yet according to
>the ARRl & yahoo, there is no such group.
>
>I am using a legitimately assigned address for me from my domain
>while YOU are using a BOGUS address, lying to the internet everytime
>you post from that address!
>
>In other words, shut your lying mouth!
>
>> Pottersville_Amateur Radio Group
>> Live from P_ARG!!

Now, I admit that I may be a little slow at times John, but even I can see the hypocrisy at work here. First a call to "stop the insanity" followed by more of your incessant flaming. No doubt mass denials will follow, perhaps you will claim these are forges, perhaps you will claim insanity, who knows, but one thing remains clear. You will continue to harass and harangue the users of this group until there are none. That is your ultimate goal.

So I will help you achieve your goal! In fact I encourage all serious scanner users to do the same. Let's all help John Mackey in his quest to empty rec.radio.scanner of all value and integrity.

Let's leave.

I'll be the first to follow this advice. From this point forward I will read, reply and post only in alt.radio.scanner, leaving rec.radio.scanner to John Mackey and his special brand of cretin friends. They can stay over here, and we can stay over there. Sure, there's almost nothing that can keep him and his pals out, but then again maybe there is.

We can all be adults and ignore their crap. Once they notice they no longer have an audience they will most likely stop. And even if they don't, who the hell cares. Not me. I won't even notice.

See you serious scanner types in a.r.s. As for you John, if I never see another crap posting from you, it'll be too soon.

Unsubscribing and signing off,
-Phil

2501. Repost Items for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <oAHB1.276$Lc3.5727534@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147571
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale the following:

Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)

RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)

AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
(4) 8-MB EDO SIMMS

Aiwa (walkman type) CD-ROM, 40-sec antiskip (new)
If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

2502. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35d740d1.16599984@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147572

On the BC3000XLT, you can also receive the audio portion of TV broadcasts. Very helpful on long drives when you want to hear evenings news or any other programs that you normally watch on TV.

Big Bad Berticus sends (Lasagna Hamburger Helper is quite delicious...)

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 17:50:25 GMT, Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com> wrote:

>Yes most radio transmissions in VHF-UHF are FM.
>
>> mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
>
>> Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?
>>
>> --
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>--
>Marc Purdon
>Calgary, Alberta.
>http://members.home.net/mpurdon/
>
>

2503. Yupiteru MVT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christiaan Tinga <christiaan.tinga@tip.nl>
Message-ID: <6r51vf$6oj$1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 147614

How do I get rid of the intefference of the 12-Volt adapter?

2504. Patrick AFB Area Principal Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081600083800.UAA27316@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147615

I tossed together this list together for several people who have asked me for a list of the principal Patrick AFB freqs. The reason I say "tossed together" is that I really want to complete my more comprehensive list, which will update the many Shuttle-related freq lists that have been added to and copied to many Web sites, but have never been edited and corrected. It is taking me longer to complete my Shuttle Freqs project, because (to be honest) I am having so much fun monitoring JSTARS, NASA acft (and now the ER-2!!), Avon Park ACM. and all the other Military aircraft monitoring opportunities in this wonderful area. I am therefore posting this listing of the basic Patrick Area Mil Acft freqs, so that if anyone is planning a trip to this area, they have some starting point.

The principal freqs for Patrick (KCOF):
133.75/ 348.4 Patrick Tower
132.65/ 340.9 Patrick Appr/Dep South
134.95/ 358.3 Patrick Appr/Dep North
118.4/ 289.4 Clearance Delivery
138.3/ 383.0 Command Post
122.85/ 372.2 Base Ops/PTD
124.35/ 335.8 Ground Control
344.6 PMSV:Metro
173.125 Transient Alert
121.05 Appr/Dep Discrete
127.85 Appr/Dep Discrete
165.1625 POL
149.3 Maintenance Ops Ctr
148.095/ 321.0/ 251.9 920RQG Ops

For Cape Canaveral Air Station (KXMR)
118.625/ 393.0 Skid Strip Twr

For NASA-KSC Shuttle Landing Facilty (X68)
128.55/ 284.0 Tower

For Melbourne IAP (JSTARS):
118.2/ 257.8 Tower
121.9 Ground Ctrl

I hope this is of use to some of you.

AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

2505. Pro 34 sensitivity problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us
Message-ID: <Exr9nJ.HJE@freenet.akron.oh.us>
Source record: 147616

I COULD REALLY USE SOME HELP!

I just bought a Pro 34 and it appears to not be very sensitive
at all.

Is there an adjustment screw for sensitivity?
If so, where is it and can I experiment with it without
messing up the digital frequency ranges?

Please email me directly at

aa186@acorn.net

Thanks,
Michael
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2506. BC350A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: howitzer@computer.net
Message-ID: <35d62826.6182527@news.computer.net>
Source record: 147617
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone know of any mods for the BC350A to either expand the listening range or number of frequencies?

Thanks!

2507. poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Misanthrope <iLL>" <m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35D50914.20ECF71D@rigelnet.ml.org>
Source record: 147618

i am interested in playing with pocsag decoding, and bought a rat shack scanner... i downloaded a program called poc32, and ran it... it seems to run ok, but i never get anything... is it possible that my scanner is just lame? or what... anyone have any experiance with poc32? any ideas?

thanks...

please reply to m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org

2508. about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvillafane@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081601591700.VAA12190@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147619

all this crap about bill did this mackey said that to set the record straight bill cheeks owns his own scanner repair bussiness. and when ever we need advise or help with our scanners he has the right answers can mackey do this for you if your scanner brakes or you want to add modifications can mackey do this for you bill publishes the world scanner report . where he gives us info on new products that are out not to mention modification upgrades can mackey do this for you. pretty it will be avalable upgrade of the ce-232 to track trunk, etrunk, edacs systems can mackey do this for you . as a scanner hobbiest this is what i'm interested in . scanner monotoring . no folowing a nobody that hasn't done
one thing for the scanner monotoring scene . when bill passes on he leaves us all his hard work and knowdledge about the radio scene what does mackey leaves you with ??????? can any one answer that . enjoy i'm not a follower i just know who i can turn to when i need help with my scanner and thats what separate the boys from the girls and thats the bottom line.

2509. Pro 34 help needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us
Message-ID: <ExrEox.7Dq@freenet.akron.oh.us>
Source record: 147620

I have a pro 34 that I just got and the sensitivity is rather poor.

Any ideas as to what the problem might be?
I am going to have a look at the antenna connections again,
but beyond that, I don't know.

Is there a screw to adjust for sensitivity?

Thanks,
Michael

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2510. Beaufort/Hilton Head & Upstate SC Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: usc95@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081602155600.WAA24714@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147621

Anyone have frequencies for Beaufort/Hilton Head SC or Upstate (GSP) SC ?

Michael
usc95@aol.com

2511. Code Grabbers are Burglar's Tools!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Derrick Paulus <"Derrick Paulus"@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35D64B29.6AF12E09@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147622
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.true-crime,alt.law-enforcment

click here ---> http://www.bulletinboard.net/index/66/66-4.html

CELLPHONE HACKERS TACKLE GARAGE DOOR OPENERS

Dallas, TX, March 2, 1996 (DLD DIGEST) -- Recent news media accounts have focused on reports of thieves using high-tech, electronic code grabbing devices to steal cellular phone access codes and disarm remote control car lock systems. Now, thieves can use this same technology to copy garage door opener access codes and burglarize homes.

A new rolling code technology has been incorporated into some garage door opener brands to combat code grabbing theft. Homeowners need to be alert to the potential danger of this new, seemingly invisible method criminals are using to break into homes with these `electronic keys.`

Electronic code grabbing devices enable a criminal waiting near a home to copy the garage door opener's radio access code when the button on the remote controller is pressed. The recorded signal can be resent to open the garage door, giving the thief convenient access to belongings in thegarage and inside the home, if the garage is attached.

Many homeowners leave the door leading from the garage into their home unlocked, making entry by a criminal virtually hassle-free. Code grabbing devices are easy to obtain and can be purchased through mail order or built at home using components available from electronics stores.

New garage door openers using rolling code radio systems prevent this type of burglary by making a copied signal totally useless. Every time the remote controller button is pressed, the garage door opener's access code rolls or changes to one of 4.3 billion new codes. It's like changing the lock on the door each time it is opened or closed. The receiver in the opener's power unit knows
which new code to expect from the programmed remote controller and will never respond to the same code twice. The new rolling code system will only respond to remote controllers programmed to work with the receiver. This eliminates the risk that someone could purchase a store-bought remote controller to randomly operate your door.

'We feel very strongly about making consumers aware of the potential danger that this type of crime poses and want to let them know that it is relatively simple to protect themselves,` commented Lou Gillombardo, director of the Garage Door Safety Center. `And while there are ways homeowners can reduce their security risks, currently only garage door openers with rolling code technology can foil a code grabbing thief.`

There are two companies currently incorporating this new technology into all of their garage door opener systems. The Genie Company openers feature Intellicode(TM), and Overhead Door
Corporation calls their system CodeDodger(TM). Both are available through the companies' local authorized dealers and distributors. The Genie(R) brand openers are also sold through retail home centers and hardware stores.

While openers with rolling code technology offer the highest degree of security and the only defense against code grabbing, the Garage Door Safety Center advises that there are other security measures which should be observed by anyone with a garage door opener:

o While on vacation or away from home for extended periods of time, unplug the garage door opener unit or use a wall console security switch, which is an optional accessory to most openers.

o Just like you would change the locks on the door when moving into a new home, make sure you investigate the security of your garage door opener, as well. If there is an access code switch setting, it should be reset according to the manufacturers' instructions.

o Wireless keypads, which activate the garage door opener with a personal identification number (P.I.N.), are available for most garage door openers. This allows family members to open the door without the use of a key or remote. Never disclose your P.I.N. or leave it written down.

o Never leave your remote controller in the car or with a parking attendant. It should be treated like the key to your home.

o If you have an attached garage, make sure that the door which leads from the garage into the house is locked whenever you are away from home.

The Garage Door Safety Center is a public awareness program sponsored by The Genie Company and Overhead Door Corporation to provide consumer safety and security information on garage door openers.

For more information or a free brochure highlighting important security issues, contact the Garage Door Safety Center at 800/464-1881.

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click the icons here ---> http://www.streetsmartsecurity.com/CG.htm
http://www.clifford.com/acg.html
http://www.clifford.com/valet.html
http://www.clifford.com/scanners.html

http://www.ncpc.org/neigh.htm

Derrick Paulus.

2512. Re: cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D743C2.63DE3855@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147623

Matt Virus already posted most of them.

Otherwise, just search 902-928.

Evrclear84 wrote:

> what about a uniden 900 MHz cordless? i've never seen those freq. listed but i
> know they exist
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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2513. Re: cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081620374600.QAA06009@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147624

what about a uniden 900 MHz cordless? i've never seen those freq. listed but i know they exist

2514. how do you find trunked systems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081620432800.QAA06684@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147625

i have a Pro-90, and i was wondering how to find a trunked system. I scan between 850-870, hearing what sounds like police and other stuff, but how do i know if its trunked?!
For Example: lets say i find something on 853.500. how do i find out if its trunked, and if it is, how do i program it into the pro-90 to track all of the frequencies.
I love the scanner and understand what trunk-tracking is, just i dont really understand how to find the trunked systems and program them in to my scanner.

thanks in advance!!!!!
Steve.......... Evrclear84@aol.com

2515. Repost Items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <5HHB1.277$Lc3.5730279@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147626
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale the following:

Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
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RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)

RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)

AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
(4) 8-MB EDO SIMMS

Aiwa (walkman type) CD-ROM, 40-sec antiskip (new)
If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

2516. Re: How to Determine PD Trunking System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <EGHB1.1000$Je.2033167@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147627

I Believe that the Data Burst You hear in motorola systems applies to type I only

This can also be Misleading as Edacs has a data burst before it's transmission

Jason

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D732B3.EC2DC898@nospam.atandt.net>...
>The best way would be to call them. However, at the end of EDACS (Ericsson)
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>I believe on a Motorola system, there is a half-second data burst at the
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>> -John
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>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2517. Re: how do you find trunked systems?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <QHHB1.1001$Je.2033868@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147628

Best Thing to do is research the freq in police call,

Trunked Freqs will begin with a "T"

Jason

Jason Webb EMT/EMD
The Orlando TrunkTracking Page
http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Confidence is high Repeat Confidence is high
Commander Insert your key

Evrclear84 wrote in message
<19980816204328 00.QAA06684@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>i have a Pro-90, and i was wondering how to find a trunked system. I scan
>between 850-870, hearing what sounds like police and other stuff, but how
do i
>know if its trunked?!
> For Example: lets say i find something on 853.500. how do i find out
if
>its trunked, and if it is, how do i program it into the pro-90 to track all
of
>the frequencies.
> I love the scanner and understand what trunk-tracking is, just i dont
really
>understand how to find the trunked systems and program them in to my
scanner.
>
> thanks in advance!!!!!
> Steve..... Evrclear84@aol.com

2518. Re: Listen to your handheld through your car speakers! Read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghs521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081621242500.RAA02018@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147629

>
>> Wow, that is a great idea!!!

An rf cd player adapter works better! IMHO
Greg

2519. Re: FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35D751EE.55AA@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 147630

Harry, William;

This is a good site for the time being, but the FCC stopped updating it
as of 1 July, 1998. To get to the newer site you must dial into the FCC
database via an 800 or 888 number. I havn't figured out how to support
two dial in numbers with different settings on netscape.

Regards

Ed

Harry Marnell wrote:
>
> It's at http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
>
> Harry
> marnells@snowcrest.net
>
> William C. Thompson <wt2@prism.gatech.edu> wrote in article
> <6qur1k$mbv@acmez.gatech.edu>...
> > Someone posted a FCC beta site here a few months ago. You could look up
> by
> > frequency or callsign from a form on their page.

2520. FCC Releases new Public safety spectrum but with strings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35D75470.3760@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 147631

Hi all, Check out this article in a Professional Radio magazine.

http://www.rcrnews.com/CGI-BIN/SM40i.exe?docid=100:5999&%70aramArticleID=7941

Regards

Ed

2521. Re: gettin bill cheek back

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6r7jqo$l39$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147632

Thats whats I was wondering. If nothing else, there is always Deja News. Im not all that familiar with the workings of a news group, can a person be kicked out of an unmoderated group?

John Petri wrote in message ...
>x-no-archive: yes In article
><1998081615254600.LAA16952@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jvillafane@aol.com
>(JVillafane) wrote:
>
>> for all of you who would like to get bill cheek back on this >newsgroup
>
>How is it that he is NOT on this ng anymore?
>TIA.......

2522. Re: keeping bill cheek out!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Severson <"Eric Severson"@san.rr.com>
Message-ID: <35D752A6.2D99A388@san.rr.com>
Source record: 147633

John Petri wrote:
>
> x-no-archive: yes In article
> <1998081615254600.LAA16952@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jvillafane@aol.com
> (JVillafane) wrote:
>
> > for all of you who would like to get bill cheek back on this >newsgroup
>
> How is it that he is NOT on this ng anymore?
> TIA.......

We know that we are supposed to "call the police to report suspicious persons". Bill Cheek is the definition of the "suspicious person"

2523. PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <mexgringo@zianet.com>
Message-ID: <35D7514B.78BA@zianet.com>
Source record: 147634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I just bought one of these scanners and was wondering if it can be modified to recieve cellular? If so could someone please help me out..... Thanks in advance.

2524. Icom R-10 Mod Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <mexgringo@zianet.com>
Message-ID: <35D7507A.6C55@zianet.com>
Source record: 147635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I'm looking to purchase an Icom R-10 reciever in the very near future.
Here is my Question. Does anyone know how to modify it to recieve
cellular, and is it a hard mod to perform? Thanks in advance.

2525. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc961$498f9840$23afbacd@mikey>
Source record: 147636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You people sit and bitch how bad you want the both of them off this
newsgroup, but when one of them is gone and they are'nt fighting anymore
you want them back !
Is it scanners you want to talk about or how Mackey and Cheek get along?
You decide.
--
http://members.aol.com/frg9600/Yaesu.html

2526. Wefax Antenna Design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Ford <ad.ford@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <35D75AF3.EE064427@virgin.net>
Source record: 147637

Can somebody please tell me if there are any good designs that can be made D.I.Y for antennas to receive good, low noise, WEFAX images. I am using a turnstlie design and find that there are a few "blind spots" in reception. Also is it better to use a pre-amp.

Andy....:-)

2527. Re: How to Determine PD Trunking System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D763DF.2919E49F@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147638

Hmm. Of the three agencies (Bloomington Police, a cab company, and an ambulance service) that use EDACS here, NONE of them have a data burst at the beginning of their transmissions.

Jason Webb wrote:

> I Believe that the Data Burst You hear in motorola systems applies to type I
> only
>
> This can also be Misleading as Edacs has a data burst before it's
> transmission
>
> Jason

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2528. Re: How to Determine PD Trunking System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D764D5.7F3B7AC4@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147639

Oh, and I can't forget Capitol Electronics.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

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> service) that use EDACS here, NONE of them have a data burst at the beginning of
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> > transmission
> >
> > Jason
>
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
> SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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2529. Re: FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Rollman <DanR@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <35D764E8.A904C312@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 147640

Ed:

Actually, if you read further down the site, it states that 800 MHz SMR, Paging services, and microwave are not updated beyond July 1. Land Mobile communications are updated as they always have been.

Dan

Ed Tobiasz wrote:

> Harry, William;
>
> This is a good site for the time being, but the FCC stopped updating it
> as of 1 July, 1998. To get to the newer site you must dial into the FCC
> database via an 800 or 888 number. I havn't figured out how to support
> two dial in numbers with different settings on netscape.
>
> Regards
>
> Ed
>
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> >
> > It's at http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts
> >
> > Harry
> > marnells@snowcrest.net
> >
> > William C. Thompson <wt2@prism.gatech.edu> wrote in article
> > <6qur1k$mbv@acmez.gatech.edu>...
> > > Someone posted a FCC beta site here a few months ago. You could look up
> > by
> > > frequency or callsign from a form on their page.

2530. Re: So John, are you finally satisfied?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081623114800.TAA26181@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147641

AMEN !

2531. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D76330.37360F51@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Nope. It cannot be modified for cellular.

Shannon Young wrote:

> I just bought one of these scanners and was wondering if it can be
> modified to recieve cellular? If so could someone please help me
> out..... Thanks in advance.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
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2532. BC80XLT need mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081623090900.TAA25834@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147643

anyone have any mods for this radio bc80xlt ??

gspri@aol.com

2533. Down converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <bdapple@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35D7924D.6B710B13@yahoo.com>
Source record: 147644

I'm looking for a VHF to UHF (150 to 450) down converter for my UHF radio. thanks

2534. Attention Uniden BearTracker BCT-7 owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: philbell@primenet.com
Message-ID: <philbell-1608981907260001@ip200.sfo.primenet.com>
Source record: 147645

Attention Uniden BearTracker BCT-7 owners: My BCT-7 was stolen and I have the remaining original accessories that I no longer will need (I�m getting a handheld scanner instead of replacing the BCT-7): (1) mounting kit, (1) mobile antenna, (1) telescopic antenna, (1) AC adapter, (1) Operating Guide.

In addition, I have aftermarket accessories that I used in my car including: (1) All Band Scanner/AM-FM Balanced Antennna Splitter which adds scanner reception capability to standard AM/FM car antennas. You simply unplug your car antenna from the back of your stereo and plug it back into the splitter. Two leads are provided from the other end of the splitter. One lead goes back into your stereo, the other goes to your scanner. Because the splitter is �balanced,� neither radio will suck signal from the other. The BCT-7 has a BNC connector and thus needs a separate adapter (which I also have and is included). Price paid for the splitter and adapter was $25.00.

All of this (including splitter and adapter) is yours for just $15.00 plus shipping to wherever you are. E-mail me if you are interested.

2535. 900 MHZ HANDHELD SCANNER WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oatmeal Boy <65mustang@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35D7C103.85F92292@geocities.com>
Source record: 147646

I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of 900 mhz. Radio shack sells scanners but none of them are capable of 900 mhz. Are there any kits I can buy that can "modify" an existing handheld scanner to be capable of 900 mhz.. Which brands/models are recommended for "converting". Also interested in "trunkable" scanner?? Please e-mail me with info.

65mustang@geocities.com

Thanks..

2536. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6r81am$j49$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Ryan, will you stop being a know it all and stop posting inaccurate
information all over these newsgroups. There is a cellular mod for the
Pro-64.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D76330.37360F51@nospam.atandt.net>...
>Nope. It cannot be modified for cellular.
>
>Shannon Young wrote:
>
>> I just bought one of these scanners and was wondering if it can be
>> modified to recieve cellular? If so could someone please help me
>> out..... Thanks in advance.

>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2537. Thanking san.rr.com!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D79A4A.F1A@parg.org>
Source record: 147648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

For all of you who would like to THANK Bill's provider for acting responsibily & removing him from accessing the interent (thru the RR.COM system) please write to abuse@san.rr.com & abuse@rr.com. Just e-mail a quick note thanking them for acting on Bill is all that is necessary.

Thanks !

2538. Re: gettin bill cheek back

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc98e$54038de0$2bdd0ad0@default>
Source record: 147649

Because of someone else`s lies. Right, John?
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

> John Petri wrote in message ...
> >x-no-archive: yes In article
> ><1998081615254600.LAA16952@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jvillafane@aol.com
> >(JVillafane) wrote:

> >How is it that he is NOT on this ng anymore?

2539. Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D79B6A.3707@parg.org>
Source record: 147650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I would like to thank SAN.RR.COM for acting as a responsible
ISP in addressing the problems that Bill Cheek caused from the RR.COM
system and request that his account NOT be reinstated.

2540. Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D79EFE.4BCE@parg.org>
Source record: 147651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

K patterson wrote:
> Thats whats I was wondering. If nothing else, there is always Deja News. Im
> not all that familiar with the workings of a news group, can a person be
> kicked out of an unmoderated group?

Bill was not kicked off of this NG. He was kicked off of his ISP
due to usenet abuse! I am sure that Monday Bill will be back on here
with a new account! Hopefully Bill will learn a lesson about the errors
of his ways & change his style to stop the harassment of this
NG & it's members! Otherwise, this cycle is likely to keep repeating
itself.

Remember, Bill was recently kicked off of the scan-L mail list due to
abuse
also!

2541. Help with Pro 25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Marcus <marcus@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <6r86ni$ccs@eri.erinet.com>
Source record: 147652

I feel like a bit of a twit for asking this, but does anyone know how to lock out a channel on a Pro 25? I've managed to lose the manual and I need to lock out a channel. I'd appreciate any help.

2542. Justice Prevails!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D79D64.168B@parg.org>
Source record: 147653
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Phil Smalley wrote:

> I see that your efforts have finally borne fruit, after 3+ years of

I have only been on the internet for 2 years & a few weeks. I first
met Bill about 2.5 years ago!

> Even though it's cost your lots of money, several ISP
> accounts and your own personal reputation, you persevered.

It has not cost me any money, I have never lost ANY ISP account,
& my reputation (due to standing up to the BULLY LIKE TACTICS of
Cheek & the Cheek-a-likes) has improved by leaps & bounds!

> Bill Cheek
> has finally lost his ISP account and is, for the moment at least, "off
> the air".
>
> How does that make you feel? Are you happy with yourself? I certainly
> hope so.

I can NOT take ANY credit!!! Bill's own actions got him where he is
now at. Edwin Kruse, administrator of SAN.RR.COM gave Bill
SEVERAL warnings over a period of several weeks yet Bill ignored them
ALL!

Bill's consequence is something YOU can learn from, & hopefully
Bill will also take a lesson from this situation he caused!

If a man abuses or rapes a woman, who do you blame? Certainly not
the woman!! Certainly not the witnesses who reported the crime!! You
blame the perpretrator! Bill is the perpetrator in this situation,
so don't blame me or others for reporting his unrightful actions!

>
> I have to admit my dissapointment, however. I was really hoping that
> when you finally had savored your little victory, that you would knock
> off the crap and focus on the topic at hand. In case you have forgotten,
> that topic is scanners.
>
> But, when I looked in here, this is just a small sampling of what I have
> seen:
>
> This post, from you:
>
> >Subject: ATTENTION ALL!

> >Date: Thu, 13 Aug 1998 02:19:53 GMT
> >From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>
> >Reply-To: bbowers@parg.org
> >Organization: PARG
> >Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
> >
> >OK,,,, lets try it ONE MORE TIME!
> >
> >Those people who carry on with Cheek making trouble have certainly
> >shown themselves lately as being the trouble makers they are.
>
> >So lets let all this flaming STOP & return this NG to the good of the
> >order to benefit all.
> >
> >If everyone simply stops the flames & off-topic posts, all will be
> >well!
> >
> >Try it, it's simple!
>
> was almost immediately followed by this one:
>
> >Subject: Re: ATTENTION ALL!
> >Date: Thu, 13 Aug 1998 05:10:58 GMT
> >From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>
> >Reply-To: bbowers@parg.org
> >Organization:PARG
> >Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
> >References: 1 , 2
> >
> >Blake Bowers wrote:
> >> While you obviously are using an address, with my name
> >> in it? You show that you have no intent of ever stopping
> >> your crap.
> >
> >Blake - you started using the "P_ARG.ORG" address only a couple weeks
> >ago. You claim it is for the "Pottersville ARG" yet according to
> >the ARRl & yahoo, there is no such group.
> >
> >I am using a legitimately assigned address for me from my domain
> >while YOU are using a BOGUS address, lying to the internet everytime
> >you post from that address!
> >
> >In other words, shut your lying mouth!
> >
> >> Pottersville_Amateur Radio Group
> >> Live from P_ARG!!
>
> Now, I admit that I may be a little slow at times John, but even I can
> see the hypocrisy at work here. First a call to "stop the insanity"
> followed by more of your incessant flaming. No doubt mass denials will

> follow, perhaps you will claim these are forges, perhaps you will claim
> insanity, who knows, but one thing remains clear. You will continue to
> harass and harangue the users of this group until there are none. That
> is your ultimate goal.
>
> So I will help you achieve your goal! In fact I encourage all serious
> scanner users to do the same. Let's all help John Mackey in his quest to
> empty rec.radio.scanner of all value and integrity.
>
> Let's leave.
>
> I'll be the first to follow this advice. From this point forward I will
> read, reply and post only in alt.radio.scanner, leaving
> rec.radio.scanner to John Mackey and his special brand of cretin
> friends. They can stay over here, and we can stay over there. Sure,
> there's almost nothing that can keep him and his pals out, but then
> again maybe there is.
>
> We can all be adults and ignore their crap. Once they notice they no
> longer have an audience they will most likely stop. And even if they
> don't, who the hell cares. Not me. I won't even notice.
>
> See you serious scanner types in a.r.s. As for you John, if I never see
> another crap posting from you, it'll be too soon.
>
> Unsubscribing and signing off,
> -Phil

2543. Justice Will Prevail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D79E0A.44E7@parg.org>
Source record: 147654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

RCL1 wrote:
> >Bill Cheek
> >has finally lost his ISP account and is, for the moment at least, "off
> >the air".

> And more peace in our valley.
> Frankly the BS of the Cheek-A-Lites was never appreciated by anyone.
> Rick

Well said, very well said!

2544. Re: Icom R-10 Mod Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Kaye" <dkaye@rci.rutgers.edu>
Message-ID: <6r85culsm1@newsmonger.rutgers.edu>
Source record: 147655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Are you sure you want to buy an R-10? I bought one and found that it is not all that it is cracked up to be. Granted the coverage is good and it receives many different modes but I found that my Grundig YB-400 did a better job on 30Mhz and below than the R-10! The noise blanker actually injected NOISE into the received signal audio! The scan speed is also so slow you could go to the kitchen and make a sandwich and come back and it has not even completed scanning 100 channels! I promptly returned it for a refund. Save you money and rethink the purchase. Just my opinion. 73

Dave N2SJH

Shannon Young wrote in message <35D7507A.6C55@zianet.com>...
>I'm looking to purchase an Icom R-10 reciever in the very near future.
>Here is my Question. Does anyone know how to modify it to recieve
>cellular, and is it a hard mod to perform? Thanks in advance.

2545. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7A07D.5712@parg.org>
Source record: 147656

Phil Smalley wrote:
> Bill may have posted some off topic junk that didn't belong here, but he
> also posts relevant scanning information almost daily on this group.
> Something I have yet to see from you. Is that just coincidence, or is
> there more to it than that? Perhaps you are just one more of the many
> who come here with the sole intention of stirring the flames?

Phil-

Are you in love with Bill Cheek or are you his mother?

2546. Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7A0FF.1389@parg.org>
Source record: 147657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

No longer needed, adapter to connect computer to internet via
cable TV connection. Contact Bill Cheek!

2547. Re: cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dany Vaillancourt <VaiDan@Faltec.com>
Message-ID: <roNB1.46$ua6.448028@wagner.videotron.net>
Source record: 147658

The Uniden 900 Mhz don't Respecte 30 khz Step

It have channel on 902.4800 Mhz

Normal is on ch. 14 at 902.490 Mhz

Please Post any information on it!

Thank!

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D743C2.63DE3855@nospam.atandt.net>...
>Matt Virus already posted most of them.
>
>Otherwise, just search 902-928.
>
>Evrclear84 wrote:
>
>> what about a uniden 900 MHz cordless? i've never seen those freq. listed
but i
>> know they exist
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>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2548. Re: 900 MHZ HANDHELD SCANNER WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35D7B88C.46D3@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 147659

Oatmeal Boy wrote:
>
> I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of 900 mhz. Radio shack
> sells scanners but none of them are capable of 900 mhz. Are there any
> kits I can buy that can "modify" an existing handheld scanner to be
> capable of 900 mhz.. Which brands/models are recommended for
> "converting". Also interested in "trunkable" scanner?? Please e-mail
> me with info.
>

The Radio shack trunk tracker PRO 90 covers up to 960 MHz and that is it
in handheld trunking scanners.

GR

2549. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35D7B4B0.FA4D193@pacbell.net>
Source record: 147660

Scanners are receivers ONLY. They can't be modified to transmit.

Chris Tominkson wrote:

> A freind of mine, said a freind of his modyfied a scanner that he had
> so that he could transmit with it, he did not know the brand or
> anything but I was wondering if you can do this to a BC3000XLT, or if
> there are any other modifications for it. Thanks!

2550. Re: Justice Prevails on Cheek!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D2B3.FC2@parg.org>
Source record: 147661

Bud wrote:
> Remember, if Mackey gets away with THIS, any one of you could be next.

Wrong Bud!

A person's own actions cause their own problems. You can't blame ones problems on others.

2551. Opps 2022 again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert and Sonia Ingersoll <bsing@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <903324861.667965@michelob>
Source record: 147662

Again any mods available for this scanner?

I have been told that you can increase scan speed and restore cmr.

Please reply to Bob
Bsing@sprint.ca

2552. Re: Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D2E6.B2C@parg.org>
Source record: 147663

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> His crap is more interesting than your SHIT.

Yea Joe your constant swearing & cursing is certainly
interesting here, NOT!

2553. Re: Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D39A.2A9F@parg.org>
Source record: 147664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:

> John, WHY are you hiding behind the name of someone who has NO link to you,
> someone with a GOOD reputation?

I am using the e-mail address as assigned to me by the administrators
of the PARG.ORG domain. Perhaps you ask BLAKE if the e-mail address
he uses is real or fake!

> And you are full of shit about him getting booted from scan-l, and I have
> e-mail to prove it.

Bill Cheek made a post about a week ago stating he was booted from
scan-l. Are you saying Bill was lying?

> But I'm saving it for when I go after YOUR account,

Go right ahead, son!

2554. Re: Thanking san.rr.com!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D4D5.4F9C@parg.org>
Source record: 147665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:

> You fucking turd, you're too STUPID to know that Bill HAS other accounts,
> and COULD post here if he felt like it. He WILL post here, trust me. And

You OBVIOUSLY don't read the posts on this NG very throughly!

Sunday afternoon or evening I stated that Cheek probably will be back
here with a different ISP on Monday. Further, I suspect he will be here
with
a CTS.COM dial up account (another common ISP in San Diego Cheek
formerly
used).

> he MAY end up with his RR account back, and YOU will then be fighting to
> keep YOUR account,

Yea, Bud, I am sure you would like that. We'll see how things actually
turn out. I believe you will be wrong on both your statements above.
Just
so you know, shortly I will be moving from MCI to AT&T or Concentric for
my ISP service.

2555. LOOKING FOR MOUNTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lisa Patterson <lplynch@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bdc944$e55d54a0$32bab3cf@lplynch.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 147666

I'm trying to find out what company or where i can get a radio floor mount, just a generic mount to mount to the floor and then the radio mounts to it, have seen lots but unable to find out where to get.. any help would do. thanks

Aaron

2556. help on pro-2006 low-batt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gs.patton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6r76u9vna1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 147667

Hi there!

I have a problem with my pro-2006 and doni¿½t know how to fix it.

the scanner sayi¿½s low bat although ii¿½ve changed the 9v-battery.
The beeps of low-bat makes me crazy, how coult i fix it??

greetings from germany, emil.

2557. Re: mtv-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081720300400.QAA19259@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147374

>From: jim@shemalecentral.com

>I am considering buying a mtv-7100 scanner through a canadian
>distributor.

It's an excellent scanner. Bandercom sells it for $300 (a fw bucks less) with
shipping. Nothing compares for the money.

2558. Re: Crypto Clinton Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <35D890A8.37EF9AEB@mich.com>
Source record: 147375

>
>
> Clinton will be questioned by prosecutors in the Map Room, part of the White
> House residence, McCurry said. He declined to provide further details about the
> closed-circuit TV transmission.
>
> The grand jury is hearing testimony in Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr's
> investigation of Clinton's contacts with Monica Lewinsky. The secrecy of grand
> jury proceedings is protected by law, although Clinton and other witnesses can
> talk about their own testimony if they choose.
>
> As the day approached, Washington was filled with speculation about the
> prosecutors' questions and Clinton's answers. But it is unlikely anyone will
> find out through eavesdropping on the video feed, said Dennis Dunbar, a
> telecommunications specialist with 15 years' experience setting up
> closed-circuit TV conferences.
>
> ''WHCA is the cream of the crop - the best communications specialists the
> military has,'' he said.

Hahaha -- you'd be amazed at how many WHCA members were recruited right after
boot camp or advanced individual training! I.e. they get on the job training.

--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

2559. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081720324000.QAA00111@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147376

><jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
>Date: 8/17/98 3:30 PM Eastern

Wee Willie Wanker, you bore me. Time to put you and those other losers back into the bozo filter. I'm sure that I won't miss an on-topic post from any of you bums.

2560. Re: Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081720282600.QAA29365@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147377

>ject: Justice Prevails
>From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com (Fire Chief)
>Date: 8/17/98 9:03 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <a32_9808171300@warpgate.com>
>
> -=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-
>
>
> > Bill was not kicked off of this NG. He was kicked off of his ISP
> > due to usenet abuse!
>
>
> Now all we have to do is accomplish the same with a certain
> QUEER, FAT-FACED LIAR in Oregon who loves to flame this NG.

Does this mean that we will not have anymore of this immature bickering
back and forth and get back to the real topics of this board which is scanners?

2561. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081720285900.QAA29450@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147378

>From: digital_persona@softhome.net

>I'm waiting for you to stop attacking people like Ryan, that obviouslyhave
other serious problems going on with their lives.

Okay, that's a new excuse. Obviously, you don't know squat about scanners.
You're here to make trouble.

> You go after the easy-shots.

Like you, obviously.

>Why don't you use that "kill filter" you keep talking about?

Oh, I have been--took it out to see if you guys would actually post something
about scanning. Of course, you won't, so it's time to turn the bozo filter back
on. PLONK!
>
>By the way, it's Digital Persona, not DigitPerson. You Imbecile.....

It amazes me that a butt-sniffing lowlife would even care, Digit boy.

Ah well, I'm back to ignoring you. You bore me.

2562. San Francisco Bay Area Frequency web pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35dda216.2500842421@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 147379
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone in the San Francisco Bay Area have any good links to
frequencies? I'm looking for things like the local news organizations
(ABC, NBC, CBS, Fox, etc.), Secret Service, FBI, etc.

Thanks,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
==

2563. phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Calnek <scalnek@julian.uwo.ca>
Message-ID: <6ra85p$9o@falcon.ccs.uwo.ca>
Source record: 147380

Can someone please tell me what the frequencies are for a standard 10
channel cordless phone?

Thanks
Scott

2564. Re: non-US models

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24000-35D89638-31@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147381

This is true.Why even take the chance of buying from another country and lose your ass.Besides if something goes wrong with the scanner where are you going to take it?Thats what stopped me.BTW I have 2 modified scanners on Ebay-pro-2005,and a pro-34 in tip top shape.KEEP IT IN THE US!

2565. BC895 Have Data Skip?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Waits <swaits@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35D8A5DC.DD9B56E8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147382
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: swaits/popd.ix.netcom.com.vcf

Hi there,

I'm wondering if the 895 has the "Data Skip" feature which is in the
900, and, if this feature works well in the 900.

I wonder why Uniden hasn't made a "next higher" model of the 895 with
the frequency coverage of the 900?

--Steve

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2566. Re: phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8A73D.24CD4BA@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147383

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Channel Frequency
1 43.72
2 43.74
3 43.82
4 43.84
5 43.92
6 43.96
7 44.12
8 44.16
9 44.18
10 44.20
11 44.32
12 44.36
13 44.40
14 44.46
15 44.48
16 46.61
17 46.63
18 46.67
19 46.71
20 46.73
21 46.77
22 46.83
23 46.87
24 46.93
25 46.97

Scott Calnek wrote:

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> Thanks
> Scott
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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2567. Re: cell images....on SC150 but not pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8A803.60056F06@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147384

Because the PRO-90 (and many newer scanners) virtually cannot receive images. It has triple conversion, which *almost* completely eliminates images.

Intermod is different- if you go downtown or to a place with a lot of metal, you'll find that you'll receive cellular conversations, but those aren't images. Just a front-end overload.

Evrclear84 wrote:

> here is my situation: i bought a pro-90, which works well but gets absolutely
> NO cell images. Then i tried out a SC-150B and found A LOT of cell images up
> in the 895-910 range..
> why do you get them in the SC150, but not the other? i heard it had
> something to do with the triple conversion that the Pro-90 has. i would keep
> the SC-150, but it will only search the dumb preprogrammed search bands, and
> not something you put in.
> are there any RS or uniden scanners (handheld) that pick up the heavy imaging
> like the SC150, but has the upper/lower limit, or manual search features. I'm
> looking to spend around $200 or less.
> REALLY IMP0RTANT!
> thanks in advance!
> STEVE..... Evrclear84@aol.com
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2568. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8A82D.FEDB128F@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147385

I love how you completely ignore what he (DigitalPersona) said...

MAlexder wrote:

> >From: digital_persona@softhome.net
>
> >I'm waiting for you to stop attacking people like Ryan, that obviouslyhave
> other serious problems going on with their lives.
>
> Okay, that's a new excuse. Obviously, you don't know squat about scanners.
> You're here to make trouble.
>
> > You go after the easy-shots.
>
> Like you, obviously.
>
> >Why don't you use that "kill filter" you keep talking about?
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> about scanning. Of course, you won't, so it's time to turn the bozo filter back
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2569. Re: LOOKING FOR MOUNTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmagnum@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081722114300.SAA04718@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147386

Their website is:

http://www.gamberjohnson.com/

"The early bird may get the worm,
but the second mouse gets the cheese."

2570. Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <a35_9808171500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147387

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-=> Quoting Digital Persona to All <=-

DP> I didn't know you lived in Oregon Fire Chief.

Just proves that you were wrong again, asshole.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
---
| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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2571. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rayka1wzx@webtv.net
Message-ID: <22080-35D8BA04-64@newsd-141.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147388

Then why did you bother to get your ham ticket. I would not get a Cell phone evin if it was given to me. Why would you be afraid someone would slash your tires if you used your Ham call. Get some Prozac and think straight. You would only use it in emergency. How much do you pay a month for call's $$$$$$$$$ I belong to a Ham club, and they have phone patches for free. Know what i'am saying.....And i'am proud of my ham call----------Ray----KA1WZX

Linden 5

2572. ICR-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <maskiel@friendlynet.com>
Message-ID: <35D8F705.B22FC6ED@friendlynet.com>
Source record: 147389

What would you pay for A mint...well allmost mint condition ICR-8500? It still has the plastic protector over the display window. I have the PC computer control software and cable to opperate with PC. I LOVE THIS RADIO BUT IT COST SO MUCH...Now it is used but it is IN PERFECT SHAPE and I am Taking offers.

I can send pics of it as it is and more info for the asking. Reply by e-mail to

maskiel@friendlynet.com

If you cant afford it dont bother... It is the very best reciever on the market. IMO

I have the reciept and manual everything it came with.

Like I said it is used but in perfect shape.

2573. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Allman <bald1@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35D8DC97.65ED03E5@usa.net>
Source record: 147390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Ryan,

There recently was published a means to in fact receive cellular on a
PRO-64. It only enables CELL "A" (non-wireless) output frequencies,
requires toggling the red and black pins on CN101, and interpolating the
frequencies when scanning 29-54MHz using the formula cell= 772.5 + (2x
[display freq]).
Use Alta Vista and look for cdeviney@ipa.net (Cathy De Viney) post of
22 July '98 to rec.radio.scanner titled "Cellular Mod for PRO-64!"

-=[Bob]=-

> Nope. It cannot be modified for cellular.
>
> Shannon Young wrote:
>
> > I just bought one of these scanners and was wondering if it can be
> > modified to recieve cellular? If so could someone please help me
> > out..... Thanks in advance.
> >
>
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
> SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
> RySoft Corporation
>
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
> Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2574. For Trade: PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: adam@aronson.net
Message-ID: <adam-1708982225520001@usr5-03.pat.nj.webspan.net>
Source record: 147391

I would like to trade my PRO-43 (cell capable) for a functional (cell capable) 2006 or 2005.

Email details, please...

Adam

2575. Re: Toledo OH Lifeflight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <maskiel@friendlynet.com>
Message-ID: <35D919E4.FA8C897@friendlynet.com>
Source record: 147392

jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu wrote:

> Could somebody pass along the frequency for St. Vincent/MCH Lifeflight out of
> Toledo Ohio . . . .
>
> wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
> g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
> --oOO--(_)---OOo---
> The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR
>
> .ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
> ( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
> ----\ (---) /---
> _) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

123.075 and 123.050 That's all I have...Im in the Fostoria area.35 miles south
east of Toledo and I have no problem hearing them...

2576. Re: New LAPD Comm System "Digital"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@uia.net>
Message-ID: <6rasn6jhi1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147393

Sure you can spend $1000.00 on a ASTRO RADIO and program it not that hard.Just make sure that you put it in ASTRO mode.Some might say that you might need the astro code for when it is in digital mode but I dont think so.
Radioman
Ken wrote in message <35D140AC.5B4D3360@att.net>...
>I found this article and was wondering since these are digital systems
>how will they impact analog scanners, and would we still be able to
>monitor the LAPD...
>

2577. Re: BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.net>
Message-ID: <35D912E3.19D4@telcomplus.net>
Source record: 147394

change the battery

craig

2578. WTB used ICOM R100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <beercans@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35D903D4.DC8@juno.com>
Source record: 147395

Looking to buy a R100 in good shape
Thanks

2579. FS(Canada) Drake reciever/Bearcat scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35d9087f.0@carrera>
Source record: 147396
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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selling two radios
Drake SW8 reciever c/w manual & box $650 CDN funds obo
BC 800XLT 40 ch base scanner weather,800MHz manual & box $150 CDN funds
obo
Have original bills of sale for both Located Langley BC(Vancouver area)
(604)533-3567 Paul
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2580. Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net>
Message-ID: <35D90F52.3BC6@maui.net>
Source record: 147397

Do wireless burgular alarms installed in the same house as a scanner
cause interference?
Thanks, Paul Littleton

2581. FS: PRO-2006 & PRO-2056

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDS <skynite@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OfNOT2ly9GA.253@upnetnews05>
Source record: 147398

Both units are virtually new in the box, they were removed to check
functioning only.
PR0-2006 $335
PRO-2056 $135
Please email if interested

2582. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D8F076.40F7@parg.org>
Source record: 147399

MAlexder wrote:
> You guys have been complaining constantly about Cheek. Well, you got what you
> wanted: He's gone, at least for now.

Cheek was back on from his CTS.COM account about 2 AM today.

> All along you have asserted that you would
> start posting on-topic when Cheek was no longer an issue.

As long as the problems end then everything is fine. Bill has
an opportunity to learn from all that has happened here within
the last 30 days he has been booted from the Scan-L mailing list &
booted from his ISP, both for problems of abuse committed by HIM!

Bill has no one but himself to blame for the responsibility of
his actions.

He has the choice of wether or not he uses this opportunity to
learn & change or not.

This could VERY easily return instantly to the productive
& comfortable place for mature discussions related to the hobby
of scanning. But that will require Cheek & his many "Cheek-a-likes"
(including you) to begin acting maturely & responsibly, thus
ending their usual activities on this NG.

2583. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D91017.2F1D@parg.org>
Source record: 147400

MAlexder wrote:

> Well, Mackey, I have posted on-topic as recently as yesterday. In fact, I can
> easily say that I have posted exponetially many more times than you have.

You call your senseless FLAMING of making fun of a 13 yr old
kid because his dad has MS is being "on-topic"!!!!!!1

> You have alleged on many occasions that your sole purpose here was to "clean up
> the newsgroup," and to keep Cheek in check. Well, he doesn't happen to be
> posting now but your here,

YOU & the other cheek-a-likes are still causing problems! That is
why I have maintained here to keep you people from monopolizing the NG!

> As of this moment, I will send every single off-topic post your make to your
> ISP with a complaint. I will do this at least a dozen times a day for several
> months to come, if you keep to your usual pattern. Sooner or later, your ISP is

Go for it I have NOTHING to hide! I'll start doing the same to YOUR
ISP too!

2584. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D90D3E.22B7@parg.org>
Source record: 147401

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> more recent then you have,

wrong, all we see from you is flames.

2585. Re: Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D9024A.3D6D@parg.org>
Source record: 147402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

charles21@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> John Mackey again is proving a liar, he stated the day Cheek was off the
> newsgroup he would stop his flaming.

WRONG!

First, I stated that the day Cheek stopped causing trouble I would
adjust. That has nothing to do with wether he goes or stays on this NG.

Second, Cheek was back on here with another ISP about 2 AM this morning.

2586. Re: 2006 "low-bat" problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gs.patton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6r9upm$l9i$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 147403

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> schreibt: > gs.patton@t-online.de wrote:
> >
> > hi there!
> >
> > Is there sombody who can help me??
> > my scanner sayï¿½s "low-batt" although i have changed the 9volt-batterie.
> > The peeping on low-bat makes me very nervous!!
> >
> > greetings from germany,
> >
> > emil
>
> Hi Emil,
>
> I recently was sent a schematic of the PRO2004/5/6. Interestingly, the
> circuitry that checks for low-battery probably draws more current than
> the actual CPU of the unit! There's very little to go wrong in this
> circuit so I would suspect it's either a bad connection on the battery
> clip or the wire(s) leading into the radio.
>
> FWIW, I see an interesting modification that would replace the battery
> with an electrolytic capacitor (1Farad, say from a VCR) and mean you
> would never have to worry about buying another 9V battery for the unit.
>
> I've done similar modifications to ham rigs with great success.
>
> Cheers!
> Andy
thanks! i will open the case again and search for the problem.
i hope iï¿½ll find something wrong, but that 9-volts are already there on the "mainboard",
i checked it out with a voltometer.

i will try to change the battery-cabel-unit, maby thereï¿½s a hortcut or something in it.
see you,

emil.

2587. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82987.5D3C1E35@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147423

HAH! And you DO post on topic? No!

MAlexder wrote:

> > willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Both Bill Cheek and John Mackey will be remembered for their feuding
> >> and mutual obsession.
>
> You, of course, will be remembered for never having posted on topic.
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2588. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82A08.796CC27E@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147424

... and yourself? Me: yesterday.

J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:

> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > This shows mackey has no intention of ever posting on topic, all he
> > wants to do is cause problems on the newsgroup.
>
> So when was the last time YOU posted on topic?
>

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2589. Re: Thanking san.rr.com!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82A92.B4DEEE28@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Too late, John. He's already been posting today (2:41 am).

J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:

> For all of you who would like to THANK Bill's provider for acting
> responsibily & removing him from accessing the interent (thru the RR.COM
> system) please write to abuse@san.rr.com & abuse@rr.com. Just e-mail a
> quick note thanking them for acting on Bill is all that is necessary.
>
> Thanks !
>

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2590. Re: 900 MHZ HANDHELD SCANNER WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82B4C.BBAE84FC@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147426

Oatmeal Boy, Radio Shack scanners DO cover 900 MHz. You just have to pick the right model. Most of them cover to 956, but a few go up to 960.

You could also try a brand other than Uniden/GRE (brands Radio Shack uses). Like Alinco, Icom, Sony, etc.

Oatmeal Boy wrote:

> I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of 900 mhz. Radio shack
> sells scanners but none of them are capable of 900 mhz. Are there any
> kits I can buy that can "modify" an existing handheld scanner to be
> capable of 900 mhz.. Which brands/models are recommended for
> "converting". Also interested in "trunkable" scanner?? Please e-mail
> me with info.
>
> 65mustang@geocities.com
>
> Thanks..
>

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2591. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82C5A.992BAC0C@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147427

So? Just because it was posted here does not mean that I've seen it.

Ken Plotkin wrote:

> In article <6r81am$j49$1@news4.wt.net>, John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net> wrote:
>
> >Ryan, will you stop being a know it all and stop posting inaccurate
> >information all over these newsgroups. There is a cellular mod for the
> >Pro-64.
>
> It was, in fact, posted in this very newsgroup.
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2592. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82C0A.44E8E31B@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

John: Shut up. I was only posting what I've seen MANY times, and that is that there are NO cellular mods for the PRO-64.

Next time, be a little CONSTRUCTIVE in your criticism. You could say politely, "Actually, there is a cellular mod for the PRO-64", instead of "Stop being a know-it-all.".

BTW: That cellular mod does NOT let you enter in ANY cellular frequencies. You must search in the VHF band.

John Habbinga wrote:

> Ryan, will you stop being a know it all and stop posting inaccurate
> information all over these newsgroups. There is a cellular mod for the
> Pro-64.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2593. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D82C83.5DAD79B6@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

As John Habbinga IMPOLITELY pointed out, there is a mod for the PRO-64
which uses the VHF band that allows you to search cell frequencies.

Try a DejaNews power search for "pro-64 cellular mod".

Shannon Young wrote:

> I just bought one of these scanners and was wondering if it can be
> modified to recieve cellular? If so could someone please help me
> out..... Thanks in advance.
>

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2594. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081713560300.JAA03519@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147430

>From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ

Wee Willie Wanker sputtered:

>HAH! And you DO post on topic? No

Oh indeed, you're a model on-topic posting. Why not give us another heart wrenching story about your personal life? Starting irrelevant threads is about all you're capable of, isn't it?

2595. Universal M-8000 Decoder for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pookSter@mnsi.net
Message-ID: <35d84081.399809@snews.mnsi.net>
Source record: 147431

I have a Universal M-8000 stand alone decoder for sale. I am the original owner, and it is in pristine condition with box and manual. $899 US dollars or will accept Canadian Dollars. You can read about it here-

http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/decoders/0087.html

or for more information I can be contacted at pookster@mnsi.net, or you can call me by phone

2596. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access1.digex.net
Message-ID: <6r9hfc$55r@access1.digex.net>
Source record: 147432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35D82C0A.44E8E31B@nospam.atandt.net>,
Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

[snip]
>Next time, be a little CONSTRUCTIVE in your criticism. You could say politely,
>"Actually, there is a cellular mod for the PRO-64", instead of "Stop being a
>know-it-all.".
>
>BTW: That cellular mod does NOT let you enter in ANY cellular frequencies. You
[snip]

Too late, Ryan. You already showed you didn't know about it. No fair
looking it up, and re-joining this thread as if you knew about it all
along.

Wait til the *next* thread on this topic to share what you've learned.
;-)

BTW, would you like some pictures of the mod?

Ken Plotkin

2597. Re: Crypto Clinton Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lurkie@loo.com
Message-ID: <35d84c43.2616725@nnrp.sj.ablecom.net>
Source record: 147433

On 17 Aug 1998 12:44:15 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>Not exactly about scanners, but I thought the following news report would be
>interesting for its mention of intercepting encrypted transmissions...
>
>WASHINGTON (Aug. 15) - White House technicians are masters of technology that
>would thwart any outsiders' efforts to tap into the video transmission of
>President Clinton's testimony to grand jurors, a communications specialist
>says.
>
>The White House Communications Agency will videotape Clinton's testimony Monday
>afternoon and provide ''a one-way live feed'' to grand jurors a mile away at
>the U.S. Courthouse, presidential spokesman Mike McCurry said Friday.

An excerpt from that transmission:

Mr. President, how can you explain these handlebar marks in Miss
Lewinsky's ears?

...

When exactly was she promoted to executive scuzzgargler?

...

Ms. Lewinsky, could you hum "Hail to the Chief" for us?

2598. Re: 2006 "low-bat" problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D85117.BED@ibm.net>
Source record: 147434

gs.patton@t-online.de wrote:
>
> hi there!
>
> Is there sombody who can help me??
> my scanner sayï¿½s "low-batt" although i have changed the 9volt-batterie.
> The peeping on low-bat makes me very nervous!!
>
> greetings from germany,
>
> emil

Hi Emil,

I recently was sent a schematic of the PRO2004/5/6. Interestingly, the circuitry that checks for low-battery probably draws more current than the actual CPU of the unit! There's very little to go wrong in this circuit so I would suspect it's either a bad connection on the battery clip or the wire(s) leading into the radio.

FWIW, I see an interesting modification that would replace the battery with an electrolytic capacitor (1Farad, say from a VCR) and mean you would never have to worry about buying another 9V battery for the unit.

I've done similar modifications to ham rigs with great success.

Cheers!
Andy

2599. Re: BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D852AE.73A0@ibm.net>
Source record: 147435

Night663 wrote:
>
> I have a problem in my 760 the memories are lost asap when the power is
> disconnected.Can anyone steer me to the right part to fix this problem.Thanks
> Bill

There's an internal backup battery. Mine was dead too when I got it.
Being a frugal amateur, I replaced it with two hearing aid batteries.
These can be purchased from Radio Shack. There's no tax on hearing aid
batteries. Get the big ones.

As an aside, you can use them instead of the 7V battery in Realistic and
other CB preamplified microphones. Stack 'em up and put heat shrink (or
electrical tape) around them to form the same shape and size of the 7V
cell. Actually, if you are carefull youcan just shove them in and go
with it!

FWIW, if you take apart one of those 7V cells you'll see it's just a
stack of the same button cell batteries.

My 760 has been going for more than three years with the hearing aid
batteries as has my Alpine CD player.

Cheers!
Andy

2600. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D85488.6942@ibm.net>
Source record: 147436

Chris Tominkson wrote:
>
> A freind of mine, said a freind of his modyfied a scanner that he had
> so that he could transmit with it, he did not know the brand or
> anything but I was wondering if you can do this to a BC3000XLT, or if
> there are any other modifications for it. Thanks!

I think your friend was jivin' ya', Willis!! 8-D

Many of the new handheld Ham radios was good coverage (108-174, 220-300, 400-470, 800-950 etc.) and can transmit. Perhaps that is what your friend was referring too.

It should benoted that although many of the ham radios will transmit out of band, they usually do a piss-poor job of it. Typically, as you go up in frequency so does your deviation. I have a 2m radio that will transmit merrily up at 165MHz, but the deviation is about 12kHz! A little excessive I reckon. Also, the sensitivity of ham rigs is rather dubious out of band. This teamed with the shitty PLL designs is a guarantee that the vast majority of ham radios would fail FCC/DOC testing right out of the box - even inside of their "guaranteed spec'" range.

Some Hams reckon that their ham radios are just as good as commercial radios. I work in the commercial biz and can tell you they are dreaming - in colour!

Cheers!
Andy

2601. WTB RS Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Dean Vogel <jdv@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35D84FDC.376E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147437

I am looking to buy a modified or new pro-26. All reasonable offers
will be responded to. Please email.

jdv@ix.netcom.com

2602. pro-2056 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: endo@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35D85263.4DED0104@ibm.net>
Source record: 147438

Any Info on RS pro-2056 Mods or undocumented stuff would really be of some help. I can't get 800 mhz but the thing has a slot for labeled in it for 800 mhz. I would really like some info thanks!

2603. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6r9li1$e0a@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 147439

That reminds me of one of my first scanner experiences when I was about 14.

A friend that had a few scanners told me that he could jam the police frequency by entering the correct frequency into the scanners. He entered a frequency into one of the scanners and then tuned the other to the police frequency that he was "jamming".

Sure enough, there was a dead carrier on the police frequency! I was very impressed.

About a month later when I was in Scanners Unlimited (San Carlos, CA), I asked Glen if scanners could transmit jamming signals. He, of course, said no. I explained what my friend had done, and he laughed. He explained what my friend had done was to input a frequency that would tune the scanner's local oscillator to oscillate on the same frequency as the police band.

I said, "so they can transmit!". Again he laughed and said "well, yes, but the signal is so weak that it can barely be detected across the room, and any real transmitter would transmit right over it".

So, to answer your question, yes a scanner can transmit, but then, so can your computer, your clock/radio and maybe your vacuum cleaner - they all may generate stray RF signals that can be picked up by a nearby receiver.

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Chris Tominkson wrote in message <35d7a809.429952@news.greatbasin.net>...
>A freind of mine, said a freind of his modyfied a scanner that he had
>so that he could transmit with it, he did not know the brand or
>anything but I was wondering if you can do this to a BC3000XLT, or if
>there are any other modifications for it. Thanks!

2604. WTB RS Pro-26 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.D." <jdv@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35D85405.2061@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147440

I am looking to buy a modified for cellular Pro-26 that is in like new condition. Will respond to all reasonable offers. Please email responses to: jdv@ix.netcom.com

2605. come instupidire un modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fabrizio Ravegnani <fabrizio@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it>
Message-ID: <35D8589E.22BBBCD8@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it>
Source record: 147441

Salve a tutti. Scusate la domanda balorda:
il mio problema e' questo: vorrei settare il mio modem in modo che
effettui una connessione ed inizi subito a ricevere saltando tutti i
controlli (carrier
detection , handshake..).
Per spiegarmi meglio: vorrei collegare il modem all'uscita audio di una
radio ricevente per acquisire i dati trasmessi da una una sonda meteo
che trasmette a 300,N,8,2 in FSK; non ho quindi le tensioni tipiche
delle linee telefoniche di linea, ma solo il segnale audio modulato.
Se qualcuno ha qualche idea in proposito.....
Fabrizio Ravegnani

2606. Cordless phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Corona <elgar@hkstar.com>
Message-ID: <35D8266F.1A3623F@hkstar.com>
Source record: 147442

I'm looking for a cheap recieve the listen in to the 40-50Mhz range.
Does anyone know what is the least I can spend for that freq.?

Email replies prefered.

And, Bill Cheek, I've read one of your Mod books. I like it. :-)

elgar@hkstar.com

2607. Re: Cordless phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081717023300.NAA04003@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147443

>I'm looking for a cheap recieve the listen in to the 40-50Mhz range.
>Does anyone know what is the least I can spend for that freq.?

Well, the *CHEAPEST* way is to simply use your cordless phone and put it into "Test Mode," which will act as a reciever on all the cordless phone freqs (channels.) I can't find the exact document, but if someone out there has CompuServe, go to the HamNet forum and it's there.

73

2608. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8634C.95B6D3CF@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147444

Nope.

I also do not appreciate being called a 'wee willie wanker'. It seems that all you are capable of is insensitive and unethical comments.

Nor do I appreciate your telling my dad that you would kill yourself if you had a brat like me.

MAlexder wrote:

> Wee Willie Wanker sputtered:
>
> >HAH! And you DO post on topic? No
>
> Oh indeed, you're a model on-topic posting. Why not give us another heart
> wrenching story about your personal life? Starting irrelevant threads is about
> all you're capable of, isn't it?

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2609. Re: LSP Trunk Tracking Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35D7EFF7.76EDD76A@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 147445

Joe, Their system may be in fail safe mode if all the traffic is on the data channel. Do you hear a beep tone about every minute or so ? If so the trunking system is down and all traffic reverts to the data channel. Another way to confirm this is that you should hear a steady carrier on all other channels in the system and they to should emit the same beep tone every minute or so.

mike

2610. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D86390.EB7ECC6D@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Actually, yes, I would like the pictures. Is there any huge chance of my harming anything?

Ken Plotkin wrote:

> Too late, Ryan. You already showed you didn't know about it. No fair
> looking it up, and re-joining this thread as if you knew about it all
> along.
>
> Wait til the *next* thread on this topic to share what you've learned.
> ;-)
>
> BTW, would you like some pictures of the mod?
>
> Ken Plotkin

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2611. Re: How to Determine PD Trunking System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6r9oal$1dj6$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147447

>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
<35D732B3.EC2DC898@nospam.atandt.net>...
>>The best way would be to call them. However, at the end of EDACS
(Ericsson)
>>transmissions, there is a two-second hang with 4 beeps.
>>
>>I believe on a Motorola system, there is a half-second data burst at
the
>>beginning of transmissions.

Partially correct.

Motorola - one channel has constant datastream (600 bps, I believe)
that rotates among some of the system frequencies, usually changing
every 24 hours.

EDACS - one channel has a constant datastream but it sounds different
from Motorola. EDACS has a buzzsaw sound, while Motorola sounds more
like a diesel engine idling. Also, many systems are configured with
"anti-scanner" beeps and other sounds at the end of each transmission.

E.F. Johnson - there are at least two flavors of EFJ. One that
operates in my area has two distinctive features - one channel has a
constant SUBAUDIBLE datastream that never rotates to any other
channel. On a regular scanner, it sounds like a dead carrier. The
other notable feature is that each channel is keyed for a fraction of
a second once every five to 10 seconds, whether there is any traffic
on the system or not.

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

2612. Re: cordless phone frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35D7F31B.2E55AC43@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 147448

I am presently working on a 900 Mhz ham repeater system and here are the US cordless phone frequencies I try to stay away from. As you can see they are spaced at 128 KHz intervals, this is because they use wide band deviation.

A frequency plan for 40 channels equally-spaced at 128 kHz is shown here:

Channel 1 2 3.....38
39 40
Tx frequency (MHz) 902.144 902.272 902.400 .....906.880
907.008 907.136
Rx frequency (MHz) 922.880 923.008 923.136 .....927.616
927.744 927.872

just fill in between the ..... at 128 KHz intervals for the other channels you would want to stay away from.

mike

2613. Newsgroup Bull Crap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: No Spam <jr@sgi.net>
Message-ID: <35D89191.1712@sgi.net>
Source record: 147449

Some of you people act less inteligent than school children.

For a newsgroup that is susposed to be related to "radio scanner" it really disappoints me that, for years this newsgroup is nothing other than a flame newsgroup. Some people can't leave well enough alone. There seems to be a serious case jealous so-called adults spurting there selfish image here.

Come on people, lets open the newsgroup up to radio scanner related information instead of the flames. You may not like what I have said, but look at the amount of flames posted to the amount of scanner related information. This is most likly the third time I posted in this newsgroup. I have been reading it for several years and I for one are just tired of sifting through the bull crap to get to the radio scanner related information.

Have a pleasant and positive day.

2614. Pro 43 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Burke <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <6r9s0lrnc1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147450

I have a Pro 43 with box,book and cube charger in mint condition with the mods already done.I will ship to your door for $250.00.Money order or bank cashiers checks only.

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Thanks
n1rsp@qsl.net
ICQ#423512
Tel.978-281-3359

2615. Portable Freq Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081718221800.OAA02254@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147451

I recently acquired a PalmPilot III (got it free). Initially, I didn't have much use for the little gizmo. But it dawned on me that it would make a neat device for storing frequencies, PL tones, licensee information and so on. A web search pulled up a demo version of a shareware database called Jfile. One of its nice features is that it allows you to convert .CSV (comma delimited) database files into .PRC (PalmPilot OS) files. From there it was an easy matter of grabbing a file of freqs off a CD-ROM, saving them in .CSV and transporting them into the PalmPilot. It makes a great add-on tool for people who use portable scanners. The shareware version only allows the use of a single database. For $20 you can get the registered version which permits saving up to 30 different databases.

Of course, at $350-plus, I wouldn't recommend buying a Palm Pilot just for storing freqs. But if you already have oneï¿½ it's great.

You can do pretty much the same thing with a Windows CE device, using Pocket Excel. Not long ago, first generation CE handhelds were selling for as little as $100. You might still be able to pick one up for cheap.

2616. Re: Wefax Antenna Design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wayne_b@nospam.access.digex.net
Message-ID: <35d87345.7915319@newsreader.digex.net>
Source record: 147452

I have built a Lindenblad antenna, however for a different application. I has very good low angle visibility and I experience very good overall performance. The ARRL Satellite Experimenters Handbook has a description of how to build it. Also, if you search the AMSAT web pages, there are some construction articles on them. Most of this information is on 2m and 70cm, however, you can easily scale this for your band.

Good Luck.
Wayne

remove "nospam" for direct replies

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 23:19:31 +0100, Andrew Ford <ad.ford@virgin.net> wrote:

>Can somebody please tell me if there are any good designs that can be
>made D.I.Y for antennas to receive good, low noise, WEFAX images. I am
>using a turnstlie design and find that there are a few "blind spots" in
>reception. Also is it better to use a pre-amp.
>
>Andy....:-)
>

2617. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081718253800.OAA12833@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147453

>From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>

>Nor do I appreciate your telling my dad that you would kill yourself if you
>had a
>brat like me.

You're a two-bit liar. I said to you that if I had a kid like you for a son,
I'd kill myself. Still would.

2618. Re: Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35d8740f.2489060039@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 147454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Speaking of the scan-l mailing list, I've tried twice to subscribe unsuccessfully, and each time I followed the instructions (maybe - or maybe not, maybe that's the whole problem :-)) and sent mail to the address indicated.

Is the scan-l mailing list alive and well? If so, what is the proper email address to send mail to about getting on the list? If the owner is reading this, could you please email me?

Thank you,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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2619. [HELP] Sears5band scanner programing info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tham@fas.harvard.edu
Message-ID: <6r9thesqo1@news.fas.harvard.edu>
Source record: 147455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I pick up this radio scanner made by Sears and Roebuck Co., called Sears5band. It is a 16 channel user programmable using a plastic punch card. My question to you all is what is the programming logic for these punch cards. What holes do I punch to get what frequencies?

The card has 16 rows of punchable holes for 16 channels, and each row has 16 holes. The only channel currently working is ch16 which has WX 3 162.475.

Any info is appreciated. If any one has extra puch cards I'll be interested in them also. If anyone has a Sams Photofacts SD-14, which has this radio informations, please let me know.

Thanks in advance.

Fu

2620. Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081719163200.PAA08762@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147456

You guys have been complaining constantly about Cheek. Well, you got what you wanted: He's gone, at least for now. All along you have asserted that you would start posting on-topic when Cheek was no longer an issue. Well, where's the on-topic, relevant posts? Now is the time to put up or shut up, eh?

2621. Excellent Inversion Descrambler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotmockup@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980817192410000.PAA20102@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147457

If you are looking for a frequency inversion descrambler, this is the best I have found. It comes completely assembled in it's own case with power supply and built in speaker. All you do is plug it into your radios ext speaker jack.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

2622. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081719194000.PAA09207@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147458

>From: digital_persona@softhome.net

>Why don't you do it anyway

Tell you what Digit, I'll kill myself the day you post your first on-topic post about scanning. We all know that will never happen so it looks like I'm destined to become immortal.

2623. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D88502.E08F4946@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147459

I agree - why don't you (MAlexder) take your own?

If you don't like me and don't want me to be around, why don't you do all of us a favor and get it over with? Then, it's a win-win situation. You don't have to be around me, and we don't have to be around you.

Digital Persona wrote:

> On 17 Aug 1998 18:25:38 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
> >>From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
> > >
> > >>Nor do I appreciate your telling my dad that you would kill yourself if you
> > >>had a
> > >>brat like me.
> > >
> > >You're a two-bit liar. I said to you that if I had a kid like you for a son,
> > >I'd kill myself. Still would.
> >
> > Hey malexder.
> >
> > Why don't you do it anyway.
> >

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2624. Re: Newsgroup Bull Crap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D88597.30A9A5ED@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147460

Ahem... They are school children.

I do agree 100%. Cut the crap, and get on-topic.

No Spam wrote:

> Some of you people act less inteligent than school children.
>
> For a newsgroup that is susposed to be related to "radio scanner" it
> really disappoints me that, for years this newsgroup is nothing other
> than a flame newsgroup. Some people can't leave well enough alone.
> There seems to be a serious case jealous so-called adults spurting there
> selfish image here.
>
> Come on people, lets open the newsgroup up to radio scanner related
> information instead of the flames. You may not like what I have said,
> but look at the amount of flames posted to the amount of scanner related
> information. This is most likly the third time I posted in this
> newsgroup. I have been reading it for several years and I for one are
> just tired of sifting through the bull crap to get to the radio scanner
> related information.
>
> Have a pleasant and positive day.
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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2625. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D884A1.A563F897@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147461

Nevertheless, you're still a jerk, and the meaning of your rediculous phrase was
the same.

MAlexder wrote:

> >From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
>
> >Nor do I appreciate your telling my dad that you would kill yourself if you
> >had a
> >brat like me.
>
> You're a two-bit liar. I said to you that if I had a kid like you for a son,
> I'd kill myself. Still would.
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
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http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

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2626. Re: non-US models

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM.LESS@NET.ME>
Message-ID: <35D88486.A278943C@NET.ME>
Source record: 147462

This was brought up recently. Many of the "scanner gurus" have said
that there aren't any known prosecutions for this "criminal act" but
the law does exist and I personally don't want to become famous
because of it! Chances of you actually getting caught are slim to none.
OBTW, the companies in other countries (esp. Canada & England)
put these disclaimers up as protection for themselves. They can't be
held liable for other countries laws. They aren't too worried if
you get busted for importing one to a country that it is considered
illegal. Best bet is buy a modifiable older one from www.ebay.com
Price is much cheaper and no fear of being caught.

Robert

Otalk2meO wrote:

> I've seen posts about people wanting or getting scanners without the 800 block.
> On a web-site that sells these, it says that it is "a criminal act and may be
> prosecuted". Is this just a ploy to scare people, or is it a real risk?
> Anyone know any stories that confirm or refute this statement? What happens to
> the people who order and are caught? I'm thinking that if the company really
> cared, they wouldn't ship to the US. Anyone know? Plus, what is blocked in US
> scanners(besides the cellular)? Thanks!!!!
>
> Jeff

2627. Re: Patrick AFB Area Principal Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM.LESS@NET.ME>
Message-ID: <35D88661.7CAFD410@NET.ME>
Source record: 147463

Very useful for me as I live on Merritt Island (~17 miles North of PAFB).

Here's some other "local" freqs I found handy (you may already have 'em):

http://www.irisz.hu/~ivan/mir/nasafr.html
http://ddi.digital.net/~cathya/radio.html
http://members.aol.com/mmahl1/scanner/brevard.htm

Robert

AllanStern wrote:

> I tossed together this list together for several people who have asked me for a
> list of the principal Patrick AFB freqs. The reason I say "tossed together" is
> that I really want to complete my more comprehensive list, which will update
> the many Shuttle-related freq lists that have been added to and copied to many
> Web sites, but have never been edited and corrected. It is taking me longer to
> complete my Shuttle Freqs project, because (to be honest) I am having so much
> fun monitoring JSTARS, NASA acft (and now the ER-2!!), Avon Park ACM. and all
> the other Military aircraft monitoring opportunities in this wonderful area.
> I am therefore posting this listing of the basic Patrick Area Mil Acft
> freqs, so that if anyone is planning a trip to this area, they have some
> starting point.
>
> The principal freqs for Patrick (KCOF):
> 133.75/ 348.4 Patrick Tower
> 132.65/ 340.9 Patrick Appr/Dep South
> 134.95/ 358.3 Patrick Appr/Dep North
> 118.4/ 289.4 Clearance Delivery
> 138.3/ 383.0 Command Post
> 122.85/ 372.2 Base Ops/PTD
> 124.35/ 335.8 Ground Control
> 344.6 PMSV:Metro
> 173.125 Transient Alert
> 121.05 Appr/Dep Discrete
> 127.85 Appr/Dep Discrete
> 165.1625 POL
> 149.3 Maintenance Ops Ctr
> 148.095/ 321.0/ 251.9 920RQG Ops
>
> For Cape Canaveral Air Station (KXMR)
> 118.625/ 393.0 Skid Strip Twr
>
> For NASA-KSC Shuttle Landing Facilty (X68)
> 128.55/ 284.0 Tower
>

> For Melbourne IAP (JSTARS):
> 118.2/ 257.8 Tower
> 121.9 Ground Ctrl
>
> I hope this is of use to some of you.
>
> AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

2628. Re: OPINIONS Wanted For PRO-90 TRUNKTRACKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM.LESS@NET.ME>
Message-ID: <35D888F9.B27E6955@NET.ME>
Source record: 147464

There's a good technical review of it located at
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/pro-90.htm

For more info on "Trunking", visit:
http://www.trunktracker.com/

I bought one a few weeks ago and really like it...so much that
I bought 2 more for work (with employer's money). For
conveinience of purchase, I'd choose Radio Shack. For value,
I'd choose buying the Uniden BC235XLT (same radio, slightly
different skin) because it is the same price but includes an extra
battery (though a single one lasts for more than 8 continuous hrs!).

Even if you don't use the trunking feature, it is still an excellent
radio.

Hope that helps.

Robert
PRO-90 (backlight mod on my list of things to do)
PRO-2042 (installed OS535 this past weekend)
PRO-2026 (modified, uh, no comment)
Regency Z-45 (dusty)

joe wrote:

> I'm thinking of buying one today cause it is on sale for 199.00
> I don't know anything technical about trunk tracking but I've been a
> scanner hobbyist for years.
>
> Please tell me whether or not this is a decent radio for the price and
> if the trunking technology changes, am I stuck with a useless radio?
>
> Thanks in advance,
> Joe

2629. cell images....on SC150 but not pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081720014600.QAA15235@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147465

here is my situation: i bought a pro-90, which works well but gets absolutely NO cell images. Then i tried out a SC-150B and found A LOT of cell images up in the 895-910 range..
why do you get them in the SC150, but not the other? i heard it had something to do with the triple conversion that the Pro-90 has. i would keep the SC-150, but it will only search the dumb preprogrammed search bands, and not something you put in.
are there any RS or uniden scanners (handheld) that pick up the heavy imaging like the SC150, but has the upper/lower limit, or manual search features. I'm looking to spend around $200 or less.
REALLY IMP0RTANT!
thanks in advance!
STEVE..... Evrclear84@aol.com

2630. OBFD's long term

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <a31_9808171300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147466

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

Fire Chief wrote:
>> Boy, he sure won't find it going to you, fat faced LIAR.

> You saying such words is certainly the pot calling the kettle black!

You show me one lie from here, you fat faced LIAR.

And while you're searching for the impossible, don't forget this:

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Fire Chief 1:202/777
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2631. Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <a32_9808171300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147467

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> Bill was not kicked off of this NG. He was kicked off of his ISP
> due to usenet abuse!

Now all we have to do is accomplish the same with a certain
QUEER, FAT-FACED LIAR in Oregon who loves to flame this NG.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2632. Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: fire.chief@warpgate.com
Message-ID: <a33_9808171300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147468

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-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

>> His crap is more interesting than your SHIT.

> Yea Joe your constant swearing & cursing is certainly
> interesting here, NOT!

If you don't lap up that stuff, why do you
always include it in your quotes, queer boy?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
---
| WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
| Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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2633. dissapointed with uniden scanners....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081720080200.QAA16090@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147469

i am dissapointed with the sportcat, bc80xlt, and all the other uniden scanners which dont have search capabilities. i absolutely HATE the 11 preprogrammed search bands that are on even the $200 scanners. Even with the cheapest scanners sold at RS, you can put in atleast a lower limit, and go to a frequency without programming it in. Why do they do this?!! i love the Sportcat150, but i am not gonna keep it just because it is very annoying not being able to seach within limits you make. you'd expect an expensive scanner to have this!
please respond with any comments or suggestions.

Steve.... Evrclear84@aol.com

2634. mtv-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@shemalecentral.com
Message-ID: <35D88B31.72A3@shemalecentral.com>
Source record: 147470

I am considering buying a mtv-7100 scanner through a canadian distributor. Can anyone tell me how this model holds up to say the AOR800, or even the mtv-9000?

Money is a factor for sure, but so is performance. Is the mtv-7100 good enough, or should I hold for a aor8000 or mtv-9000?

BTW, how easy is it getting these scanners delivered by ups to the states, seeing they come with celular freqs?

Thanks.
Jim

2635. OOPS! I mean MVT-7100!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@shemalecentral.com
Message-ID: <35D88C1C.4FB@shemalecentral.com>
Source record: 147471

I goofed, I mean MVT-7100, NOT MTV-7100!!! Sorry.

m@shemalecentral.com wrote:
>
> I am considering buying a mtv-7100 scanner through a canadian
> distributor. Can anyone tell me how this model holds up to say the
> AOR800, or even the mtv-9000?
>
> Money is a factor for sure, but so is performance. Is the mtv-7100 good
> enough, or should I hold for a aor8000 or mtv-9000?
>
> BTW, how easy is it getting these scanners delivered by ups to the
> states, seeing they come with celular freqs?
>
> Thanks.
> Jim

2636. Re: Cordless phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM.LESS@NET.ME>
Message-ID: <35D890EC.447C9FD2@NET.ME>
Source record: 147472

Any old programmable scanner will do.
This is a common band. Since most people want something capable
of 800 MHz, these older ones (usually limited to 512MHz) are
very cheap. Anywhere from $10-$50. Check out www.ebay.com
Search "scanner". Stay away from the even older "crystal" controlled
radios. You don't save enough money buying one of these to justify
the purchase. If you suddenly want a new frequency, you need another
crystal. With direct entry models, just type in the frequency (only
limited
by the radios specs). Don't be surprised if you find yourself wanting
another "better" scanner soon though! ;-)

Robert

Corona wrote:

> I'm looking for a cheap recieve the listen in to the 40-50Mhz range.
> Does anyone know what is the least I can spend for that freq.?
>
> Email replies prefered.
>
> And, Bill Cheek, I've read one of your Mod books. I like it. :-)
>
> elgar@hkstar.com

2637. BRIDGEPORT CT(HARBOR YARD)????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Kerkes <jdkerkes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc97d$24ec41c0$5007440c@hp-customer>
Source record: 147473
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just wondering if anyone knows the frequencies used at the ballpark?
Thanks for your help.

2638. Re: Listen to your handheld through your car speakers! Read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35de8654.78162900@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147474

On 15 Aug 1998 21:19:54 GMT, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:

>Wow, that is a great idea!!!
>
>
>Glenhollow (glenhollow@aol.com) wrote:
>: I see some messages about which external speaker to use for your hand held
>: scanner in your car. Well I day I took my cd adapter for my car casstte player
>:
>: and plugged it in the cassette player. I then took the cord and plugged it in
>: the earphone hole my handheld, and it worked great. I now listen to my
>: handheld through my four car speakers! It sounds great too! You can get one of
>: these adapters for around $15.00 at any Radio Shack!
>
>: John

I use this thing I got from Walmart for like $15 called a soundfeeder, basically it's a WFM transmitter. You just plug your audio source into it and you are on the air! I took the stock antenna off and put on a cordless base one, I can hear it clear for about a 1/4 mile radius around my house. With some cheapo fm headphones it works great and transmits in stereo!...Oh yeah..it works awesome in the car. I stick it and my 235xlt under the seat!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2639. Re: So John, are you finally satisfied?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcl1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081701375200.VAA16410@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147475
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

There will be peace in the valley!
>I see that your efforts have finally borne fruit, after 3+ years of

>stalking, skulking, lurking, forging, flaming, whining, bitching, lying,

>complaining, etc. Even though it's cost your lots of money, several ISP

>accounts and your own personal reputation, you persevered. Bill Cheek

>has finally lost his ISP account and is, for the moment at least, "off

>the air".
And more peace in our valley.
Frankly the BS of the Cheek-A-Lites was never appreciated by anyone.
Rick

2640. Re: poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35df89d5.79059103@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147476

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 14:33:15 +1000, "Paul Britton"
<curator@www.cops.aust.com> wrote:

>I also have the poc32 running on an ICOM IC-R7000 and
>its OK here. I found it better to use a PCI Sound card and
>for the first time I got 1200 bps paging messages...

You need to tap the discriminator! Then you will get tons of 2400baud!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2641. Re: computer RF interference on scanner... how to eleminate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmiew@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <35d78e97.264209803@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 147477

You may find this information helpful on filtering noise from
monitors. http://home.sprynet.com/sprynet/jimmiew/scan.htm

On 13 Aug 1998 14:21:47 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>I've been getting a good deal of RF interference from my computer even though
>the antenna is on the roof. Is there any way to get rid of this or lessen it?
>Maybe I could shield the scanner? Maybe I could shield the computer? Any
>help would be appreciated.
>
>Thanks
>
>Tyler
>
>tyler@cyberia.com
>

2642. FS BC-005 CTCSS DECODER BOARD FOR BC-9000 or 8500 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lightmanjk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081702325200.WAA15192@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147478

FS BC-005 CTCSS DECODER BOARD FOR BC-9000 or 8500 scanner
MAKE AN OFFER

e-mail: lightmanjk@aol.com

2643. FS: Pro-2006 w/opto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc987$93cd11a0$454406d1@savy>
Source record: 147479

Mint condition, includes copy of latest version of scancat-gold, original box, antenna,
copy of manual.

$450 shipped to 48

2644. FS:Pro-43 Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Savy <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdc988$25ad6de0$454406d1@savy>
Source record: 147480

Mint condition stock antenna, original box, manual, also includes leather case ($20 value). Cell restore as well as low frequency restore mod applied.

$260 shipped to 48

2645. non-US models

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: otalk2meo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081702542700.WAA18773@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147481

I've seen posts about people wanting or getting scanners without the 800 block. On a web-site that sells these, it says that it is "a criminal act and may be prosecuted". Is this just a ploy to scare people, or is it a real risk? Anyone know any stories that confirm or refute this statement? What happens to the people who order and are caught? I'm thinking that if the company really cared, they wouldn't ship to the US. Anyone know? Plus, what is blocked in US scanners(besides the cellular)? Thanks!!!!

Jeff

2646. Re: 900 MHZ HANDHELD SCANNER WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <TYMB1.87$ej4.1262144@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 147482

Radio Shack was selling a few models that went all the way up to 1.3GHz...
did they discontinue them? What about Uniden, Icom, Sony, etc.?

Bill Crocker

Oatmeal Boy <65mustang@geocities.com> wrote in message
<35D7C103.85F92292@geocities.com>...
>I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of 900 mhz. Radio shack
>sells scanners but none of them are capable of 900 mhz. Are there any
>kits I can buy that can "modify" an existing handheld scanner to be
>capable of 900 mhz.. Which brands/models are recommended for
>"converting". Also interested in "trunkable" scanner?? Please e-mail
>me with info.
>
>65mustang@geocities.com
>
>Thanks..
>

2647. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <vZMB1.88$ej4.1262369@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 147483

Chris:

I think your friend is pulling your antenna!

Bill Crocker

Chris Tominkson wrote in message <35d7a809.429952@news.greatbasin.net>...
>A freind of mine, said a freind of his modyfied a scanner that he had
>so that he could transmit with it, he did not know the brand or
>anything but I was wondering if you can do this to a BC3000XLT, or if
>there are any other modifications for it. Thanks!

2648. Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35d7a809.429952@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 147484

A freind of mine, said a freind of his modyfied a scanner that he had so that he could transmit with it, he did not know the brand or anything but I was wondering if you can do this to a BC3000XLT, or if there are any other modifications for it. Thanks!

2649. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35d79844.47551192@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 147485
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

www.dejanews.com
power search
cellular mod for pro-64

CATHY

On 16 Aug 1998 22:54:25 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Nope. It cannot be modified for cellular.
>
>Shannon Young wrote:
>
>> I just bought one of these scanners and was wondering if it can be
>> modified to recieve cellular? If so could someone please help me
>> out..... Thanks in advance.
>>
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>
>
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>RySoft Corporation
>
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>
>Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!
>
>

2650. Re: What's a good scanner software program ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Thomas <ve3tej@home.com>
Message-ID: <35D7A84A.20F661D2@home.com>
Source record: 147486

Stormtracker wrote:

> Thinking of interfacing my 2006 with my pc; What's a good program to use ?
> I want to decode CTCSS also, do I need a seperate program such as Wintone
> to do that?
>

How are you going to interface it? Then you can pick your software.

2651. RS Pro-2021 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: will jones <wjones@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35D7AD1E.F17F4FA0@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147487

Have mint condition Radio Shack Pro-2021 base scanner. Covers low, high and UHF freqs. Never had a problem with it. Has ten banks with 20 channels per bank for a total of 200 channels.
Will, WB4PUD

2652. Re: RS Pro-2021 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: will jones <wjones@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35D7AE7E.20E67AA8@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147488

will jones wrote:

> Have mint condition Radio Shack Pro-2021 base scanner. Covers low, high
> and UHF freqs. Never had a problem with it. Has ten banks with 20
> channels per bank for a total of 200 channels.
> Will, WB4PUD

I forgot to print price. Price is $100.00
Will

2653. Radio Shack 2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB8SOJ <no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <6r7tu2$l4k$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 147489

Are there any mods for the Radio Shack 2030 scanner? If so please post, thanks ahead of time. Dennis

2654. Re: PRO-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access1.digex.net
Message-ID: <6r8cio$p1u@access1.digex.net>
Source record: 147490

In article <6r81am$j49$1@news4.wt.net>, John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net> wrote:

>Ryan, will you stop being a know it all and stop posting inaccurate
>information all over these newsgroups. There is a cellular mod for the
>Pro-64.

It was, in fact, posted in this very newsgroup.

2655. Re: Pro64 interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access1.digex.net
Message-ID: <6r8dhp$pbd@access1.digex.net>
Source record: 147491

In article <35D43DF0.66B14862@nospam.att.net>,
Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@att.net> wrote:

>Try using Cathy de Viney's instructions. When I tried Ken's, they didn't work
>for me either, even with the right parts. Cathy's worked great!

It works when built with the right parts. It won't work if you build it
with the wrong parts, but that tends to happen with a lot of things.

A few details:

If the PRO-64 goes into "PC PGM" mode, but then does nothing when you
try to load frequencies (you never get the "connect" display), reset the
beastie. I've heard from several people who needed to do that, and I've
had to do it myself a couple of times. Have not heard from anybody who
had to do an "Initialize".

I've heard from a number of people who could not get the interface to work
with the resistor. I do not think anybody has needed the resistor.

You don't need the connection from the stereo plug tip to DB9 pin 2.
Maybe you do if you're using the resistor version of the cable, but IMHO
you don't want the resistor.

Ken Plotkin

2656. Re: Justice Will Prevail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D7BF19.D90@juno.com>
Source record: 147492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

mackey justice has not prevailed yet , but it will.
Your a liar and that will never change.
The flames won't stop because you will as always pick another person to pursue a vendetta on.

Your a low life loser .

2657. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D7BF99.325D@juno.com>
Source record: 147493

This shows mackey has no intention of ever posting on topic, all he wants to do is cause problems on the newsgroup.

2658. Frequencies in Markham,IL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lucas <lclucas@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc9a4$ff83f720$b4af51d1@default>
Source record: 147494

Hello,I just recently moved to markham from Chicago. Would anybody have any frequencies for Markham?(Fire,Police,Amb,
etc.) I would be grateful.

Lyle

2659. FS: (2) Uniden BC760XLT Mobile Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: AuctionBargains@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2483-35D7BEFB-102@newsd-143.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello All,

I just got in (2) BC760XLT's from a Sheriff's Dept Auction.

Both are in working order, 1 has a mobile mounting bracket, the other does not.

Taking Offers!

E-Mail ME!

Regards,

Joe

2660. Re: Grounding Rod Advice Needed....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgewald@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dbd1fc.1069972@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147496
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,misc.consumers.house

On Sun, 02 Aug 1998 11:27:41 -0700, Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
wrote:

>If you have access to a large capicity rotohammer, the head, minus a bit will fit
>right over a ground rod. It works ok for one or two, if your are going to use it
>for very many get a bit designed for ground rods, it will keep you from damageing
>the tool. Using the rotohammer is like pushing the rod into butter, unless you hit
>a large rock, then it argues for a while.

Thank you for posting a solution for a problem I've had here for
years with hard red clay.

2661. RADIO SHACK PRO-28 HOW DO I MODIFY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: HEX5 <num72@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bd66a8$e87a25e0$f5ad60cf@victor.videotron.ca>
Source record: 147497

Hi i would like to know how to modify my radio shack pro-28 scanner.
e-mail me if u know how 2
num72@hotmail.com

2662. Re: Pro 34 sensitivity problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6r8k1h$5fk$2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 147498

Michael Jameson (aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us) wrote:
: I COULD REALLY USE SOME HELP!

: I just bought a Pro 34 and it appears to not be very sensitive
: at all.

: Is there an adjustment screw for sensitivity?
: If so, where is it and can I experiment with it without
: messing up the digital frequency ranges?

: Please email me directly at

: aa186@acorn.net

: Thanks,
: Michael
: --
: 2

NO modern broad-range radio receiver has a single "screw" for sensitivity!
There are dozens of adjustments, and many of them interact with each
other.
And some only work on some frequency ranges and not others!
In general, any attempt to turn any "screws" will probably make things
WORSE!
Unless the unit was previously tampered with, the internal adjustments are
probably not causing the problem anyway.
As a starting point to try to solve the problem...check the antenna and
the antenna connector(the connector is more likely to be the problem).
Prehaps the soldered connections are bad, or the piece in the center of
the connector that "grabs" the pin in the plug is bent out so it does not
actually connect to the antenna...if so, a thin pointed object can be
used to bend the "fingers" back inward where they belong.

2663. Re: Radio Shack 2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6r8ki8$5fk$3@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 147499

KB8SOJ (no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net) wrote:
: Are there any mods for the Radio Shack 2030 scanner? If so please post,
: thanks ahead of time. Dennis

What are you trying to do with a 2030?
If's CMT you are after....
1.the unit gets very strong images right above the blocked ranges.
2.if the unit you have has a date code below 5/94 then there is a simple
"clip the wire" mod that works well...all of the common mod sites have the
data on this.

2664. Re: HEATH Most Accurate Clock II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6r8l1i$r2p@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 147500
Cross-posted to: alt.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Zkk6pd@ix.netcom.com (Patrick Sullivan) writes:
>Hello all, name is Pat and I am looking for a Heath
>GC-1001 Most accurate Clock Master Unit. Anybody got one,
>drop me a line....73's es

If all you want is the correct time, and not specifically the Heathkit clock, take a look at the "TAC" kit that TAPR sells. See

www.tapr.org

The TAC uses the GPS satellites as a source of timing information, and is *much* more accurate than the old Heath clock ever was - less than a microsecond error if you choose the right GPS unit, and a few microseconds error if you choose the cheapest GPS. You still may need a display of some sort, but a PC running "showtime" or "Tac32" will do that.

Dave

2665. Re: Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35d7d844.5252697@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 147501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 20:18:23 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>No longer needed, adapter to connect computer to internet via
>cable TV connection. Contact Bill Cheek!

Forwarded to Edwin Kruse at san.rr.com so he can have a good laugh
too. It ain't over till it's over.

2666. Re: Blake Powers forging PARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D659.6D55@parg.org>
Source record: 147502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Blake Bowers wrote:

> On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:50:45 -0700, J Mackey wrote:
> >So Blake, why don't we continue this on rec.radio.amateur.misc?
>
> Nah, I have no need to.

Yea, I figured you wouldn't. You don't want to have amateur
newsgroups see what you are doing as you can't fool them with your
false statements like you have been able to do to the
scanner listeners!

Tell the amateur newsgroups about your "Pottersville Amateur Radio
Group"
that you claim has 30 members, but you can only name 2 of them. Tell
them about how you are the president, secretary, VE testing chairman,
membership offficer, & what ever else you claimed! (You statement
about VE testing was really funny since you are only a TECHNICIAN!)
Tell them that even though the ARRL has never heard or or recognized
your club & that a search of YAHOO does not bring up anything about
it that you claim your club is still legit!

2667. Re: Justice Will Prevail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D6AD.6A10@parg.org>
Source record: 147503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> mackey justice has not prevailed yet , but it will.

Yes it did, a day or two ago.

Does anyone know the exact day or time Bill was kicked off of his ISP?

> pursue a vendetta on.

I have no vendetta on anyone.

2668. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D6C7.3E5F@parg.org>
Source record: 147504

dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> This shows mackey has no intention of ever posting on topic, all he
> wants to do is cause problems on the newsgroup.

So when was the last time YOU posted on topic?

2669. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! <bbowers@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35D7D714.3D61@parg.org>
Source record: 147505

Bud wrote:
> Don't bother arguing with him, complaint to the various admin accounts at
> parg.org (postmaster, abuse, sysadmin, and root are good places to start

Go right ahead, I have nothing to hide! I don't constantly FLAME
or CURSE & SWEAR on this NG like yourself or others!

2670. Re: Blake Bowers A Good Reputation NOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcheek@cts.com
Message-ID: <35d7de42.9332941@news2.cts.com>
Source record: 147506

@cts.com
Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
Mime-Version: 1.0
Reply-To: bcheek@cts.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner

radioman75@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Since when Did Blake Bowers Have a good reputation
> I dont think so
> He is a Piece of Mutated Piece Of Dog Shit
> Rat Bastard

What on earth prompts you, from behind the safety
of your Dejanews shield, to say something like
that about Blake?

Good grief! You ought to be ashamed of yourself.

2671. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35D7F080.424B58E0@eden.com>
Source record: 147507
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Then don't bring your personal frustrations onto this NG. If you can't handle yourself, go somewhere else and let your anger out. don't do it here, or it will be likely that people will do it back to you. If you think you can sit there and dish out crap and not expect to get any back, well... you got another thing coming.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?
>
> I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's
> MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he
> should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members
> with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group
> has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for
> legal reasons.
>
> This decision to end his life has changed many times, and has left me
> very frustrated. He has now decided to do it himself, which really gets
> me irritated, frustrated, and leaves me in wonderment. It would have
> been "better" if he chose to have someone else do it, but to kill
> yourself by yourself, that's a different story.
>
> Anyway, please have sympathy for me, as I am not mentally cheerful, and
> I probably won't be for some time. I cannot write much more, as I don't
> want to even think about this possible action my dad may take.
>
> I realize this is off-topic in many ways, however I needed to get this
> out to others, and I apologize for past, present, and future bad
> behavior now.
>
> *** For those who continue to pester, flame, vex, or otherwise harass
> me, just leave me alone. I am sick of the flames, and flames are things
> I don't need at all right now. Those flamers include Jack (and
> especially him), Hidden and Gone, among a few others.
>
> Ryan Faricy

2672. Re: My Alleged Existance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose Cuervo <jose512@eden.com>
Message-ID: <35D7F2ED.36B05769@eden.com>
Source record: 147508
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Do you talk all that trash on your local ham repeaters too?

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> I apologize for this message, but this must be cleared up.
>
> It seems that a couple people here think I don't exist. Well, I do.
> Don't believe it? Ask Ed Walsh, KC0CKK by emailing him at emw-1@att.net
> (we even use the same online service). I exist as much as all of you
> exist.
>
> My QRZ address information is all correct (except my 4 digit appendage
> to my zip code -- it really is 2946), I was born August 10, of 1982, I
> just turned 16 five days ago, I live near Edina with my mom.
>
> I've talked with Ed several times on the repeater here in the Twin
> Cities.
>
> Ryan Faricy
> KC0DSZ

2673. Re: Justice Will Prevail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D7FDBB.3B50@juno.com>
Source record: 147509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

mackey your a liar and that has been proven many times over .

2674. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <35D7FE16.1E84@juno.com>
Source record: 147510

more recent then you have, you lying low life.J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS! wrote:
>
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
> > This shows mackey has no intention of ever posting on topic, all he
> > wants to do is cause problems on the newsgroup.
>
> So when was the last time YOU posted on topic?

2675. OBFD's long term

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <9f6_9808170300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147511

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

Fire Chief wrote:
>> Boy, he sure won't find it going to you, fat faced LIAR.

> You saying such words is certainly the pot calling the kettle black!

You show me one lie from here, you fat faced LIAR.

And while you're searching for the impossible, don't forget this:

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Fire Chief 1:202/777
|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2676. Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <9f7_9808170300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147512

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> Bill was not kicked off of this NG. He was kicked off of his ISP
> due to usenet abuse!

Now all we have to do is accomplish the same with a certain
QUEER, FAT-FACED LIAR in Oregon who loves to flame this NG.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
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|Internet: Fire.Chief@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2677. Re: FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6raddiuet1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147513
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35d71506.1259979@news>,
dconti2@carroll.com wrote:
Must be so high he is ashamed to post it.>

OK Mr. Arrogance...
>
> I guess we'll all just PASS on this nonsense, then....
>
> On Sat, 15 Aug 1998 19:28:14 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
> wrote:
>
> >I did not list prices, because if you are interested you will contact me.
> >If you are not interested don't waste the EFFORT of posting.............
> > >
> >Douglas R. Eisenstein wrote in message <6r4ev2ihm1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
> >>It would save us all a step if you would post your asking prices for
> >>these items
> >>On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:44:21 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
> >>wrote:
> >>
> >>>I have for sale the following:
> >>>
> >>>Regency HX1000 with a new battery pack, 30 channels
> >>>AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels
> >>>RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new)
> >>>
> >>>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
> >>>
> >>>AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
> >>>Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
> >>>
> >>>If anyone is interested please e-mail me at altman@ctel.net
> >>>
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> >>>
> >>>
> >>
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2678. Re: techno freebies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35D7F9AB.FA1B7988@pacbell.net>
Source record: 147514
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.shortwave,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

a_alpha1 wrote:

>
>
> Sorry about the address mistake in the previous post....
>
>
>> a_alpha1 wrote:
>>
>> > Visit the "Moxina Mind Spring" site ...no banners ..no ads ..
>> > to the freebe pages and get links to many fun and useful
>> > "FREE" items. There are free max chips , hacker catalogs ,
>> > hard to find cellular software , circuit design software ,
>> > project circuit books and more ... all free ...
>> >
>> > freebe page is ...
>
http://home.pacbell.net/kaliber/freemain.html ...

>> >
>> > enjoy
>> > a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR
>
>

2679. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081710574800.GAA02364@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147515

The hair-palmed, butt-sniffer known as Mackey hypocritically spouted this retort to the observation that he never had any intention of posting on-topic:

>So when was the last time YOU posted on topic?

Well, Mackey, I have posted on-topic as recently as yesterday. In fact, I can easily say that I have posted exponetially many more times than you have.

So, Mackey how many times have YOU posted on topic among the 1000s of off-topic YOU have posted? Can you answer this question as readily as you ask it? I doubt it.

You have alleged on many occasions that your sole purpose here was to "clean up the newsgroup," and to keep Cheek in check. Well, he doesn't happen to be posting now but your here, still flaming, still causing trouble, still engaging in personal vendettas and all of your other distasteful antics.

As of this moment, I will send every single off-topic post your make to your ISP with a complaint. I will do this at least a dozen times a day for several months to come, if you keep to your usual pattern. Sooner or later, your ISP is going to get sick of me, and even more likely, sick of you.

2680. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081710592100.GAA22266@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147516

> willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
Both Bill Cheek and John Mackey will be remembered for their feuding
>> and mutual obsession.

You, of course, will be remembered for never having posted on topic.

2681. Re: LOOKING FOR MOUNTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: news1@airmail.net
Message-ID: <EA7A74195B9BB899.37E27B68BE968573.8CA8D679FE6B850B@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 147517

Try Gamber-Johnson 1-800-GJMOUNT
I've used them for years and they're well built.

Terry

On 16 Aug 1998 18:39:38 GMT, "Lisa Patterson" <lplynch@nbnet.nb.ca>
wrote:

>I'm trying to find out what company or where i can get a radio floor mount,
>just a generic mount to mount to the floor and then the radio mounts to it,
>have seen lots but unable to find out where to get.. any help would do.
>thanks
>
>Aaron

2682. Re: Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081711033400.HAA02590@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147518

>From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com

>
>WRONG! Cheeks was most certainly booted in his ass, rather firmly,
>forever and all time, from the list. He admitted it in this forum.

Still haven't figured out how to post on-topic, eh, John? When you decide to stop making trouble and contribute something, make sure that you send me a copy via e-mail. I'll print it and frame it in my gallery of improbable events.

2683. Re: God Spoke to Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081711042100.HAA22449@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147519

>From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!" <bbowers@parg.org>

>Go right ahead, I have nothing to hide! I don't constantly FLAME
>or CURSE & SWEAR on this NG like yourself or others!
>
>

Sure you don't. Are you really this delusional?

2684. Re: What's a good scanner software program ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081711080900.HAA02762@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147520

>From: Jim Thomas <ve3tej@home.com>

>
>Stormtracker wrote:
>
>> Thinking of interfacing my 2006 with my pc; What's a good program to use ?
>> I want to decode CTCSS also, do I need a seperate program such as Wintone
>> to do that?
>>
>
>How are you going to interface it? Then you can pick your software.

The main option is the Opto interface. If he goes with that (not the Lite version, however) he can decode CTCSS and DTMF as well. As for what is a good program... Many recommend Probe. There's been a great deal of discussion this subject. Do a dejanews search.

2685. Re: My Alleged Existance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8295E.3FD6E671@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147521
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

No, and what 'trash' are you referring to?

Jose Cuervo wrote:

> Do you talk all that trash on your local ham repeaters too?

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
RySoft Corporation

http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Why not tell Bill Gates where HE can go today?!

2686. Crypto Clinton Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081712441500.IAA27702@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147522

Not exactly about scanners, but I thought the following news report would be interesting for its mention of intercepting encrypted transmissions...

WASHINGTON (Aug. 15) - White House technicians are masters of technology that would thwart any outsiders' efforts to tap into the video transmission of President Clinton's testimony to grand jurors, a communications specialist says.

The White House Communications Agency will videotape Clinton's testimony Monday afternoon and provide ''a one-way live feed'' to grand jurors a mile away at the U.S. Courthouse, presidential spokesman Mike McCurry said Friday.

Clinton will be questioned by prosecutors in the Map Room, part of the White House residence, McCurry said. He declined to provide further details about the closed-circuit TV transmission.

The grand jury is hearing testimony in Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr's investigation of Clinton's contacts with Monica Lewinsky. The secrecy of grand jury proceedings is protected by law, although Clinton and other witnesses can talk about their own testimony if they choose.

As the day approached, Washington was filled with speculation about the prosecutors' questions and Clinton's answers. But it is unlikely anyone will find out through eavesdropping on the video feed, said Dennis Dunbar, a telecommunications specialist with 15 years' experience setting up closed-circuit TV conferences.

''It will be absolutely secure,'' Dunbar predicted.

The most likely scenario is the use of digital transmission cable to link the White House and the courthouse to the existing fiber optic network beneath Washington's streets. There are thousands of underground cables, and inside each of those, thousands of lines only as thick as a human hair.

''If someone climbed in a manhole to try to find the wire, they would have literally thousands and thousands to pick from,'' Dunbar said.

The feed will likely go over a dedicated line carrying nothing but Clinton's transmission, lowering the chances of any kind of interception, he said.

The White House Communications Agency, created in 1942 as part of the Army Signal Corps, will almost certainly use the most sophisticated encryption technology available to scramble both the image and the sound, Dunbar said.

''WHCA is the cream of the crop - the best communications specialists the military has,'' he said.

2687. Blake Bowers A Good Reputation NOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman75@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r8dbi$e1a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147668

Since when Did Blake Bowers Have a good reputation

I dont think so

He is a Piece of Mutated Piece Of Dog Shit

Rat Bastard

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2688. Re: DIGITAL SCANNERS -where the HELL are they!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: repatch@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6r841k$3g9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147669
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6r4u7pmnu5@news.cc.ucf.edu>,
fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:
>
> Not to mention that the encryption used on digital signals will be
> impossible to decrypt.

That is one of the most funny things I have ever heard, impossible?? Most of the signals you will find out there might be encrypted, but chances are that a Pentium or two will be all that is required to decrypt, probably not real time, but thinking for a _moment_ that is impossible is irresponsible, nothing is impossible. TTYL‰

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2689. Code Grabbers are Burglar's Tools! Calif Penal Code 466.9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Cramer <"Jeff Cramer"@ohioart.com>
Message-ID: <35D77BD9.B019CB5@ohioart.com>
Source record: 147670
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.true-crime,alt.law-enforcment

Derrick Paulus wrote:

> CELLPHONE HACKERS TACKLE GARAGE DOOR OPENERS
>
> Dallas, TX, March 2, 1996 (DLD DIGEST) -- Recent news media accounts have
> focused on reports of thieves using high-tech, electronic code grabbing
> devices to steal cellular phone access codes and disarm remote control
> car lock systems. Now, thieves can use this same technology to copy
> garage door opener access codes and burglarize homes.
>
> A new rolling code technology has been incorporated into some garage door
> opener brands to combat code grabbing theft. Homeowners need to be alert
> to the potential danger of this new, seemingly invisible method criminals
> are using to break into homes with these `electronic keys.`
>
> Electronic code grabbing devices enable a criminal waiting near a home
> to copy the garage door opener's radio access code when the button on
> the remote controller is pressed. The recorded signal can be resent to
> open the garage door, giving the thief convenient access to belongings
> in thegarage and inside the home, if the garage is attached.
>
> Many homeowners leave the door leading from the garage into their home
> unlocked, making entry by a criminal virtually hassle-free. Code grabbing
> devices are easy to obtain and can be purchased through mail order or
> built at home using components available from electronics stores.

CALIFORNIA CODES
PENAL CODE SECTION 466.9.

Code Grabbing Device

466.9. (a) Every person who possesses a code grabbing device, with
the intent to use it in the commission of an unlawful act, is guilty
of a misdemeanor.
(b) Every person who uses a code grabbing device to disarm the
security alarm system of a motor vehicle, with the intent to use the
device in the commission of an unlawful act, is guilty of a
misdemeanor.
(c) As used in this section, "code grabbing device" means a device
that can receive and record the coded signal sent by the transmitter
of a motor vehicle security alarm system and can play back the
signal to disarm that system.

2690. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35d7734c.5519772@news.jps.net>
Source record: 147671

>> No, its a bunch of smart old geeks who don't like paying someone to use
>> the airwaves that they have every right to use for free. Now, if you like
>> to pay for something that already belongs to you, then go right ahead.
>>
>> Emilio Goldstein (Egoldstein@somanet.com) wrote:
>> : What is the point of "ham radio"?
>> : Is it more than a bunch of old geeks who haven't heard of cell phones?

All radio services have their advantages and disadvantages. If you
want the freedom to talk about whatever you want and use whatever
language you want without having to worry about getting your tires
slashed just because somebody listening doesn't like your opinion,
then a good ol' cell phone is the ONLY way to go! You can still
entertain loyal listeners as I do all the time :-), but because your
address isn't all over QRZ, Buckmaster, and all the other callsign
databases out there, people can't track you down easily. I realize you
can get a P.O. box, but your signal is still easy to DF on ham. I've
been licensed for 2 years and now I rarely use ham, except while
mobile. I would also use it in an emergency IF the cell phone system
was down. I would also use it for low-power simplex with better range
than FRS (sometimes using split frequencies for security) if I needed
the extra range (very rare).

2691. px icom icr-1000 for aor8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: russell owens <r.owens@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <01bdc977$2a18c700$5feba8c2@default>
Source record: 147672

anyone interested contact me on here russell southwales

2692. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DA4EF4.2F2F@parg.org>
Source record: 147224

Bud wrote:
> You just CAN'T stick to one

Bud, stop your senseless WHINNING & let this NG
settle down. You don't have to make as big of a fool
here as you did on fido.

2693. pro-2045 manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <beercans@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35DA4EBF.405C@juno.com>
Source record: 147225

I am looking for a radioshak pro2045 manual. A copy would be fine. I got this one at a hamfest it did not have one with it.
Thanks Randy

2694. Murphy Brothers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Collin J. Kreklow" <wizkid@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <6rdjn1$f67$1@news3.alpha.net>
Source record: 147226
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone know the frequencies for Murphy Bros. Inc out of Moline, IL?

Any help is appreciated.
Collin

2695. Re: Please Help a Newbie...cordless info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uEZTUOyy9GA.344@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147227

Gizmow@erols.com wrote:
> ... that It is illegal to buy a scanner that will monitor cell phones.
> ... What if you buy a older model ...

In the U.S. it has been illegal since April 1993 to manufacture or import a cellular capable scanner. There is no restriction on owning or selling a pre-ban scanner.

> Can you modify the new ones to un block those freq. Is this legal

The FCC has recently interpreted the law to extend the definition of "manufacture" to include commercial modification i.e. done in volume for compensation. Individual mods to one's own scanner have not (yet) attracted the commissions attention.

> What about cordless 900Mhz phones? Is that legal?
> Do the new 800Mhz scanner have those freq. blocked out as well

Monitoring cellular was made illegal by the ECPA of 1986. Cordless was added to that ban in 1994 by the Digital Telephony Act. There is no ban on scanners that receive the 49 or 900 MHz cordless ranges. These frequencies are intermixed with other, legally-listenable transmissions (and cordless manufacturers don't have a need to finance a multi-million lobbying effort to deflect subscriber complaints).

> What are the freq. of coreless phones.

Look back even a little bit in this newsgroup. In the last 6 days there have been two series of postings with the frequencies (albeit many of them carried errors). Likewise, a detailed essay on cellular & cordless laws was posted only twelve days ago.

2696. Here's how to do the FT-50 software mods...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <35DA63F7.70D0@blarg.net>
Source record: 147228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keep in mind that this is a beta posting and the faq will be re-written and cleaned up over the next couple of months. This is just a first draft. Any suggestions, please feel free to e-mail me, my address, and info on how to un-anti spam it, is on my sig below.

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FT-50 software mod faq v.01

This faq was written based on an article by another who's name was lost. Credit for the idea goes to that person, but some credit goes to me for re-writing it into a simpler and easier to understand form for those unfamiliar with hex editors.
The following information is based upon exploration and tests performed with an FT-50 with 6H07 as the first four serial numbers, and ADMS software v1.04 for Windows.
Legal stuff: Transmitting outside of legally allowed bands is quite illegal, so just don't do it. This is even true if you have a liscense to operate on other bands and have other business radios that do that. The FT-50 isn't type accepted to x-mit on any other band other than amateur freqs and for MARS / CAP use.
By performing any of the following mods, you take full responcibility. If you get caught doing anything illegal or if you screw up your radio, don't come whining to me, it's your fault, not mine.

Now, the faq:

q.) What is the software modification and how does it differ from the hardware modification?

a.) The FT-50 is rather unique in the fact that unlike other radios where a series of diodes or resistors that connect to the CPU from outside of it and specify what frequencies the radio can operate on, the FT-50 stores this information as a series of two bytes of information in it's RAM in the CPU. No hardware is used at all to specify or control these bytes. The hardware mod above does nothing more than let you change these bytes with a menu system built into the radio. Removing the chip resistor in and of itself dosen't free anything up other than letting the user access this menu system.
Removing the blob of solder governing the MARS/CAP access is another thing. This is the only mod that is hardware affected. But it is possible for one to not FrEEband the radio but instead MARS/CAP the radio by the same software mod. But this dosen't change the country settings or let one switch to FrEE mode like the true software mod does.

For the software mod all one needs for tools is a Hex editor for
their computer, a personal computer, and the ADMS-1x interface kit.

q.) Hex editor, What's that?

a.) A hex editor is a program to edit a computer file at it's most
basic level, the individual hexadecimals.
Hexadecimals work like this: thay're just like the standard numeric
system, but they go a little farther. Like 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9 then
repeating is what we're all familiar with, but hex numbers work like that
but 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,A,B,C,D,E,F then repeating. So 45 would be 2D in hex
or 2Dh. 157 would be 9Dh, 07 would be 07h, etc. The calculator that comes
with Windows does hex conversions so you can play around with them.

q.) How do I use a hex editor?

a.) Here's a crach cource for hex editors, you can read the readme and
help files that come with the editor to learn how to use it in more detail.
When you open a file, you'll see the following:

00000000 47 49 46 38 39 61 01 00 01 00 80 00 00 FF FF FF
GIF89aï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½
00000010 00 00 00 21 F9 04 01 00 00 00 00 2C 00 00 00 00
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½!ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½,ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½
00000020 01 00 01 00 00 02 02 44 01 00 3B ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½Dï¿½ï¿½;

This is a 1x1 transparent GIF that I use on my web page, But you get
the idea.
The pairs of hex numbers represent a single byte.
On the left side is where you are, in the middle is the acual hex
itself, and on the right is a plain text translation of what the hex
represents.
You change the values by clicking on an individual hex character
with your mouse. It'll then start blinking. Now let's say you want to change
FE to 09, you wouldn't type in 9, you'd press 0 then 9 on teh keyboard. The
cursor will then go to the next hex to edit. You can use the arrow keys to
move the cursor up and down, back and forth. The only keys that'll work are
the 0-9,a,b,c,d,e,f, arrow keys and the tab key when within the hex side.
The a,b,c,d,e, and f are case insensitive, so you can have the caps lock set
to whatever you fancy.
By clicking on the plain text side or pressing the tab key you can
switch to full text mode. Here, whatever key you press on the keyboard,
except for the tab key, will generate ASCII text on the text side and hex
values for that text on the hex side.
So if you type in "Text Goes Here" you'll get:

00000000 54 65 78 74 20 47 6F 65 73 20 48 65 72 65 Text Goes Here

With hex editors when you type in text or change characters, the
rest won't move around like with Notepad or other text editors.
And finally, when you chenge any of the hex or text, what has
changed will change color from black to red. The acual colors may vary from
hex editor to hex editor.

To summorize, to change a 04h to a 6Eh, open the file into your hex editor. Scroll the side bar to where the byte is that you're interested in. Click on it with your mouse, then press "6" followed by "e". The hex char will change color and your cursor will move to the next char. Then select the "File" then "Save" from the menu. The color of the byte will return to what all of the other chars are, but the cursor will remain where it was left. You can now close the hex editor with your altered file now saved.

q.) Where can I get a hex editor from?

a.) They're all over the place. Search for one in Yahoo or Alta Vista. My hex editor of choice for the beginner and for occassional use is HEdit by Yuri Software. You can use the FTP search engine http://ftpsearch.ntnu.no/ and search for "hedit" to locate a copy of HEDit on a FTP server the 'net somewhere.

q.) Now that I know what a hex editor is and roughly how to use it, how do I use it and my ADMS interface kit to modify my FT-50?

a.) Ok, now onto the fun stuff, how to do the software mod itself. The ADMS computer interface let's one dump or download all of the information stored in the FT-50's ram. This is then manipulated and changed by the incuded software, and then uploaded back to the FT-50. When the memories are in the radio itself, there's no way to edit the individual bytes, but after downloading to the PC, it's quite vulnerable and can be easily edited and changed to whatever the user fancies then re-uploaded back to the radio. The only secret is knowing what bytes need be altered, and here thay are:

First, download your memory from the radio and save it as a file. This following information is based on tests done with ADMS software v1.04. If the files your ADMS software saves files that are 9184 bytes in size and have the extentions .TPL or .RDF then you can most likely alter the country byte. If you find that you can't alter this byte because Yaesu has had RT Systems change their ADMS software to not let users do this anymore, then you can get an older copy of the ADMS software from a friend or someone else who has it.
The two bytes that govern the country code are located at 5E3h and CE7h. Your hex editor should show you what byte you're on at the bottom of the screen.

000005E0 02 24 03 01 00 24 00 80 21 08 00 00 14 69 50 00
ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½!ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½iPï¿½
^ this one (5E3h)

00000CE0 FF FF FF FF FF FF 03 01 03 01 04 FF FF 64 40 FF
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½d@ï¿½
^ and this one (CE7h)

In the example, some of the other bytes will vary from radio to radio, so don't be suprised if yours looks a little diffrent. But the country byte should be at 01 if your radio was sold in America.
The first byte is more of a security or protection byte that's supposed to keep you from doing what you're about to do. It must be set to

what your radio currently is at, or left alone, depending on the situation.
The second is what you change to get your radio to what country you
want it set to.

So, in order to freeband the radio, first download what's currently
in the radio and save it as a file. Now open it into a hex editor and find
the bytes of interest to you. You wouldn't change the first byte, but you'd
leave it alone. All you'd change is the second byte. You'd set that byte to
06 in order to freeband it:

000005E0 02 24 03 01 00 24 00 80 21 08 00 00 14 69 50 00
ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½!ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½iPï¿½
^ 5E3h

00000CE0 FF FF FF FF FF FF 03 06 03 01 04 FF FF 64 40 FF
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½d@ï¿½
^ CE7h

You'd now save the file, then switch to the ADMS program and re-open
your file. Now upload it to the radio. If you get a CERR message on the
display, something went wrong either with the upload / download process, or
when you altered the byte. But 99.99% of the time, things will go without a
hitch.
Now confirm that you're radio has been freebanded by going into a
VFO and extering 50.00mhz. If it accepts this, then try and x-mit on this
freq. The radio should not x-mit, but make a pop sound for an instant then
just sit there not x-mitting. But you'll notice no "ERROR" being displayed
on the screen. If this happens, the radio has now been freebanded.
If all you're doing is freebanding is a friend's radio, you'd stop
here, but there's a problem if you have lots of other FT-50 memory files
stored that you use. If you try and upload them, you'll get an instant CERR
message if you try and do so.
So, you'll need to alter all of your other data files to match the
new country code setting.
Go in with your hex editor and change both the security byte and the
current country byte so that they both match the radio's current settings.
Like this:

000005E0 02 24 03 06 00 24 00 80 21 08 00 00 14 69 50 00
ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½!ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½iPï¿½
^ 5E3h

00000CE0 FF FF FF FF FF FF 03 06 03 01 04 FF FF 64 40 FF
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½d@ï¿½
^ CE7h

You'll need to do this with all of your files, but then they can all
be used again.
If you want to reverse the freeband mod and go back to the country
code you had before, simply follow the above instructions, but use 06 as the
country you had before, and 01 (or whatever other country you want to use)
as the country you're going to set it to. Like:

000005E0 02 24 03 06 00 24 00 80 21 08 00 00 14 69 50 00
ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½$ï¿½ï¿½!ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½iPï¿½
^ 5E3h

00000CE0 FF FF FF FF FF FF 03 01 03 01 04 FF FF 64 40 FF
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½d@ï¿½
^ CE7h

q.) But from the old hardware mod I remember things like "BAND_B2a".
What you just said only changes "BAND_x2a", so how do I change the sub part
after the letter?

a.) That "BAND_B2a" stuff is part of the radio's internal menu system to
change the country code settings. The letter is the country, while the
number and letter after it specify details about the country. Like 1 is
without extended recieve where you can only recieve on the freqs you can
x-mit on and 3 is standard operation but with the ability to recieve almost
anywhere, like it normally is. The 2a and 2b settings involve the MARS/CAP
mod, and I have yet to explore those.

q.) So, how do I change the sub country setting with the software mod at
the same time?

a.) I haven't had much success doing this, but I soon hope to have this
cracked. From what I've been able to figure out, two bytes govern the sub
country setting. These are:

00000CE0 FF FF FF FF FF FF 03 01 03 01 04 FF FF 64 40 FF
ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½d@ï¿½
^ ^
| CE9h
CE8h

CE8h is the main one, it's at 00h for "1", 01h for "2a", 02h for
"2b", and 03h for "3".
CE9h controls the extended recieve. It's set to 00h for no extended
recieve and 01h for extended recieve.
If I change just CE8h then the ADMS software corrects the file and
set's it back to 03h if CE9h is 01h, and back to 00h if CE9h is 00h. It also
does this if I set it to 01h and 02h. :(Some byte needs to be set to
specify a MARS/CAP mod.
The good thing about this is that there's no security byte, you can
change these bytes to your heart's content in whatever file you want.
I'll soon have this cracked, but keep in mind that this is just a
beta FAQ.

q.) Well, have you at least figured out what all of the country codes
do?

a.) Most of them. Figuring out what the frequency bands took long enough,
I admidt to getting lazy and not figuring out what the default repeater
splits are, and what the other country codes do to other default settings.
Hey, it took me long enough to figure out what I did figure out.
Here's the byte settings as they relate to the old hardware mod:

```
| 00 01 02 03 | <- sub-country byte (CE8h)
---+---------------------+
00 | F1 F2a F2b F3 |
01 | A1 A2a A2b A3 |
02 | B1 B2a B2b B3 |
03 | C1 C2a C2b C3 |
04 | D1 D2a D2b D3 |
05 | H1 H2a H2b H3 |
06 | FrEE FrEE FrEE FrEE |
---+---------------------+
^- main country byte (5E3h & CE7h)
```

Here's what country each country byte goes to:

```
---+------------+
00 | ? |
01 | America |
02 | ? |
03 | ? |
04 | ? |
05 | Canada? |
06 | Freeband |
---+------------+
```

Hopefully someone can fill me in with what country codes go what
countries that I've lsited as "?".

q.) What bands does each country code let you operate on?

a.) Glad you asked, I spend three hours making this table:

```
country sub-byte (CE8h)
| 00 | 01 | 02 | 03 |
---+----------------+----------------+----------------+----------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 144.00-145.995 | | | 144.00-146.000 |
| 430.00-439.995 | | | 430.00-440.000 |
| rx | rx | rx | rx |
00 | 144.00-145.995 | | | 76.00-221.995 |
| 430.00-439.995 | | | 222.00-299.995 |
| | | | 300.00-399.995 |
| | | | 400.00-540.000 |
| | | | 590.00-999.000 |
| | | | (with cell) |
---+----------------+----------------+----------------+----------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 144.00-147.995 | | | 144.00-148.000 |
| 430.00-449.995 | | | 430.00-450.000 |
| rx | rx | rx | rx |
01 | 144.00-147.995 | | | 76.00-199.995 |
| 430.00-449.995 | | | 300.00-399.995 |
| | | | 400.00-540.000 |
| | | | 590.00-999.000 |
```

```
| | | | (no cell) |
---+---------------+---------------+---------------+---------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 144.00-145.995 | | | 144.00-146.000 |
| 430.00-439.995 | | | 430.00-440.000 |
| rx | rx | rx | rx |
02 | 144.00-145.995 | | | 76.00-221.995 |
| 430.00-439.995 | | | 222.00-299.995 |
| | | | 300.00-399.995 |
| | | | 400.00-540.000 |
| | | | 590.00-999.000 |
| | | | (with cell) |
---+---------------+---------------+---------------+---------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 144.00-145.995 | | | 144.00-146.000 |
| 430.00-439.995 | | | 430.00-440.000 |
| rx | rx | rx | rx |
03 | 144.00-145.995 | | | 76.00-221.995 |
| 430.00-439.995 | | | 222.00-299.995 |
| | | | 300.00-399.995 |
| | | | 400.00-540.000 |
| | | | 590.00-999.000 |
| | | | (with cell) |
---+---------------+---------------+---------------+---------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 144.00-145.995 | | | 144.00-146.000 |
| 432.00-437.995 | | | 432.00-438.000 |
| rx | rx | rx | rx |
04 | 144.00-145.995 | | | 76.00-221.995 |
| 432.00-437.995 | | | 222.00-299.995 |
| | | | 300.00-399.995 |
| | | | 400.00-540.000 |
| | | | 590.00-999.000 |
| | | | (with cell) |
---+---------------+---------------+---------------+---------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 144.00-147.995 | | | 144.00-148.000 |
| 430.00-449.995 | | | 430.00-450.000 |
| rx | rx | rx | rx |
05 | 144.00-147.995 | | | 76.00-221.995 |
| 430.00-449.995 | | | 222.00-299.995 |
| | | | 300.00-399.995 |
| | | | 400.00-540.000 |
| | | | 590.00-999.000 |
| | | | (with cell) |
---+---------------+---------------+---------------+---------------+
| tx | tx | tx | tx |
| 50.00-221.995 | 50.00-221.995 | 50.00-221.995 | 50.00-221.995 |
| 222.00-299.985 | 222.00-299.985 | 222.00-299.985 | 222.00-299.985 |
| 300.00-399.995 | 300.00-399.995 | 300.00-399.995 | 300.00-399.995 |
```

```
| 400.00-540.000 | 400.00-540.000 | 400.00-540.000 | 400.00-540.000 |
06 | rx | rx | rx | rx |
| 50.00-221.995 | 50.00-221.995 | 50.00-221.995 | 50.00-221.995 |
| 222.00-299.995 | 222.00-299.995 | 222.00-299.995 | 222.00-299.995 |
| 300.00-399.995 | 300.00-399.995 | 300.00-399.995 | 300.00-399.995 |
| 400.00-540.000 | 400.00-540.000 | 400.00-540.000 | 400.00-540.000 |
| 590.00-999.000 | 590.00-999.000 | 590.00-999.000 | 590.00-999.000 |
| (with cell) | (with cell) | (with cell) | (with cell) |
---+----------------+----------------+----------------+----------------+
^- main country byte (5E3h & CE7h)
```

I hope to fill in the blanks with the soon with the MARS/CAP mod information.

In the mean time, I hope you enjoy this beta faq. If you hate my spelling errors, and bad grammour, then buy me Office '98 or something so I can use the spell checker. :)
If you find any inaccuracies with the information, e-mail me and I'll correct the faq. Or even if you find out any information not listed here that's revelant to what this faq's purpose is. The whole ham community will be grateful for your contribution.

------end file------

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/--------------------------+--------------------------\
| -=Jack the TechnoDragon=- | Please remove the second, |
| a.k.a. | anti-spamming N from the |
| -=Jack T.Dragon=- | end of tdragon in my |
| tdragonn@blarg.net | address to respond. |
+--------------------------+--------------------------+
```

2697. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DA7598.18F6@parg.org>
Source record: 147229

Bud wrote:

> Why does it bother you so much that he HAS so many supporters,

He has only a hand full of supporters.

> and you have none?

Apparently you are wearing rose colored glasses if you really
believe that!

> Yeah, as soon as you quit posting, it WILL wind down.

WHY do YOU keep trying to stir up more problems here. Your
hero got kicked off of the SAME ISP as YOU for doing the same things!

2698. FS: Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robbin Olson <rolson@cpinternet.com>
Message-ID: <35DA3E92.30FD@cpinternet.com>
Source record: 147230

I have a Pro-26 scanner for sale. The scanner has the cellular "virtual downconversion" completed.

I will sell it for $165 plus shipping.

If interested, e-mail me at rolson@cpinternet.com

Thank you.

R. Olson

2699. FS: Uniden Sportcat 150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <lew@provide.net>
Message-ID: <35D9BD29.FEA3F892@provide.net>
Source record: 147274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Includes box and all original documentation. Only used for 3 months.

Great bargain for only $100.00. Add $7.50 if you want it shipped.

Hurry, this one will go quick!

Bob
Troy, MI
lew@provide.net

2700. Re: It's not only about drugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg" <N9NWO@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <6rcgq3$382$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147275
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,talk.politics.guns,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.g-gordon-liddy,alt.politics.usa,alt.politics.usa.misc

What in the hell are you talking about? It sounds like
you do not understand technology at all. Any scanner
hobbyist would know more. Go to a Radio Shack and
at least ask a few questions. They are better than nothing.

Maybe the hams and the scanner folks will be willing to
cross post to educate you.

cam wrote in message <6rc18j$6cb$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>I don't know about this particular braodast frequency, but we ran across
one
>of the people operating on a blank frequency. No one was there, who was he
>hurting right? He checked the other frequencies and checked with other
>radios and he did not interfere with anyone so he thought.
>
>The FCC does not allow broadcasting on certain frequencies in certain areas
>for a reason. In this case he would transmit an entire cd during certain
>times of the day and night, just music. Emergency broadcast frequencies,
>police, fire, ambulance, ect would not work when you were within about 1
>mile of the place, everything was a static. I could have been sitting a
>block away from a person in trouble and never hear the call, or need help
>myself and not be able to call.
>
>This may not have been the case in other situations, but we were glad to
see
>the guy stopped. Afterall if you can't monitor a police radio on a police
>radio, how do you know if you are interfering with its reception?
>
>

2701. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <0yjC1.70$tU.56648@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 147276

You know there is more to amateur radio than a 2 meter handi talkie!

In article <35d98244.4460790@news.jps.net>, mtbikerno@spamnojps.net wrote:
>On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 19:17:24 -0400 (EDT), rayka1wzx@webtv.net (Raymond
>Lemire) wrote:
>
>>Then why did you bother to get your ham ticket. I would not get a Cell
>>phone evin if it was given to me. Why would you be afraid someone would
>>slash your tires if you used your Ham call. Get some Prozac and think
>>straight. You would only use it in emergency. How much do you pay a
>>month for call's $$$$$$$$$ I belong to a Ham club, and they have phone
>>patches for free. Know what i'am saying.....And i'am proud of
>>my ham call----------Ray----KA1WZX
>>
>> Linden 5
>
>
>Before you start making foolish statements like these, consider the
>fact that not every city has nothing but civilized, considerate people
>on the ham bands. Here in Sacramento. CA there are hams who act worse
>than some CB'ers. The tire slashings have happened to SEVERAL hams in
>this area. There was an ongoing dispute between some hams, and it came
>to a head with the tire slashings. When I got my ham ticket I had NO
>idea that any of this kind of crap went on in the ham world. I also
>didn't know that my address would be readily available to anyone with
>an Internet connection who knows how to use a callsign server. Like
>most self-righteous hams, you failed to read my post completely. I
>stated that you have the freedom to talk about WHATEVER YOU WANT on a
>phone. That means no restrictions on language, business
>communications, etc. Ham autopatches have 3-minute time-out timers and
>NO privacy. Cell phones have no limit, full-duplex communication, no
>outdoor antenna required, and slightly better privacy. I got tired of
>all the politics in ham radio here too. At least on a cell phone you
>don't have too worry about being jammed out by the scumbags who don't
>give a rat's ass about Part 97 and good old common courtesy.
> By the way, I pay $19.95 a month for unlimited night and weekend
>calling and 20 free peak minutes a month. Since I talk during off-peak
>hours, my bill never goes up. You might want to get with the times and
>realize that some things in life are worth paying for.
>
>
>Remove "nospamno" to email.

2702. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <_yjC1.71$tU.56648@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 147277

Ahh your so right about the proper license!

In article <6rc9p3hru1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>, "D Stark"
<nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:
>
>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote in message ...
>>When your "HAM RADIO" is certified to operate on the commercial bands
>then it
>>is legal to do so. Most of the Motorola and GE equipment on the
>market now
>>will cover both the amateur abnd and commercial band without tweeking
>the
>>radio. Just program in the frequencies and off you go.
>
>
>After you get the appropriate licenses for those frequencies, that is.
>
>73 de Dave, NF2G
>
>
>

2703. Re: anyone have pro-74 race scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rchud$o8g$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147278

I haven't heard very many cell images on it. All of the newer RadioShack scanners w/ 800 MHz capability have triple conversion circuitry in them. This greatly reduces the cellular images that plague cheaper and older scanners.

Evrclear84 wrote in message
<1998081815553300.LAA02209@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>if you do, i was wondering if it gets many cell images? just wondering ;-)
>
> steve... Evrclear84@aol.com

2704. Re: Icom R-10 Mod Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35d9d170.2836035@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 147279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 15:34:50 -0600, Shannon Young
<mexgringo@zianet.com> wrote:

>I'm looking to purchase an Icom R-10 reciever in the very near future.
>Here is my Question. Does anyone know how to modify it to recieve
>cellular, and is it a hard mod to perform? Thanks in advance.

See http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10 for everything you might want
to know about the IC-R10, modifications, etc.

Regards,

==================================
Joost van Stuyvenberg
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
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2705. Found Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081819291200.PAA16694@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147280

By accident, I came across the following site:

http://www.enteract.com/~moressic/

It's got quite a few scanner mods, many that I've never heard of, like an SSB mod for the PRO2006 that Bill Cheek came up with. There are also mods for lots of radios, not just scanners.

2706. WTT DJ580 4 PLAY STATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: STACEY@DIGISCAPE.COM
Message-ID: <6rckjv$rm0$1@osh2.datasync.com>
Source record: 147281

I HAVE A DJ580 THAT I WOULD LIKE TO TRADE FOR A SONY PLAY STATION AND GAMES

RADIO COMES WITH
3 BATTERIES
2 ANTENNAS
1 CHARGER
1 CIG PLUG
1 SEVICE MANUAL
1 OPERATORS MANUAL

RADIO HAS BEEN MODIFIED TO RX 800mhz

2707. Re: Mods please for BC235XLT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <oYkC1.983$Bi5.852139@news4.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147282
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,att.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

Hey,

Have to make a web page Correction.

>
>Trunktracker general information:
>http://personal.mco.bellsouth.net/mco/j/w/jwebb/trunktracker.html

This Page is No Longer being updated I will Have a new one up Shortly on my
new site : http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Thanks,

Jason

Jason Webb EMT/EMD
The Orlando TrunkTracking Page
http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Confidence is high Repeat Confidence is high
Commander Insert your key

2708. Re: Toledo OH Lifeflight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamwbowery@bright.net
Message-ID: <6rclml$s$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 147283

In article <6ran67$cb7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu wrote:
>Could somebody pass along the frequency for St. Vincent/MCH Lifeflight out of
>Toledo Ohio . . . .
>

123.025 is their frequency. 123.050 was abandoned a while back.

More Toledo freqs at http://www.bright.net/~wbowery/vwfreq.html

Warren Bowery

Remove the nospam to reply

2709. Re: Found Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: justmrzor@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3584-35D9DBB4-3@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147284

are you sure this is the right website
all i see is a physics website

2710. Re: Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081820481500.QAA19108@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147285

319.5MHZ

2711. Police Radar beacons??freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081820532400.QAA01259@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147286

Does anyone know what frequencies the police transmit to the new radar detectors that receive public safety messages ?Like when my radar detector says acident ahead....
Please mail me ,thanks
Radioman27@aol.com

2712. trouble with Pro2032

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: blugil@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <blugil-1808981702180001@ip142.bay-city3.mi.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 147287

something happens to the squelch control about every six months,have to take it back to Radio Shack pay about $50+ for shipping ect and it comes back okay for another 6 months,they won't gaurantee their service and since this cost about $350+ four years or so ago this is getting to be a very expensive toy to operate.Anybody have any ideas whats happening? Are any of the newer scanners more reliable than this thing? Help,thanks to anyone with any ideas.

2713. Computer controled scanning??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickm@mounet.com
Message-ID: <35d9e5a0.398127@news.mounet.com>
Source record: 147288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey, I would like to hear from those who have experimented with computer controlled scanning. I am interested in this, and am trying to decide between two routes: The new BC895XLT with computer connection or the WinRadio device.

How do you use your computer in scanning? Which of the above routes do you recommend?

Thanks for the help and the information!

Rick Miller
Gate City, VA

SPAMBOT BAIT
The FCC Board will also be delighted to get some Spam:
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
president@whitehouse.gov
vicepresident@whitehouse.gov

This senator has sponsored a bill to stop spam. Maybe this will urge him on:
email@murkowski.senate.gov

The Postal Service is always delighted to get more junk mail:
customer@email.usps.gov

2714. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D9EE68.7CF@ibm.net>
Source record: 147289

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>
> When your "HAM RADIO" is certified to operate on the commercial bands then it
> is legal to do so. Most of the Motorola and GE equipment on the market now
> will cover both the amateur abnd and commercial band without tweeking the
> radio. Just program in the frequencies and off you go.
>

Yes, but Ham radios won't pass the minimum requirements for the FCC
without modifications. Ask a very large manufacturer who re-works ham
rigs for commercial use. I think we all know who it is.

Cheers!
Andy

2715. Please Help a Newbie...cordless info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gizmow@erols.com
Message-ID: <35d9ec7d.107451877@news.erols.com>
Source record: 147290

I have never owned a scanner, but I have always found the news groups a great source of info and people willing to help. I hope this group is the same way.

I hope these questions are not the basic FAQs. I hit some web pages but could not find the answes.

I gather from what I have been reading that It is illegal to buy a scanner that will monitor cell phones.

What if you buy a older model without from the blocked Freq. are they still illegal or have they all ben recalled

If so what models are popular

Can you modify the new ones to un block those freq. Is this legal

If so can you find information on how to do this and where.

What about cordless 900Mhz phones? Is that legal?

Do the new 800Mhz scanner have those freq. blocked out as well

Will a regular 800Mhz scanner monitor them if you are close.

If not, what kind of scanner do you need to monitor cordless phones

What are the freq. of coreless phones.

Any recomendations on a good hand held sacnner of occasional use. ie sporting events, weather updates when the power is out and generly noseing aroud!

Please e-mail me direct with any suggestions

Mike

Gizmow@erols.com

2716. Re: Found Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6rcqjp$928$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147291

robert mcclure wrote in message
<3584-35D9DBB4-3@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>...
are you sure this is the right website
all i see is a physics website

There is a pop up window that has links to the scanner page.

2717. Fs pro 26 with cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aciesynski@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081821204800.RAA25077@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147292

i have 2 remaining pro 26s both new in the box both have the cell mod capability will sell for 200 delivered.

2718. FS 2006 with opto 456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aciesynski@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081821193900.RAA24859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147293

Radio shack pro 2006 with cell and speed mod done. has discrimator output plug in back. Very bright backlight. also has a programmit interface mounted on top. will include either scancat gold or probe. $450 unit is in perfect condition have box, manual, antenna

2719. FS Bearcat 9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ttp328@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35d9f6bc.82953033@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147294

I have for sale a Uniden Bearcat 9000XLT recently acquired in a trade.
Unit is in excellent condition about a year old.
Cellular modification, CTCSS board , discriminator jack
manual and box
$235.00 includes UPS ground shipping USA
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T.Phillips
"Anyone can destroy, few can build and create."

2720. BC vs JM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dbf77c.74691201@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Wow--
10 points for JM!

2721. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dcf82d.74868645@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147296

On 17 Aug 1998 13:00:40 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>HAH! And you DO post on topic? No!
>

You must not pay attention very well!..Hey...
shouldn't you be getting ready for school tomorrow?
Hurry along to bed.....

>MAlexder wrote:
>
>> > willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> Both Bill Cheek and John Mackey will be remembered for their feuding
>> >> and mutual obsession.
>>
>> You, of course, will be remembered for never having posted on topic.
>>

2722. Icom R-9000 heat problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Manuel Maseda <mmaseda@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6rcth8eaa1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147297

For those like me that don't like to see their R-9000 get hot enough to fry an egg, I have a simple solution. I made up a D.C. power cord and am now running mine using a small external 13.8 volt D.C. supply. The operators manual doesn't mention the pin-outs for the external DC-DC connector on the rear panel but I figured it out by looking at the service manual and called Icom to confirm. Simply remove the jumper plug from the connector and install 13.8 volts to pin 1 and ground to pin 4. Remember to disconnect the A.C. cord from the radio as it is no longer needed. You will be surprised just how much cooler the radio runs.

Good luck,

Manuel W4SSB

2723. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ddf89a.74977331@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147298

On 17 Aug 1998 17:07:08 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Nope.
>
>I also do not appreciate being called a 'wee willie wanker'. It seems that all you
>are capable of is insensitive and unethical comments.
>
>Nor do I appreciate your telling my dad that you would kill yourself if you had a
>brat like me.

If he just had a dime for every time someone told him that....haha

2724. BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35def975.75196078@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Was wondering if the 895 has two separate receivers in there to
perform it's magic..anyway if it does, anyone know how to pick the
discriminator output from the DATA side during trunking mode?

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2725. Police Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LumberPhreak <lumber@linkup.net>
Message-ID: <35D9FB2A.3EDB3202@linkup.net>
Source record: 147300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

While listening to local law enforcement radio communications, I notice a large portion of their conversation is scrambled in some way (sounds like white noise). This is generally preceded with one of the officers stating something to the effect of, "Go coded...". Where might be a good place to find more information on the specifics of this, and is it possible to modify a scanner to unscramble these conversations? Any info will be appreciated...

2726. Police Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LumberPhreak <lumber@linkup.net>
Message-ID: <35D9FB47.E37B7C09@linkup.net>
Source record: 147301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

While listening to local law enforcement radio communications, I notice a large portion of their conversation is scrambled in some way (sounds like white noise). This is generally preceded with one of the officers stating something to the effect of, "Go coded...". Where might be a good place to find more information on the specifics of this, and is it possible to modify a scanner to unscramble these conversations? Any info will be appreciated...

2727. Re: Blake Powers forging PARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dffaec.75570849@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147302

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 00:06:11 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

John,
Why do you keep bringing up these amateur radio issues in the scanner
newsgroup?

>Tell the amateur newsgroups about your "Pottersville Amateur Radio
>Group"
>that you claim has 30 members, but you can only name 2 of them. Tell
>them about how you are the president, secretary, VE testing chairman,
>membership offficer, & what ever else you claimed! (You statement
>about VE testing was really funny since you are only a TECHNICIAN!)
>Tell them that even though the ARRL has never heard or or recognized
>your club & that a search of YAHOO does not bring up anything about
>it that you claim your club is still legit!
>

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2728. Re: anyone have pro-74 race scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081822143200.SAA15521@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147303

yeah! triple conversion is supposed to be a good thing, but not for someone who wants to get the images! i liked the sportcat150, but it didnt have the features i needed.
anyone know of a dual conversion scanner around $200, that has search capabilities other than the preprogrammed bands?
thanks!

steve Evrclear84@aol.com

2729. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e1fe97.76510495@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147304

On 16 Aug 1998 19:59:20 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Incorrect. The PRO-2042 (1000 channels, receives 25-1300) receives both of
>these bands.

The 2042 has been discontinued for quite some time. I believe someone
in the group said the new 99 catalog has no scanner capable of UHF-air
or commercial WFM. Looks like the Optocom and the 895XLT are the most
promising new units.

>John Habbinga wrote:
>
>> None of the current scanner radios at RadioShack will receive commercial FM
>> radio stations or the military airband.
>>
>> Fritz W Feuerbacher wrote in message <6r4uebmnu6@news.cc.ucf.edu>...
>> >
>> >Certainly. Radio Shack makes several models that have that frequency
>> >range open.
>> >
>> >mchowkwa (mchowkwa@ktb2.ktb.net) wrote:
>> >: Can i listen to FM radio on a scanner?

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2730. Re: For Trade: PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e2ffde.76837210@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147305

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 22:25:52 -0400, adam@aronson.net (Adam Aronson)
wrote:

>I would like to trade my PRO-43 (cell capable) for a functional (cell
>capable) 2006 or 2005.
>
>Email details, please...
>
>Adam

I'll do this deal also. I have a mint PRO-43 if anyone is interested!

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2731. Re: keeping bill cheek out!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e402a7.77550745@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147306

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 21:44:04 GMT, Eric Severson <"Eric
Severson"@san.rr.com> wrote:

>John Petri wrote:
>>
>> x-no-archive: yes In article
>> <1998081615254600.LAA16952@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jvillafane@aol.com
>> (JVillafane) wrote:
>>
>> > for all of you who would like to get bill cheek back on this >newsgroup
>>
>> How is it that he is NOT on this ng anymore?
>> TIA.......
>
>We know that we are supposed to "call the police to report suspicious
>persons". Bill Cheek is the definition of the "suspicious person"

Bill Cheek is a spokesman for the FBI!

2732. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e603d3.77850189@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147307

On 18 Aug 1998 02:03:38 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Dave: He's defending me, and I don't mind it. I need all the defense I can
>get.

If you didn't reply to each and every post with your opinions and
fantasys represented as facts you wouldn't need any defense!
Maybe if you admitted when you are wrong instead of defending it into
the ground you wouldn't need any defense!

GOOD LUCK!

>K4CC wrote:
>
>> digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona) writes:
>>
>> >I'm waiting for you to stop attacking people like Ryan, that obviously
>> >have other serious problems going on with their lives. You go after
>> >the easy-shots.
>>
>> And you became the newsgroup sheriff .. when ?? .. Digitalis?
>>

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2733. FS: RS PRO-39 FREQ. RANGE to 960MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081822462600.SAA20515@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147308

Radio Shack PRO - 39 handheld scanner. I need a Trunktracker unit for San Diego area; make me an offer over $130.00. Lots of accessories available - ext. antenna w/suction cups, 12v and 120vac adapters if the price is right. This unit sold for an AVERAGE of $176.00 between 1/98 and 7/98 according to a web site that tracks this info! Freq. range to 960 MHz!
Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

2734. mods Please BC80XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081822474000.SAA20732@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147309

Gspri@apl.com

2735. Re: Pro2040 On Closeout Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e8089f.79079305@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147310

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 23:26:57 GMT, cdeviney@ipa.net (Cathy De Viney)
wrote:

>I called my two local Radio Shacks today...the PRO-2046 is $230, just
>as listed in the catalog. Where are these on sale for $70?
>
>CATHY

It's the 2040 on clearance!

>On 15 Aug 1998 20:40:56 GMT, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W
>Feuerbacher) wrote:
>
>>I am not sure if any of the Radio Shacks have any left, but I just picked
>>up a PRO2040 on closeout for $89.95. This scanner regularly goes for
>>$229.99. I thought this was a pretty good deal.
>>
>>They also have thier PRO2046 mobile scanner on closeout for $69.95 which
>>is normally $229.99. Thats a really great deal on a fine mobile scanner.
>>
>>--

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2736. HELP! New guy to scanning.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Slade <hitman@tsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6rd363nnq1@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 147311

Hi all. I'm anxious to get into scanning. I have no idea what type of scnner to buy and how much to spend on it. I mainly want to listen to police, military, and airport. I'v heard something about trunked systems that only few radios can follow. What kind of radio works with trunked systems and I want to spend anywhere from $200-$300. I've also heard about a scanner card for my PC. Can someone please help me out? Thank you.

Hitman

2737. Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081823434600.TAA29832@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147312

Does anyone know where I can find a complete FCC freq allocation table that includes modes and steps for each allocation? For example, this type of thing: Broadcasting 450.05-450.925 FM at 24KHz steps.Thanks.

2738. BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf6dbh <jcssow@jps.net>
Message-ID: <35DA1E0B.C2EA4D42@jps.net>
Source record: 147313

Does anyone know where I can buy a reasonably priced replacement battery
for the Bearcat 3000XLT Scanner? I have called several places and
either they are very high priced or out of stock.

Jim

2739. Ramsey Scanner Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Bedard <brianb@xcelco.on.ca>
Message-ID: <6rd6hm$ed2$1@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 147314

Does anyone know of the SCN-1 800mhz Scanner Converter kit put out by Ramsey Electronics ?

How good does it work and is it worth the money ?

Thankyou in Advance

Brian

2740. Re: trouble with Pro2032

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "allsafe@netwit.com" <allsafe@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <6rd95k$c2a$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 147315

blugil@pipeline.com wrote:

> something happens to the squelch control about every six months,have to
> take it back to Radio Shack pay about $50+ for shipping ect and it comes
> back okay for another 6 months,they won't gaurantee their service and
> since this cost about $350+ four years or so ago this is getting to be a
> very expensive toy to operate.Anybody have any ideas whats happening? Are
> any of the newer scanners more reliable than this thing? Help,thanks to
> anyone with any ideas.

Man. I dunno. I've had my Pro2032 running all the time and I haven't
experienced any problems with the squelch. The unit's been solid gold for
me.

Can you describe the problems you're having with the squelch control?

Hey Blake! Have y'all gotten my application for the Pottersville P_ARG? I'm
really excited about learning all about this fine organization!

2741. FS: Radio Shack PRO-43 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: trs@trsc.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1043fb39d30a3bc59896f0@news.pics.com>
Source record: 147316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE: Radio Shack PRO-43 scanner, nicads, AC adaptor, manual, box.
Excellent condition, very clean, no modifications. Photo, details at
<http://www.trsc.com/4sale.html>. Best offer.

--
Thomas R. Sundstrom, W2XQ trs@trsc.com
TRS Consultants http://www.trsc.com

2742. Re: anyone have pro-74 race scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rdb4cneu1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147317

You will probably have a difficult time finding a new one around that has 800 MHz reception without the triple conversion. Most manufactures have voluntarily agreed with the FCC to do this to prevent listening to the cellular phones. I am sure there are plenty of older scanners that are dual conversion. The Pro-51 is famous for being used to receive Newt Gingrich's conversations. BTW listening to cellular phones gets pretty old after a few days. I hope you get a life and find more entertaining uses for your scanner. ;-)

Evrclear84 wrote in message
<1998081822143200.SAA15521@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>yeah! triple conversion is supposed to be a good thing, but not for
someone
>who wants to get the images! i liked the sportcat150, but it didnt have
the
>features i needed.
> anyone know of a dual conversion scanner around $200, that has search
>capabilities other than the preprogrammed bands?
> thanks!
>
>steve Evrclear84@aol.com

2743. Mods for BC235XLT??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eZreomxy9GA.167@upnetnews05>
Source record: 147318

Just ordered the TrunkTracker and curious to see if there are any mods out there..

Thanks..

2744. test, do not read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jacques Bussieres <mbnet@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <0XqC1.75$IF4.175849@HME1-2.newscontent.sprint.ca>
Source record: 147319

Just testing

2745. Re: Opps 2022 again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdca4d$0e352b60$3bdd0ad0@default>
Source record: 147320

Robert,
Yes, some 2022`s can be made to restore cell & pick up some speed. I
forget what book it`s in, but it`s one of Bill Cheek`s books. Good Luck.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Robert and Sonia Ingersoll <bsing@sprint.ca> wrote in article
<903324861.667965@michelob>...
> Again any mods available for this scanner?
>
> I have been told that you can increase scan speed and restore cmr.
>
> Please reply to Bob
> Bsing@sprint.ca
>
>
>

2746. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6rdgs5$h5k$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147321

Thanks for the input Jim!

>MY GOD WHAT A BUCH OF SICK LOSERS WASTING THEIR TIME OVER NOTHING BUT
>TRAILER TRASH TALK.................

2747. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DA4B1B.4E51@parg.org>
Source record: 147322

Jim Harland wrote:
> I have been on usenet for a long time but for the life of me I can not
> believe that a grown man would post such school kid flame posts as I
> see in this news group.

Yea, understood! But just cool off a little, the "problem" recently
recently received serious disipline due to his abusive activities.
Hopefully, he learned a lesson & his supporters will back off.

Hang in there, it appears to be winding down!

2748. Re: Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: PARG Public information Officer <pio@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DA4CA6.7A2@parg.org>
Source record: 147323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:

> <pio@parg.org> wrote:
> >First, I stated that the day Cheek stopped causing trouble I would
> >adjust. That has nothing to do with wether he goes or stays on this NG.

> So you're FINALLY admitting the truth, as long as Bill has an Internet
> account, yo

WRONG, READ my POST again! I said, "the day Cheek stopped causing
trouble". That has NOTHING to do with wether or not he has an internet
account.

2749. req: info on best handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: khs@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35d8dfe2.258525621@207.14.113.10>
Source record: 147324

i am ready to purchase a new handheld scanner and would like it to cover 25mhz -1.3ghz. also would like it capable of recieving cellular.

am considering the uniden bc3000xlt. any other considerations are highly accepted and wanted. thanks for your input.

---
kneehighspy
97 Torch Red/Black C5 / 6 Speed

2750. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8E08D.FB8557E5@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147325

You don't use ham radio to only get help.

You can talk to people everywhere for free, and just for fun!

Raymond Lemire wrote:

> Then why did you bother to get your ham ticket. I would not get a Cell
> phone evin if it was given to me. Why would you be afraid someone would
> slash your tires if you used your Ham call. Get some Prozac and think
> straight. You would only use it in emergency. How much do you pay a
> month for call's $$$$$$$$$ I belong to a Ham club, and they have phone
> patches for free. Know what i'am saying.............And i'am proud of
> my ham call------------Ray----KA1WZX
>
> Linden 5
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

2751. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D8E10C.CCA5AE3F@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147326

Dave: He's defending me, and I don't mind it. I need all the defense I can get.

K4CC wrote:

> digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona) writes:
>
> >I'm waiting for you to stop attacking people like Ryan, that obviously
> >have other serious problems going on with their lives. You go after
> >the easy-shots.
>
> And you became the newsgroup sheriff .. when ?? .. Digitalis?
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

2752. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35d8f0c0.1429862@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 147327

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 03:48:43 GMT, admin404@mailexcite.com (Chris Tominkson) wrote:

>A freind of mine, said a freind of his modyfied a scanner that he had
>so that he could transmit with it, he did not know the brand or
>anything but I was wondering if you can do this to a BC3000XLT, or if
>there are any other modifications for it. Thanks!

OK I read all the responses and I guess, it is not possible, but my freind said that the guy had a "small thing, like yours", a ham is big right? Also my freind would not lie, his little bro. confirmed it too, and it only came up when I brought the scanner over, I even have names and occupations, so....I have got to get a hold of this guy.

2753. Re: phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35d8f1fa.1744088@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 147328

On 17 Aug 1998 21:57:02 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Channel Frequency
>1 43.72
>2 43.74
>3 43.82
>4 43.84
>5 43.92
>6 43.96
>7 44.12
>8 44.16
>9 44.18
>10 44.20
>11 44.32
>12 44.36
>13 44.40
>14 44.46
>15 44.48
>16 46.61
>17 46.63
>18 46.67
>19 46.71
>20 46.73
>21 46.77
>22 46.83
>23 46.87
>24 46.93
>25 46.97
>
>Scott Calnek wrote:
>
>> Can someone please tell me what the frequencies are for a standard 10
>> channel cordless phone?
>>
>> Thanks
>> Scott
>>
>
>
>
>
I must have a different list of frequencies, because on mine channel
25 ends on 49.....um I'll paste it in later, but anyways I don't want

to program in 50 banks so I just search 43Mhz to 50Mhz.
Here are my list of frequencies.
Freq. 10-25 [general cordless]

Channel	Base	Handset
1	43.720	48.760
2	43.740	48.840
3	43.820	48.860
4	43.840	48.920
5	43.920	49.000
6	43.960	49.080
7	44.120	49.100
8	44.160	49.160
9	44.180	49.200
10	44.200	49.240
11	44.320	49.280
12	44.360	49.360
13	44.400	49.400
14	44.460	49.480
15	44.480	49.500
16	46.610	49.670
17	46.630	49.845
18	46.670	49.860
19	46.710	49.770
20	46.730	49.875
21	46.770	49.830
22	46.830	49.890
23	46.870	49.930
24	46.930	49.990
25	46.970	49.970

Oh lokks like you just don't have the base & handsets, nevermind....

2754. Re: Blake Powers forging PARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6rapnt$j7i$0@207.18.224.189>
Source record: 147329

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 00:06:11 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> On Fri, 14 Aug 1998 18:50:45 -0700, J Mackey wrote:
>> >So Blake, why don't we continue this on rec.radio.amateur.misc?
>>
>> Nah, I have no need to.
>
>Yea, I figured you wouldn't. You don't want to have amateur
>newsgroups see what you are doing as you can't fool them with your
>false statements like you have been able to do to the
>scanner listeners!
>
No John, the reason I refuse to continue it on another newsgroup, is
that you have already infected this newsgroup, I will not be party
to your infecting other newsgroups.

>Tell the amateur newsgroups about your "Pottersville Amateur Radio
>Group"
>that you claim has 30 members, but you can only name 2 of them. Tell

John, no one but you has asked for a membership list, and you
obviously only want it for two reasons, to spread more hate
and discontent, and to poll the members individually so that
you can try to reverse the decision to not allow you in the group.

>them about how you are the president, secretary, VE testing chairman,
>membership offficer, & what ever else you claimed! (You statement
>about VE testing was really funny since you are only a TECHNICIAN!)

Why is that? Where is the requirement that the person responsible for

the logistics be anything?

>Tell them that even though the ARRL has never heard or or recognized
>your club & that a search of YAHOO does not bring up anything about
>it that you claim your club is still legit!
>
This is idiotic! Since when has it been a requirement that a club
be recognized by the ARRL, or YAHOO????

Get a grip John! You cannot become a member.

2755. Re: ATTENTION ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@P_ARG.ORG
Message-ID: <6rapce$h1i$0@207.18.224.189>
Source record: 147330

On 16 Aug 98 10:22:28 , fire.chief@warpgate.com (Fire Chief) wrote:

> -=> Quoting Blake Bowers to All <=-
>
> BB> I am sorry John, but the membership committee already
> BB> made their feelings known about allowing you membership.
>
> BB> They voted to boot you from membership, even before you
> BB> were a member!
>
> Boy, you really know how to kick a fellow who's
> already fallen from disgrace. <g>
>
And now he wants a membership list, so that he
can evidently poll the membership individually to
try to become a member. Shame.

2756. Freq. question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35d8f57e.2643705@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 147331

Does anybody know what is in between 550Mhz to 760Mhz? My uniden scanner does not receive them and a listing I have says that there is nothing special on them. Also it is not receiving poorly, it does not carry them, they are blocked. Thanks for any clarification. If I could spell that right, clar-if-ic-ation

2757. Re: Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6raqj1kub0@207.18.224.189>
Source record: 147332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 23:54:18 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

>Bud wrote:
>
>> John, WHY are you hiding behind the name of someone who has NO link to you,
>> someone with a GOOD reputation?
>
>I am using the e-mail address as assigned to me by the administrators
>of the PARG.ORG domain. Perhaps you ask BLAKE if the e-mail address
>he uses is real or fake!
>

John, my P_ARG address was every bit as valid as many
of the ones you have used over the years.

But, to show once again, that I am the better person than you,
and I am committed to ending the abuse you spew on the
newsgroup, I am stopping use of it tonite.

It should be noted, that this will not change the membership
committees vote on your membership however.

2758. Re: Freq. question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081803135800.XAA02717@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147333

those freqs are used by TV station audio and video transmissions...nothing special

2759. Re: poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35d8f25c.2393808@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 147334

"Misanthrope <iLL>" <m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org> wrote:

:I am interested in playing with pocsag decoding, and bought a rat shack
:scanner... I downloaded a program called poc32, and ran it... it seems
:to run ok, but I never get anything... is it possible that my scanner is
:just lame? or what... anyone have any experiance with poc32? any ideas?
:
:thanks...

Assumeing that you have tuned your scanner to a pager frequency, how have
you connected the scanner to your computer, or, have you connected your
scanner to your computer?

You probably need to tap into the discriminator of your scanner for it
to work.

Pager messages have a 99% bordom rating.

Barry

2760. How to go in search mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: will jones <wjones@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <35D8FD71.28E2ECE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147335

I don't have my manual. Please tell me how to set search limits on my Pro-2006 scanner.

2761. Scanner gets warm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35d9fe2b.6985849@news.albany.net>
Source record: 147336

I just got a MVT 9000 today, and noticed it got warm when I used it with the adaptor. Is this normal? It doesn't get warm when it's charging only when it's on. The adaptor heats up too. Any ideas?

2762. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081804291800.AAA23840@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147337

huuuuuumm!

O.K.

2763. FS: Icom R9000 Reciever $4,000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrmtjm@atlantic.net
Message-ID: <35d8cfc6.1385618@news.atlantic.net>
Source record: 147338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Icom R9000 full range reciever (not cell blocked). Excellent
condition.

Repley by Email
mrmtjm@atlantic.net

2764. Re: OOPS! I mean MVT-7100!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@shemalecentral.com
Message-ID: <35D909AF.5052@shemalecentral.com>
Source record: 147339

Peter Altman wrote:
>
> Bandercom is a good source and cheaper than buying from Canada and it only
> takes about a week and a half.
>
> jim@shemalecentral.com wrote in message <35D88C1C.4FB@shemalecentral.com>...
> >I goofed, I mean MVT-7100, NOT MTV-7100!!! Sorry.
> >
> >m@shemalecentral.com wrote:
> >>
> >> I am considering buying a mtv-7100 scanner through a canadian
> >> distributor. Can anyone tell me how this model holds up to say the
> >> AOR800, or even the mtv-9000?
> >>
> >> Money is a factor for sure, but so is performance. Is the mtv-7100 good
> >> enough, or should I hold for a aor8000 or mtv-9000?
> >>
> >> BTW, how easy is it getting these scanners delivered by ups to the
> >> states, seeing they come with celular freqs?
> >>
> >> Thanks.
> >> Jim

I am curious as to how difficult it is to order a scanner from
Bandercom? Will it get through customs ok? I understand that while it
may cost a little more ordering from canada, at least they can ship by
ups, therefore avoiding the more snoopy post office! I'm wondering if
ordering from England, while lower in price, may be more risky? Please
excuse my ignorance, I would just hate to be out of the bucks if my
scanner was detaned at customs. I could save almost $100 by ordering
through England!(I am now also considering the AOR-8000 in place of the
MVT-7100) Is it worth the risk? Thank you in advance for your advice.
Jim

2765. Need frequencies for Markham IL. and surrounding areas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lucas <lclucas@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bdca46$9dc1fee0$b0ca51d1@default>
Source record: 147340

Hello need frequencies for Markham IL. and surrounding areas.(Police,Fire, anything!!)

Email preferred.
THANKS,

Lyle

2766. Pc conection for a Alinco DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: zipi@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rbrngsfk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147341

I want to know how conect one alinco dj x10 scanner on my computer (PC).
-Eschematic diagram of connections
-Software
-Web's links
-And DJ-X10 scanner electric diagram (if it's posible)

Tanks and sorry for my poor english language.
In my country it's imposible buy the alinco's cable conection

Javier Garmilla
JGARMILL@teleline.es
Vitoria
Spain

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2767. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <35fe014b.35865675@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 147342

rayka1wzx@webtv.net (Raymond Lemire) wrote:

>Why is it that every one that works in commercial radio has this thing
>about Ham's . Alway's down gradeing the equipment. If not the
>user's themself. Some ham Radio equipment can out perform
>GE,Motorola,etc. The only mod i did was to change antennas. Had a yaesu
>440 for 5yrs. Worked freq. in the business band with it, with only an
>antenna change. Business radios today only work in the freq. range their
>made for. I am not saying that a 6m HT will transmit in the 1.2G range.
>That's to much of a spread. Also have a yaesu that transmit's and
>receives vey well in the marine band (Ft11r.) use it on my boat. Year's
>ago everyone wanted the GE police radio beacuse it could be tweeked from
>the 40meg band to the 6m band 50 to 54meg.
>But today their just boat anchors. etc,etc. But my main complaint is
>why,and i have seen it many times,the degrading of Ham Radio Operators
>by Commercial Radio Dealer's. Can someone give me an upstraight
>answer.....Ray KA1WZX and proud of it.

I can give you one darn good answer. Hams are cheap. Many of them
hang around commercial shops looking for equipment, advice, manuals,
and repair work, but aren't willing to pay commercial rates for it.
Some of them want free or heavily discounted access to commercial
sites for ham repeaters, which are often poorly set up and maintained,
and cause interference to or get interference from commercial
stations. When the latter happens, the hams bitch about that, too.

I know this, because I've seen it all. And no, I'm not in Commercial
radio, but I have friends who are.

Not all hams are like this, but enough are to make give the rest of us
a bad reputation.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

2768. Mods please for BC235XLT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr." <bilbrey@so-spam.exis.net>
Message-ID: <6rbd77uk1@grouper.exis.net>
Source record: 147343
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,att.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

Please forgive, for I'm sure that there have been lots of posts on mods, but just got this new scanner.
Please post any good mods or links to info pages. Thanks.

2769. Test Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: otalk2meo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081809043200.FAA23433@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147344

I've seen that cordless phones can be set to a "test Mode", but I can find how to do it. I've only found some stuff for a uniden phone, don't none of mine are uniden, and they don't work. Anyone have any info on how to do this with other phones? Thanks,

Jeff

2770. Re: poc32 deal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35D94019.4D35E13C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 147345

Hi Guy ,

POC32 instructions ..begs you to use the discriminator output
and NOT use the audio output other prople say will work. Most
of the user instructions are devoted to explaining why the
program is NOT intended to use the regular sound output ....
Using the disc output gets 100% results on all types (speeds)
of pocsag pages with no effort or concern for levels ..etc. (within
reason) ..... Take the advice of the software author and not
misguided tinker-ings ...use it the RIGHT way for best results.
(ah ..the ignorance of youth ...) ....
E-mail me for a copy of the english language instructions (for the
shareware copy , which are about the same as for the pay copy) .
if you can't find them elsewhere ....

a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR

Misanthrope wrote:

> i am interested in playing with pocsag decoding, and bought a rat shack
> scanner... i downloaded a program called poc32, and ran it... it seems
> to run ok, but i never get anything... is it possible that my scanner is
> just lame? or what... anyone have any experiance with poc32? any ideas?
>
> thanks...
>
> please reply to m_thrope@rigelnet.ml.org

2771. Re: Blake Powers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081810224600.GAA26254@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147346

Blake,

The minutes of the last P_ARG meeting are
ready. I'll send them to you right away.

You're doing a great job.Mr. Potter would be proud.

Dave
Recording Secretary
Pottersville Amateur Radio Group

p.s. Yahoo called. They asked how they could recognize an Amateur radio group?

2772. Re: OOPS! I mean MVT-7100!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081810302100.GAA26510@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147347

>I am curious as to how difficult it is to order a scanner from
>Bandercom?

It's easy. I just got my Yupi in eight days.

> Will it get through customs ok?

That is always a risk. Bandercom is one of the few companies that guarantees delivery, even if the scanner is nabbed by Customs.

> I understand that while it >may cost a little more ordering from canada, at least they can ship by >ups, therefore avoiding the more snoopy post office!

Not true at all. Avoid UPS and FedEX like the plague. A few years back, I had to pay customs fees on scanner sent via UPS but never on at least five scanners sent by registered airmail.

I'm wondering if
>ordering from England, while lower in price, may be more risky?

I don't think so. I ordered an interface from Durham in Canada some time ago. They stiffed me on the mailing cost and sent the dang thing by slow boat--it took a couple of weeks to get to Massachusetts!

Please
>excuse my ignorance, I would just hate to be out of the bucks if my
>scanner was detaned at customs. I could save almost $100 by ordering
>through England!(I am now also considering the AOR-8000 in place of the
>MVT-7100) Is it worth the risk? Thank you in advance for your advice.
>Jim

I say it is worth the risk. But you'll have to decide for yourself.

2773. Re: Blake Powers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rbqsn$f8f$0@207.18.224.107>
Source record: 147348

On 18 Aug 1998 10:22:46 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>Blake,
>
>The minutes of the last P_ARG meeting are
>ready. I'll send them to you right away.
>

Great. I will forward them appropriatly.

>You're doing a great job.Mr. Potter would be proud.
Grin. Yes, he would.

>
>Dave
>Recording Secretary
>Pottersville Amateur Radio Group
>
>p.s. Yahoo called. They asked how they could recognize an Amateur radio group?
>
Heck, I guess we are about to chart unknown waters now.

BTW, What do you think about the annual meeting next year at the
Huntsville Hamfest? Everyone has a meeting at Dayton, we should
try something different.

2774. LOOKING FOR TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081812153100.IAA13683@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147349

HI

I WILL TRADE MY UHF PORTABLES FOR A BEARCAT 235XLT. THESE RADIOS ARE FOR BUSINESS BAND USE. E-MAIL FOR INFO.

THANK YOU

2775. Re: Car speaker for handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35d97942.45544035@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 147350

I agree with Fritz..the RS amplified will make a handheld sound GREAT...I had the RS-90 and it was wonderful...I used the smaller speaker on the RS and it helped a little, I have a Relm HS200 which has better audio than the RS-90. The small speakers only advantage here is that I can direct the sound at me. (I also have other radio gear compteteing for attention.) The hs-200 could probably drive the larger unpowered RS speaker with no problem. I have yet to try it, but will soon.

My only problem when I use the RS amplified speaker is that I get tremendous feed back when I key my radio. It's not the speakers fault, since I get feed back through my stereo as well.

Peace

Roy

On 15 Aug 1998 20:51:41 GMT, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:

>
>: Brian Kane <bkane@rice.edu> wrote in article
>: >
>: > Is this feasible? Or is my only course of action to rig up some sort of
>: > external speaker? If the external speaker is the only route, does anyone
>: > have any recommendations on a small powered external speaker that would
>: > work well?
>
>Brian, your best bet is to just get the external powered speaker from
>Radio Shack. Part #21-541 $24.99. It uses 12VDC. This is a great
>speaker.
>
>They also make an unpowered version, 21-549 which sounds excellent and
>might be loud enough for you even without the amp. I like these little
>speakers so much that I screwed the mounting bracket to a small piece of
>nice pine and I use it for my table-top scanner in the house. These are
>definately great communication speakers.
>
>--
>

2776. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081812535800.IAA17472@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147351

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:

>BTW, What do you think about the annual meeting next year at the
>Huntsville Hamfest? Everyone has a meeting at Dayton, we should
>try something different.

Blake,
Hey, that's a great idea! Let's get it on the
agenda for a vote at the next meeting.
The weather in Huntsville will be a lot better
for the annual P_ARG Bonfire and Cow Chip
Toss. I was really pleased that nearly five
people attended last year. I think it's really
catching on!
See you at the next meeting.
Dave

2777. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35D98148.5585@ibm.net>
Source record: 147352

Jim Harland wrote:
>
> I have been on usenet for a long time but for the life of me I can not
> believe that a grown man would post such school kid flame posts as I
> see in this news group.

Stick around, Jim. It's starting to calm down now! 8-D

There's always going to be heated debates in forums where the
participants are passionate about their common interest.

Go ask any Irishman!

Cheers!
Andy

2778. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29365-35D9606C-154@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147353

Reading your post it sonds no different than the other posts you despise of.So I will say in short-Goodbye! There are alot of other helpful people here-we will survive.

2779. Re: Pro2040 On Closeout Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrior@iconn.net
Message-ID: <35df8232.6299866@news.iconn.net>
Source record: 147354

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 23:26:57 GMT, cdeviney@ipa.net (Cathy De Viney)
wrote:

->I called my two local Radio Shacks today...the PRO-2046 is $230, just
->as listed in the catalog. Where are these on sale for $70?
->

It is true! I just called my local RS and they said so.

Lou
Now proud owner of a PRO-2040

2780. Re: Ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35d98244.4460790@news.jps.net>
Source record: 147355

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 19:17:24 -0400 (EDT), rayka1wzx@webtv.net (Raymond Lemire) wrote:

>Then why did you bother to get your ham ticket. I would not get a Cell
>phone evin if it was given to me. Why would you be afraid someone would
>slash your tires if you used your Ham call. Get some Prozac and think
>straight. You would only use it in emergency. How much do you pay a
>month for call's $$$$$$$$$ I belong to a Ham club, and they have phone
>patches for free. Know what i'am saying.....And i'am proud of
>my ham call----------Ray----KA1WZX
>
> Linden 5

Before you start making foolish statements like these, consider the fact that not every city has nothing but civilized, considerate people on the ham bands. Here in Sacramento. CA there are hams who act worse than some CB'ers. The tire slashings have happened to SEVERAL hams in this area. There was an ongoing dispute between some hams, and it came to a head with the tire slashings. When I got my ham ticket I had NO idea that any of this kind of crap went on in the ham world. I also didn't know that my address would be readily available to anyone with an Internet connection who knows how to use a callsign server. Like most self-righteous hams, you failed to read my post completely. I stated that you have the freedom to talk about WHATEVER YOU WANT on a phone. That means no restrictions on language, business communications, etc. Ham autopatches have 3-minute time-out timers and NO privacy. Cell phones have no limit, full-duplex communication, no outdoor antenna required, and slightly better privacy. I got tired of all the politics in ham radio here too. At least on a cell phone you don't have too worry about being jammed out by the scumbags who don't give a rat's ass about Part 97 and good old common courtesy.
By the way, I pay $19.95 a month for unlimited night and weekend calling and 20 free peak minutes a month. Since I talk during off-peak hours, my bill never goes up. You might want to get with the times and realize that some things in life are worth paying for.

Remove "nospamno" to email.

2781. Re: 900 MHZ HANDHELD SCANNER WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toneman@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35d98633.2578588@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147356

On Sun, 16 Aug 1998 22:34:59 -0700, Oatmeal Boy <65mustang@geocities.com> wrote:

>I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of 900 mhz. Radio shack
>sells scanners but none of them are capable of 900 mhz. Are there any
>kits I can buy that can "modify" an existing handheld scanner to be
>capable of 900 mhz.. Which brands/models are recommended for
>"converting". Also interested in "trunkable" scanner?? Please e-mail
>me with info.
>
>65mustang@geocities.com
>
>Thanks..

What are you talking about? I just bought one last week for $199. A Home Based unit with
300 presets
called the Trunk Tracker, Pro 2050. It goes up to 951 Mhz. I get them load and clear.

Tony
>

2782. Re: REQ: Kansas City, Kansas Police frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Botee" <onnews@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35D98991.BB48547D@swbell.net>
Source record: 147357

Enter the following frequencies in the 856., 857., 858., 859. & 860.
groupings:
.7625 & 9375.
If you have a Trunk Tracker, you should get numbers assigned such as
1392 for fire dpx, 16 for Central Patrol police etc..

Jim

2783. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D98B93.D9543569@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147358

> Go ask any Irishman!

Yes ... like me!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

2784. Re: Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35D98C63.1748A6D3@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147359

I believe that I've seen others ask this, and if I'm not mistaken, I
think alarms operate in the gigahertz range -- either there or 900.

I would have to say, it probably wouldn't cause too much interference at
all. (Unless you're listening to very high frequencies, 950+.)

Paul Littleton wrote:

> Do wireless burgular alarms installed in the same house as a scanner
> cause interference?
> Thanks, Paul Littleton
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

2785. Re: Freq. question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <un73OEry9GA.347@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147360

admin404@mailexcite.com (Chris Tominkson) asked:
> Does anybody know what is in between 550Mhz to 760Mhz?

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Television [73.603]

Ch Range Video Audio

2 54 - 60 55.250 59.750
3 60 - 66 61.250 65.750
4 66 - 72 67.250 71.750
5 76 - 82 77.250 81.750
6 82 - 88 83.250 87.750
7 174 - 180 175.250 179.750
8 180 - 186 181.250 185.750
9 186 - 192 187.250 191.750
10 192 - 198 193.250 197.750
11 198 - 204 199.250 203.750
12 204 - 210 205.250 209.750
13 210 - 216 211.250 215.750
14 470 - 476 471.250 475.750 }
15 476 - 482 477.250 481.750 } Range for Ch. N
.. ... - ... . } Low = 386 + 6*N
68 794 - 800 795.250 799.750 } High = 392 + 6*N
69 800 - 806 801.250 805.750 }

Note the gaps between chs 4/5, 6/7, and 13/14.
Freqs in the 470-512 MHz range (Ch 14-20) may be assigned to
Public Service mobile use in major metro areas. No transmitters
are allowed on 608-614 MHz (Ch 37).
Each TV channel is 6 MHz wide. The video carrier is 1.25 MHz
above the start of the range. The audio carrier is 0.25 MHz below
the end of the range. Television audio is wideband FM.
Some TV stations may be offset +/- 10 kHz.

2786. Re: phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OVX80Rry9GA.311@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147361

Scott Calnek asked:
> Can someone please tell me what the frequencies are for a standard 10
> channel cordless phone?

admin404@mailexcite.com (Chris Tominkson) wrote:
> | Channel | Base | Handset |
....
> | 5 43.920 49.000 |
....
> | 14 44.460 49.480 |

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Cordless Telephone [15.233]

Chan Base Handset Chan Base Handset

1 43.72 48.76 16 46.61 49.67
2 43.74 48.84 17 B 46.63 49.845
3 43.82 48.86 18 C 46.67 49.86
4 43.84 48.92 19 46.71 49.77
5 43.92 49.02 20 D 46.73 49.875
6 43.96 49.08 21 A 46.77 49.83
7 44.12 49.10 22 E 46.83 49.89
8 44.16 49.16 23 46.87 49.93
9 44.18 49.20 24 46.93 49.99
10 44.20 49.24 25 46.97 49.97
11 44.32 49.28
12 44.36 49.36 Chs A - E handset frequencies
13 44.40 49.40 are also used for baby room
14 44.46 49.46 monitors and low power
15 44.48 49.50 handie-talkies.

The original 10 channels were renumbered 16-25 in June 95
when the new channels 1-15 were added.

2787. Re: Mods please for BC235XLT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: UF1 <SPAM.LESS@NET.ME>
Message-ID: <35D9961B.BEE30F40@NET.ME>
Source record: 147362
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,att.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

A cell mod isn't feasible. There are other mods showing
up though.

Backlight mod:
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/stuff/light.txt

Keypad shortcuts:
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/stuff/tt-tips1.txt

Trunktracker general information:
http://personal.mco.bellsouth.net/mco/j/w/jwebb/trunktracker.html
http://www.trunktracker.com/

Online review of the BC235XLT
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/bc235.htm

Online review of the PRO-90 (same guts as the BC235XLT)
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/pro-90.htm

Great radio. I own the PRO-90 (Radio Shack) version.

Robert

Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr. wrote:

> Please forgive, for I'm sure that there have been lots of posts on mods, but
> just got this new scanner.
> Please post any good mods or links to info pages. Thanks.

2788. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <w3fC1.711$vq.324051@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 147363

When your "HAM RADIO" is certified to operate on the commercial bands then it is legal to do so. Most of the Motorola and GE equipment on the market now will cover both the amateur abnd and commercial band without tweeking the radio. Just program in the frequencies and off you go.

In article <22081-35D8B508-51@newsd-141.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
rayka1wzx@webtv.net (Raymond Lemire) wrote:
>Why is it that every one that works in commercial radio has this thing
>about Ham's . Alway's down gradeing the equipment. If not the
>user's themself. Some ham Radio equipment can out perform
>GE,Motorola,etc. The only mod i did was to change antennas. Had a yaesu
>440 for 5yrs. Worked freq. in the business band with it, with only an
>antenna change. Business radios today only work in the freq. range their
>made for. I am not saying that a 6m HT will transmit in the 1.2G range.
>That's to much of a spread. Also have a yaesu that transmit's and
>receives vey well in the marine band (Ft11r.) use it on my boat. Year's
>ago everyone wanted the GE police radio beacuse it could be tweeked from
>the 40meg band to the 6m band 50 to 54meg.
>But today their just boat anchors. etc,etc. But my main complaint is
>why,and i have seen it many times,the degrading of Ham Radio Operators
>by Commercial Radio Dealer's. Can someone give me an upstraight
>answer.....Ray KA1WZX and proud of it.
>
> Linden 5
>

2789. fs: icom pcr 1000 computer controlled reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: 26AT238 <mike@alfatango.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <pTjsbaAqqZ21EwJs@alfatango.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 147364

i have a icom pcr 1000 computer controlled reciever for sale. it covers a wide frequency range from 100 khz to 1300 mhz. listen to the world on your pc. it has hardly been used and still carrys nearly a years guarantee. new price is ï¿½349 i will accept ï¿½250 for quick sale. if anyone is interested please e mail me

mike@alfatango.demon.co.uk

thanks mike...

2790. Re: How to go in search mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Mouck <dmouck@indstate.edu>
Message-ID: <6rc0nu$o4t@onyx.indstate.edu>
Source record: 147365

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will jones wrote in message <35D8FD71.28E2ECE@bellsouth.net>...
>I don't have my manual. Please tell me how to set search limits on my
>Pro-2006 scanner.
>

If you go to http://support.tandy.com , you can select your scanner's
manual, and either print it out, or have them fax it to you for FREE.

Darryl
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2791. anyone have pro-74 race scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081815553300.LAA02209@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147366

if you do, i was wondering if it gets many cell images? just wondering ;-)

steve... Evrclear84@aol.com

2792. Re: LOOKING FOR MOUNTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rci3mpec1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147367

In article <01bdc944$e55d54a0$32bab3cf@lplynch.nbnet.nb.ca>,
"Lisa Patterson" <lplynch@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:
> I'm trying to find out what company or where i can get a radio floor mount,
> just a generic mount to mount to the floor and then the radio mounts to it,
> have seen lots but unable to find out where to get.. any help would do.
> thanks
>
> Aaron
>
Aaron, try
Http://www5.interaccess.com/iixeqpt
73, Tiny
W9ZRO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2793. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rc9p3hru1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147368

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote in message ...
>When your "HAM RADIO" is certified to operate on the commercial bands
then it
>is legal to do so. Most of the Motorola and GE equipment on the
market now
>will cover both the amateur abnd and commercial band without tweeking
the
>radio. Just program in the frequencies and off you go.

After you get the appropriate licenses for those frequencies, that is.

73 de Dave, NF2G

2794. [Fwd: Help!!!!!!!!!!!!]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "d. desalvi" <desalvi@btc-bci.com>
Message-ID: <35D9A620.1897B37E@btc-bci.com>
Source record: 147369

I need some frequencies for Australian police mainly those in the state of VIctoria.

Many Thanks
Dean DeSalvi

2795. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081816454500.MAA20795@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147370

>From: PARG Public information

>
>You call your senseless FLAMING of making fun of a 13 yr old
>kid because his dad has MS is being "on-topic"!!!!!!1

If you are comfortable comparing your dozens of daily off-topic posts to one of mine, you're even a bigger fool than I thought you were.

> That is
>why I have maintained here to keep you people from monopolizing the NG!

Well, no one will have to worry about you monopolizing the newsgroup with on-topic posts, eh?

>Go for it I have NOTHING to hide! I'll start doing the same to YOUR
>ISP too!

Keep posting off-topic, and I'll keep sending. them, by the car load!

2796. Anyone used BCT12?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Waits <swaits@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35D9B3BC.76EC1880@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147371
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: swaits/popd.ix.netcom.com.vcf

I'd like to hear from people that have used the Uniden BCT-12.
Successes, failures, etc.

Thanks!

--Steve

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2797. Re: dissapointed with uniden scanners....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6rceio$nff@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 147372

I agree. One of my first non-crystal scanners was the BC50XL and it had no search capability. It drove me crazy. I personally have never liked RS scanners (except for the 2006), because I have had bad experiences with their quality.

Now that you know what you want, just don't buy a scanner without search capability. The BC220, 235, & 3000 are excellent HH scanners. The 9000, and 895 are also great base scanners. Stay away from the mass-marketed, low-end, and specialty units if you are looking for a general purpose do-it-all scanner. The Sportcat was a marketing gimmick.

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Evrclear84 wrote in message
<1998081720080200.QAA16090@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>i am dissapointed with the sportcat, bc80xlt, and all the other uniden scanners
>which dont have search capabilities. i absolutely HATE the 11 preprogrammed
>search bands that are on even the $200 scanners. Even with the cheapest
>scanners sold at RS, you can put in atleast a lower limit, and go to a
>frequency without programming it in. Why do they do this?!! i love the
>Sportcat150, but i am not gonna keep it just because it is very annoying not
>being able to seach within limits you make. you'd expect an expensive scanner
>to have this!
> please respond with any comments or suggestions.
>
>Steve.... Evrclear84@aol.com

2798. Re: OOPS! I mean MVT-7100!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@shemalecentral.com
Message-ID: <35D9B6E4.15AD@shemalecentral.com>
Source record: 147373

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >I am curious as to how difficult it is to order a scanner from
> >Bandercom?
>
> It's easy. I just got my Yupi in eight days.
>
> > Will it get through customs ok?
>
> That is always a risk. Bandercom is one of the few companies that guarantees
> delivery, even if the scanner is nabbed by Customs.
>
> > I understand that while it >may cost a little more ordering from canada, at
> least they can ship by >ups, therefore avoiding the more snoopy post office!
>
> Not true at all. Avoid UPS and FedEX like the plague. A few years back, I had
> to pay customs fees on scanner sent via UPS but never on at least five scanners
> sent by registered airmail.
>
> I'm wondering if
> >ordering from England, while lower in price, may be more risky?
>
> I don't think so. I ordered an interface from Durham in Canada some time ago.
> They stiffed me on the mailing cost and sent the dang thing by slow boat--it
> took a couple of weeks to get to Massachusetts!
>
> Please
> >excuse my ignorance, I would just hate to be out of the bucks if my
> >scanner was detaned at customs. I could save almost $100 by ordering
> >through England!(I am now also considering the AOR-8000 in place of the
> >MVT-7100) Is it worth the risk? Thank you in advance for your advice.
> >Jim
>
> I say it is worth the risk. But you'll have to decide for yourself.

Thank you for your help and advice! Bandercom's garuntee, and your
personal experience was most useful. I believe I will go with Bandercom.
They seem to have the repect of many on this NG, which is enough for me!

Thank you everyone!

Jim

2799. Re: Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles21@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6raj1s$6h1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35D7A0FF.1389@parg.org>,
bbowers@parg.org wrote:
> No longer needed, adapter to connect computer to internet via
> cable TV connection. Contact Bill Cheek!
>

John Mackey again is proving a liar, he stated the day Cheek was off the newsgroup he would stop his flaming.
The above post is proof positive that he has no intention of stopping and will continue his harasment of the newsgroup and then try and blame it on others.

Ask John Mackey why he hangs around the local elementary schools in the afternoon.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2800. Toledo OH Lifeflight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6ran67$cb7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147405

Could somebody pass along the frequency for St. Vincent/MCH Lifeflight out of Toledo Ohio . . . .

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
--oOO--(_)---OOo----------
The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

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2801. frequences

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: willis <willis@normandnet.fr>
Message-ID: <35d8ab66.0@194.250.238.3>
Source record: 147406

salut 73
je recherche des frequences interressantes a ecouter sur rouen 76

merci de votre cooperation et de vos reponses
@+++

2802. Re: frequences

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: willis <willis@normandnet.fr>
Message-ID: <35d8ab67.0@194.250.238.3>
Source record: 147407

willis a ?crit dans le message ...
>salut 73
>je recherche des frequences interressantes a ecouter sur rouen 76
>
>merci de votre cooperation et de vos reponses
>@+++
>
>

2803. HELP Pro-23 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: thelanlord@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rb4qjed1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147408

I got a Radio Shack PRO-23 and i got a problem with it. First of all, it powers on, and scans the bank channels but i can't pick up anything. I've also done a scan of freq ranges and don't get anything either. I've checked the antenna and tried another, as well as cracking it open and resoldering the connections, still nothing.

Does anyone have an idea of what could be causing this and how i go about fixing it?

Any help at all would be greatly appreciated, Thanks

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2804. Re: Crypto Clinton Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <gibronni@mark.com>
Message-ID: <01bdca3b$8f2e4f60$4f6aa1cf@markspac>
Source record: 147409

An interesting post!

I'm wondering if one of those "detector vans" that are used in Europe to detect unlicensed reception of tv signals, could be used to intercept the transmission. I can only assume that you would have to be close to one of the two monitors being used, effectively eliminating the White House end. My recollection of " Tempest" hazards is rather hazy, but will a CCTV work in this case, assuming it does not have a tuner?

Of course, given the porous nature of the testimony so far, it would probably be easier just to watch CNN, than attempt any complex technical methods. . .

Any comments?

Darrell

MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980817124415 00.IAA27702@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
: Not exactly about scanners, but I thought the following news report would be
: interesting for its mention of intercepting encrypted transmissions...
:
: WASHINGTON (Aug. 15) - White House technicians are masters of technology that
: would thwart any outsiders' efforts to tap into the video transmission of
: President Clinton's testimony to grand jurors, a communications specialist
: says.
:
: The White House Communications Agency will videotape Clinton's testimony Monday
: afternoon and provide ''a one-way live feed'' to grand jurors a mile away at
: the U.S. Courthouse, presidential spokesman Mike McCurry said Friday.
:
: Clinton will be questioned by prosecutors in the Map Room, part of the White
: House residence, McCurry said. He declined to provide further details about the
: closed-circuit TV transmission.
:
: The grand jury is hearing testimony in Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr's
: investigation of Clinton's contacts with Monica Lewinsky. The secrecy of grand

: jury proceedings is protected by law, although Clinton and other
witnesses can
: talk about their own testimony if they choose.
:
: As the day approached, Washington was filled with speculation about the
: prosecutors' questions and Clinton's answers. But it is unlikely anyone
will
: find out through eavesdropping on the video feed, said Dennis Dunbar, a
: telecommunications specialist with 15 years' experience setting up
: closed-circuit TV conferences.
:
: ''It will be absolutely secure,'' Dunbar predicted.
:
: The most likely scenario is the use of digital transmission cable to link
the
: White House and the courthouse to the existing fiber optic network
beneath
: Washington's streets. There are thousands of underground cables, and
inside
: each of those, thousands of lines only as thick as a human hair.
:
: ''If someone climbed in a manhole to try to find the wire, they would
have
: literally thousands and thousands to pick from,'' Dunbar said.
:
: The feed will likely go over a dedicated line carrying nothing but
Clinton's
: transmission, lowering the chances of any kind of interception, he said.
:
: The White House Communications Agency, created in 1942 as part of the
Army
: Signal Corps, will almost certainly use the most sophisticated encryption
: technology available to scramble both the image and the sound, Dunbar
said.
:
: ''WHCA is the cream of the crop - the best communications specialists the
: military has,'' he said.
:

2805. Re: what is the best hand held scanner to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35D8C3AE.968B8DF8@globe-net.net>
Source record: 147410

Radio Shack has been selling good scanners for years. Some
better than others. Many of the current line are made by Uniden.
Since you are into racing, Model 20-0513 (PRO-74) is what you
want. It allows you to store frequencies by car number. It is on sale
this month through the 29th for $169.99

It also has 100 memories (little on the low side) but has good
frequency coverage when away from the track:
29-54, 108-174, 406-512, 806-956(minus cellular) MHz

To see the specs for this radio, visit
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/pro-74.htm

or visit the Radio Shack Website
http://www.radioshack.com/Support/
and enter the model # (PRO-74)
to read the owners manual.

I have a PRO-90, PRO-2042, PRO-2026 (all sold by Radio Shack).
If I was into racing, the PRO-70 model would be one worth a
serious look.

To get a list of the frequencies used in racing, visit:
http://www.netnerd-inc.com/joe/index3.html

Hope that helps,

Robert

The Man wrote:

> What is the best hand held scanner to buy? will use it for racing and all
> the other local stuff. is Radio Shack scanner good?

2806. Re: Idiocy Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081800185400.UAA25358@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147411

jackt21262@aol.com (JackT21262) writes:

>Does this mean that we will not have anymore of this immature bickering
>back and forth and get back to the real topics of this board which is
>scanners?

Apparently it means we'll have to
endure a long series of asinine posts
such as yours, which have nothing
whatsoever to do with scanners.

2807. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081800185500.UAA25365@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147412

digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona) writes:

>I'm waiting for you to stop attacking people like Ryan, that obviously
>have other serious problems going on with their lives. You go after
>the easy-shots.

And you became the newsgroup sheriff .. when ?? .. Digitalis?

2808. Re: Stupidity Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081800185600.UAA25368@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147413

jackt21262@aol.com (JackT21262) writes:

>Does this mean that we will not have anymore of this immature bickering
>back and forth and get back to the real topics of this board which is
>scanners?

No, apparently it means we'll have an
onslaught of pseudo self-important posts
like yours.
You need some major help if you've
missed all the scanner related posts
here. You can "get back" to that if you
want. A lot of us have never left it.

2809. Re: Trunk Tracking

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35D8C72E.28E61267@globe-net.net>
Source record: 147414

There's some good info at http://www.trunktracker.com/

"Trunked systems, in layman's terms, frequency hop. A
conversation between two deputy fire chiefs may occur on one
frequency and then suddenly, during a pause in the transmission,
the conversation will jump to an entirely different radio frequency.
In the meantime, two sewer workers, in the same city or county
as the fire chiefs, may suddenly occupy the first frequency. Thus, it
becomes almost impossible to follow a complete train of thought."

The advantage to this trunking system is several agencies can
share a smaller set of frequencies. Rather than allocating a
much larger set (separate groups for fire, police, ambulance, etc.),
the "mother computer" manages the frequency hops. Police
only hear Police, Fire, only Fire, etc. The system also assigns
ID's for each radio. Each time the radio is keyed, the ID is displayed.

All this info shows up on a Trunktracker radio and the radio can
follow Motorola trunked systems. Without this new scanner, it
is a nightmare trying to follow the conversation. It would be like
trying to watch TV with someone continually changing the
channel each time someone stops talking. You quickly seach
the channels only to catch the tail end of the next sentence, then
the channel changes again! AHHH!

Robert

Bill Stacy wrote:

> Hello All
> help a newbie at this...
> What is Trunk Tracking and or what's a trunk and why is it so
> interesting?
> Thanks for responding
>
> Bill

2810. Re: phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bandit <bandit.one@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6rahjc$v7v29@scotty.tinet.ie>
Source record: 147415

New Cordless Old Cordless
ch BASE: HANDSET: ch BASE: HANDSET:
1 43.720 48.760 1 46.610 49.670
2 43.740 48.840 2 46.630 49.845
3 43.820 48.860 3 46.670 49.860
4 43.840 48.920 4 46.710 49.770
5 43.920 49.020 5 46.730 49.875
6 43.960 49.080 6 46.770 49.830
7 44.120 49.100 7 46.830 49.890
8 44.160 49.160 8 46.870 49.930
9 44.180 49.200 9 46.930 49.990
10 44.200 49.240 10 46.970 49.970
11 44.320 49.280
12 44.360 49.360
13 44.400 49.400 15 44.480 49.500
BASE HANDSET
16 46.610 49.670 46.8500 68.5500
17 46.630 49.845 18 46.670 49.860 19 46.710
49.770
20 46.730 49.875 21 46.770 49.830 22 46.830
49.890
23 46.870 49.930 24 46.930 49.990 25 46.970
49.970

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Please visit my homepage at www.move.to/maynooth
See the XJ Owners Picture Page at the URL below
www.welcome.to/xj-pictures
Maxim 750 '82 E-MAIL: Bandit@tinet.ie
WebCam at: http://banditcam.fsn.net
Please be sure to drop by the Yamaha XJ Owners website at
http://www.ucs.mun.ca/~t56blt/xj750.html Thank you.
****
****

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35D8A73D.24CD4BA@nospam.atandt.net>...
>Channel Frequency
>1 43.72
>2 43.74
>3 43.82
>4 43.84
>5 43.92

>6 43.96
>7 44.12
>8 44.16
>9 44.18
>10 44.20
>11 44.32
>12 44.36
>13 44.40
>14 44.46
>15 44.48
>16 46.61
>17 46.63
>18 46.67
>19 46.71
>20 46.73
>21 46.77
>22 46.83
>23 46.87
>24 46.93
>25 46.97
>
>Scott Calnek wrote:
>
>> Can someone please tell me what the frequencies are for a standard 10
>> channel cordless phone?
>>
>> Thanks
>> Scott
>>
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>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>
>Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
>It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.
>
>

2811. REQ: Kansas City, Kansas Police frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: intermod58@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081800182200.UAA25248@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147416

I need the 800 Mhz dispatch frequencies for KCKPD. Thanks.

2812. Re: Handheld scanners w/military freq, info please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jquinn@glinx.com
Message-ID: <35d8cb9d.1791637@news.glinx.com>
Source record: 147417

On 17 Aug 1998 22:49:59 GMT, cam35pilot@aol.com (CAM35PILOT) wrote:

>Hello,
> I recently bought a Radio Shack Pro-60, which is the last handheld they
>made with the military aircraft frequencies (220-400). My problem is the 3 or 4
>family and friends that want one also. Since Radio shack is apparently cleared
>out of them, can anyone suggest an alternative in the $125-$150 range. Also, I
>would be very appreciative if anyone knows of a Radio Shack that still has a
>Pro-60 on the shelf.
> Please feel free to email me if you have any suggestions, I thank you all
>in advance for your time.
>Rich Kolasa

still got them on the shelf in canada......

southside.....
..

2813. Yupiteru Receiver/Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Porky <pigsty@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <6raht3mvr1@comet2.magicnet.net>
Source record: 147418

Yupiteru Mod.MVT-9000 for sale-All mode, 1000 mem..100 khz-2036mhz
cont. no blocks. excellent cond.----$400.00
Grundig Yacht Boy 400 HF Receiver for sale- long wave, short
wave,AM,FM,SSB, BFO. 40 mem. Excellent Cond. $175.00
E-Mail- pigsty@magicnet.net

2814. Re: phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35D8CB9F.1C027A00@globe-net.net>
Source record: 147419

Sure, visit
http://www.laker.net/mikef/cordless.txt

Robert

Scott Calnek wrote:

> Can someone please tell me what the frequencies are for a standard 10
> channel cordless phone?
>
> Thanks
> Scott

2815. Re: Yupiteru Receiver/Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081800523000.UAA02045@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147420

How will you except payment. COD. MO, CHECK.Please let me know.pdoddy@aol.com

2816. Frequencies in Markham IL. and surrounding suburbs!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lucas <lclucas@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bdca45$683686c0$b0ca51d1@default>
Source record: 147421

Hello to all. Again I would like to have frequencies for Markham IL. and
the surrounding suburbs. I moved recently
and I would like to fill up my scanners with frequencies.

Please Email me back!!!

Thanks,
Lyle

2817. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Humpty@Dumpty.Com
Message-ID: <35d8d5eb.4631610@news.flash.net>
Source record: 147422

I thought this was a rec.radio.scanner newsgroup not a
child.whiner.crybaby newsgroup.

On Sat, 15 Aug 1998 18:26:36 GMT, jimlee5657897@hotmail.com (Jim Lee)
wrote:

>Bill Cheek has been nothing but a loud mouth fool posting all kinds of
>lies on the private RoadRunner news groups for over a year now.
>
>It seems you good people here have done the great service of getting
>him kick off of RoadRunner for all his abuse of this news group.
>
>THANKS
>
>As you may or may not know RoadRunner is a cable connection with very
>fast speed and you can bet that Bill is very mad at losing his RR
>account. This can not be replaced unless he gets a T1 line at a much
>higher price then $45 a month.
>
>Bill if you get a new account at some local slow ISP and read this
>then all I have to say is:
>
>HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA
>
>I new you would screw yourself again......
>

2818. Re: Discriminator tap for PRO-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6rfgdf$gu4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-5tjbCj3GefCm@localhost>,
chuckie@ibm.net wrote:
> Bill Cheek's "Discriminator FAQ" did not discuss this radio and I
> haven't been able to locate information about which of the ICs and its
> pin I need to tap for the NFM output. Would anyone know?

Actually I purchased this radio for the pure purpose of using it with a discriminator tap. Very easy to do, all I had to do is stick a wire in the middle jumper of the set of three jumpers just belong the CTCSS option board. Then is attached the Ground to part of the metal body. Some people have said difficulties might occur with using that output and not a on the chip, but I have had no difficulties. I have successfully managed to decode and track EDACS and Motorola trunked systems along with other forms of digital transmissions. Hope this helps!

The Picture:

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[ - - - - - O O O O - - - ]
[ ]
[ (CTCSS BOARD) ]
[ ]
[ ]
[ - - - - - - O O O - - - ]
^
attach wire here for discriminator ouput
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wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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2819. Re: LOOKING FOR MOUNTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott D. Hernalsteen" <scotth@misi.net>
Message-ID: <35DB3DB2.D72DC2EC@misi.net>
Source record: 147125

tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <01bdc944$e55d54a0$32bab3cf@lplynch.nbnet.nb.ca>,
> "Lisa Patterson" <lplynch@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:
> > I'm trying to find out what company or where i can get a radio floor mount,
> > just a generic mount to mount to the floor and then the radio mounts to it,
> > have seen lots but unable to find out where to get.. any help would do.
> > thanks
> >
> > Aaron
> >
> Aaron, try
> Http://www5.interaccess.com/iixeqpt
> 73, Tiny
> W9ZRO
>
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Have you tried Gall's? They manufacture and sell police/fire/EMS
equipment/acessories. The web address is www.gallsinc.com

--Scott

2820. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rfjh8$jp8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147126

From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>> I have nothing to apologize for. Infact Bill owes ME & everyone on this
>> NG an apology.

Bill Cheek does NOT owe me any apologies. I have read all his books and magazine articles and he contributes a lot to our hobby. I have also looked at deja news articles he has posted and he has nothing to apoligize for at all. Merry

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2821. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DB3F06.2857D192@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147127
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You are extremely sick.

Oh, and there is no 'family car' -- he doesn't drive (he can't).

Duracell wrote:

> On 13 Aug 1998 21:28:29 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
> >Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?
> >
> >I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's
> >MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he
> >should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members
> >with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group
> >has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for
> >legal reasons.
> >
> Dude, why don't you help the old man out? Pop his ass in the front
> seat of the family car (running) and run a hose from the exhaust to
> the back seat! Pop in his favorite 8 track (Doors?) and close up the
> garage for the night.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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2822. texas dps frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe ard <jard@inu.net>
Message-ID: <35db32a3.0@NEWS.INU.NET>
Source record: 147128
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

am trying to update my list of DPS freqs. Does anyone have a current list.
Thanks

2823. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DB4003.F6779CC@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147129

> > Post a dozen messages on-topic,
> I do often.

No.

> > AND apologize to Bill,
> I have nothing to apologize for. Infact Bill owes ME & everyone on this
> NG an apology.

Not me.

> > AND let RoadRunner admin know you lied and want Bill to have his
> > acount back,
>
> I didn't lie & I don't desire Bill to have an internet account so I
> can't do either that you request. All I did was forward Bill's
> abusive messages to abuse@san.rr.com & they made the desision
> at that point. I also told others how to complain to Bill's ISP.
>

So?

> Bill's ISP made a decision based on his abusive actions. He received
> MANY warnings both publicly & privately. His abuse was both public
> (like on this newsgroup) & private (via e-mail). Don't forget that
> Bill recently kicked off of the Scan-L mailing list due to his
> repeated abuse to that list even after repeated warnings.

Again, so?

> > and I'll quit
> > digging thru DejaNews and forwarding all your crap to Teleport, MCI, and
>
> Do what ever you want, I have nothing to hide. BTW - I will be moving
> to either concentric or AT&T soon so you should be ready start your
> meaningless complaints to them if you really want to.
>

::scratch scratch:: I wonder why? You seem to move a lot.

Reason for 'phasing the truce' for a moment, is because you love to lie --
don't know why I didn't fully realize this earlier.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/

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2824. BC235XLT TRUNKTRACKER ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Kerkes <jdkerkes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcbbf$cea42d60$0b07440c@hp-customer>
Source record: 147130
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am thinking about buying a new handheld scanner and was wondering if anyone is using this model scanner from Uniden and was wondering if anyone could provide me with information on it's performance?
Thank You - John in CT.

2825. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rfjpf$g41$0@207.18.224.101>
Source record: 147131

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 18:43:05 GMT, thekat@san.rr.commmm (Bud) wrote:

>On 19 Aug 1998 11:20:17 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>
>>>I would like to join the Pottersville gang! How do I sign up? I want to help
>>>the organization really get going. Do you have room for a Public Information
>>>Officer (PIO)?
>>
>>Absolutely. Already chatted with the membership committee, and you
>>are in.
>>
>>Insofar as PIO, have at it!
>
>Me too! I want to be a member. Maybe the West Coast Master-at-Arms?
>
Hmmm. Sure! Can you kick non-members out?

2826. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rfjqu$g41$1@207.18.224.101>
Source record: 147132

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 19:44:47 GMT, geovet@thevision.net (George Vetterle) wrote:

>I think you have made an excellent choice with Mike as PIO
>for P_ARG. Mike is a published author and as such should
>do an excellent job compared to PIOs of other groups who are
>often totally unqualified for the job.
>
I am positive that he will do an excellent job as PIO of P_ARG!

Great to see he has such support!

2827. Re: texas dps frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rfnhc$t24$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 147133
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You can find them at http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/txdps.htm

joe ard wrote in message <35db32a3.0@NEWS.INU.NET>...
>am trying to update my list of DPS freqs. Does anyone have a current list.
>Thanks
>
>

2828. Re: better antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35DAF2BF.955FF2B0@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 147134

If all you are interested in mainly is VHF low band you could purchase one of the commercial low band ducks cut to the frequencies you are interested in. Do a search on Larsen or another one that comes to mind is Tuff duck, can't remember the parent company, also you could purchase one of the replacement 6 meter ham ducks, try Amateur electronic supply in milwaukee. I have used the 6meter Azden handheld duck on my 895 xlt and it does work better than the telescoping whip for the upper end of VHF LB. Remember though your other frequencies, VHF hi UHF 800, will suffer.

Mike

2829. Re: Winradio 1000i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35dc66dc.69877126@news.provide.net>
Source record: 147135

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 10:31:17 -0600, Dan Oppenheim <antelope@swcp.com>
wrote:

>I just ordered a Winradio 1000i and should have it by this Friday. Has
>anybody had good luck with this receiver? Any comments (good or bad),
>suggestions, etc? Any info will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Dan
>
>P.S. Is the RS PRO-90 a decent trunk-tracker? It's on sale right now at
>RS for $199 and am thinking about looking into it.
>
>
>
Hi Dan,
Just to let you know that National Electronics has the BC235XLT
Trunktracker for 188.90 shipped to your door.By getting the uniden
radio,you get the extra set of batteries for free.I will be ordering
mine on monday along with the BC895 XLT which they have for 213
dollars shipped.
Hope that this helps and happy scanning.
http://www.sound.net/~ne/

Rick in White Lake Mich

2830. Re: BC235XLT TRUNKTRACKER ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <35DB6D29.21A2309B@cadvision.com>
Source record: 147136
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

D Kerkes wrote:

> I am thinking about buying a new handheld scanner and was wondering if
> anyone is using this model scanner from Uniden and was wondering if anyone
> could provide me with information on it's performance?

For monitoring the local Motorola Type II SmartZone trunk, it can't be beat--unless you (AND whoever owns/operates the trunk!) are willing to get yourself a Motorola trunking radio. Reception within a Zone on the 235 is outstanding, although I had to pick up a third-party antenna since the Uniden one crapped out with the infamous centerpin breakaway. You'd never know you were on a trunk if you hadn't spent an hour or so programming the radio.

Some beefs I have:

1. The radio won't take into account all the modifiers that can be done to a channel. For example, Fire Dispatch channel C13 is 304 on my radio. They have C13 for the North half of the city and C14 (336) for the South. They have a foot pedal which activates the "multi-select" feature to let the dispatcher broadcast on C13 and C14 simultaneously. When the dispatcher does this, the talkgroup suddenly becomes either 311 or 343 (304 or 336, plus 7). The TrunkTracker doesn't handle this--I don't hear a dispatcher who's using multi-select unless I specifically listen to 311 and/or 343. Similarly, if someone on tac channel C1 (48) pushes the Emergency button, their traffic comes across on 50 (48+2).. and it's not heard on '48'. So if you program it using Scan Lists, you end up missing a bunch of stuff. (I'd use Search Mode, but there are upwards of 60 police digital/encrypted channels on this trunk, and you can only lock out 100 talkgroups total. There are also more than 50 Fire/EMS talkgroups too (the radio has 5 banks of 10 channels each in which to store talkgroups).
2. It can't follow the SmartZone system from zone to zone as I travel through the city. A true trunking radio (if I'd had $3000 to blow) would sense which Zone is the strongest and switch to it. The 235 doesn't. I programmed in all 5 Zones in the city and just have to start switching trunkbanks once the one I'm listening to starts to fall off.
3. Reception seems to be significantly less than a true trunking radio. Granted, like I say we're talking a $400 scanner versus a $3000 radio, but I at 50km away from the city can only get the Zones sporadically, and I know for a fact that fire crews have been out past my location by about another 25-35km and have been able to contact Dispatch using a *handheld* radio..
4. I'd prefer A) the delay to be selectable by each talkgroup instead of globally, and B) the delay to be shortened--currently, it's 5 seconds, and I think 1, 1.5, or 2 would be more than enough.

Other than that, the TT is a fantastic radio. I would recommend (and have done so) it to anyone wanting to scan a trunk system.

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Jay lowj@cadvision.com http://www.fumbling.com/heard/
http://www.redwoodmeadows.ab.ca/fire/

2831. Alabama

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: shoalsman@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21523-35DB65FC-33@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147137

Well Heck!! Can't find any channels and have actually read the manual.. I really just get alot of static. Can someone direct me to where I can get local frequencies from Florence, Al.
Thanks,

2832. Re: texas dps frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Isaiah Beard <scared_poet@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35DB6A2D.A99A4594@pobox.com>
Source record: 147138
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

joe ard wrote:
>
> am trying to update my list of DPS freqs. Does anyone have a current list.
> Thanks

These are the freqs I have for El Paso/West Texas:

155.460 ("Channel Two")
155.655 (Sierra Blanca)
159.210 (Main Channel, repeater)

2833. Help I.D.: Old Bearcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sebring@zebra.net
Message-ID: <35DB7AD8.1199@zebra.net>
Source record: 147139

I picked up an old Bearcat III "Electra" Scanner with 8 channels. No markings at all on this radio. What model is this, when was it made, and can I get a manual for it?
sebring@zebra.net

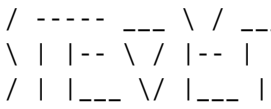
2834. Re: Staten Island Ferry/Jersey City Ferry Frequencies ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven T. Shapiro" <shapi16@banet.net>
Message-ID: <35DB7D30.209ADF25@banet.net>
Source record: 147140
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Roy Harrison wrote:

> Does any one have the exact frequencies of the Ferry boats running in
> NY Harbor. I've scanned the martine bands and it's to confusing to
> decipher.
>
> Roy

all i found was 156.9500. good luck, i am looking for my copy of police
call, they might have a referance?



2835. Re: Icom R-9000 heat problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <5CE14193B2C08991.3D92113498C99644.8E3E70EB5005F984@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 147141

Gosh,

I only wish I had an R-9000 just so I could experience this problem... ;-)

Manuel Maseda wrote in message <6rcth8eaa1@news-2.news.gte.net>...
>For those like me that don't like to see their R-9000 get hot enough to fry
>an egg, I have a simple solution. I made up a D.C. power cord and am now
>running mine using a small external 13.8 volt D.C. supply. The operators
>manual doesn't mention the pin-outs for the external DC-DC connector on the
>rear panel but I figured it out by looking at the service manual and called
>Icom to confirm. Simply remove the jumper plug from the connector and
>install 13.8 volts to pin 1 and ground to pin 4. Remember to disconnect
the
>A.C. cord from the radio as it is no longer needed. You will be surprised
>just how much cooler the radio runs.
>
>Good luck,
>
>Manuel W4SSB
>
>

2836. Re: SONY CRF-1 HF reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike maghakian <mikedawn@adnc.com>
Message-ID: <35DB7AD1.D034DB28@adnc.com>
Source record: 147142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

that is about what it went for new about 18 years ago. I reviewed it for Sony when it first came out. totally awesome rig except for the akward tuning system

Paul Gacek wrote:

> $1700 - you have got to be joking!
>
> Akio Fujikawa wrote in message <35D2DC5A.A4DB36F1@nk.rim.or.jp>...
> >Hello!
> >Thank you for your e-mail.
> >CRF-1 is great condition. Cosmetic is exc.condition.
> >I think CRF-1 Best HF reciever.
> >
> >I hope price us$1,700+shipping.
> >Shipping fee is
> >us$105- via EMS.
> >
> >I wait your good answer.
> >
> >Bets regards,
> >73
> >akio fujikawa
> >fujikawa@nk.rim.or.jp
> >$B!!(J
> >

2837. Re: what is PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10451fca1d11d9f09896a3@news.pon.net>
Source record: 147143

In article <1998081918233300.OAA24644@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
evrclear84@aol.com says...
> the PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder is a feature on the relmHS200 which i am
> interested in.. what is this? and what does it do?
> hope someone can help!!!
>
> steve Evrclear84@aol.com
>
They are tones or codes that are sent with a radio transmission that tell radios that the message is for them. For example, our ambulance dispatch frequency is 154.515 MHz with a CTCSS tone of 131.8 Hz. With a traditional scanner, when I'm driving through town, and I pass by a group of fast food joints, I may hear "Welcome to Taco Bell, would you like to try some gorditas today?" NO, I only care to hear our dispatch! Also, I live on a hill and can pick up St. Helena Police and Suisun City Police both on 155.520. They use different CTCSS tones. By programming 127.3 Hz into my scanner, I just hear St. Helena Police. The DPL/DCS is a digital version. The only people I know that use it in my area are the school busses. Another nice feature with having them is that if all the frequencies you are scanning have them, you can turn the squelch all the way and won't give you a bunch of static and often, at least for me, picks up weaker signals. I bought the Bearcat BC 895 XLT scanner which has the CTCSS decoder (and CTCSS finder) but it doesn't have the DPL/DCS, which as I stated, isn't to bad since I could really care less what the school busses were talking about.

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

2838. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB802D.31C6@parg.org>
Source record: 147144

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Reason for 'phasing the truce' for a moment, is because you love to lie --

You & others make this statement yet are unable to demonstrate
when/where I have lied. Thus, making yourself look like liars!

2839. Re: 895 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1045213de70b922d9896a4@news.pon.net>
Source record: 147145

In article <1080-35DAFB03-25@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Mrchess@webtv.net says...
> Iam trying to get my tape recorde hooked up to my 895XLT, for some reasn
> the tape recorder is not comming on when the scanner is active like its
> soppsed to '
> can any one give me any Ideas?? has to why has any one done this with a
> 895XLT
> Thank you
> Dave
> davarc@Premier1.net
>
> born to be wild (thats my theam)
>
>

Have you told the scanner which channels you want recorded? You need to
press the "Aux" button for each channel you want recorded. When you
press it, the "Line" display will show for that channel. I guess it is
so you can listen to more, but only record select channels.
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_____
Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

2840. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB81AA.6F3E@parg.org>
Source record: 147146

Bud wrote:

> Your abusive and harassing presence in this newsgroup BEGS an apology to
> everyone that has had to read your posts.

I have never harassed anyone on this NG. Infact YOU are one
of the biggest violators of the above.

> Bill lost his account because of YOUR lies and fake accounts that were
> continually sending complaints to RR.com.

WRONG! I have never lied to RR.COM or used fake accounts with RR.COM
as you state above. What proof do you have to support your
accusations? (You will have NONE because your accusations are
lies)

According to Edwin Kruse of San.rr.com, complaints about Bill Cheek
were received from MANY people.

> Your activities did NOT fool
> CTS.com, and that is why Bill still HAS an account there.

Yea, CTS.COM seems to be a haven for trouble makers as they ignore
their users that are trouble makers.

> But there are
> LOTS of people working behind the scenes to help get Bill back on RR.

Go for it, there are lots of people who worked behind the scenes
to get Bill OFF of RR.

> Don't
> bet on getting an AT&T account.

hahaha, I love a challenge!

2841. Ace Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OshYMJ#y9GA.222@upnetnews05>
Source record: 147147
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just wondering if anyone has dealt with a company called Ace Communications
http://www.ace-communications.com
?

Just wanted to check and see if anyone else had ordered from them and what
their experience was..

Thanks

2842. Re: Murphy Brothers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <35DB8C3E.9A6132B3@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 147148
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

What do you what that for?

Collin J. Kreklow wrote:

> Does anyone know the frequencies for Murphy Bros. Inc out of Moline, IL?
>
> Any help is appreciated.
> Collin

2843. FS.PRO 2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <35DB8DAA.F9029043@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 147149

Pro 2022 For Sale Radio is in great condition $175 shipped

2844. Re: Sony ICF-SC1PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Kimble <gmk@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35DB8DF7.87E0646@pacbell.net>
Source record: 147150

Life ain't fair.

I ordered one from Universal last week, and they say it's on backorder until 28 August.

Bummer.

Let me know how you like it.

George

Bill Crocker wrote:

> I read Rich Wells review of the Sony ICF-SC1PC scanner, and went out and
> bought one yesterday. It appears to be a very solid unit! How come I don't
> see/hear more about it in the news groups?
>
> Thanks,
> Bill Crocker

--
George M. Kimble
gmk<at>pacbell.net
gmk<at>usa.net

2845. Re: Murphy Brothers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <n9jig-1908982213290001@56-ip-240.theramp.net>
Source record: 147151
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6rdjn1$f67$1@news3.alpha.net>, "Collin J. Kreklow"
<wizkid@inwave.com> wrote:

> Does anyone know the frequencies for Murphy Bros. Inc out of Moline, IL?
>
> Any help is appreciated.
> Collin

According to Spectrum they have 72.440, 72.52, and 72.600

--
******* Rich Carlson, N9JIG *******
Illinois Highways Page http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html
Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA)
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

2846. Re: 2006 "low-bat" problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <n9jig-1908982207060001@56-ip-240.theramp.net>
Source record: 147152

In article <35D85117.BED@ibm.net>, andmoss@ibm.net wrote:

> gs.patton@t-online.de wrote:
> >
> > hi there!
> >
> > Is there sombody who can help me??
> > my scanner say&#65533;s "low-batt" although i have changed the 9volt-batterie.
> > The peeping on low-bat makes me very nervous!!
> >
> > greetings from germany,
> >
> > emil
>
> Hi Emil,
>
> I recently was sent a schematic of the PRO2004/5/6. Interestingly, the
> circuitry that checks for low-battery probably draws more current than
> the actual CPU of the unit! There's very little to go wrong in this
> circuit so I would suspect it's either a bad connection on the battery
> clip or the wire(s) leading into the radio.
>
> FWIW, I see an interesting modification that would replace the battery
> with an electrolytic capacitor (1Farad, say from a VCR) and mean you
> would never have to worry about buying another 9V battery for the unit.
>
> I've done similar modifications to ham rigs with great success.
>
> Cheers!
> Andy

I have started having a similar situation: My 2006 has had a memory
expansion (the Cheek 16 banks of 400 channels mod) and for the first year
or so I never had a problem. Now all of a sudden the battery seems to die
after a month or so, and without warning.

I have the battery from the radio that died today, and will voltage check
it at work tomorow...

--
******* Rich Carlson, N9JIG *******
Illinois Highways Page http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html
Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA)
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

2847. Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB9641.6187@parg.org>
Source record: 147153

I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason I have been causing trouble in this newsgroup and alt.radio.scanner for the past three years is because I deeply love Bill Cheeks and will go to great lengths to protect his arse. I dream about rooting bill with my 2 inch wart-infested floppy dick and can't wait to see Bill in two weeks time so we can bumjack around like we often do.

Bill and I have been BumChums for four years now and enjoy the company of other hermaphrodities like myself who have no brains and half a testicle.

Please post on-topic now.

2848. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB96F2.7A99@parg.org>
Source record: 147154

John M - KAOSSF wrote:
>
> John M - KAOSSF wrote:
> >
> > I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
>
> The above post was a forge!
>
> There is NOTHING of it that was true!

The above post was a forge!

Everything in the previous post is true!

2849. My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB978C.5F8F@parg.org>
Source record: 147155

I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have 10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

2850. WTB ic-pcr1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <beercans@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35DB9998.6C4F@juno.com>
Source record: 147156

I am looking for a used pcr1000. In good working order
Thanks

2851. CHP freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.net>
Message-ID: <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>
Source record: 147157

does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?

thanks craig

2852. Re: Ace Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35DBB159.3ACC@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 147158
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

marcs_ms wrote:
>
> Just wondering if anyone has dealt with a company called Ace Communications
> http://www.ace-communications.com
> ?
>
> Just wanted to check and see if anyone else had ordered from them and what
> their experience was..
>
> Thanks

I ordered a scanner from them once a few years ago. The scanner arrived and was not as specified in the ad in Pop Comm. The ad said it came with Ni Cads and a charger it did not. I called Ace they said to send it back for a refund. I did, they did not refund, after a month and several calls to them they kept saying it had been refunded. My credit card statement said otherwise. I finally had a threeway call between Ace, myself and my Credit Card Bank. The money was finally refunded. I never dealt with Ace again.

Greg Renner

2853. My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DBABA3.52D7@parg.org>
Source record: 147159

I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have 10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

2854. Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DBABFF.3A73@parg.org>
Source record: 147160

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Please post on-topic now.

2855. Re: CHP freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <NwOC1.182$T42.127026@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 147161

What area or city? The CHP has about 50 frequencies used around the state.

Mike

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Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
Moonman wrote in message <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>...
>does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?
>
>
> thanks craig

2856. I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DBC00D.774@parg.org>
Source record: 147162

I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner for my shithouse attitude, off-topic postings, forged emails, rogue-cancels and other miscellaneous mail bombs (especially to my BumChum Billy "big butt" Cheeks!). I also want to apologise to clark college for illegally accessing their system's nntp news server externally and injecting fake newsgroup postings and making rogue newsgroup cancels. Most of all, I would like to say that since I'm gay and demented I have no control over my actions. My only real hobby is rooting around with my warp-infested floppy dick and shoving dipoles up my lover's rear ends.

I promise from now on to do the following:

1. Make no more off-topic posts
2. Refrain from talking about anything but scanners
3. Resign from the "officer colostomy for brains position"
4. Continue to stalk my lover Bill Cheeks

2857. better antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081914015900.KAA25199@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147174

I have a BC235XLT and have replaced the duckie with a RS extended antenna which has improved reception immensely. I am looking for an antenna that will provide the same or better reception in a more discreet size. When extended, the RS antenna is over 24" long. I'm looking for something that will be more sensitive to low band frequencies..in a compact size...any ideas?
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

2858. AFM's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nicon <nicon@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6reltg$7a$8@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 147175

Hi, I have 10 years of Air Force Monthly's for sale(from the very first issue !), all copies in good condidion and in binders.
The reason - I am moving & can't take them with me !
Can post anywhere in UK & all serious offers looked at.
Please contact on nicon@globalnet.co.uk

2859. FS Pro-2037

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug270@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35dade30.8673817@news-server>
Source record: 147176

I have a Radio Shack Pro - 2037 scanners.
Like new condition.
Original boxes and documentation.
Triple conversion.
200 Channel
Search
$150.00

Send E-Mail to doug270@yahoo.com

Thanks

2860. Re: San Diego >>>>anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081914372800.KAA17096@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147177

>
>Can someone frome San Diego or if someone knows whos frequencies are these
>162.925, 163.725, 154.845
>if you know please let me know send e-mail

According to Police Call, 1998 ed.:
162.925 - Immigration & Naturalization Services (input to 163.675) (San Clemente area border checkpoint)
163.725 - San Clement border checkpoint
154.845 - Coronado P.D. *
* I think this may have just changed within the past two weeks w/Coronado PD joining the SD County 800 MHz system-not sure!
Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

2861. Re: gettin bill cheek back

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6reo1a$dia@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147178

In <1998081615254600.LAA16952@ladder01.news.aol.com> jvillafane@aol.com (JVillafane) writes:
>
>for all of you who would like to get bill cheek back on this newsgroup

>please write to edwin kruse at ekruse@san.rr.com
>he is the supervisor for isp accounts just e-mail a quick note asking to re
>assign
>bill cheeks thanks enjoy
>

why would the Cheek Guy
want to be "had back" on
this NG?

how do you get someone off
a NG that ain't moderated and
for the most part is a playground
for the mindless and disembowed
who inhibit this group...cheek guy
not one of them.

I guess I missed the "finale"
posting about how the Cheek Guy
is allegedly off the NG...or
vis a vis his ISP.

How much did the ISP get paid
to go along with the scheme?

something is not right on
this NG. besides the Mackeral
smelling up it all.

bill conduit
etc.

2862. Re: Murphy Brothers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35DAE7B7.3303@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 147179
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Located a Murphy Brothers in East Moline with the callsign WPMH367 on
the frequency 43.04 MHz

Regards

Ed

Collin J. Kreklow wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the frequencies for Murphy Bros. Inc out of Moline, IL?
>
> Any help is appreciated.
> Collin

2863. FS: RS Pro-39 handheld to 960MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081914484000.KAA18230@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147180

Radio Shack PRO-39 200 channel VHF/UHF scanner + 10 memory channels - mint condition; need to upgrade to a Trunked scanner - San Diego area has changed both City and County now on trunked systems! $150.00 / obo; this scanner had an average selling price between 1/98 & 7/98 of $176.00 according to http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scanpric.html. Please e-mail me w/any questions. Thank you!
Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

2864. Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35DAEA47.1138@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 147181

MAlexander;

The only complete reference that I know of is the FCC rule book. The official title is Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 47, Telecommunications. The complete set is available from the Superintendant of Documents, Government Printing Office. It's five volums and the complete set goes for well over $150. It's probably available at a good reference library. Very hard to use because it's split up into various parts. The Broadcasters have their part, the marine users have their part, the aviation users have thier part, land mobile users their part. I have not seen a good listing of frequencies as to thier usage. The older Police Call books (Radio Shack) used to have a fair listing in the back but it's hopelessly out of date with the new rules in effect.

Regards

Ed
MAlexder wrote:
>
> Does anyone know where I can find a complete FCC freq allocation table that
> includes modes and steps for each allocation? For example, this type of thing:
> Broadcasting 450.05-450.925 FM at 24KHz steps.Thanks.

2865. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DAEA87.107BA788@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147182

No ... MS is a disease that eats the myelin coating on nerves and disables most, if not all, of the body sooner or later. You can also go blind, deaf, lose all feeling, become a quadraplegic, and die.

And no, Multiple Sclerosis cannot be modified (and in reality, there is no cure).

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <35D91017.2F1D@parg.org>,
> pio@parg.org wrote:
>
> > You call your senseless FLAMING of making fun of a 13 yr old
> > kid because his dad has MS is being "on-topic"!!!!!!1
>
> Pio, I'm sorry to be so dense, but you seem to know so much about these
> things. Is MS a brand of scanner, like RS? What frequencies do they cover?
> Can they be modified to receive cordless phones? Merry
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

2866. FS pro 90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: danielle@unidirect.com
Message-ID: <6retpnpdn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147183

I have a barely used pro-90 trunktracker that I need to sell.
It is only 2 months old and in very good condition (I even have the original box!). I would like to get $175 for it, plus shipping.
Please Email me at mailto:danielle@unidirect.com or mailto:danibel@earthlink.net if you are interested.
Thanks,
Danielle

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2867. FS: MaxRad Mobile Scanner Antenna w/mount and cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmi@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <6res8antb1@supernews.com>
Source record: 147184
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,ne.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

MaxRad mobile scanner antenna with mount and 17' of cable. The mount requires a 3/8" hole be drilled at the spot where you choose to place the antenna. The antenna is all black and stands aprox. 18-20" tall. No marks or scratches on it. Asking $40

If interested contact via e-mail (jimmi@mediaone.net) or call 617-770-2452

2868. Opto Xplorer & Scout data management utility - NEW!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6ret8e$ht3$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 147185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all,

Letting you know that Otto, a data download & management utility for the Optoelectronics Scout and Xplorer test receivers is available, take a look at http://www.eurohubner.com/mike/soft_otto.html

You can also see my complete web site, at http://www.eurohubner.com/mike/home.html

Cheers,

Mike Puchol

2869. Re: better antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35DAFD48.204BD451@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 147186

Cbake777 wrote:
> I have a BC235XLT and have replaced the duckie with a RS extended antenna which
> has improved reception immensely. I am looking for an antenna that will provide
> the same or better reception in a more discreet size. When extended, the RS
> antenna is over 24" long. I'm looking for something that will be more sensitive
> to low band frequencies..in a compact size...any ideas?

Chris,
You're pretty much asking for two things which are mutually
exclusive. Like asking for a car that goes like a bat out of
hell but has the best fuel economy. There's always a trade-off.
Any number of gray levels in between but you have to decide
what the trade-off point is.
As the frequency goes lower, its wavelength gets longer.
To receive it efficiently, you would like to match the antenna
to this wavelength. So lower freqs needed longer antennas.
You might want to read my Handheld Antenna Review to
determine for yourself what level of performance you're
willing to sacrifice for a more compact package :

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/rev_hant.htm

Happy reading!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

2870. Re: Anybody know about a Vlink?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <6rf3n6$u6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147187

In article <mikeford-1908980402520001@socal56k153.netwiz.net>,
mikeford@netwiz.net (Mike Ford) wrote:
> I was in the toy store the other day, and for $15 they were selling a 900
> mhz "toy" cell phone called a Vlink. Looks as I say like a cell phone,
> bright clear plastic case, and the blurb is something like the following.
>
> 900 mhz works up to 3 blocks, call your friends, talk to each other at the
> mall Free (it is really some sort of walkie talkie with phone smarts of a
> sort). Has modes to listen to anybody, or just calls with "your number" (3
> digits you set). So cheap, even minimal operation makes them tempting to
> play with, anybody know more?

Channel Freq
1 916.8750 < - - Calling Frequency
2 915.8625
3 915.0000
4 914.0875
5 913.3375
6 912.0000
7 910.9125
8 910.2375
9 909.3375
10 908.5000
11 907.6625
12 907.0000
13 906.3375
14 905.6625
15 904.5000
16 903.4865
17 903.0000
18 902.5000

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2871. Winradio 1000i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Oppenheim <antelope@swcp.com>
Message-ID: <35DAFDD5.3031368A@swcp.com>
Source record: 147188

I just ordered a Winradio 1000i and should have it by this Friday. Has anybody had good luck with this receiver? Any comments (good or bad), suggestions, etc? Any info will be appreciated.

Thanks,

Dan

P.S. Is the RS PRO-90 a decent trunk-tracker? It's on sale right now at RS for $199 and am thinking about looking into it.

2872. Re: Code Grabbers are Burglar's Tools! Calif Penal Code 466.9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35DAE184.1B1C51CF@pacbell.net>
Source record: 147189

How about xmit_id ...available " free" at

http://home.pacbell.net/kaliber/freemain.html

a_alpha1

2873. Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <35dcfeb7.5966469@news.zip.com.au>
Source record: 147190

I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason I have been causing trouble in this newsgroup and alt.radio.scanner for the past three years is because I deeply love Bill Cheeks and will go to great lengths to protect his arse. I dream about rooting bill with my 2 inch wart-infested floppy dick and can't wait to see Bill in two weeks time so we can bumjack around like we often do.

Bill and I have been BumChums for four years now and enjoy the company of other hermaphrodities like myself who have no brains and half a testicle.

Please post on-topic now.

2874. San Francisco Bay Area News frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35dd00ab.144565163@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 147191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks to the person who posted the list of SF Bay Area news frequencies (radio and television stations). I watched the Channel 5 news last nite and they had at least two "live" broadcasts which I did not hear (i.e., apparently they have some other frequencies not on the list). Does anyone else have a list of frequencies for Bay Area news organizations?

Thanks in advance,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
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2875. Standard Frequency Inversion In your area?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081917041600.NAA14871@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147192

We would like to know if standard speech inversion is still
in use in your geograohical area or if it has become 100% digital..

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters/ Service Manuals</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

2876. WEB PAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1080-35DAF8B3-21@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147193

Dose any body have bill check (SP)
web page or a phone number that I could call him
E-mail me
Dave...

born to be wild (thats my theam)

2877. 895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1080-35DAF7E1-20@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147194

I have a uniden bearcat 895 XLT
Iam trying to hook my tape recorder up to the scanner,and from my understanding ,it is sopposed to record automaticly , I have the plugs and the cords and Iam trying to get it to work but the tape recorder is not recording,(comming on) when the scanner comes on. can any body give me any Ideas?? has any body hooked a tape recorder up to a 895 XLT??..
Maybe I got the wrong jacks or plugs
Can some one put a cord together for me??
E-MAIL ME
Thanks in advance
Dave...
davarc@Premier1.net

born to be wild (thats my theam)

2878. 895 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1080-35DAFB03-25@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 147195

Iam trying to get my tape recorde hooked up to my 895XLT, for some reasn
the tape recorder is not comming on when the scanner is active like its
soppsed to '
can any one give me any Ideas?? has to why has any one done this with a
895XLT
Thank you
Dave
davarc@Premier1.net

born to be wild (thats my theam)

2879. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35DB0983.47BC6950@home.com>
Source record: 147196

Are you to do all this in Australia?

John Mackey Bbowels@arse.net NEW ADDRESS! wrote:

> I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
> I have been causing trouble in this newsgroup and alt.radio.scanner
> for the past three years is because I deeply love Bill Cheeks and will
> go to great lengths to protect his arse. I dream about rooting bill
> with my 2 inch wart-infested floppy dick and can't wait to see Bill in
> two weeks time so we can bumjack around like we often do.
>
> Bill and I have been BumChums for four years now and enjoy the company
> of other hermaphrodities like myself who have no brains and half a
> testicle.
>
> Please post on-topic now.
>

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Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

2880. Re: BC895 and AutoStore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6rf1rt$bvk@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 147197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yes, you scanner is working as designed. The Auto-store on my BC2500 did not mute the audio, but my 3000, 9000, and 895 all mute the audio. Sort of annoying, but it isn't a big deal. I guess it is a delayed gratification thing. You have to wait until the auto store is done before scanning the new frequencies. There is no mod that I know of, but I haven't looked to hard for one either.

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Jeff Adams wrote in message <35db219f.87466059@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>...
>Here's another "is my 895 behaving like it should" question. When I
>use the Autostore feature (give it limits and have it store what it
>finds automatically), for some reason, the audio is muted... I can see
>the radio stop on a frequency and the "S" meter go up to indicate a
>signal is present, but I hear no audio. Did they just decide that
>audio was not of any value in "autostore", or is my scanner working
>differently? And if it's "supposed" to work this way, is there a mod
>to change it so that I CAN hear the audio?
>
>Thanks,
>
>======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
>| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
>| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
>| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
>==

2881. Discriminator tap for PRO-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckie@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-5tjbCj3GefCm@localhost>
Source record: 147198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bill Cheek's "Discriminator FAQ" did not discuss this radio and I haven't been able to locate information about which of the ICs and its pin I need to tap for the NFM output. Would anyone know?

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

2882. Hilton Head ID's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: MindSpring User <jerrymoody@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6rf2g1$9sq$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147199

I just came back from Hilton Head Island, SC and here are some ID's I discovered.

400 Fire
912 Fire Ch.2
432 EMS
464 EMS
368 Law Enforcement
336 "
560 Ch 8 Law Enforcement
496 Ch 6 "
6320 Law Enforcement
3184 "

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Jerry

2883. Skip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@usit.net
Message-ID: <35db0dce.1078946@NEWS.USIT.NET>
Source record: 147200

Conditions are very good today!!recieving a station from West palm beach on 26.470..full quieting!!!! WJST ??

Steve In Knoxville

2884. Union City NJ PD Freq ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35DB0EE3.3864@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 147201

Does anyone know the frequency for the Union City N.J Police Dept ?? It was in the UHF band , but they recently changed ... ANY info is greatly appreciated !!

Thanks in advance ... T

2885. Re: Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DA77F5.4856@parg.org>
Source record: 147202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:
> John, you're a lying snot who jusyt CAN'T STAND not having his own way.

Bud, SHUT YOUR FOOL MOUTH and stop flaming this NG!

2886. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DA7A5B.3A5E@parg.org>
Source record: 147203

Bud wrote:

> Post a dozen messages on-topic,

I do often.

> AND apologize to Bill,

I have nothing to apologize for. Infact Bill owes ME & everyone on this
NG
an apology.

> AND let RoadRunner admin know you lied and want Bill to have his
> acount back,

I didn't lie & I don't desire Bill to have an internet account so I
can't do either that you request. All I did was forward Bill's
abusive messages to abuse@san.rr.com & they made the desision
at that point. I also told others how to complain to Bill's ISP.

Bill's ISP made a decision based on his abusive actions. He received
MANY warnings both publicly & privately. His abuse was both public
(like
on this newsgroup) & private (via e-mail). Don't forget that
Bill recently kicked off of the Scan-L mailing list due to his
repeated abuse to that list even after repeated warnings.

> and I'll quit
> digging thru DejaNews and forwarding all your crap to Teleport, MCI, and

Do what ever you want, I have nothing to hide. BTW - I will be moving
to
either concentric or AT&T soon so you should be ready start your
meaningless complaints to them if you really want to.

2887. Mackey, DigitPerson,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <b99_9808191100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147204

-=> Quoting Parg Public Information O to All <=-

PPIO> Bud, stop your senseless WHINNING & let this NG
PPIO> settle down. You don't have to make as big of a fool
PPIO> here as you did on fido.

Diarrhea mouth, you're the one who has been
whinning for the past couple of years, running
to mommy and crying when you can't get your way.

MACKEY IS A LIAR

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

! Origin: Net 202 -=- TNL Online! -=- R10 RHUB -=- (1:202/777)

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2888. Wanted mod R.S.2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB8SOJ <no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <6remfj$c9a$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 147205

Please, can anyone post any mods for the Radio Shack 2030 scanner? Are there any? Thanks ahead of time. Dennis . Remove "no junk" from E-Mail to reply direct.

2889. Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35DB175B.4E67@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 147206

Nothing that I know of contain the complete allocation table except for
those fancy charts that Motorola puts out. The FCC rule book does
contain this information but it's spread about. The rules are contained
in 5 books labeled Code of Federal Reguations (CFR) Title 47
Telecommunications. These rule books may be found in a good reference or
legal library. They are available from the Government Printing Office.
Cost is between $150-$200 for all 5 volumns. These books contain various
"Parts", Part 90 being the land mobile section. Even in the land mobile
section it's split between the Public Safety and Industrial Pools.

You may want to check out the following URL. It's the GPOs Web site for
these types of rules. Alas, it's hopelessly outdated. For Land Mobile
Business try looking for Section 90.75 or 90.35. Sections 90.207 and
90.209 contain the type of emission authorized for Part 90 operation.

http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/cfr-table-search.html

Hope this helps.

Regards

Ed

MAlexder wrote:
>
> Does anyone know where I can find a complete FCC freq allocation table that
> includes modes and steps for each allocation? For example, this type of thing:
> Broadcasting 450.05-450.925 FM at 24KHz steps.Thanks.

2890. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB16AD.7BD9@parg.org>
Source record: 147207

John Mackey Bbowels@arse.net NEW ADDRESS! wrote:
>
> I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason

The above post was a forge!

There is NOTHING of it that was true!

2891. what is PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081918233300.OAA24644@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147208

the PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder is a feature on the relmHS200 which i am interested in.. what is this? and what does it do?
hope someone can help!!!

steve Evrclear84@aol.com

2892. Re: Sending Complaints to parg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DB183B.6E3A@parg.org>
Source record: 147209

dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> It doesn't do any good to complain to parg as mackey controls it.

WRONG! Run parg.org on internic, you will see that I am NOT
the controlling person or representative.

2893. Re: Anybody know about a Vlink?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081918253400.OAA13263@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147210

vlinks are very popular in my town. Almost every kid has one. i was also curious about the frequency, although i cant confirm that they are up in the 900's cause i have never heard one. they are sold at toys R US.

steve... Evrclear84@aol.com

2894. MILAIR / CHGO AIRSHOW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081918333900.OAA25898@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147211

Notes from today, Wednesday, 9am-1:30 pm local (CST). Posted to SCAN-L, MILCOM and carma lists...

118.450 Had a lot of hits logged early this AM,
former Glenview Ground, now reported as OHare
119.250 USAF & City Fire to Tower during exercise
122.775 Chit-Chat
134.400 MALIBU Flight working Chgo Radar enroute Meigs,
reporting 15 miles south of Waukegan
149.150 Flightline Maintenance OHare USAF (100.0 Hz PL)
163.487 OHare USAF PD Operations (000.0 Hz PL)
163.587 OHare USAF Fire/Crash exercise (000.0 Hz PL)
165.012 OHare USAF Security (192.8 Hz PL)
241.100 Army Guard copter working Command Post,
Probably Indiana AANG
241.400 Unknown air to air tac, not the Angels
252.100 Unknown flight working Grissom Command Post
291.900 ROCK Flight (115th FW Madison WI ANG F-16's),
640B Refuel Primary, training
308.400 Blue Angel 7 working Chgo Approach
315.600 Blue Angel 7 testing w/Chgo Approach
351.200 UPSET21 working Milwaukke Command Post
364.250 ROCK21 working Volk on UNIFORM 10
380.350 Unknown flight working Chicago Center, Lone Rock
396.900 ROCK Flight dogfighting on UNIFORM 12, east MOA

-Navy Leapfrogs will be jumping at Chicago, any freqs???
(Heard they use VHF Sabers)
-Sierra Aces will perform, try 122.975

2895. Re: Staten Island Ferry/Jersey City Ferry Frequencies ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ezC$d35y9GA.89@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147212

roy@esp.bellcore.com (Roy Harrison) asked for:
> ... the exact frequencies of the Ferry boats running in NY Harbor.

For the S.I. Ferry, check Marine VHF Ch 19 on 156.950 MHz. They usually monitor Ch 13, 156.650, the N.Y. calling channel (standard Bridge-to-Bridge frequency) or Ch 16, 156.800, the General Calling channel, and go to Ch 19 for conversation. Note that there is not much radio traffic for the ferrys.

2896. FS:AR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <scholar@perigee.net>
Message-ID: <6rf3u8$r81@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 147213

AOR AR8000 for sale in excellent condition. With box, manual and charger.
$475 including shipping.

Also, I have a PRO-60 for sale...make offer.

Email to scholar@perigee.net.

2897. 895 discriminator output?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: harleyfxd <harleyfxd@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35DB11FE.1D36@erols.com>
Source record: 147214

I have a RS 2004 that I am considering selling to get a BC 895. Plan to play around with POCSAG moreso than I care about cellular. I also like that scan and store feature as well as the count function. Is the discriminator output on the 895 easy to get to as compared to the 2004. Is this a bad idea to swap over to the 895. I can afford both, but I won't try to keep both unless I need them.

Thanks,

J

2898. Re: what is PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6rf7o3$ie5@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 147215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <19980819182333300.OAA24644@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
Evrclear84 <evrclear84@aol.com> wrote:

>the PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder is a feature on the relmHS200 which i am
>interested in.. what is this? and what does it do?
> hope someone can help!!!
> steve Evrclear84@aol.com

From the FAQ article "Introduction to Scanning:"

[...]

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone
decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS
(Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital
Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your
scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems,
transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with
the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ
wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by
most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program
a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel.
Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open
the squelch only if the transmission has a code which
matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is
common for several users to share the same frequency,
e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as
Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want
to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the
scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police
transmissions. This is especially a problem when
radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band
opening," when reception range is temporarily
increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

2899. Re: Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rfcfrcqg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147216

From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>> Bud, SHUT YOUR FOOL MOUTH and stop flaming this NG!

John M you better watch it that nice Pio that is the Moderator of this newsgroup is likely to kick you out of it for talking like that. Merry

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2900. Re: Anyone wondering why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jf73441@netpass.com
Message-ID: <35db2c8d.1008886@news.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147217
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 13 Aug 1998 21:28:29 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Does anyone wonder why I am acting like a jerk sometimes?
>
>I suppose the story should be told. Within the past few months, my dad's
>MS (multiple sclerosis) has gotten much worse, and he is now thinking he
>should end his life because he doesn't want to burden family members
>with his care. This "action" was to be done by Kevorkian, but that group
>has now decided not to participate in euthanasia (assisted suicide) for
>legal reasons.
>
Dude, why don't you help the old man out? Pop his ass in the front
seat of the family car (running) and run a hose from the exhaust to
the back seat! Pop in his favorite 8 track (Doors?) and close up the
garage for the night.

2901. Re: 200xlt manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35da767c.378802@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 147218
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 00:44:34 GMT, rwheatly@airmail.net (Roy Wheatley)
wrote:

>Looking for a manual or copy of instructions for Bearcat 200xlt. Any
>help would be appreciated.
>
>rwheatly@airmail.net

I have an excellent BC200xlt manual in MS Publisher format. If you
don't have MS Pub, you can download a trial version from Microsoft at
http://www.microsoft.com/publisher/98/trial/tip_mscom.htm. E-mail me
and I will send the zipped file. You can print it out, staple it
together, crop it and it looks almost exactly like the original.

Wiggie

2902. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35db27cd.6797353@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 147219

On 19 Aug 1998 11:20:17 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On 19 Aug 1998 10:54:04 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
>>>From: bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers)
>>
>>>Absolutely! But next year, I will take honors
>>>on the cow chip toss!
>>
>>Hi Blake,
>>
>>I would like to join the Pottersville gang! How do I sign up? I want to help
>>the organization really get going. Do you have room for a Public Information
>>Officer (PIO)?
>
>Absolutely. Already chatted with the membership committee, and you
>are in.
>
>Insofar as PIO, have at it!

Blake,

I think you have made an excellent choice with Mike as PIO
for P_ARG. Mike is a published author and as such should
do an excellent job compared to PIOs of other groups who are
often totally unqualified for the job.

2903. Re: sheet metal nibbler - how to use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35db77a2.673419@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 147220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 08:07:35 -0400, "Ivan Ivanovich"
<iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:

Charles,
In the Pro-2042 scanner that you have, I find that it is
easiest to drill the hole and use a RCA jack. To make sure that you
don't get any metal filings where they don't belong, it is best to
take apart the entire scanner which you end up doing when installing a
OS535 board. If you don't go that route, a metal punch would do the
trick and it might be best to take the top/bottom plastic covers off
and have someone else punch the hole for $5 or so. Placement is also
important if you plan on installing a OS535 at a later date.

Wiggie

>From my experience they do not work well, unless one has a lot of practice.
>If you want a round hole visit an Electrical Supply house to inquire about
>Greenlee hole punches. They range from 7/16 up to 2 3/4" if I remember
>right. They even manufacture specialty punches for square or DB-25 shaped
>holes. All punches are not cheap however, they give the "most" professional
>look.
>
>Ivan Ivanovich
>
>Charles McCallister wrote in message ...
>>Has anyone used this tool before?
>>
>>How is it used and where might one be found. I'm preparing to tap my
>>discriminator and wanted a clean "professional" jack installed on the
>>back side of the scanner.
>>
>>Thanks!
>>
>>Charles

2904. Any mods for Midland Scan 2000/Tridennt Scan 2000/Albrecht AE 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <35DB2CC9.353194CD@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 147221

Dear Folks I`m looking for hardfware-mods especially IF-filters --
diskri-mod I already got-- and any programming mods available.

Best regards

vy 73 de odo

reply to my e-mail adress please (files welcome)

2905. relm HS200 opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081920070300.QAA26438@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147222

does anyone have this scanner, and if so, how does it work? does it get good reception? does it get cell images?, etc...
hope someone can help!!

steve Evrclear84@aol.com

2906. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <35DB3231.6D490EC2@cadvision.com>
Source record: 147223

Geez.. see what happens when I fly without filters for a single session..

John M - KAOSSF wrote:

> John Mackey Bbowels@arse.net NEW ADDRESS! wrote:
> >
> > I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
>
> The above post was a forge!
>
> There is NOTHING of it that was true!

Slightly incorrect. Whoever wrote the post was dead-on in that you have been causing trouble in rrs and ars for 3 years..

Off to make sure filters are turned back on..

2907. Re: Found Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: maverick@camcomp.com
Message-ID: <35da17ea.25451279@news.camcomp.com>
Source record: 147231

On Tue, 18 Aug 1998 14:53:24 -0500 (CDT), justmrzor@webtv.net (robert mcclure) wrote:

>are you sure this is the right website
>all i see is a physics website

The Correct URL is: http://www.enteract.com/~moressic/mods/mods.html

2908. NF2G Scannist Pages update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rd682$n5e$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147232

It's been two weeks since I've had a chance to do updates, and several people have sent information in that time. Several upstate NY counties have been updated, and Putnam County has finally been added. Now we cover EVERY county outside of NYC/LI in New York State. Come on over and have a look!

NF2G Scannist Pages
http://www.ggw.org/nf2g

2909. Re: HELP! New guy to scanning.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081900312400.UAA07809@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147233

The best advice that I can give you is to go to your local RadioShack store and pick up a copy of PoliceCall Plus. This is a frequency directory, and in the first three chapters or so it gives a good over view of radio systems, scanning etc.

After you leave RadioShack drive to a good bookstore or newstand and pick up copies of Popular Communications and Monitoring Times magazines. You'll find articles in these to help you learn the ropes.

As to a quick answer, the Uniden 895XLT is the only scanner currently on the market that does both trunk-tracking and receives the 225-400MHz military aircraft band. The radio will not, however, allow you to tune the 138-150MHz range in AM mode so you won't be able to listen to military aircraft tactical comms in that range. Other scanners will allow it, but they don't trunk-track.

John Ward

2910. sheet metal nibbler - how to use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckie@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-tud7dbeQQENy@localhost>
Source record: 147234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Has anyone used this tool before?

How is it used and where might one be found. I'm preparing to tap my discriminator and wanted a clean "professional" jack installed on the back side of the scanner.

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

2911. BC895 and AutoStore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35db219f.87466059@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 147235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Here's another "is my 895 behaving like it should" question. When I use the Autostore feature (give it limits and have it store what it finds automatically), for some reason, the audio is muted... I can see the radio stop on a frequency and the "S" meter go up to indicate a signal is present, but I hear no audio. Did they just decide that audio was not of any value in "autostore", or is my scanner working differently? And if it's "supposed" to work this way, is there a mod to change it so that I CAN hear the audio?

Thanks,

======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
==

2912. Sault Scanner Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <cottreau@muskoka.com>
Message-ID: <01bdcb14$958a5fa0$58afd4c7@default>
Source record: 147236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If anyone wants the frequencies for the Sault Ste. Marie area, visit my page at
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/6926

Enjoy!

Dave

2913. FS: Pro-26 With Cell Mod Installed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrdan@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081902135700.WAA14425@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147237

Radio Shack 1.3 GHz Pro-26 scanner with cell mod. installed. Comes with leather case, ac adapter, and antenna accesories. Excellent condition $400

2914. El Segundo PD {California}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081902504400.WAA21077@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147238

Can someone share the frequencies for El Segundo PD and fire
anyone frome that area [California]
Please send E-mail

2915. San Diego >>>>anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081902574300.WAA03550@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147239

Can someone frome San Diego or if someone knows whos frequencies are these
162.925, 163.725, 154.845
if you know please let me know send e-mail

2916. Re: Car speaker for handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: iluvpix@newsguy.com
Message-ID: <6rdbn4$1pj@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 147240

In article <6r4sctmnu2@news.cc.ucf.edu>, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu (Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:
>
>: Brian Kane <bkane@rice.edu> wrote in article
>: >
>: > Is this feasible? Or is my only course of action to rig up some sort of
>: > external speaker?

What I did might sound silly or ingenious, depending on your point of view. I have a cassette adapter for my portable CD player, so that I can play it in my car's am-fm/cassette player. I simply plugged the cassette adapter into the earphone jack of my Bearcat scanner, inserted the other end into my car's cassette deck, and TA-DAAAAA. Works very well.

Now, if I could only find a way to 'jerry-rig' an external antenna ;-)

2917. Re: Sending Complaints to parg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rdcqgtoj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147241

It doesn't do any good to complain to parg as mackey controls it.
When you complain mackey is the one who gets the email and he deletes it.
You might be better off complaing to teleport.

That is how he is able to have so many alias's.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2918. FM/PC radio cards >>>>conversion<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: george@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rdfgp$1bt$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147242

Anyone tried to get the PC FM Radio cards to receive signals out of band...
FM business etc: thanks

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2919. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DA482A.FB9FF93A@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147243

How am I wrong about my dad's killing himself?

Jack wrote:

> On 18 Aug 1998 02:03:38 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:
>
> >Dave: He's defending me, and I don't mind it. I need all the defense I can
> >get.
>
> If you didn't reply to each and every post with your opinions and
> fantasys represented as facts you wouldn't need any defense!
> Maybe if you admitted when you are wrong instead of defending it into
> the ground you wouldn't need any defense!
>
> GOOD LUCK!
>
> >K4CC wrote:
> >
> >> digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona) writes:
> >>
> >> >I'm waiting for you to stop attacking people like Ryan, that obviously
> >> >have other serious problems going on with their lives. You go after
> >> >the easy-shots.
> >>
> >> And you became the newsgroup sheriff .. when ?? .. Digitalis?
> >>
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

2920. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DA485B.5AD2AB2B@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147244

Yikes. Interesting theories.

... but I'm not convinced.

Jim Harland wrote:

> I have been on usenet for a long time but for the life of me I can not
> believe that a grown man would post such school kid flame posts as I
> see in this news group.
>
> There must be a way to kick these young immature little brats out of
> this group.
>
> Or perhaps we should create a moderated radio.scanner news group and
> leave the punks behind.
>
> MY GOD WHAT A BUCH OF SICK LOSERS WASTING THEIR TIME OVER NOTHING BUT
> TRAILER TRASH TALK.................
>
> I have over 30 year of experience with radio's both in designing them
> and using them. But I will not be sharing any of my knowledge in a
> gutter like this one, I will be else where.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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2921. Re: about bill cheeks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DA4991.20B8F2F@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147245

School does not start tomorrow. Where did you get that [mis]information?

School starts in September for me (September 3).

Jack wrote:

> You must not pay attention very well!..Hey...
> shouldn't you be getting ready for school tomorrow?
> Hurry along to bed.....

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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2922. Re: Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DA49E3.A4E21977@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147246

Maybe one alarm system does, but my grandfather had one at his old
place, and the frequency on it was 1.295.060gHz.

Radioman27 wrote:

> 319.5MHZ
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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2923. Re: Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35da49aa.38926943@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147247

these are two different types of alarms.
The one is a microwave motion detector. A lot of them are on the 10GHz band.
The other uses 319.5 transmitters at each switch(door or window) to relay back to the controller. It is a wireless alarm. The transmitters come on if the circuit is open/closed.

On 19 Aug 1998 03:43:12 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Maybe one alarm system does, but my grandfather had one at his old
>place, and the frequency on it was 1.295.060gHz.
>
>Radioman27 wrote:
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>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>
>Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
>It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.
>
>

2924. Re: sheet metal nibbler - how to use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6rdjbr$59k$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 147248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Charles McCallister (chuckie@ibm.net) wrote:
: Has anyone used this tool before?

: How is it used and where might one be found. I'm preparing to tap my
: discriminator and wanted a clean "professional" jack installed on the
: back side of the scanner.

: Thanks!

: Charles

: To reply, remove the "x" from my address

Unless you are installing a jack that needs a shaped opening, you don't want to use a nibbling tool.
Most jacks mount in a round hole-a nibbling tool will not do that well, if at all!
If you need a opening other than round(square, for example) then a nibbling tool can be useful-note:if you need a hole with metal all around(as compaired to a notch at the edge of the panel), then you will need to drill a starting hole anyway!

2925. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rdjjm$rf4$0@207.18.224.93>
Source record: 147249

On 18 Aug 1998 12:53:57 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
>
>>BTW, What do you think about the annual meeting next year at the
>>Huntsville Hamfest? Everyone has a meeting at Dayton, we should
>>try something different.
>
>Blake,
>Hey, that's a great idea! Let's get it on the
>agenda for a vote at the next meeting.
>The weather in Huntsville will be a lot better
>for the annual P_ARG Bonfire and Cow Chip
>Toss. I was really pleased that nearly five
>people attended last year. I think it's really
>catching on!
>See you at the next meeting.
>Dave
>
Absolutely! But next year, I will take honors
on the cow chip toss!

2926. Re: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35da8995.1906018@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 18 Aug 1998 22:03:43 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:

>Was wondering if the 895 has two separate receivers in there to
>perform it's magic..anyway if it does, anyone know how to pick the
>discriminator output from the DATA side during trunking mode?
>

Despite what has been reported on these newsgroups previously by others, none of the Trunktrackers have two receivers. There is a single, triple conversion receiver (maybe that's the cause of the misinformation) that alternates between the control channel and the voice channel as appropriate.

Greg Knox

2927. Re: Newsgroup Bull Crap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sokratys@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35db390f.87471086@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 147251

since they suck and are not likely to change their tune anytime soon -
you may want to get a newsreader that filters messages (so you can
just filter them right on out)

2928. Re: Code Grabbers are Burglar's Tools! Calif Penal Code 466.9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: charly@steppy.com
Message-ID: <35da7dd7.5904541@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 147252

Available through www.rainbowkits.com
order rfa-1 radio freq. code grabber $99.00.
Well worth the money.....as much fun as the
universal garage door opener......

On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 00:39:50 GMT, Jeff Cramer <"Jeff

Cramer"@ohioart.com> wrote:

>Derrick Paulus wrote:
>
>> CELLPHONE HACKERS TACKLE GARAGE DOOR OPENERS
>>
>> Dallas, TX, March 2, 1996 (DLD DIGEST) -- Recent news media accounts have
>> focused on reports of thieves using high-tech, electronic code grabbing
>> devices to steal cellular phone access codes and disarm remote control
>> car lock systems. Now, thieves can use this same technology to copy
>> garage door opener access codes and burglarize homes.
>>
>> A new rolling code technology has been incorporated into some garage door
>> opener brands to combat code grabbing theft. Homeowners need to be alert
>> to the potential danger of this new, seemingly invisible method criminals
>> are using to break into homes with these `electronic keys.`
>>
>> Electronic code grabbing devices enable a criminal waiting near a home
>> to copy the garage door opener's radio access code when the button on
>> the remote controller is pressed. The recorded signal can be resent to
>> open the garage door, giving the thief convenient access to belongings
>> in thegarage and inside the home, if the garage is attached.
>>
>> Many homeowners leave the door leading from the garage into their home
>> unlocked, making entry by a criminal virtually hassle-free. Code grabbing
>> devices are easy to obtain and can be purchased through mail order or
>> built at home using components available from electronics stores.

2929. Mobile Phone Conversion, How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Sore <harrier_80@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6rdv3f$e5i$3@supernews.com>
Source record: 147253

I have an old Ericson EH 237 analogue phone and have heard that these can be converted into basic scanners for listening to mobile phone conversations,

Any advice or help gratefully received

Please reply to the following e-mail address

R. Sore
harrier_80@hotmail.com

2930. Re: Car speaker for handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <01bdcb48$86f48ea0$bc1a37a6@default>
Source record: 147254

Not a bad idea. I had never thought of that.

Mike
--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com

i luv PIX not SPAM <iluvpix@newsguy.com> wrote in article
<6rdbn4$1pj@enews3.newsguy.com>...
> In article <6r4sctmnu2@news.cc.ucf.edu>, fwf27775@pegasus.cc.ucf.edu
(Fritz W Feuerbacher) wrote:
> >
> >: Brian Kane <bkane@rice.edu> wrote in article
> >: >
> >: > Is this feasible? Or is my only course of action to rig up some
sort of
> >: > external speaker?
>
> What I did might sound silly or ingenious, depending on your point of
view. I
> have a cassette adapter for my portable CD player, so that I can play it
in my
> car's am-fm/cassette player. I simply plugged the cassette adapter into
the
> earphone jack of my Bearcat scanner, inserted the other end into my car's

> cassette deck, and TA-DAAAAA. Works very well.
>
> Now, if I could only find a way to 'jerry-rig' an external antenna ;-)
>

2931. Orlando Florida Trunktracking Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <mawC1.12344$9j2.1206031@news3.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147255
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Hello All,

Coming to Orlando for a Vacation?

Well Bring your Trunktracker

and Visit my page for :

Frequencies
Talkgroups
Trunked System Information

The Orlando Florida TrunkTracking Page

http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Thanks

Jason Webb

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Jason Webb EMT/EMD
The Orlando TrunkTracking Page
http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/
-------------------------------------------------------------
Digital Public Safety Radios = Gestapo
Br Involved or be left out.
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2932. Re: Pc conection for a Alinco DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Anderson <NOSPAManderson@pei.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <vKwC1.73$lg.406497@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 147256

Javier,
I bought an ICOM OPC-478 programming cable , and it works great. The cable should be readily available to you through mail order. You can get some software from Alinco's home page.
http://alinco.com/DJX10SOFTWARE/DJX10.shtml . I found the shareware version of the software slow to read/write 1200 channels + PMS and all radio info, but it is supposed to be faster in the registered version. The registered version also has more features.

I hope this helps.

Mike

zipi@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6rbrngsfk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I want to know how conect one alinco dj x10 scanner on my computer (PC).
>-Eschematic diagram of connections
>-Software
>-Web's links
>-And DJ-X10 scanner electric diagram (if it's posible)
>
>Tanks and sorry for my poor english language.
> In my country it's imposible buy the alinco's cable conection
>
>
>Javier Garmilla
>JGARMILL@teleline.es
>Vitoria
>Spain
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2933. Re: anyone have pro-74 race scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35DAA97F.1AA6F21D@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 147257

Evrclear84 wrote:
> anyone know of a dual conversion scanner around $200, that has search
> capabilities other than the preprogrammed bands?

Try RELM HS200

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

2934. Re: pro-2045 manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35DAAB79.95444F53@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 147258

Randy wrote:
> I am looking for a radioshak pro2045 manual. A copy would be fine. I got
> this one at a hamfest it did not have one with it.

Try http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/33680.htm

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

2935. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081910540400.GAA12777@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147259

>From: bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers)

>Absolutely! But next year, I will take honors
>on the cow chip toss!

Hi Blake,

I would like to join the Pottersville gang! How do I sign up? I want to help the organization really get going. Do you have room for a Public Information Officer (PIO)?

2936. HF aerial suggestions ... with a twist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmikkelsen@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <35daae4a.12737606@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 147260

Hi all.

Been fiddling with my new toy - Yupiteru MVT-7100. Great little scanner - a huge step up from my other units.

Anyway, I've been reading some of the old reviews in my Australian Radio/Communications books (I'm in Australia), and they remarked about the excellent HF performance (amongst other stuff).

Now I know I won't be able to suck in signals like a dedicated SW receiver, but I'm curious to have a play below 30 MHz. Evidently the standard telescopic aerial (and my other rubber duckies) don't work too well down so low, so I need to use something more dedicated for HF.

My only problem is I live in a flat, thus meaning no outdoor wires. I have toyed with the idea of running wire either along my ceiling or walls, given some of them are about 4-5 metres in length.

I was thinking of getting a "coil up"portable SW antenna made by Sangean - they sell for about $20 AU, and simply clips onto my telescope aerial.

Any suggestions or comments ? Much appreciated.

Anything I should keep an ear out for once I get it up and running ? :-)

Dion Mikkelsen.

2937. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081910591000.GAA01603@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147261

>From: thekat@san.rr.commmm (Bud)

> I'll quit digging thru DejaNews and forwarding all your crap to Teleport, MCI, and several others. You already saw what I sent PARG, I'm sure, that's just a tease compared to what I sent the people that matter.

I'm convinced that this is the sole approach to resolving this matter. I'm actively doing the same, and I know of at least three others who have decided to also pursue this course.

2938. Trade HTX 202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldgear@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998081911015400.HAA13074@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147262

I am willing to trade My Realistic HTX 202 2 Meter HT for a Pro 43 Scanner in good condition.

Thanks

2939. Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980819110155500.HAA13077@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147263

>From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri)

>Good, solid, informative post. Thanks!

Yes, it was. Too bad we can't expect the same from you.

2940. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6recdh$9ss$0@207.18.224.147>
Source record: 147264

On 19 Aug 1998 10:54:04 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers)
>
>>Absolutely! But next year, I will take honors
>>on the cow chip toss!
>
>Hi Blake,
>
>I would like to join the Pottersville gang! How do I sign up? I want to help
>the organization really get going. Do you have room for a Public Information
>Officer (PIO)?

Absolutely. Already chatted with the membership committee, and you
are in.

Insofar as PIO, have at it!

2941. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6reh3h$8ck$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147265

In article <35DA4B1B.4E51@parg.org>,
pio@parg.org wrote:

> Yea, understood! But just cool off a little, the "problem" recently
> recently received serious disipline due to his abusive activities.

Pio, I'm new to scanning, so can you explain to me what "disipline" is? Is
that a new kind of antenna? Merry

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2942. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6reh89$8lu$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147266

In article <35DA4EF4.2F2F@parg.org>,
pio@parg.org wrote:

> Bud, stop your senseless WHINNING & let this NG
> settle down. You don't have to make as big of a fool
> here as you did on fido.

Pio, Please bear with a newbie with lots of questions. Is "whinning" anything like "trunking"? And what breed of dog is your little fido? Merry

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2943. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rehgf$910$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147267

In article <35D8F076.40F7@parg.org>,
pio@parg.org wrote:

> This could VERY easily return instantly to the productive
> & comfortable place for mature discussions related to the hobby
> of scanning.

Pio, I am new to this newsgroup but I can already tell you are the Moderator and keep everybody in line. I guess you're probably an expert on scanners, too, so I'm sure I will have lots of questions for you. I hope you don't mind. Merry

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2944. Re: ** THANKS TO ALL FOR GETTING CHEEK KICKED OF RR **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rehsf$9d2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147268

In article <35D91017.2F1D@parg.org>,
pio@parg.org wrote:

> You call your senseless FLAMING of making fun of a 13 yr old
> kid because his dad has MS is being "on-topic"!!!!!!1

Pio, I'm sorry to be so dense, but you seem to know so much about these things. Is MS a brand of scanner, like RS? What frequencies do they cover? Can they be modified to receive cordless phones? Merry

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2945. Sony ICF-SC1PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <SNyC1.134$ej4.2661034@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 147269

I read Rich Wells review of the Sony ICF-SC1PC scanner, and went out and bought one yesterday. It appears to be a very solid unit! How come I don't see/hear more about it in the news groups?

Thanks,
Bill Crocker

2946. Re: sheet metal nibbler - how to use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <uIXyno2y9GA.277@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147270
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From my experience they do not work well, unless one has a lot of practice. If you want a round hole visit an Electrical Supply house to inquire about Greenlee hole punches. They range from 7/16 up to 2 3/4" if I remember right. They even manufacture specialty punches for square or DB-25 shaped holes. All punches are not cheap however, they give the "most" professional look.

Ivan Ivanovich

Charles McCallister wrote in message ...
>Has anyone used this tool before?
>
>How is it used and where might one be found. I'm preparing to tap my
>discriminator and wanted a clean "professional" jack installed on the
>back side of the scanner.
>
>Thanks!
>
>Charles
>
>To reply, remove the "x" from my address
>

2947. Staten Island Ferry/Jersey City Ferry Frequencies ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35dad49a.134477029@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 147271
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does any one have the exact frequencies of the Ferry boats running in NY Harbor. I've scanned the martine bands and it's to confusing to decipher.

Roy

2948. Re: Car speaker for handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35dad5be.134769825@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 147272

>
>What I did might sound silly or ingenious, depending on your point of view. I
>have a cassette adapter for my portable CD player, so that I can play it in my
>car's am-fm/cassette player. I simply plugged the cassette adapter into the
>earphone jack of my Bearcat scanner, inserted the other end into my car's
>cassette deck, and TA-DAAAAA. Works very well.

With my 12" JL Audio sub, I'll be able to feeeeeel the tornado
warnings. :-)

Great idea though...thanks roy
>
>Now, if I could only find a way to 'jerry-rig' an external antenna ;-)

2949. Re: Modyfying for transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <UHAC1.574$rb1.280148@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 147273

In article <35D9EE68.7CF@ibm.net>, andmoss@ibm.net wrote:
>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>>
>> When your "HAM RADIO" is certified to operate on the commercial bands then it
>> is legal to do so. Most of the Motorola and GE equipment on the market now
>> will cover both the amateur abnd and commercial band without tweeking the
>> radio. Just program in the frequencies and off you go.
>>
>
>Yes, but Ham radios won't pass the minimum requirements for the FCC
>without modifications. Ask a very large manufacturer who re-works ham
>rigs for commercial use. I think we all know who it is.
>
Unless your modifications go through FCC certification then no matter how much
modification you do to the "HAM RADIO" you cannot use it legally on the
commercial frequencies.

COP
>Cheers!
>Andy

2950. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amnesia <you@cant.find.me>
Message-ID: <6rir9m$1fb6$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 146975

Nice Fake Call sign - KA0SSF doesn't exist in the FCC database..
Anyone curious as to this knows the website to check. Anyway the Name
mackey has been added to my kill file..

Nice posting from Downunder by the way

John Mackey * KA0SSF * wrote in message
<35dcbba8.1714635@news.zip.com.au>...
>I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in
>rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner for my shithouse attitude,
>off-topic postings, forged emails, rogue-cancels and other
>miscellaneous mail bombs (especially to my BumChum Billy "big butt"
>Cheeks!). I also want to apologise to clark college for illegally
>accessing their system's nntp news server externally and injecting
>fake newsgroup postings and making rogue newsgroup cancels. Most of
>all, I would like to say that since I'm gay and demented I have no
>control over my actions. My only real hobby is rooting around with my
>warp-infested floppy dick and shoving dipoles up my lover's rear ends.
>
>I promise from now on to do the following:
>
>1. Make no more off-topic posts
>2. Refrain from talking about anything but scanners
>3. Resign from the "officer colostomy for brains position"
>4. Continue to stalk my lover Bill Cheeks
>
>
>

2951. Re: Scanner Converts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35dc3bb9.226188@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146976
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 19:09:53 -0400, "Brian Bedard"
<brianb@xcelco.on.ca> wrote:

>Does anyone know how the Ramsey Scanner Converter SCN-1 Kits for 800 MHZ
>works , is it worth the money ?
>
>
>Thanks in Advance
>Brian
>

If I recall correctly, the Ramsey converter takes the 10th harmonic of a 40Mhz oscillation which would be 400Mhz. This is then mixed in with the incoming signal. Say that you are looking for a frequency at 860 Mhz. The 400 Mhz oscillation is added and subtracted to this input. If you tune the scanner to 460 or 1260Mhz then you would get the signal that another scanner tuned to 860 Mhz would be receiving. Usually there are filters that block all of the frequencies coming into the converter that would interfere such as a 460Mhz signal. This means that when you tune the scanner to 460Mhz while hooked up to the converter, you are getting 860Mhz only and not a signal originally on 460Mhz.

Wiggie

2952. Re: bc200xlt help- need manual/copy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35dd44b8.2529673@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 20:01:58 -0700, "Dave A."
<sasakikojiro@earthlink.net> wrote:

>Hello!
>
>I just recently acquired a bc200xlt unit that has no instructions.
>Could anyone with access to an instruction sheet handy please scan and
>email it to me?
>
>This is my first scanner (aside from a BCT-12, which really doesn't
>count), and I'm having a heck of a time understanding how to work the
>thing.
>
>Thanks!
>
>-Dave
>

I have an excellent BC200xlt manual in MS Publisher format. If you
don't have MS Pub, you can download a trial version from Microsoft at
http://www.microsoft.com/publisher/98/trial/tip_mscom.htm. E-mail me
and I will send the zipped file. You can print it out, staple it
together, crop it and it looks almost exactly like the original.

Wiggie

2953. Hi To All

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Tabor <edward.tabor@dol.net>
Message-ID: <35DD0668.AF5168BF@dol.net>
Source record: 146978

I'm new to the net and I'm wondering what all of the personal attacks on this Mackey fellow and the other guy are all about. Please email me off net so not to inspire more attacks.
Ed

2954. FS or Trade: Pro-26 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robbin Olson <rolson@cpinternet.com>
Message-ID: <35DCB957.272B@cpinternet.com>
Source record: 146979

I have a Pro-26 scanner that I would like to sell for $165 or trade for
???

R. Olson

2955. Re: SCANNING IN MARYLAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35DCBF83.3290@erols.com>
Source record: 146980

SDG wrote:
>
> DOES ANYONE KNOW THE NAME OF THE SCANNING/MONITORING GROUP IN MARYLAND?
>
> I WANT TO OBTAIN FREQUENCIES IN MARYLAND.
Be more specific! What frequencies? For what area in Md.? For
which departments or groups??? If you want to try some selected
freqs, try this site:
http://www.arrowweb.com/RMM/

73s Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

2956. 153.5150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35DC683D.512B8AA@hotmail.com>
Source record: 147025

153.5150

Does this freq mean anything to anybody.

Can anyone suggest who may be the user.

Anywhere in the States and Canada.

Please email response.

Thanks.

Dave.

2957. Sudbury, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35DC68A9.411EAA31@hotmail.com>
Source record: 147026

Does anyone have information on any emerg services systems in Sudbury and area.

I am looking for freqs, talkgrounds, control channels, system IDS

Any info would be greatly appreciated

Thanks

Dave

2958. Windsor, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35DC68D2.BBE9E0F8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 147027

Does anyone have information on any emerg services systems in Windsor and area.

I am looking for freqs, talkgrounds, control channels, system IDS

Any info would be greatly appreciated

Thanks

Dave

2959. London, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35DC68BC.9CB97AE8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 147028

Does anyone have information on any emerg services systems in London and area.

I am looking for freqs, talkgrounds, control channels, system IDS

Any info would be greatly appreciated

Thanks

Dave

2960. Re: 153.5150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082018262300.OAA21165@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147029

>153.5150
>
>Does this freq mean anything to anybody.

Looks like its a utility--oil and gas some places, electricity in others

2961. SWAP SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jim@techno1.com>
Message-ID: <35DC7481.236E7E9C@techno1.com>
Source record: 147030

Swap pro-63, for good soundcard.
Scanner is in good condition but does not have box or manual, want good soundcard to use as decoder. i am in bedfordshire,uk.....Jim.

2962. Re: digital .WAV samples

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35df6d9b.4743916@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147031
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 12:32:26 GMT, not@home.right.now (jim) wrote:

>On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 05:20:03 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:
>
>>
>>I have one on there labeled as reflexABCD..that's what pocflex says it
>>is anyway, but it looks like binary data on the screen Found it on
>>940.2125--maybe it's a new pockettalk freq? I've heard they use flex
>>to transmit data..any way give it a listen!
>>
>
>Jack, what is pocflex? I have poc32 but the FLEX option is apparently
>not implemented. Are you referring to the DOS version that takes
>input via the serial port?

Yes, the dos version! And to update my post, it is just plain old
reflexABCD.
-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2963. Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e16f1c.5128892@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147032
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can anyone else hear data (reflex) on 940.2375 or 940.2125 in your
area? How about some licensee data? None of my references list either.
Also, do they use reflex for things other then pagers? The length of
the data received would suggest it's going to a PC or something like
that..any input would be appreciated!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

2964. Re: 153.5150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e271eb.5847302@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147033

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 14:17:33 -0400, Dave <faricky@hotmail.com> wrote:

>153.5150
>
>Does this freq mean anything to anybody.
>
>Can anyone suggest who may be the user.
>
>Anywhere in the States and Canada.
>
>Please email response.
>
>Thanks.
>
>Dave.
It means something to a lot of people!

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2965. Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Ascher WB8LIT <cei@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <35DC80B1.D0B24A2C@mediaone.net>
Source record: 147034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thank you for your comments about the RELM HS200 handheld
scanner. The scanners we distribute at Communications Electronics,
Emergency Operations Center are all new factory fresh merchandise.
When we purchase radio receivers from RELM and other
manufacturers we usually buy 500 to 1,000 units at a time.
We get a significant discount for purchasing in large quantities
which is normally passed back to our customers and clients.
This usually results in a lower price to you. When we resell these
products through our different sales division to our dealers, the price
they resell at is usually higher.

As you may know Daniel, a CEI customer benefit is our 61 day
satisfaction guarantee return policy as explained in our customer benefits

section of our web site http://www.usascan.com. When an item is
returned to us, we return it to our vendors as part of our quality
assurance
program. As a customer benefit, CEI does not charge a restocking fee
as we want our customers to be 100% satisfied with the equipment they
purchase.
For example, we recently returned a few hundred radios to Uniden that did
not meet our quality control standards or were returned
to us by our customers simply because they wanted to test a different
model.
If you are not delighted with your purchase, simply return your
merchandise
freight prepaid within 61 days from our date of shipping.

The radios we return to the manufacturer are usually resold in their
company stores at a discount with a reduced limited warranty.
For example, we recently returned many Trunktracker radios to Uniden.
After a quality control inspection, the Bearcat 235XLT's we returned to
Uniden
were then offered to Uniden customers at a reduced price, currently
$165.00.
Instead of the standard limited one-year factory warranty on new product,
the like-new Uniden product has only a ninety-day limited warranty.
Although the refurbished product which is sold in the Uniden store is
"like-new", please remember it does not usually have the latest features
such
as the valuable attenuator feature. Many customers have asked us to update

their "like-new" Bearcat 235XLT scanners with the attenuator or other
features

but this usually can not be done.

I know our returned product sent back to Uniden is popular
because it is quickly sold out. If saving money is a concern to you,
we recommend you order from the Uniden internet store.
When you order refurbished Bearcat 235XLT's from Uniden at
http://www.uniden.com you currently save $4.95. The shipping/handling and
insurance charges are usually lower through the Uniden store then CEI as
we
offer additional services and benefits. However, please remember
the "like-new" product has only a ninety-day limited factory warranty and
not the
standard one-year limited factory warranty. Refurbished product usually
does
not incorporate the latest features such as the attenuator or software
upgrades.

To answer your question regarding the sensitivity and intermod
specifications on
RELM radios, I recommend you contact Mr. Bill Cole at RELM. The number at
RELM is 1-800-422-6281 or their E-mail is relmservice@relm-comm.com.

As a additional CEI service, if you need help, don't panic. You will
find the customer service telephone and fax numbers to most of the
products we distribute by visiting our web page at http://www.usascan.com
and selecting the appropriate catagory. In addition,
you should find information about the country that manufacturered your
product by
clicking on the flag on the product pages in our website.

I hope this answeres your questions, but if you need further information,
please
call me at 1-800-USA-SCAN or send me E-mail at cei@mediaone.net.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman/CEO
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center

Daniel Dave Pepper wrote:

> I just bought a Relm HS200 from CEI at an incredibly good
> price($169.95), but have been disappointed in its performance in the
> 160-161MHz railroad band when compared to my old Radio Shack Pro-50.
> Its range is shorter(even though its sensitivity specs are better,
> 5uV for the Relm vs. 1uV for the Pro-50) and the intermod is only
> slightly less.
>
> Is this performance difference normal, or is it possible that the CEI
> units are cheap because they are factory rejects, or other factors. I
> am not trying to slam CEI(unless this is the case), but rather trying
> to determine why the poor range since the sensitivity specs are

> better.
>
> Also, does the BC235XLT have a longer range than the HS200 in the
> 160-161MHz range?(Its sensitivity spec is .25uV vs .5 uV)
>
> I ask because I am thinking of buying a BC235XLT from CEI(again at a
> great price of $169.95). I understand that a ham transceiver would
> provide better reception, but I am trying to stay cheap.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Daniel Dave Pepper

2966. Sneakpeek explanation and summary for rec.radio.scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: sneakpeek@talkway.com
Message-ID: <ZgTC1.1452$Mw1.924525@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 147035

We developed SneakPeek postings as a result of many Usenet users' desire
for a summarizing tool that would help them skim through the most active
threads. Thus, SneakPeek postings are intended to help users with limited
time keep abreast of group discussions, stay in touch with more groups,
and check out new groups quickly.

Usenet is an environment where every voice should count equally. However,
while some users have found SneakPeek postings useful, others have tried
to shout it down, potentially resulting in the tyranny of a vocal few.
Therefore, we encourage all to post their constructive opinions so that we
may democratically decide if there is room for SneakPeek postings in Usenet.

Talkway, Inc.
http://www.talkway.com

The rest of this message summarizes the most active recent threads in
this newsgroup.

SUBJECT: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

*** Andy Moss:
...
Stick around, Jim. It's starting to calm down now! 8-D

There's always going to be heated debates in forums where the
participants are passionate about their common interest.
...

*** Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ:
...
Yes ... like me!

*** Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ:
Yikes. Interesting theories.

... but I'm not convinced.

...

SUBJECT: Re: Blake Powers forging PARG!

*** J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!:
...
Yea, I figured you wouldn't. You don't want to have amateur
newsgroups see what you are doing as you can't fool them with your
false statements like you have been able to do to the

scanner listeners!
...

*** Jack:
On Mon, 17 Aug 1998 00:06:11 -0700, "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
<bbowers@parg.org> wrote:

...
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

*** Blake Bowers:
...
No John, the reason I refuse to continue it on another newsgroup, is
that you have already infected this newsgroup, I will not be party
to your infecting other newsgroups.
...

SUBJECT: Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

*** Blake Bowers:
...
Absolutely. Already chatted with the membership committee, and you
are in.

Insofar as PIO, have at it!

*** George Vetterle:
...
I think you have made an excellent choice with Mike as PIO
for P_ARG. Mike is a published author and as such should
do an excellent job compared to PIOs of other groups who are
often totally unqualified for the job.

*** Blake Bowers:
...
I am positive that he will do an excellent job as PIO of P_ARG!

Great to see he has such support!

SUBJECT: Apology to all

*** Jmackey@parg.org (John Mackey:
I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
I have been causing trouble in this newsgroup and alt.radio.scanner
for the past three years is because I deeply love Bill Cheeks and will
go to great lengths to protect his arse. I dream about rooting bill
...

*** John M - KAOSSF:
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have been causing trouble in this newsgroup and alt.radio.scanner for

the past three years is because I deeply love Bill Cheeks and will go to
great lengths to protect his arse. I dream about rooting bill with my 2
...

*** Marc Purdon:
Are you to do all this in Australia?

...

SUBJECT: Cablemodem for sale!

*** J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!:
No longer needed, adapter to connect computer to internet via
cable TV connection. Contact Bill Cheek!

*** George Vetterle:
...
Forwarded to Edwin Kruse at san.rr.com so he can have a good laugh
too. It ain't over till it's over.

*** charles21:
...
John Mackey again is proving a liar, he stated the day Cheek was off the
newsgroup he would stop his flaming.
The above post is proof positive that he has no intention of stopping and will
continue his harasment of the newsgroup and then try and blame it on others.
...

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2967. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tomcX@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6ri06s$71o$1@newshost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 147036
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

We have that in the Dallas/Ft Worth area too.
All I have been able to find out is that 940-941 and and 930-931 MHz
is allocated to Narrowband PCS. I don't know what it is or who uses it.

Tom

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Jack wrote in message <35e16f1c.5128892@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>
>Can anyone else hear data (reflex) on 940.2375 or 940.2125 in your
>area? How about some licensee data? None of my references list either.
>Also, do they use reflex for things other then pagers? The length of
>the data received would suggest it's going to a PC or something like
>that..any input would be appreciated!
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2968. Re: texas dps frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tomcX@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6ri0sk$7ah$1@newshost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 147037
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

joe ard wrote in message <35db32a3.0@NEWS.INU.NET>...
>am trying to update my list of DPS freqs. Does anyone have a current list.
>Thanks
>
>

use a fixed-width font or this will look like junk:

channel frequency use
1 155.460 B/R 154.680 M Garland, Mineral Wells, Sherman, Abilene
2 155.460 M
3 154.950 M Intercity car-to-car/car-to-base
4 155.370 B 154.950 M Intercity base-to-base/base-to-car
5 155.505 M
6 155.505 R 154.920 M Criminal Law Enforcement?
7 155.445 M
8 155.445 B/R 154.695 M Wichita Fls, Brownwood, Sulphur Spr
9 159.210 M Car-to-Car
10? 159.090 M
11 - 17 159.210 R 154.665 M remote area repeaters - see below
18? 159.090 R 154.935 M Criminal Law Enforcement?
19 - 31 various Local sheriff, police, etc.
29 155.445 R 154.695 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
30 155.445 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
31? 157.350 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
32 157.350 R 151.130 M Dallas North Tollway (D/FW area only?)
32 155.475 M nationwide police mutual aid (other areas
?)

channel PL tone repeater location (dispatch office)

1 - 2 162.2
3 - 4 none
5 - 10 162.2
8 162.2 Hurst (Garland)
11 107.2 Canton (Tyler), ? (Childress/Lubbock)
12 110.9 Vernon (Childress), Denton (Sherman)
13 118.8 Waxahachie (Waco)
14 123.0 Decatur (Wichita Falls), Loraine (Abilene)
15 127.3
16 136.5 Benjamin (Childress), Paris (Sulphur Sprs)
17 141.3 Throckmorton (Mineral Wls/Abilene/Wichita Fls)
18? 162.2
29 - 30 107.2

32 162.2

Tom

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2969. Frederick Maryland Airshow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robb Ehrhardt <rehrhard@bcpl.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.96.980820160708.10005A-100000@mail.bcpl.net>
Source record: 147038

I am going to the Airshow in Frederick Maryland this weekend and was
wondering what frequencies I should monitor.
Thanks

Robb

email: REhrhard@BCPL.Net

2970. Re: Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082020202700.QAA17474@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147039

An Excellent reply from a reputable company. I recently purchased a scanner from CEI (BC235XLT) and have had a very positive experience. The operator was very courteous and informative. I had no suprises and am a very satisfied customer. I will do business with CEI again. I'm sure there are many others that feel the same. I am very glad to see a response such as this, it reinforces my willingness to do business with a comoany that understands the "Customer Service" concept. Thank you to Ken Ascher, Chairman/CEO of Communications Electronics Inc. for his detailed response.

CEB
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scanner. The scanners we distribute at Communications Electronics,
Emergency Operations Center are all new factory fresh merchandise.
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manufacturers we usually buy 500 to 1,000 units at a time.
We get a significant discount for purchasing in large quantities
which is normally passed back to our customers and clients.
This usually results in a lower price to you. When we resell these
products through our different sales division to our dealers, the price
they resell at is usually higher.

As you may know Daniel, a CEI customer benefit is our 61 day
satisfaction guarantee return policy as explained in our customer benefits

section of our web site http://www.usascan.com. When an item is
returned to us, we return it to our vendors as part of our quality
assurance
program. As a customer benefit, CEI does not charge a restocking fee
as we want our customers to be 100% satisfied with the equipment they
purchase.
For example, we recently returned a few hundred radios to Uniden that did
not meet our quality control standards or were returned
to us by our customers simply because they wanted to test a different
model.
If you are not delighted with your purchase, simply return your
merchandise
freight prepaid within 61 days from our date of shipping.

The radios we return to the manufacturer are usually resold in their
company stores at a discount with a reduced limited warranty.
For example, we recently returned many Trunktracker radios to Uniden.
After a quality control inspection, the Bearcat 235XLT's we returned to
Uniden
were then offered to Uniden customers at a reduced price, currently
$165.00.

Instead of the standard limited one-year factory warranty on new product,
the like-new Uniden product has only a ninety-day limited warranty.
Although the refurbished product which is sold in the Uniden store is
"like-new", please remember it does not usually have the latest features
such
as the valuable attenuator feature. Many customers have asked us to update

their "like-new" Bearcat 235XLT scanners with the attenuator or other
features
but this usually can not be done.

I know our returned product sent back to Uniden is popular
because it is quickly sold out. If saving money is a concern to you,
we recommend you order from the Uniden internet store.
When you order refurbished Bearcat 235XLT's from Uniden at
http://www.uniden.com you currently save $4.95. The shipping/handling and
insurance charges are usually lower through the Uniden store then CEI as
we
offer additional services and benefits. However, please remember
the "like-new" product has only a ninety-day limited factory warranty and
not the
standard one-year limited factory warranty. Refurbished product usually
does
not incorporate the latest features such as the attenuator or software
upgrades.

To answer your question regarding the sensitivity and intermod
specifications on
RELM radios, I recommend you contact Mr. Bill Cole at RELM. The number at
RELM is 1-800-422-6281 or their E-mail is relmservice@relm-comm.com.

As a additional CEI service, if you need help, don't panic. You will
find the customer service telephone and fax numbers to most of the
products we distribute by visiting our web page at http://www.usascan.com
and selecting the appropriate catagory. In addition,
you should find information about the country that manufacturered your
product by
clicking on the flag on the product pages in our website.

I hope this answeres your questions, but if you need further information,
please
call me at 1-800-USA-SCAN or send me E-mail at cei@mediaone.net.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman/CEO
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center

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> price($169.95), but have been disappointed in its performance in the
> 160-161MHz railroad band when compared to my old Radio Shack Pro-50.

> Its range is shorter(even though its sensitivity specs are better,
> 5uV for the Relm vs. 1uV for the Pro-50) and the intermod is only
> slightly less.
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> units are cheap because they are factory rejects, or other factors. I
> am not trying to slam CEI(unless this is the case), but rather trying
> to determine why the poor range since the sensitivity specs are
> better.
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> 160-161MHz range?(Its sensitivity spec is .25uV vs .5 uV)
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> provide better reception, but I am trying to stay cheap.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Daniel Dave Pepper

Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

2971. Re: Handheld scanners w/military freq, info please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ri0pv$n1j$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147040

CAM35PILOT wrote:
>
> Hello,
> I recently bought a Radio Shack Pro-60, which is the last handheld they
> made with the military aircraft frequencies (220-400). My problem is the 3 or 4
> family and friends that want one also. Since Radio shack is apparently cleared
> out of them, can anyone suggest an alternative in the $125-$150 range. Also, I
> would be very appreciative if anyone knows of a Radio Shack that still has a
> Pro-60 on the shelf.
> Please feel free to email me if you have any suggestions, I thank you all
> in advance for your time.
> Rich Kolasa

You were just lucky to be able to buy a great scanner like the pro
60 for such a low price. would you sell yours for $125 or $150?? I
guess not so you will have to wait till 1999 then Radio Shack might
put on another sellout of their scanners. Just my 2 cents. JERR

2972. Re: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082020541100.QAA22640@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147041

>Subject: Re: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat
>From: k4cc@aol.com (K4CC)
>Date: 8/20/98 3:01 PM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <1998082015010900.LAA27643@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>In article <1998082012554900.IAA15818@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
>rjmierrn@aol.com
>(RjMIERRN) writes:
>
>>>I picked up an old Bearcat III "Electra" Scanner with 8 channels. No
>>>markings at all on this radio. What model is this, when was it made,
>>>and can I get a manual for it?
>
>My BC III has a manufacture date of September, 1975.
>These were very popular in the mid- to late '70s.
>Dave
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PS I would like to buy one.

2973. Re: Any problems with scanners bought from CEI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpepper2@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35dc911e.5401402@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147042

dpepper2@yahoo.com (Daniel Dave Pepper) wrote:

>I just bought a Relm HS200 from CEI at an incredibly good
>price($169.95), but have been disappointed in its performance in the
>160-161MHz railroad band when compared to my old Radio Shack Pro-50.
>Its range is shorter(even though its sensitivity specs are better,
>5uV for the Relm vs. 1uV for the Pro-50) and the intermod is only
>slightly less.

that should be .5uV for Relm, 1.0uV for the Pro-50

>Is this performance difference normal, or is it possible that the CEI
>units are cheap because they are factory rejects, or other factors. I
>am not trying to slam CEI(unless this is the case), but rather trying
>to determine why the poor range since the sensitivity specs are
>better.
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>160-161MHz range?(Its sensitivity spec is .25uV vs .5 uV)
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>great price of $169.95). I understand that a ham transceiver would
>provide better reception, but I am trying to stay cheap.
>
>Thanks in advance,
>
>Daniel Dave Pepper
>
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2974. RE:I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!"
Message-ID: <35dc81fd.3255637@news.softandco.fr>
Source record: 147043
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I can't believe you CHEEK-A-LIKES will stoop to fucking forging! I will never stop fucking with your little pissant scan radio chats! I am a big bad ham radio operator, you guys are just shit! I love to run 1500 watts on 11 meters to screw with the losers on CB HAHAHAHAHA and you guys are even below them!
You should abandon these chats now because my regin of terror is just begining!

2975. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dc8671.4396109@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147044

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 21:52:51 -0700, John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really bad
>mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover. Don't
>worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new boytoy
>to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry
>about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have
>10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

John,
This is not appropriate for this newsgroup!

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2976. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35de8814.4814588@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147045

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 07:55:57 GMT, geovet@thevision.net (George
Vetterle) wrote:

>On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 05:59:30 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:
>
>>Damn..someone canceled this post.that sucks! I wanted to see it again!
>>
>
>You mean this one?
>

Yes, I can't believe how that guy has no regard for topic!

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2977. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <ugVipKIz9GA.285@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

This post is a forge (from France, I believe), and I've cancelled it, since
it is under my name.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message <35dc79ff.1208994@news.softandco.fr>...
>Look, I'm a 16 year old virgin! Cut me some slack! I should be out
>trying to get some pussy but since I look like a troll no woman will
>have anything to do with me so I am bitter! Sorry to take it out on
>you guys, but you are all I have. The sex chats I have with John
>Mackey do help, but cybersex can only fufill some of my needs!
>I'll try to be nicer in the future! Bye-bye!
>
>
>

2978. Re: Any problems with scanners bought from CEI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35DC9BF8.4E0@ibm.net>
Source record: 147047

Daniel Dave Pepper wrote:
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> 160-161MHz railroad band when compared to my old Radio Shack Pro-50.
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> 5uV for the Relm vs. 1uV for the Pro-50) and the intermod is only
> slightly less.

Lower is better when it comes to sensitivity.

> Is this performance difference normal

In this case, it's normal.

> Also, does the BC235XLT have a longer range than the HS200 in the
> 160-161MHz range?(Its sensitivity spec is .25uV vs .5 uV)

Yes, it will be more sensitive.

> I ask because I am thinking of buying a BC235XLT from CEI(again at a
> great price of $169.95). I understand that a ham transceiver would
> provide better reception, but I am trying to stay cheap.

I've found that there's quite a difference in sens. as you go through
each band of a scanner. The sens. must be used with a reference.
Typically this is 12dB SINAD. 12dB SINAD represents a noising signal
that is still copyable. It is not the same as 20dB Quieting or Squelch
threshold.

12dB SINAD is also measured in -dBm, which I prefer (and make more
sense).
-119dBm for 12dB SINAD is excellent (0.25uV). The bare minimum I would
expect to put up with is -117dBm for 12dB SINAD (0.32uV).

Hope this helps!

2979. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <exlWpPlz9GA.274@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Now that I think about it, John Mackey probably posted this message... (or
MAlexder)
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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>you guys, but you are all I have. The sex chats I have with John
>Mackey do help, but cybersex can only fufill some of my needs!
>I'll try to be nicer in the future! Bye-bye!
>
>
>

2980. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e29607.8385765@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147049
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 15:16:01 -0500, "Tom" <tomcX@cyberramp.net> wrote:

>We have that in the Dallas/Ft Worth area too.
>All I have been able to find out is that 940-941 and and 930-931 MHz
>is allocated to Narrowband PCS. I don't know what it is or who uses it.

So, it might be safe to assume that one might find the RE in flex in
the 930-931 range..? Anyone got one!?

>
>Jack wrote in message <35e16f1c.5128892@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>>
>>Can anyone else hear data (reflex) on 940.2375 or 940.2125 in your
>>area? How about some licensee data? None of my references list either.
>>Also, do they use reflex for things other then pagers? The length of
>>the data received would suggest it's going to a PC or something like
>>that..any input would be appreciated!
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2981. PRO-2004 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Varga <avarga@hamster.ivey.uwo.ca>
Message-ID: <6ri94e$cjg@falcon.ccs.uwo.ca>
Source record: 147050

For Sale

PRO-2004

400 channel modified
full cellular coverage

excellent condition

$ 200 CDN
$ 140 USD

Shipping not included from Toronto, Canada area

email avarga@hamster.ivey.uwo.ca
phone 519-621-6448

Tony VE3ZAV

2982. Re: SWAP SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <cN1D1.457$Lc3.7817187@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 147051

I have a soundblaster 64 awe If you are interested. E-mail me at
altman@ctel.net

jim wrote in message <35DC7481.236E7E9C@techno1.com>...
>Swap pro-63, for good soundcard.
>Scanner is in good condition but does not have box or manual, want good
>soundcard to use as decoder. i am in bedfordshire,uk.....Jim.
>

2983. BC80XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082023054800.TAA29078@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147052

any mods for this radio ???
gspri@aol.com

2984. Scanner Convarters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Bedard <brianb@xcelco.on.ca>
Message-ID: <6riaan$64k$1@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 147053

Does anyone know if the Ramsey SCN-1 800 MHZ Scanner Converter works and is it worth the money ?

Thanks in Advance

Brian

2985. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082023342500.TAA03348@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147054

>From: "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
>Date: Thu, Aug 20, 1998 17:46 EDT
>Message-id: <exlWpPIz9GA.274@upnetnews03>
>
>Now that I think about it, John Mackey probably posted this message... (or
>MAlexder)
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This is typical for Wee Willie Wanker: Making accusations without foundation.
It doesn't surprise me that you are such a self-absorbed little twit!

2986. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082023375100.TAA15598@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147055

Err.ok....
Chill dude

2987. Re: Icom R-9000 heat problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman27@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082023401100.TAA15937@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147056

For 5 grand the thing gets hot??!!!
I'll stick to my 3000A Aor

2988. Need battery for BC2500XLT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickm@mounet.com
Message-ID: <35deb624.10116724@news.mounet.com>
Source record: 147057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone know where I can get a battery for the BC2500?

Thanks

2989. NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <bulldogg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6ridca$ng8$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147058

I am looking for a website or some other location that may have the frequencies used by the NFL for their wireless microphones, team frequencies and any of the small dishes used to capture the game sounds [if available].

Thanks in advance!! I am new to scanning but getting hooked quick!!

2990. Justice Will Prevail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <cca_9808201700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147059

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> I have no vendetta on anyone.

john DIARRHEA MOUTH mackey is a L I A R
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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2991. ** THANKS TO ALL FOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <ccb_9808201700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147060

-=> Quoting "j Mackey - New E-mail Ad to All <=-

> Phil-

> Are you in love with Bill Cheek or are you his mother?

Your mother did to Bill what Monica did to Klinton.

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|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

2992. Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#JMpnbJz9GA.397@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147061

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fcc.allocations FCCTBL.TXT
/pub/hamradio/docs/misc Hamnet Lib 2
ftp://oak.oakland.edu CompuServe
[mulligan@acm.org] [70035,140]

June 1998

FCC Frequency Allocations
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A summary of the FCC Table of Frequency Allocations, based on
the Code of Federal Regulations - 47 CFR 2.106, with additional
information from the NTIA channel plan, et.al.

30 - 50 MHz: FM @ 20 kHz steps
30.000 - 30.560 US Government
30.560 - 31.980 Business / Industry / Forestry
31.990 - 32.000 Public Safety
32.000 - 33.000 US Government
33.000 - 33.100 Public Safety
33.120 - 33.400 Business / Petroleum
33.420 - 34.000 Fire
34.000 - 35.000 US Government
35.020 - 36.000 Business / Paging
36.000 - 37.000 US Government
37.020 - 37.420 Police / Local Govt
37.460 - 37.860 Power, Water, Pipeline
37.900 - 38.000 Highway Maint / Special Emergency
38.000 - 39.000 US Government
39.020 - 40.000 Police / Local Govt
40.000 - 42.000 US Government
42.020 - 42.940 State Police
42.960 - 43.680 Business / Paging
43.700 - 44.600 Transportation - bus, truck / Cordless base
44.620 - 45.060 State Police / Forestry Conservation
45.080 - 45.860 Police / Local Govt / Highway Maint
45.900 - 46.040 Police / Emergency
46.060 - 46.500 Fire
46.520 - 46.580 Local Govt
46.610 - 46.970 Cordless Phones - base (20/40 kHz steps)
47.020 - 47.400 Highway Maint
47.440 - 47.680 Industry / Emergency
47.700 - 49.580 Industry / Cordless handset
49.670 - 49.990 Cordless Phones - handset (irregular steps)
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50 - 150 MHz
50.000 - 54.000 Amateur (6-meter)
54.000 - 72.000 Broadcast TV chs 2-4 (6 MHz steps - FMw)
72.000 - 76.000 (various)
[75.000] Aero - ILS marker beacon
76.000 - 88.000 Broadcast TV chs 5-6 (6 MHz steps - FMw)
88.100 - 107.900 FM Broadcast (200 kHz steps - FMw)
108.000 - 117.950 Aero - VOR and ILS localizer (50 kHz steps)
118.000 - 136.975 Aero - communications (25 kHz steps - AM)
[121.500] Aero - emergency (international)
137.000 - 138.000 Satellite
138.000 - 144.000 US Government - land mobile (25 kHz steps)
144.000 - 148.000 Amateur (2-meter)
148.000 - 149.900 US Government - fixed/mobile, satellite
149.900 - 150.050 Satellite - radionavigation
150.050 - 150.800 US Government - fixed/mobile

150 - 162 MHz: FM @ 15 kHz steps
150.815 - 150.965 Auto Emergency
150.995 - 151.595 Highway / Forestry / Industry
151.625 - 151.955 Business (30 kHz steps)
152.030 - 152.240 Mobile phone (Base) / Page (30 kHz steps)
152.270 - 152.450 Taxi (Base)
152.510 - 152.840 Mobile phone (Base) / Page (30 kHz steps)
152.870 - 153.725 Industry
153.740 - 154.445 Fire / Govt (mobile)
154.452 - 154.482 Industry (telemetry) (7.5 kHz steps)
154.490 - 154.625 Industry
154.650 - 156.240 Police / Govt / Emrgncy / Hwy
156.025 - 157.425 Maritime (ship) (25 kHz steps)
157.470 - 157.515 Auto Emergency
157.530 - 157.710 Taxi (mobile) / Business
157.770 - 158.100 Mobile phone (mobile) / Page (30 kHz steps)
158.130 - 158.460 Industry
158.490 - 158.700 Mobile phone (mobile) / Page (30 kHz steps)
158.730 - 159.210 Police / Govt / Highway
159.225 - 159.465 Forestry Conservation
159.495 - 160.200 Transportation - bus, truck
160.215 - 161.610 Railroad
160.625 - 160.950 Maritime - Coast (25 kHz steps)
161.640 - 161.760 { Broadcast Pickups
161.500 - 162.025 { Maritime - Coast (25 kHz steps)

162 - 450 MHz
162.025 - 174.000 mainly US Govt - land mobile (12.5/25 kHz steps)
[173.075] LoJack
174.000 - 216.000 Broadcast TV chs 7-13 (6 MHz steps - FMw)
216.000 - 218.000 Maritime - AMTS, coast (25 kHz steps)
218.000 - 219.000 IVDS - Interactive Video & Data
219.000 - 220.000 Maritime - AMTS, ship (25 kHz steps)
220.0025- 220.9975 General (trunked) - base (5 kHz steps)
221.0025- 221.9975 General (trunked) - mobile (" " ")

222.000 - 225.000 Amateur (1.25-meter)
225.000 - 328.600 US Government - Aero (50/100 kHz steps - AM)
[243.000] Aero - military emergency
328.600 - 335.400 Aero - ILS glide path (50 kHz steps)
335.400 - 400.000 US Government - Aero (50/100 kHz steps - AM)
400.000 - 406.000 US Govt - Meteorological / Space
[404.370] Wind Profiler radar
[406.025] Emergency Locator Transmitter (ELT)
406.100 - 420.000 US Govt - land mobile (12.5/25 kHz steps)
420.000 - 450.000 { Amateur (70cm) / military long-range radar
422.200 - 430.000 { land mobile in Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo

450 - 460 MHz: FM @ 25 kHz steps (450-455 base, 455-460 mobile)
12.5 kHz steps for 2 watt use (451-454 & 456-459)
450.050 - 450.925 Auxiliary Broadcasting
451.025 - 452.025 Industry
452.050 - 452.500 Taxi / Industry / Transport
452.525 - 452.600 Automobile Emergency
452.625 - 452.950 Transportation - Trucks / Railroad
452.975 - 453.000 Relay Press
453.025 - 453.975 Local Govt / Public Safety
454.025 - 454.650 Mobile Telephone
454.675 - 454.975 Mobile Telephone Air (ground)
455.050 - 455.925 Auxiliary Broadcasting
456.025 - 457.025 Industry
457.050 - 457.500 Taxi / Industry / Transport
457.525 - 457.600 {Maritime - shipboard repeater (mobiles +10.225)
{Business - low power
457.625 - 457.950 Transportation - Trucks / Railroad
457.975 - 458.000 Relay Press
458.025 - 458.975 Public Safety / Local Govt
459.025 - 459.650 Mobile Telephone
459.675 - 459.975 Mobile Telephone Air (airborne)

460 - 470 MHz: FM @ 25 kHz steps (460-465 base, 465-470 mobile)
12.5 kHz steps for 2 watt use
460.025 - 460.550 Police / Public Safety
460.575 - 460.625 Fire
460.650 - 460.875 Business - Airport use
460.900 - 461.000 Business - Central Alarms
461.025 - 462.175 Business
462.200 - 462.525 Manufacturers / Industry
462.550 - 462.725 GMRS (12.5 kHz steps)
462.750 - 462.925 Business (paging)
462.950 - 463.175 MED (Ambulance/Hospital)
463.200 - 465.000 Business
465.025 - 465.550 Police / Public Safety
465.575 - 465.625 Fire
465.650 - 465.875 Business - Airport use
465.900 - 466.000 Business - Central Alarms
466.025 - 467.175 Business

467.200 - 467.525 Manufacturers / Industry
467.550 - 467.725 GMRS (25 kHz steps)
467.750 - 467.925 {Business (2w, telemetry)
467.750 - 467.825 {Maritime - shipboard (rptr -10.225)
467.950 - 468.175 MED (Ambulance/Hospital)
468.200 - 469.975 Business

470 - 806 MHz: 6 MHz per channel, wide FM audio
470.0625- 511.8875 { Broadcast TV, chs 14-20
{ Large Metro Public Safety (25 kHz steps - FM)
512.000 - 806.000 Broadcast TV, Chs 21-69

806 - 896 MHz: FM @ 25 kHz steps (mobile 806-851, base 851-896)
806.0125- 809.7375 General - conventional
809.7625- 810.9875 General - single channels
811.0125- 815.9875 General - trunked
816.0125- 820.9875 SMR - trunked
821.0125- 823.9875 Public Safety - trunked (12.5 kHz steps)
824.040 - 834.360 Cellular Telephone (30 kHz steps)
834.390 - 835.620 Cellular Telephone (data) (30 kHz steps)
835.650 - 848.970 Cellular Telephone (30 kHz steps)
849.0055- 850.9735 Aircraft Telephone (6 kHz steps - AM)
851.0125- 854.7375 General - conventional
854.7625- 855.9875 General - single channels
856.0125- 860.9875 General - trunked
861.0125- 865.9875 SMR - trunked
866.0125- 868.9875 Public Safety - trunked (12.5 kHz steps)
869.040 - 879.360 Cellular Telephone (30 kHz steps)
879.390 - 880.620 Cellular Telephone (data) (30 kHz steps)
880.650 - 893.970 Cellular Telephone (30 kHz steps)
894.0055- 895.9735 Aircraft Telephone (6 kHz steps - AM)

896 - 1400 MHz:
896.000 - 901.000 SMR/Business/Industry - mobile (12.5 kHz steps)
901.000 - 902.000 Personal Communications Services
902.000 - 928.000 Amateur (33cm) / USGovt radar / various secondary
[915.000] microwave ovens
928.000 - 929.000 Multiple Address Systems (Muzak, et al)
929.000 - 930.000 paging
930.000 - 931.000 Personal Communications Services - base
931.000 - 932.000 (paging)
932.000 - 935.000 US Govt - low-capacity fixed links (FAA)
935.000 - 940.000 SMR/Business/Industry - base (12.5 kHz steps)
940.000 - 941.000 Personal Communications Services - base
941.000 - 944.000 US Govt - low-capacity fixed links (FAA)
944.000 - 952.000 Broadcast Auxiliary - STL (studio-xmiter link)
952.000 - 960.000 Multiple Address Systems (Muzak, et al)
960.000 -1215.000 { Aero navigation - DME/TACAN (w/ assoc. VOR)
{ US Govt - Joint Tactical Info. Distrib. Sys.
[1030.000] ATC Radar Beacon System (query)
[1090.000] ATC Radar Beacon System (parrot)

1215.000 -1240.000 US Govt - GPS Radionavigation Satellite
1240.000 -1300.000 { Amateur (23cm)
1240.000 -1350.000 { Aero - Air Route Surveillance Radar
1350.000 -1400.000 US Govt - military tactical & air-ground data

2993. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35dc02d4.1046298@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 147062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Here is another place that been around for a while, although I don't
have any personal connection, nor have I done business with them.
http://members.aol.com/~primecell/primecell.html

Wiggie

On 20 Aug 1998 13:09:52 GMT, parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com (Bob
Parnass, AJ9S) wrote:

>In article <35DA1E0B.C2EA4D42@jps.net>, kf6dbh <jcssow@jps.net> wrote:
>
> >Does anyone know where I can buy a reasonably priced replacement battery
> >for the Bearcat 3000XLT Scanner? I have called several places and
> >either they are very high priced or out of stock.
>
>
> Replacement NiCd battery packs and inserts for the
> BC100XLT, BC200XLT, BC2500XLT, BC3000XLT, and other
> scanners are available from Uniden. I've purchased them at
> lower cost from:
>
>
> 1. Mr. NiCd - E. H. Yost and Company, 2211-D Parview
> Rd., Middleton, WI 53562. tel. (608)831-3443. email
> ehyost@midplains.net
>
> 2. Battery-Tech Central, 2818 Southland Street SW, Cedar
> Rapids, IA 52404-4141. tel. (800)267-3087 or
> (319)364-0855. email rlassoc@inav.net
>
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>==========
>Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S AMPS/PCS Advanced Systems Development Lab
>parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

2994. need frequencies for Oakland County, Mich.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgsmith <jeffgsmith@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6ric7paqr1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 147063

I live in Rochester Hills, Mich. and am looking to update my scanner frequency list for police and fire. Any suggestions?

Please e-mail me at:
jeffgsmith@earthlink.net

Thanks!

2995. Re: anyone bought from CEI? (comm. electr. inc.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35DCCAA9.6DBDFFE4@mc.net>
Source record: 147064

Evrclear84 wrote:

> i am about to purchase a Relm HS200 from their web page and was wondering if
> anyone has bought anything from CEI. thanks!
>
> stee.. Evrclear84@aol.com

Very good place to do business with. Made many purchases from them over the
years
with NO COMPLAINTS.

2996. Re: Pro64 Excel Template

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <OsaZoLKz9GA.112@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147065

I am using the same package, use TOOLS ----> ADD INS and check book analysis packs. This will allow the Visual Basic (VBA) routines to run and link the proper Library of Function to calculate the data to download to the PRO-64.

Ivan Ivanovich

Vivyca wrote in message <1998082004471200.AAA18223@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>getting the same error....does anyone know where to get the conversion, I
am
>running office 97 professional edition.

2997. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <uL2ezPKz9GA.185@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147066

Hmm. I only said 'probably'.

If you stop, I will.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

MAlexder wrote in message
<19980820233425OO.TAA03348@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>This is typical for Wee Willie Wanker: Making accusations without
foundation.
>It doesn't surprise me that you are such a self-absorbed little twit!

2998. AOR 8000 FOR SALE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve painter <stevepaint@clearwater.net>
Message-ID: <35dc60f4.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 147067

AOR 8000, pre-ban full coverage reciever. No gaps in coverage. With Soft Case & 4 AAA rechargeable batteries, antenna, wrist lanyard, cigarette lighter adapter & AC adapter, Manual, Original box. Unit is in like new condition, one year old, and used only about 25 hours. Also included is the Opto Electronics Optolynx, boxed, with manual and AOR connector cable, Installation disk (with radio manager for windows), A/c adapter & warranty card, along with the Scancat-Gold for Windows (v7.011), Scanner Wear soft control 2.0 demo disk, Signal intelligence scan*star plus demo disk, manual, quick start card, envelope software/manual. Would like to sell this as a package for $550, but would entertain all offers.

Also have a new Radio Shack LCD Frequency counter (cat. #22-306) which is the newer design with hold function, boxed with manual, and antenna. Used only about 6 times. $75.

All items are fully guaranteed, and your money will be cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied.

2999. CELL SCANNER WANTED!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oatmeal Boy <65mustang@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35DD007A.9C1D055A@geocities.com>
Source record: 147068

I am looking for a scanner (make, model) that I can buy retail, over the counter, (Radio Shack, Sony etc. etc.) that is capable of modifying to recieve Cell Phone freq. Do any of you out there know of a good one I can buy and then modify myself? Thanks for your Help. :o) An Erikson compatable Trunkable scanner would be nice too :o)

3000. CELLULAR SCANNER WANTED!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oatmeal Boy <65mustang@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35DD013E.4C4DC526@geocities.com>
Source record: 147069

I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of modification to recieve cell phones. Are there any good makes/models that any of you reccomend? Thanks for your help. :o)

3001. Re: "E Loc" Message on Bearcat 760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Carlson <bcarlson@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <35DCDE9C.1E60@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 147070

Thanks for the help. The memory lock switch was in the ON
position, so that was my problem. It now works fine.

Thanks to all that replied.

Regards,
Brian

Bud wrote:
>
> On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 03:07:46 -0500, Brian Carlson <bcarlson@cyberramp.net>
> wrote:
>
> >However, I always get an "E Loc" message. This happens
> >for any frequency. The L/O is displayed initially since
> >the channel is not programmed (000.000).
> >
> >What do I need to do to get around this problem? Responses
> >to my e-mail address would be appreciated.
>
> Look on the back of the radio for a switch labeled 'enter lock'.
> Make sure it's in the 'off' position.

3002. BCT-12 mods? Continuous scan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dave A." <sasakikojiro@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35DCE2A6.D76425D5@earthlink.net>
Source record: 147071

Hello! Has anyone done any mods tot he Uniden BCT-12 unit? I wanted it primarily for CHP detection, and wanted to modify it so it doesn't stay on one frequency after stopping, i.e., no delay when the channel reception halts for a second. THe reason is, I get a lot of clutter and junk in my area, and have to end up locking out almost all channels but one or two. I'd still like to monitor the channels with interference, just in case.

Thanks in advance!

-Dave

3003. bc200xlt help- need manual/copy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dave A." <sasakikojiro@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35DCE325.9936A131@earthlink.net>
Source record: 147072

Hello!

I just recently acquired a bc200xlt unit that has no instructions.
Could anyone with access to an instruction sheet handy please scan and
email it to me?

This is my first scanner (aside from a BCT-12, which really doesn't
count), and I'm having a heck of a time understanding how to work the
thing.

Thanks!

-Dave

3004. WTB: Optoelectronics Optolinx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denny Alford <kdalford@occ-uky.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <35DCEAFF.67205547@occ-uky.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 147073
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WTB: Optoelectronics Optolinx, in very good condition complete with
docs, etc.
Please reply privately via Email.
Thanks.

3005. SCANNING IN MARYLAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: SDG <SDG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35DCEB4F.24BE@prodigy.net>
Source record: 147074

DOES ANYONE KNOW THE NAME OF THE SCANNING/MONITORING GROUP IN MARYLAND?

I WANT TO OBTAIN FREQUENCIES IN MARYLAND.

3006. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rg67v$75l$0@207.18.224.88>
Source record: 147075

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 00:30:25 GMT, thekat@san.rr.commmm (Bud) wrote:

>On 19 Aug 1998 22:32:15 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>
>>>Me too! I want to be a member. Maybe the West Coast Master-at-Arms?
>>>
>>Hmmm. Sure! Can you kick non-members out?
>
>Oh, yes, I LOVE doing that!
>
>But I have to tell you, I feel slighted that you never acknowledged my
>e-mail a few days ago.
>
>:(
Arrrgh. My abject apologies. Been real crazy around here.

>
>Just double my pay, and I'll never bring it up again.
>
Heck, consider it tripled!

3007. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rg699$75l$1@207.18.224.88>
Source record: 147076

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 00:46:36 GMT, "John T. Arthur"
<cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu> wrote:

>
>I'm also interested; do you guys actually talk/type anything about
>scanners?
>
Scanners, HAM radio,and commercial radio. All the time!

3008. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082004091200.AAA24699@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147077

I agree: while bills posts have sometimes "devolved" it seems from watching on the side lines that it has been in reaction to an ongoing campaign waged against him in this news group by a certain party.....gee I cannot imagine who.....

3009. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr." <bilbrey@so-spam.exis.net>
Message-ID: <6rg90n$4rj$1@grouper.exis.net>
Source record: 147078

It may sound silly, try http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/
the price is steep, but I think there isn't anywhere else to order one.
kf6dbh wrote in message <35DA1E0B.C2EA4D42@jps.net>...
>Does anyone know where I can buy a reasonably priced replacement battery
>for the Bearcat 3000XLT Scanner? I have called several places and
>either they are very high priced or out of stock.
>
>Jim
>
>

3010. Re: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dba8cc.6597151@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 08:18:29 GMT, gknox@mindspring.com (Greg Knox)
wrote:

>On Tue, 18 Aug 1998 22:03:43 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:
>
>>Was wondering if the 895 has two separate receivers in there to
>>perform it's magic..anyway if it does, anyone know how to pick the
>>discriminator output from the DATA side during trunking mode?
>>
>
>Despite what has been reported on these newsgroups previously by
>others, none of the Trunktrackers have two receivers. There is a
>single, triple conversion receiver (maybe that's the cause of the
>misinformation) that alternates between the control channel and the
>voice channel as appropriate.
>
>Greg Knox

Oh well..I knew it was too good to be true! However it figures out the
end of the conversation..it does it as well as trunker.exe with one
receiver dedicated to the control channel.

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http://broward.home.ml.org

3011. Re: Pro64 Excel Template

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: vivyca@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082004471200.AAA18223@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147080

getting the same error....does anyone know where to get the conversion, I am running office 97 professional edition.

3012. digital .WAV samples

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35deade3.7900699@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147081
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just added a section to my webpage with some various .WAV samples of some common digital formats decodable with the PC and some simple parts. Check it out. URL is at the bottom.

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3013. Re: sheet metal nibbler - how to use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ddaaac.7077585@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147082
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 19 Aug 1998 01:09:10 GMT, chuckie@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)
wrote:

>Has anyone used this tool before?
>
>How is it used and where might one be found. I'm preparing to tap my
>discriminator and wanted a clean "professional" jack installed on the
>back side of the scanner.

If you stick a piece if masking tape loosely on the inside of the
back of the scanner to catch metal shavings and wrap some more around
the blade to prevent giving the scanner a lobatamy..a drill works
fine!

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3014. digital .WAV samples

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dbb121.372225@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147083
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just added a section to my webpage with some various .WAV samples of some common digital formats decodable with the PC and some simple parts. Check it out. URL is at the bottom.

I have one on there labeled as reflexABCD..that's what pocflex says it is anyway, but it looks like binary data on the screen Found it on 940.2125--maybe it's a new pockettalk freq? I've heard they use flex to transmit data..any way give it a listen!

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3015. Re: 895 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dcb6d8.1836175@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147084

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 09:19:15 -0700 (PDT), Mrchess@webtv.net (dave archer) wrote:

>Iam trying to get my tape recorde hooked up to my 895XLT, for some reasn
>the tape recorder is not comming on when the scanner is active like its
>soppsed to '
>can any one give me any Ideas?? has to why has any one done this with a
>895XLT

It has been said that reversing the polarity of the remote plug will cure that problem. I have yet to try it though.

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3016. Re: CHP freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6rgcmr$79o@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 147085

In <NwOC1.182$T42.127026@news.mci2000.com> "Mike Derryberry"
<michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> writes:
>
>What area or city? The CHP has about 50 frequencies used around the
state.
>

>michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
>Moonman wrote in message <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>...
>>does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?
>>
>>
>> thanks craig
>
> here is a quickee....

don't tell Clinton

put 42.00 in for the first search point
put 43.00 in for the end search point
then do what comes naturally and, unlike
Clinton, take notes.

some scanners register hits....
some presidents get hit.

bill

3017. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ddacf9.2899391@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147086

Damn..someone canceled this post.that sucks! I wanted to see it again!

3018. Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e0ae87.3297592@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147087

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 08:04:10 GMT, dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John
Petri) wrote:

>Path: news3.mia.bellsouth.net!newsfeed.mia.bellsouth.net!newsfeed.atl.bellsouth.net!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.bbnplanet.com!europa.clark.net!209.98.98.32!chippy.visi.com!news-out.visi.com!nntp.teleport.com!news.teleport.com!not-for-mail
>From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri)
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
>Subject: Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?
>Message-ID: <dalyrimple-1908980107490001@pdx43-a48-18.teleport.com>
>References: <1998081823434600.TAA29832@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>X-Newsreader: Yet Another NewsWatcher 2.1.8
>Lines: 8
>Date: Wed, 19 Aug 1998 08:04:10 GMT
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.202.165.26
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 19 Aug 1998 01:04:10 PDT
>Xref: newsfeed.atl.bellsouth.net rec.radio.scanner:1776031
>
>x-no-archive: yes In article
><1998081823434600.TAA29832@ladder03.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com
>(MAlexder) wrote:
>
>> Does anyone know where I can find a complete FCC freq allocation table that
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>
>Good, solid, informative post. Thanks!

1 No response
2 207.203.11.235 11-235.microgear.net 188 ms
3 207.203.0.9 Unavailable 206 ms
4 205.152.16.249 ixc000f00.mia.bellsouth.net 212 ms
5 157.130.65.221 Hssi3-1-0.GW1.MIA1.ALTER.NET 231 ms
6 146.188.232.138 111.ATM2-0.XR1.ATL1.ALTER.NET 241 ms
7 146.188.232.82 100.ATM2-0.TR1.ATL1.ALTER.NET 276 ms
8 146.188.136.74 109.ATM6-0.TR1.SEA1.ALTER.NET 343 ms
9 146.188.200.97 199.ATM6-0.XR1.SEA1.ALTER.NET 350 ms
10 146.188.200.185 195.ATM2-0-0.GW1.POR2.ALTER.NET 351 ms
11 157.130.176.158 teleport-gw.customer.alter.net 489 ms
12 198.106.155.2 pdx41-a48.teleport.com 554 ms
13 204.202.165.26 pdx41-a48-12.teleport.com 816 ms

The origin of this poster is a big suprise!...HAHAHA

3019. I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <35dcbba8.1714635@news.zip.com.au>
Source record: 147088

I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner for my shithouse attitude, off-topic postings, forged emails, rogue-cancels and other miscellaneous mail bombs (especially to my BumChum Billy "big butt" Cheeks!). I also want to apologise to clark college for illegally accessing their system's nntp news server externally and injecting fake newsgroup postings and making rogue newsgroup cancels. Most of all, I would like to say that since I'm gay and demented I have no control over my actions. My only real hobby is rooting around with my warp-infested floppy dick and shoving dipoles up my lover's rear ends.

I promise from now on to do the following:

1. Make no more off-topic posts
2. Refrain from talking about anything but scanners
3. Resign from the "officer colostomy for brains position"
4. Continue to stalk my lover Bill Cheeks

3020. F.S. AR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbay6969@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082006274200.CAA28162@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147089

F.S. AR 8000

I have an AR 8000 with the scout mod, cell blocked, works perfectly, with box, manual, cig lighter adapter and nicads. It has a crack (I do not know if it goes all the way through the case - I have not had the nerve to open it up to see) around the hole for the scout mod. I will throw in a hard leather case to help make up for this problem.

$375 shipped in the Lower 48.

E-mail if interested.

3021. Freq's in IOWA ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene <bobeb@netins.net>
Message-ID: <6rgi8b$k95$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 147090

If you know of ANY freq.'s for the Northwest Iowa Area ....Please Post

Thank you.

3022. Re: My confession.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35dbd52b.1498903@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 147091

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 05:59:30 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:

>Damn..someone canceled this post.that sucks! I wanted to see it again!
>

You mean this one?

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Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
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news.eli.net!news-out.internetmci.com!newsfeed.internetmci.com!205.231.236.10!newspeer.mon
mouth.com!oleane!rain.fr!news.softandco.fr!not-for-mail
From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Subject: My confession.
Message-ID: <35DBABA3.52D7@parg.org>
Date: Wed, 19 Aug 1998 21:52:51 -0700
References: <35DB978C.5F8F@parg.org> <35DBA97D.74BF@parg.org>
Reply-To: bbowers@parg.org
Organization: Society for Prevention of Spam & Promotion of Peace
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.04Gold (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 6
Xref: news.eli.net rec.radio.scanner:3297

I just wanted to let everyone know that I am gay. I've been a really
bad
mood these last few months, as I broke up with my long time lover.
Don't
worry, I'll be much less abusive now since I've found a brand new
boytoy
to pump my asshole into a bloody mess nightly again! I'm really sorry
about any problems I've caused in the newsgroup! Gotta run, as I have
10'' of manhood calling me right now!!!

3023. "E Loc" Message on Bearcat 760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Carlson <bcarlson@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <35DBD952.3491@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 147092

Hello,

I have a BC 760XLT, but no manual. From the information
I have seen on the web, I should do the following to enter
a new frequency:

19 MAN 460.000E

However, I always get an "E Loc" message. This happens
for any frequency. The L/O is displayed initially since
the channel is not programmed (000.000).

What do I need to do to get around this problem? Responses
to my e-mail address would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Brian

3024. Orlando Florida and Astro .wav sound samples

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <zcRC1.12586$9j2.1789106@news3.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147093
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello All,

Well I have taken My BC895 and Scanner Recorder and made Some sample sound files from local agencies around the area. Including the raw sound of Motorola's Astro Protocol from the FHP tower

Hope you Enjoy

Jason

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Jason Webb EMT/EMD
The Orlando TrunkTracking Page
http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Confidence is high Repeat Confidence is high
Commander Insert your key

3025. Down converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <c54_9808200300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147094

-=> Quoting Ken to All <=-

Ke> I'm looking for a VHF to UHF (150 to 450) down converter for my UHF
Ke> radio. thanks

Do you want a DOWN converter or an UP converter?

What are you trying to accomplish?

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3026. Mackey, DigitPerson,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <c55_9808200300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 147095

-=> Quoting John M - Kaossf to All <=-

> You & others make this statement yet are unable to demonstrate
> when/where I have lied. Thus, making yourself look like liars!

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3027. Re: New RS scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35DC0183.84817592@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 147096

Rick Gans wrote:
> New models include the 2066 mobile Trunk Tracker. It appears to be a
> 2046 with TT capabilites. It is a 150 channel radio and is due out
> October 30.

Many people have been waiting for this since Jeff Goldman brought
it to our attention back in May.

> They have a new base model, the 2050, which is a 300 channel TT radio.

This model has been around since last December.

> They have two handhelds, one is new and one is last year's model (I
> did not note the model #s).

The PRO-90 (BC235XLT clone) and the PRO-91 (the worst performing
TT to date of the 5 I have reviewed).

> I am sure others will be giving much more details on these scanners.

Sad to see no high-end units with mil air. Here's hoping GRE springs
something on us by surprise!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

3028. Re: Ace Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082011475900.HAA23009@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147097

>
>Just wondering if anyone has dealt with a company called Ace Communications

I bought a scanner from them about four years ago. I received it quickly and I
was satisfied with the purchase.

3029. EAS encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ellisd@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rh71p$6ji$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147098

I am looking for a used EAS encoder that I can use to generate EAS test messages in all possible configurations. The unit must let me enter the test data. I need an RS-232 or equal output for the message. IA PC computer program would be very helpful. Can anyone out there help me or lead me in the right direction in order to accomplish my endeavor. Thanks!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3030. Pro 34....what's it worth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us
Message-ID: <Exyx4B.L0q@freenet.akron.oh.us>
Source record: 147099

How much is my used Pro 34 worth?
I saw one going for $180 on the net, but that sounds a bit high????)

Nice shape
Very bright backlight
No scratches on led screen
No gaps

Thanks.
-me

please reply to aa186@acorn.net

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3031. LOOKING FOR A KNOWLEDGEABLE RECCOMENDATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rocky84 <rocky84@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35DC17A6.739D1E3A@usa.net>
Source record: 147100

OK, I am totally new to scanners, but I have extensive knowledge on CB's (what little there is to know) and computers. I am considering the Uniden Bearcat 9000XLT, can anyone give me a clue as to if this is a worthy product, or is there a similar product that is better. Please respond via email. Thanks.

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China is funding the President's
campaign, yet encrypting my email
is a threat to national security.

3032. Re: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082012554900.IAA15818@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147101

>Subject: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat
>From: sebring@zebra.net
>Date: 8/20/98 1:24 AM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <35DB7AD8.1199@zebra.net>
>
>I picked up an old Bearcat III "Electra" Scanner with 8 channels. No
>markings at all on this radio. What model is this, when was it made,
>and can I get a manual for it?
>sebring@zebra.net

You just named the model. Its a Bearcat III, it was made be Electra before Uniden bought them out years ago. If you write Uniden they may be able to provide you a manual at a modest cost. The scanner from what I recall is crystal fed, operates on VHF-Lo, VHF-Hi and UHF. It is very reliable and my parents had one for years.

RjMIERRN

3033. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6rh770$fk@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 147102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35DA1E0B.C2EA4D42@jps.net>, kf6dbh <jcssow@jps.net> wrote:

>Does anyone know where I can buy a reasonably priced replacement battery
>for the Bearcat 3000XLT Scanner? I have called several places and
>either they are very high priced or out of stock.

Replacement NiCd battery packs and inserts for the
BC100XLT, BC200XLT, BC2500XLT, BC3000XLT, and other
scanners are available from Uniden. I've purchased them at
lower cost from:

1. Mr. NiCd - E. H. Yost and Company, 2211-D Parview
Rd., Middleton, WI 53562. tel. (608)831-3443. email
ehyost@midplains.net

2. Battery-Tech Central, 2818 Southland Street SW, Cedar
Rapids, IA 52404-4141. tel. (800)267-3087 or
(319)364-0855. email rlassoc@inav.net

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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

3034. BC-235 deal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35DC32EE.7093@mc.net>
Source record: 147103
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

FYI

Commuication Electronics has the updated BC-235 (attenuator button)
on sale for $169.95 plus shipping.

found em at www.usascan.com

3035. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: eudorwelt@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082014163400.KAA04827@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147104

Even with a scanner that does not have the regular Fm radio coverage, many
Fm/tv stations use the 900 mhz range as a relay link.
if you have a 900mhz scanner, just scan that range, and you may be able to hit
one or more of these audio links.
73's,
KB2ZYO/Sailor Goon

3036. Re: relm HS200 opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rhbts$10hc$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147105

Evrclear84 wrote in message
<1998081920070300.QAA26438@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>does anyone have this scanner, and if so, how does it work? does it
get good
>reception? does it get cell images?, etc...
> hope someone can help!!

I have one. It works pretty well, although being double conversion it is interference prone. When in PL or DPL mode, that is not much of an issue, although strong interference can garble any signal whether it uses PL or not. It's less sensitive on most bands than my BC-235xlt. It probably gets cell images, but I don't usually use it for 800 MHz, unless I'm looking for PL/DPL on a particular conventional frequency.

73 de Dave, NF2G

3037. Re: what is PL/CTCSS and DPL/DCS decoder??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rhbtt$10hc$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bob Parnass, AJ9S wrote in message
<6rf7o3$ie5@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>...
> the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ
> wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by
> most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

It is possible to use the military CTCSS by setting 151.4 Hz in your
receiver.

73 de Dave, NF2G

3038. EZ way to get freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: endo@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35DC361D.C7EF930F@ibm.net>
Source record: 147107

I emailed the admistrative dept. of my local sherrif they were more thgan
happy to give me there freqs. why not try it your selves if your looking for them.

3039. Re: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082015010900.LAA27643@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147108

In article <1998082012554900.IAA15818@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rjmierrn@aol.com (RjMIERRN) writes:

>>I picked up an old Bearcat III "Electra" Scanner with 8 channels. No
>>markings at all on this radio. What model is this, when was it made,
>>and can I get a manual for it?

My BC III has a manufacture date of September, 1975.
These were very popular in the mid- to late '70s.
Dave

3040. Re: I can't help myself - give me a break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: myob@myob.com
Message-ID: <35dc38ee.1564773@nnrp.sj.ablecom.net>
Source record: 147109

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 06:01:15 GMT, jmackey@parg.org (John Mackey * KA0SSF *) obviously did not write:

[Forged post snipped]

For those of you who post good technical data and facts, please ignore this post.

I've been reading this group for about a week now since I just got a scanner and about all there is are these bitch wars. I read other groups regularly and this one takes the cake for stupid people.

Here's what you do: Get yourself a news reader with a kill filter on it and FILTER OUT the people you don't like. If someone posts something that you don't like then just add them to your kill filter and you will never see them again.

Don't try all these fascist tactics of getting people blocked from the newsgroup, forging posts, and name calling. Act like adults, not someone who sits in your trailer all day drinking Budweiser and listening to a scanner.

I now plan to add this topic and the posters to *my* kill filter so I don't have to look at this swill again. I've been doing that all along but it's impossible to stay ahead of it in this group.

Exercise a little restraint and this newsgroup could be a useful place, which is what the majority of us want.

3041. Re: Ace Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35DC2B46.3D1E@qsl.net>
Source record: 147110
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Greg Renner wrote:
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> marcs_ms wrote:
> >
> > Just wondering if anyone has dealt with a company called Ace Communications
> > http://www.ace-communications.com
> > ?
> >
> > Just wanted to check and see if anyone else had ordered from them and what
> > their experience was..
> >
> > Thanks
>
> I ordered a scanner from them once a few years ago. The scanner
> arrived and was not as specified in the ad in Pop Comm. The ad said it
> came with Ni Cads and a charger it did not. I called Ace they said to
> send it back for a refund. I did, they did not refund, after a month
> and several calls to them they kept saying it had been refunded. My
> credit card statement said otherwise. I finally had a threeway call
> between Ace, myself and my Credit Card Bank. The money was finally
> refunded. I never dealt with Ace again.
>
> Greg Renner

Dont' mess with ACE communications.... I bought a $429 AOR-2500 from
them about 6 or 7 years ago...the first one arrived not working (I paid
overnight) and the second one never worked right. I later found out that
they sold me a refurb! I never got a refund on the overnight....I keep
the scanner for five years before I got rid of it...Never again!
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http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub and CPT De-scrambler. Humor on "how to be a LID"
and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

3042. anyone bought from CEI? (comm. electr. inc.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082015415300.LAA02223@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147111

i am about to purchase a Relm HS200 from their web page and was wondering if anyone has bought anything from CEI. thanks!

stee.. Evrclear84@aol.com

3043. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35e64476.7638137@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 147112

>Even with a scanner that does not have the regular Fm radio coverage, many
>Fm/tv stations use the 900 mhz range as a relay link.
>if you have a 900mhz scanner, just scan that range, and you may be able to hit
>one or more of these audio links.

Ah, the studio-transmitter links! Yes, you can monitor those if you
are directly in a line that runs between the studio and transmitter.
You might be able to be some few degrees off to the side, and probably
behind the receiving antenna. It does work well, and you hear
everything you'd hear on the station. I've tried it successfully with
AM and FM stations, but does it work for TV stations? They can be
heard on their own audio channels as well.

I understand that monitoring the STL freqs may be opposed by the ECPA,
but am unable to verify that is true.

3044. Looking for Frequencies in BELGIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Francois <fdessart@altavista.-NO-SPAM-.net>
Message-ID: <6rhhhb$t8$3@news0.skynet.be>
Source record: 147113
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm looking for frequencies lists in Belgium.

If you can help me, post in newsgroup.

Thanks.

Fr.

3045. Re: relm HS200 opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpepper2@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35dc4627.1596637@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147114

evrclear84@aol.com (Evrclear84) wrote:

>does anyone have this scanner, and if so, how does it work? does it get good
>reception? does it get cell images?, etc...
> hope someone can help!!
>
> steve Evrclear84@aol.com
I just received my HS200 a couple of days ago, and so far am
disappointed. It range is definetely shorter(for 160-161MHz, rail is
the only band I listen to) than my old RS Pro-50, despite the fact it
is listed with better sensitivity in this band(.5 microVolts versus
1). The selectivity is only slightly better. I bought it new from
CEI at an incredibly good price($169) so I am wondering if maybe they
are selling factory rejects, though probably not.

Daniel Dave Pepper

3046. Any problems with scanners bought from CEI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpepper2@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35dc47cc.2016990@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147115

I just bought a Relm HS200 from CEI at an incredibly good price($169.95), but have been disappointed in its performance in the 160-161MHz railroad band when compared to my old Radio Shack Pro-50. Its range is shorter(even though its sensitivity specs are better, 5uV for the Relm vs. 1uV for the Pro-50) and the intermod is only slightly less.

Is this performance difference normal, or is it possible that the CEI units are cheap because they are factory rejects, or other factors. I am not trying to slam CEI(unless this is the case), but rather trying to determine why the poor range since the sensitivity specs are better.

Also, does the BC235XLT have a longer range than the HS200 in the 160-161MHz range?(Its sensitivity spec is .25uV vs .5 uV)

I ask because I am thinking of buying a BC235XLT from CEI(again at a great price of $169.95). I understand that a ham transceiver would provide better reception, but I am trying to stay cheap.

Thanks in advance,

Daniel Dave Pepper

3047. Re: digital .WAV samples

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: not@home.right.now
Message-ID: <35dc16e8.17379287@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 147116
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 05:20:03 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:

>
>I have one on there labeled as reflexABCD..that's what pocflex says it
>is anyway, but it looks like binary data on the screen Found it on
>940.2125--maybe it's a new pockettalk freq? I've heard they use flex
>to transmit data..any way give it a listen!
>

Jack, what is pocflex? I have poc32 but the FLEX option is apparently
not implemented. Are you referring to the DOS version that takes
input via the serial port?

3048. Aviation Mags For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nicon <nicon@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6rhip6$m17$7@heliodor.xara.net>
Source record: 147117

I've got the last 10 years of Air Forces Monthly for sale. They are
magazines inside binders, from the very first edition.
Can post to anywhere in the UK.
Genuine need to sell - Moving out to the States & can't take them with me !
All offers considered.
Please email me on nicon@globalnet.co.uk

Ta - Nic

3049. chgo airshow notes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082016341800.MAA08194@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147118

-Angels flying now, on: 238.150, 275.350, 345.900, 170.900

-Other military formation on 140.400 (AM)

-Platform confirmed: 123.100 / 319.850

-Arv/Dep confirmed: 126.800 / 304.200

-Lima Lima confrmed on 123.150 and 123.175

-Sierra Aces heard on 123.150

-Hawkeye flight and DEMO1 (A-10) dogfighting Hilltop Moa: 138.200, 350.350

Flights heard:
ANGRY (F-15's?)
TIGER (F-15's?)
LIVID (F-16's)
OGER42
ASPEN11

-Meigs show started at 9AM, I didn't make it...

3050. Re: EZ way to get freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOmikex@swbell#.net
Message-ID: <33ZC1.87$qa2.253815@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 147119

endo@ibm.net wrote:
>
> I emailed the admistrative dept. of my local sherrif they were more thgan
> happy to give me there freqs. why not try it your selves if your looking for them.
I've walked into a few "police stations" and requested to view their FCC
license and was told "it was restricted access". Upon talking to the
police chief or other administrative officer and explaining the rules of
the FCC and the public access requirements stated ON the license, I was
granted access to view the license.
If you really need to know their freqs. and they insist on a "non-public
disclosure" policy, try this diplomatic approach first, if that fails...
you might try the local Public Service Commission reps. before going to
the FCC with a formal complaint.(the FCC complaint method is a long
process and requires a good "paper trail" on you're part. Sort of like a
IRS audit. KEEP ALL PAPERS YOU GET AND SEND OUT!!)
Mike
mikex@swbell.net
for e-mail reemove the NO and the # from the address

3051. Re: Any problems with scanners bought from CEI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: marvin_d_c@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35DC8B12.37AD@hotmail.com>
Source record: 147120

if the numbers you quoted for the radios are correct, that might explain the problem...

relm = 5uV
pro50 = 1uV

On this basis, I would expect the pro50 to be significantly MORE sensitive than the Relm. The lower the sensitivity number, the better the reception you should expect, all other things being equal.

3052. BC-350A Channels??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6rhoue$9vk$1@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 147121

On the BC 350A can you actually program 50 channels
or is it only 20. I have seen both figures posted.
Besides the preprogramed search freqs I would like
to be able to program ALL 50 channels to the freqs
that I want to monitor.
tia
bill

3053. Re: New RS scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DC6951.44B22983@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 147122

Umm, if I'm not mistaken, the PRO-2050 has been around for about about 8
months (put in stores back in December).

Rick Gans wrote:

> I caught a glimpse of the new Radio Shack catalog today (more about
> their catalog in another message) and they have made major changes in
> their scanner line-up. They are heavy into Trunk Tracking radios and
> light on conventional radios.
>
> New models include the 2066 mobile Trunk Tracker. It appears to be a
> 2046 with TT capabilites. It is a 150 channel radio and is due out
> October 30.
>
> They have a new base model, the 2050, which is a 300 channel TT radio.
>
> They have two handhelds, one is new and one is last year's model (I
> did not note the model #s).
>
> I am sure others will be giving much more details on these scanners.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

3054. FS BC-2500 $225.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6rhphgacu1@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 147123

BC-2500XLT in very good condition. Includes two
new battery packs, original box and manual.
$225.00, plus shipping.
bill

3055. Re: BC235XLT TRUNKTRACKER ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082000101500.UAA14470@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147163

try this address:
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/imp235.htm

hope this helps!
steve.. Evrclear84@aol.com

3056. Re: sheet metal nibbler - how to use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgewald@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dc6eee.57520451@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 147164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 19 Aug 1998 01:09:10 GMT, chuckie@ibm.net (Charles McCallister)
wrote:

>Has anyone used this tool (sheet metal nibbler) before?
>
>How is it used and where might one be found. I'm preparing to tap my
>discriminator and wanted a clean "professional" jack installed on the
>back side of the scanner.
>
>Thanks!
>
>Charles

Is the scanner case made of sheet metal, or is it plastic?

I'd use a Dremel tool or the like, with an appropriate bit.

Good luck--

3057. data slicer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082000472900.UAA20205@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147165

1 What exactly is a data slicer?

2 will it work with or in place of a G/Wiz mod?

3 Where can I get one & how much?

4 Can a technological idito install one?

Thanks;

Sean

>>>>>" It's Never too late to be what you might have been"<<<<<<
Elliot

" It's Never enough until your Heart Stops Beating"
new order

3058. Sea Isle City,NJ Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: geb@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082000522000.UAA20982@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147166

Staying a week down the JerseyShore(Sea Isle City) w/ family and friends.
Looking for local PD/FD/EMS freqs as well as any Milcom. TIA
Gary B.

3059. Re: Blake Bowers forging ahead with P_ARG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Arthur" <cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Exyq5v.655@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 147167

On 19 Aug 1998, Blake Bowers wrote:

> On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 18:43:05 GMT, thekat@san.rr.commmm (Bud) wrote:
>
> >On 19 Aug 1998 11:20:17 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
> >
> >>>I would like to join the Pottersville gang! How do I sign up? I want to help
> >>>the organization really get going. Do you have room for a Public Information
> >>>Officer (PIO)?
> >>
> >>Absolutely. Already chatted with the membership committee, and you
> >>are in.
> >>
> >>Insofar as PIO, have at it!
> >
> >Me too! I want to be a member. Maybe the West Coast Master-at-Arms?
> >
> Hmmm. Sure! Can you kick non-members out?

I'm also interested; do you guys actually talk/type anything about
scanners?

Some assembly required.
Batteries not included.
Void where prohibited.

3060. Re: Alabama

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35dd7e9c.75958096@news.provide.net>
Source record: 147168

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 18:55:40 -0500 (CDT), shoalsman@webtv.net wrote:

>Well Heck!! Can't find any channels and have actually read the
>manual.. I really just get alot of static. Can someone direct me to
>where I can get local frequencies from Florence, Al.
>Thanks,
>
Try these,I hope that it helps.I found these in the percon database.

154.7700 KNFT973 ALABAMA, STATE OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
154.8450 WAS594 LAUDERDALE, COUNTY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
154.8450 WAS594 LAUDERDALE, COUNTY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
155.0100 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
155.0100 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
155.0100 WAS594 LAUDERDALE, COUNTY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
155.4750 KNFT973 ALABAMA, STATE OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
155.9100 WAS594 LAUDERDALE, COUNTY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
453.3500 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
453.5000 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
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460.1750 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE

460.5250 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
AL LAUDERDALE
465.1000 KIA578 FLORENCE, CITY OF PP FLORENCE
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AL LAUDERDALE

Rick in White Lake Mich

3061. New RS scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickgans@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35db939e.515220003@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 147169

I caught a glimpse of the new Radio Shack catalog today (more about their catalog in another message) and they have made major changes in their scanner line-up. They are heavy into Trunk Tracking radios and light on conventional radios.

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I am sure others will be giving much more details on these scanners.

3062. Re: Sony ICF-SC1PC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <RNMC1.146$ej4.3080743@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 147170

George:

Yea, I was wondering around in my local Service Merchandise store, in Troy, Michigan... they had a few of them!

The review by Rich Wells probably sums it up better than I ever could. So far, I really like it, and I've had just about all of them at one time... some twice! My favorite feature is the large controls, and easy to read markings! I'm 48 years old, and looked at one too many computer monitors in my lifetime... eyes aren't what they used to be.

Bill Crocker

George Kimble wrote in message <35DB8DF7.87E0646@pacbell.net>...
>Life ain't fair.
>
>I ordered one from Universal last week, and they say it's on backorder until 28
>August.
>
>Bummer.
>
>Let me know how you like it.
>
>George
>
>Bill Crocker wrote:
>
>> I read Rich Wells review of the Sony ICF-SC1PC scanner, and went out and
>> bought one yesterday. It appears to be a very solid unit! How come I don't
>> see/hear more about it in the news groups?
>>
>> Thanks,
>> Bill Crocker
>
>
>
>--
>George M. Kimble
>gmk<at>pacbell.net
>gmk<at>usa.net
>
>

3063. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rg923adq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147171

In article <35DB16AD.7BD9@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> John Mackey Bbowels@arse.net NEW ADDRESS! wrote:
> >
> > I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
>
> The above post was a forge!
>
> There is NOTHING of it that was true!
>

Yeah, Right. You pulled the same thing before.
First you get high and post some of your sick pervert
crap and then try to deny it later. You ain't fooling
me for a minute.

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3064. Re: Sending Complaints to parg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rg7cm$8mp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147172

In article <35DB183B.6E3A@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> dmi1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > It doesn't do any good to complain to parg as mackey controls it.
>
> WRONG! Run parg.org on internic, you will see that I am NOT
> the controlling person or representative.
>

Does not matter still controlled by one of your jerk off buddies .

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3065. Re: Mackey, DigitPerson, Petri and Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rg7qk$8v3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147173

In article <6rfjh8$jp8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>
>
> >> I have nothing to apologize for. Infact Bill owes ME & everyone on this
> >> NG an apology.
>
> Bill Cheek does NOT owe me any apologies. I have read all his books and
> magazine articles and he contributes a lot to our hobby. I have also looked
> at deja news articles he has posted and he has nothing to apoligize for at
> all. Merry
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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>

mackey your the one who owes the newsgroup an apology and you need to stop
your crap.

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3066. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OAHpUJYz9GA.190@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

::Ahem:: Try "Now You're Talking", 1997 edition, and you'll see that you're incorrect.

Dave (K4CC) also presented the same information.

Bud wrote in message <35deed72.133362705@news-server>...
>Ryan, the FCC does NOT say you can use ANY MEANS, they say any means WITHIN
>the Ham bands. They have taken action against people using modified Ham
>radios to transmit out of band, both maliciously, AND in emergencies.
>
>

3067. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35DE466E.B0C@concentric.net>
Source record: 146776

George Vetterle wrote:
>
> On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 17:51:24 -0700, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
>
> >Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> >> Why don't you cancel them, and then nuke them from DejaNews?
> > >
> > >Occasionally it is useful to leave certain messages on & viewable
> > >so to assist those system admin people who are investigating their
> > >users who are committing abuse.
> > >
> > >Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
> > >or abusing usenet here!
> >
> > Who was the other one besides you?

George,

He forgot to mention his AOL account which he lost about 2 weeks ago. He was using it to Rogue Cancel and Forge post via various Open NNTP Servers. It's the same reason that he lost his Sprint account back in April. He'll deny this and claim that he had RA problems, but that's just a bunch BS.

Jake

3068. Re: New RS scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rlhb0umc1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146777

The catalogs came into my store today. They should be in most store within a week.

Rob Lang wrote in message ...
>
>Rick Gans wrote in message <35db939e.515220003@news.mindspring.com>...
>>I caught a glimpse of the new Radio Shack catalog today (more about
>>their catalog in another message)
>
><snip>
>
>Don't get me started about their catalogs. What is it with some of these
>bozos that they think giving up the catalog is giving the keys to the
>Kingdome. Dropped $20 at an RS yesterday, 'Oh no, the catalogs don't come
>out until after the end of August. Passed another one taking home some
>Chinese food tonight "Oh, sorry, I just gave away my last one." Ida know,
>does going through life as an RS drone give 'em this need to exercise some
>paltry little power over others?
>
>Rob
>
>

3069. I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <de8_9808220100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146778

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> It was a forge, I didn't write it. :(

Gerber's poster baby is a L I A R
Gerber's poster baby is a L I A R
Gerber's poster baby is a L I A R

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3070. I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <de9_9808220100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146779

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

> I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in

Ka> Tha above was another forge! :(

Diarrhrea Mouth john mackey is a L I A R
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|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3071. POCFLEX - 4 LEVEL FSK - Decode - Hamcom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdcd20$60d41040$5664378f@reuben.cc.fitsuny.edu>
Source record: 146780
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'd like to check out a FREE program called POCFLEX for decoding POCSAG and FLEX but would like to get the "4 LEVEL FSK" Hamcom interface cable, as I'd like to maximizes the FLEX pages I can decode. Can anyone direct me where to buy or where I can find instructions for building one thats not to complicated. Thanks.

Reuben

3072. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ibhsffo <ibhsffo@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <35DDD85E.3C685A57@mci2000.com>
Source record: 146875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

RadioBoy wrote:
>
> Moon Doggie wrote:
> >
> > radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
>
> >
(snip)

> 1. I have an Icom U-16, two-way radio, than can be programmed (in the
> field) to transmit on a local police frequency.
>
> 2. I witness your mother, or wife, or sister, being raped, at gunpoint.
>
> 3. Nobody else is around.
>
> 4. I cannot help the victim because the suspect is armed.
>
> 5. I have two choices:
>
> a) I can push the transmit button and tell the police dispatcher where
> the crime is being committed,
>
> (or)
>
> b) I say to myself, "Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
> not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
> use the radio, Oh well."
>
> =RadioBoy=

This one is hard to call, but I think you left something out. Almost all PDs and SOs that I know use PL tones on all their freqs. What would you be doing with not only the freq. to the PD, but also the PL tone? I have no problem with people listening on scanners, and/or modified ham gear, but I doubt many people would know the PL tone freq. off the top of their head. Even if you did transmit, no one would hear you except another ham or scanner listener. You would probably be better off just putting out a broadcast on the local repeater frequency so one of the hams could dial 911 for you. BTW don't you have a phone patch on your local ham repeater? If not, why not?

Now as to whether the transmission is illegal - I'm not sure, would have to check, but if the situation were a true emergency as you describe, I

doubt you would get into any trouble.

HMG

3073. Re: Need MOD for Uniden BC235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OopvNQUz9GA.74@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146876
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I heard there was a 'Europe' version of the Trunktracker, perhaps that was
it...

Jack wrote in message <35e280a2.16348608@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 12:23:40 -0400, jfel@pr.net (jfel@pr.net) wrote:
>
>>I'm looking for a mod to restore any lost freqs(cell, cb, military,
>>airplane, etc...) on my Uniden BC235XLT. I've read a lot of postings
>>saying there is no cell MOD. Last month I was in Florida and I met a Taxi
>>driver with a BC235XLT in his cab. It was cell modified. That's how I know
>>it's out there somewhere. If you have a mod for this scanner reply.
>>Otherwise do a post. Thanks!!!
>
>
>Ok, I'll do a post! Maybe he was only moonlighting as a taxi driver
>from his primary job as a cpu designer?
>
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3074. Re: NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ep4m0OUz9GA.175@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146877

Ditto for the Carolina Panthers....

Or the Vikings, since they play here this weekend!

bigron wrote in message ...
>In article <1998082110332100.GAA21305@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
>malexder@aol.com says...
>> Here are a few that I picked up from someone else (I have others and will
try
>> to dig them out):
>>

>
>Anyone know frequencies used for the Oakland Raiders?
>_____________________________________
> Ron Webb RN, EMT
> Angwin Community Ambulance
> Angwin Fire Department
>
>

3075. Re: HELP! New guy to scanning.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980821204200000.QAA09082@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146878

I'd go to radio shack and get the PRO90 300 channel handehld trunktracker for 200 dollars. Make sure to pick up a copy of police call while you are there too.

3076. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35DDDCB6.14D@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

KA0SSF wrote:
> You can't tell the difference between me on MCI & MAlexder on AOL?????
>
> Ryan, the forges have been happening to me to. Stop trying to make
> trouble when you don't know what you are talking about.

John,

Why can't you at least confine your off topic noise to one group or the other? Is that too much to ask? I have conceded rrs to the flamefest, but ars should be left out of it, don't you think?

I don't know why I'm about to do this, maybe deep down I'm an eternal optimist, or perhaps a glutton for punishment, but here goes. Let's talk about scanners. ANYTHING goes, as long as it pertains to scanning. You post, and I'll reply and people can benefit from both of our knowledge and experience. This is not an invitation for a flame war, it is not a "let's see who knows more than who" contest, it's just two adults, discussing the topic of scanning. You can tell us anything, what receivers you own, what agencies you monitor, a funny or interesting story about what you heard, and so on. I just want to see you do it ONCE. Just so I know you can. Now how about it? I'll be in a.r.s. if you decide to try it.

Thanks, and have a good day.
-Phil

3077. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082120460400.QAA09625@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146880

In the event of a life or property threataning emergency you are allowed to transmit on ANY frequency to get proper help.

3078. FS:TRIDENT2400,AOR1000XLT HANDHELD SCANNERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082120504800.QAA22227@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146881

I have a TRIDENT2400 1000ch, 100-2060mhz with all the goodies s/rf meter,light switch orange, cool man, att switch, vfo, usb/lsb,manual in mint condition$375.00.I also have aAOR1000XLT in VG Condition,opppppppps with manual.8-1300mhz no gaps for $225.00 .Will sell both for $550.00.If interested email pdoddy@aol.com. THANKS AND HAVE A GREAT DAY.

3079. Re: Cell Mod for the Uniden BC235XLT radio scanner(It works great!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35DDDF80.3D22@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146882
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Say, you wouldn't happen to need a bridge or some swampland, would you??
Just wondering...
-Phil

none@none.com wrote:
>
> To un block the cell.
> first take the case apart, their are 4 screws on the back remove the
> battery. slide the back of the case down a little. it should come apart
> easy. next pull the back board apart from the main cpu. it has pinns on
> the right side looking in the back. you will see a silver plate on the
> back remove the screws very carefully. remove all the screws from the
> front baord. now look at the main IC its the large CPU you will see two
> tabes marked RX and TX now solder two wires to the two tabes marked RX and
> TX and one black wire to ground. drill a hole in the side of the case and
> put a 1/8" plug on the side of the radio case. solder the TX wire to the
> tip of the plug.
> Next solder the RX wire to the center pin of the plug . then solder the
> black wire to the outside pin of the plug. very carefuly put the curcuit
> board back in to the radio. make sure all the screws are alined and the
> silver cover is back over the main curcuit board. look to see if the wires
> are not pinched or bent. Now plug the rear VFO board back in to the CPU
> board. slide the rear cover back on the back very carefully. put the
> screws back in to the back. in stall the battery put the cover back on the
> radio. the next step you will have to do is find a 1/8" plug from radio
> shack and some zip coard.
> solder the zip coard to the 1/8" plug. make very very sure that the zip
> coard don't short.... now find a plug, you know the kind you use to plug
> in to the wall.outlet solder the plug to the zip coard plug it in to the
> wall outlet. wam bam you now have a un blocked trunk tracker. you wont
> have to do any thing. well execpt for little bit of smoke you should have
> fire in the wire.
> Warning this may void your WARRANTY.......
> now you have it let me know how it works.......
> Outlans@aol.com

3080. Re: Discriminator tap for PRO-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-BNUCCPq8BjvU@localhost>
Source record: 146883
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

MAlexder,

Howdy!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

3081. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082120553000.QAA22909@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146884

Well, i am a member of the ham radio community, and i can tell you that your little trunked radio system can go down at any time...then who are you guys crying to for communications, oh us annoying ham radio operators. The police around here had the same mentality until a few years back when a tornado came through and knocked out all police radio communications. The police were then knocking on our doors to fire up our radios and help them. Now the police around here have OUR frequencies programmed in THEIR radios. P.S. In a trunked radio system it only takes one repeater antenna to go dead to crash the whole system.

3082. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35DDE269.6B96@ibm.net>
Source record: 146885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
> No you get real. He did not say it was a family member.

Oh, I should allow the rape to continue as long as it's not
a member of my family?

> Most people who intervene find themselves either hurt or
> dead because they don't know what to do.

Believe me, I know what to do about a rape in progress. If
there's a risk that I will be hurt or killed in my attempt
to do what's right, I'll accept that risk.

A robber pulled a knife on a Circle-K employee in Phoenix
last year. Two ordinary customers with concealed carry
permits pulled out 9mm's and made a citizen's arrest.
Criminals in AZ never know who around them might be packing.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

3083. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe ard <jard@inu.net>
Message-ID: <35ddd4f0.0@NEWS.INU.NET>
Source record: 146886
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

best way to handle assholes like this is to just ignore them. they will
eventually get tired and, with luck, go away. To respond to them is to just
encourage them
doug wrote in message <6rk09i$6f9$1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>Wow, you're so big and bad you have nothing better to do then post
>silly non-informative messages. Don't waste our time. As far as not
>being able to help yoursef...sounds like nobody can.
>On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 20:22:13 GMT, J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!
>wrote:
>
>> I can't believe you CHEEK-A-LIKES will stoop to fucking forging! I
>>will never stop fucking with your little pissant scan radio chats! I
>>am a big bad ham radio operator, you guys are just shit! I love to run
>>1500 watts on 11 meters to screw with the losers on CB HAHAHAHAHA and
>>you guys are even below them!
>>You should abandon these chats now because my regin of terror is just
>>begining!
>>
>>
>

3084. " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M.G. de Swart" <swartut@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <35DDDC35.34B69CD8@worldonline.nl>
Source record: 146887

Hi all scanner technicans

Within a few monthes the Dutch Police, the Fire Dept. and Ambulance cars will start
to use digital-transmitting. So it will be impossible to receive that services by scanners.

Is there a technical women/man who can say a few words about this case?
Will we get decoders or something else, to catch that digital signals?.
Perhaps the combination computer and scanner?

Greetings, Theo

3085. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dc92f7.4239480@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146888

On 21 Aug 1998 06:55:25 GMT, ke6zgp@aol.com (Ke6zgp) wrote:

>>I belive what you guys are hearing is Narrowband PCS (NPCS).
>
>Nextel!

Nextel provides reflex service?

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3086. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35dd9328.4289449@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146889

On 21 Aug 1998 04:27:38 GMT, r1c1w@aol.com (R1C1W) wrote:

>I belive what you guys are hearing is Narrowband PCS (NPCS). They use primarily
>25 kHz or 50 Khz channels and are paired. The base talks out in the 940 MHz
>range and the pagers talk back(milliwatts) in the 901 MHz range (39 MHz split
>just like 900 MHz trunking). The frequencies are listed in FCC Part 24
>specifically sections 24.129 and 24.130. You can get the channel info from the
>GPO website.
>I know Skytel has a nationwide system up and I believe PageNet and a couple of
>other companies aren't far behind. FCC beta freq site might help you identify
>the particular user in your area.
>They typically send out multiple subcarriers over the same 940 MHz transmitter
>and it really sounds brutal on a regular scanner.

Doesn't really sound that brutal unless the system is really loaded,
the only thing I can confirm is that the emissions are REFLEX.

I'll have to look harder on the fcc site for the owner's, a quick
search turned up nothing.

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3087. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35de9482.4635389@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 07:44:11 -0400, ScannerMan <scanners@no.spam.com>
wrote:

>I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>solicit your opinions.
>
>Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>
>Dave McGuire

Depends, are you a licensed amateur radio operator or not..?

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3088. BC80XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082121300600.RAA15392@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146891

I need Mods for this radio can u help?
gspri@aol.com

3089. Re: HELP! New guy to scanning.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082121303400.RAA27474@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146892

>From: zoe205@aol.com (ZOE205)

>I'd go to radio shack and get the PRO90 300 channel handehld trunktracker for
>200 dollars.

I wouldn't. I'd get the new/improved BC235, which is selling for about $180,
with extra battery and charger.

3090. Re: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980821213020000.RAA15419@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146893

>The Bearcat III was an early model crystal scanner that covered 2 bands.

G&G Communications can supply user manuals for the early Bearcat scanners. You can contact them at 716-768-8151. Very good people.

3091. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <OF5c9sUz9GA.131@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

My only response to yours, is prove it (both sentences).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote in message ...

>Believe it or not pal but it is true. And it is people like you that
>give amateur radio a bad name.......
>
>
>COP

3092. Re: NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082121332200.RAA27841@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146895

>Subject: Re: NFL Frequencies
>From: "marcs_ms" <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
>Date: 8/21/98 7:50 PM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <ep4m0OUz9GA.175@upnetnews03>
>
>Ditto for the Carolina Panthers....
>
>Or the Vikings, since they play here this weekend!
>
>
>bigron wrote in message ...
>>In article <1998082110332100.GAA21305@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
>>malexder@aol.com says...
>>> Here are a few that I picked up from someone else (I have others and will
>try
>>> to dig them out):
>>>
>
>>
>>Anyone know frequencies used for the Oakland Raiders?
>>_____________________________________
>> Ron Webb RN, EMT
>> Angwin Community Ambulance
>> Angwin Fire Department
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I saw a pattern, take a scanner and search the freqs in that band.

Rj

3093. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35df95da.4979500@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 16:43:30 GMT, COP@net.com (HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST)
wrote:

>>They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
>>rather than a threat from authorities.

Agreed!

>As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
>officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
>around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
>Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>situation.

I think you are confusing captain scanner with an amateur operator!

>If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access to a
>Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
>cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to call
>911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
>type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the Police
>radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.

You are quite ignorant of federal laws involving emergency
communication! Not making the transmission in a TRUE life or death
situation might violate the good samaritan laws!

>If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the Chief
>or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!

In a true emergency situation, I don't think you would have time to
check with the chief before reporting the catastrophe!

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3094. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e0985a.5618695@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 10:14:29 -0700, "RDP" <twnotterNOSPAM@sprynet.com>
wrote:

>Or if you used a little sense, we have a really neat system that allows a
>person to contact others legally. It is called a phone-cellular or landline-
>either way the call is free. Being that you have no business possessing the
>radio and having it programmed for police frequencies, your justification
>for using it is in question. You most likely have not been trained on the
>use of the police frequencies and what various codes utilized may indicate.
>In other words, you will probably interrupt something because you don't know
>what a felony alert or code red tone is.

Do you really think that anyone possessing a radio capable of
monitoring the local pd does not know their radio protocol?
I could pick up one of my local sheriffs radio's and probably work it
better then him!

>If you think that having a radio there that is programmed for police
>frequencies for a safety device, think again. If you can afford a radio, you
>can afford a cellular phone. So go buy one and you will find you can also
>use it for other things than contacting the police.

Just buy an ELT and let the CAP guys rescue you! :)

That is not the issue, the issue is a life or death situation, death
being you didn't use your modified HT to summon help on a police freq
because everyone was at a hamfest far away from you.

>State laws vary but you may find possession of a device capable of
>interrupting police communications is illegal. Give up the thought of having
>this to save someone and get a cell phone.
>

No one want's to interrupt police communications, just save a life!

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3095. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e19a3e.6103486@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 10:16:15 -0700, "TACTICAL-COMMAND"
<tac-com@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>The answer to this question is NO. You cannot legally transmit messages on
>the police/fire channel.

Wrong!

>WHY???? You are not licensed by the FCC to operate on that radio frequency.
>Police/Public Safety agencies have (or should have) valid FCC licenses that
>authorize them to operate within certain perimeters. Members of that agency
>are authorized by the FCC to operate under the umbrella of that license due
>to their duties and employment.

Wrong!

>THER IS NO EXCEPTION.
>WHY??? Imagine 10 citizens with 10 two-way radios broadcasting messages on
>public safety channels. Or 100 citizens? Then a couple of these radios get
>lost/stolen and land in criminal or prankster hands....

Wrong!

>USE A CELLULAR TELEPHONE or PAYPHONE....

If these were available of course they would be used, we were
discussing life and death situations where no other means of contact
can be found!

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3096. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082121563100.RAA18760@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146899

The NicadLady
http://ggfx.com/nicad/index.htm

3097. Re: Staten Island Ferry/Jersey City Ferry Frequencies ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082122091900.SAA20487@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146900

I saved this from someone else's old response.

The Staten Island Ferry uses VHF marine radio for it's communications.
Channel 19 156.950Mhz is the "House" frequency.Bases are in St George in SI &
Whitehall in Manhatten.The boats are usuallycalled up on channel 13 156.650Mhz
or
16- 156.800Mhz and asked to "go to house".
Ferries are called by name ie. Barbari,Lehman, Kennedy,Legion,etc. Also there
is terminal operations on 158.730Mhz,but never verified.

Good Luck
Robert

3098. Re: Help Please With MDT, Winradio & MFJ1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e29d54.6893626@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146901

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 02:20:57 GMT, cpz6hymg@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>I'm trying to use the MDT1234 program with my discriminator-tap modified
>Winradio and an MFJ-1213 data interface. So far, I have had no luck and
>would appreciate some help. Must I manually set my com1 port in any special
>way? What could it be? I've also tried amplifying the Winradio discriminator
>output with my PC... What could it be?

The output has to be on CTS, your interface might be on DSR, if that
is the case jump pin 5 & 6 together..or try one of the newer mdt
programs available. I have one on my site also, you could try it!

try starting it with the command line switch /re
eg mdtw1234 /re

Also, check your setup with pd-204 on a pager channel like 929.1375
http://www.bearnet.demon.co.uk/pocsag/pd-204.zip

Also, make sure it is mdt you are trying to decode, you can listen to
a sample at my site, addr below.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3099. Re: Scanner Convarters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082122191300.SAA03835@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146902

I purchased the kit and assembled it myself.I
never really had it working correctly.I was given a lot of tips to help it
perform better but
i never followed through with them because
i purchased a unblocked scanner.The easy way out! My converter is forsale if
anyone is interested.

Robert
DeForger@aol.com

3100. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35ddf78a.6936130@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 146903

On 21 Aug 1998 20:46:04 GMT, zoe205@aol.com (ZOE205) wrote:

>In the event of a life or property threataning emergency you are allowed to
>transmit on ANY frequency to get proper help.

Oh what a dilema....
If it were me, and LIFE was truely about to be lost, then I'd do it.
But, a few questions rise to mind....
Why do you have the 16 CHannel radio.....I would suppose it has some
legal purpose...so why not contact the service you normally use it
for, instead of dialing up the PD.
ALso, many cities, having to share their freqs, are using PL tones,
and squelch encoding.
You may not even be heard, or if you are, and your unit number doesn't
show up on the screen, the confusion of that fact, and wondering if
the call is bogus, will eat up any time you may have saved.
Realistically, anything goes in an emergency, and if it's a life
involved.....truely being threatened...then I'd live with the FCC
consequences.
But there are better ways to get your point accross....
I have a Cell with 100 Speed dials in it, accessable by name.
I have programmed in every local PD's non-911 number....and it has
been very useful.

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

3101. Re: SS3Q

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e4a872.9739676@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146904

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 11:31:23 -0500, "JOHN E. STRIDSBERG"
<john.stridsberg@gte.net> wrote:

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3102. Re: Radio Shack PRO-60 Cellular Mod???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e3a660.9210101@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146905

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 13:18:00 GMT, jkirkham@eng.miami.edu wrote:

>Does anyone have a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60 Scanner? Or other
>Mods? I have checked some Mod sites on the web but can't find any. Does
>anyone else in earshot own one of these, or can you help?

Javiation in Europe has a cpu you can install in it for coverage of
the cell bands, but beware it is not a mod for a novice..and it
searches in 12.5k steps. Not terribly useful for American cell
monitoring which uses 30khz steps. Many older cell capable scanners
can be found in pawnshops for very reasonable prices, I got a PRO-43
for $40 from one! In Miami, I'll bet you have one on every corner!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3103. Re: Need MOD for Uniden BC235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <102150.3700@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <35DDFAC6.2BC22864@compuserve.com>
Source record: 146906
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have amod for you!
It's real simple. Put one finger in a light socket, step on the radio after you have ran a 14 guage wire to a good ground and then get some one to turn the light on for you. I can guaranty that you will modify not only your scanner, but your life as well.

I can understand why you want to modify the radi. I agree with everything but the cell mod. I'm sorry but I can't see any good use of that. That is unless you want to go jail for modifying your reciever to recieve cells and maybe perhaps have my radio that is legal confiscated. Besides what good could get from it. I find most non emergency radio traffic absolutely boring. I can't image listening to billy bob lou talking to betty lou about a very friendly liasion later. And besides when you talk on the phone do yhou want yhour neighborto hear what you are saying.

Okay-Okay I'll go way but please consider the damage that you might do to your unit, and to the hobby when you make illegal mods.

Bill Carty.

jfel@pr.net wrote:

> I'm looking for a mod to restore any lost freqs(cell, cb, military,
> airplane, etc...) on my Uniden BC235XLT. I've read a lot of postings
> saying there is no cell MOD. Last month I was in Florida and I met a
> Taxi
> driver with a BC235XLT in his cab. It was cell modified. That's how I
> know
> it's out there somewhere. If you have a mod for this scanner reply.
> Otherwise do a post. Thanks!!!

3104. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6rkuno$5m9@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST <COP@net.com> wrote:
>The problem I am relating to is the WANNABEE HAM with no training but picking
>up a HT and thinking he is a COP.

Hmmm... Hams were using radios about 30 years prior to the police getting
around to using them. Maybe it's the police who are imitating the hams.
(Some of the Florida agencies even use Q-signals!)
Jeff KH2PZ

3105. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete Richards <PeterPeter@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35DE01DF.CBEFB6BD@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What a concept!!!!

I'm with you!

Pete

Phil Smalley wrote:
>
> KA0SSF wrote:
> > You can't tell the difference between me on MCI & MAlexder on AOL?????
> >
> > Ryan, the forges have been happening to me to. Stop trying to make
> > trouble when you don't know what you are talking about.
>
> John,
>
> Why can't you at least confine your off topic noise to one group or the
> other? Is that too much to ask? I have conceded rrs to the flamefest,
> but ars should be left out of it, don't you think?
>
> I don't know why I'm about to do this, maybe deep down I'm an eternal
> optimist, or perhaps a glutton for punishment, but here goes. Let's talk
> about scanners. ANYTHING goes, as long as it pertains to scanning. You
> post, and I'll reply and people can benefit from both of our knowledge
> and experience. This is not an invitation for a flame war, it is not a
> "let's see who knows more than who" contest, it's just two adults,
> discussing the topic of scanning. You can tell us anything, what
> receivers you own, what agencies you monitor, a funny or interesting
> story about what you heard, and so on. I just want to see you do it
> ONCE. Just so I know you can. Now how about it? I'll be in a.r.s. if you
> decide to try it.
>
> Thanks, and have a good day.
> -Phil

3106. Re: Cheyenne Wy Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35de01d7.163739414@news.provide.net>
Source record: 146909

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 13:43:57 -0600, JJ/Rae <ramprat@cheyenneweb.com>
wrote:

>We just moved to Cheyenne Wy and are looking for scanner freq's. Does
>anybody have some to get started with, or someplace to find some??
>
>Thanks Much
>
>--
>USAF Security Forces ICQ # 14108174
>1997 F-250HD XLT Powerstroke Diesel 4x4, SC, SB, 5sp, 4.10,
>285/75R16 BFG/MT's, K&N Filter, Lund bug deflector,
>http://www.ford-trucks.com/pictorial/big/1997_f250_1.html
>http://home.talkcity.com/GasolineAlley/butwhy/index.html
>
>
You might try these.I found them using the percon database.

153.9800 WNSU461 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE

154.7550 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE

154.7550 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE

154.8000 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE

154.8450 WNDK711 WYOMING, STATE OF PP CHEYENNE

154.8750 KNHX432 WYOMING, STATE OF PP CHEYENNE
154.8750 KSS333 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE
154.8750 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE
154.8900 KSS333 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE

154.9500 KSS333 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.0100 KSS333 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.4750 KSS333 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.4900 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.6100 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.6550 KSS333 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.6850 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE

155.7900 WNSU461 LARAMIE, COUNTY OF PP CHEYENNE
155.8500 WNDK711 WYOMING, STATE OF PP CHEYENNE

159.0300 KTN294 CHEYENNE, CITY OF PP CHEYENNE

Have a nice weekend.
Rick in White Lake Mich

3107. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rl0gb$7lg$0@207.18.224.20>
Source record: 146910

On 21 Aug 1998 20:55:30 GMT, zoe205@aol.com (ZOE205) wrote:

>Well, i am a member of the ham radio community, and i can tell you that your
>little trunked radio system can go down at any time...then who are you guys
>crying to for communications, oh us annoying ham radio operators. The police
Nah, not HAMS, but their local radio service.

HAM repeaters can go down anytime also.

In a properly designed, and purchased commercial system, one failure
will not take a system down.

>around here have OUR frequencies programmed in THEIR radios. P.S. In a trunked
>radio system it only takes one repeater antenna to go dead to crash the whole
>system.

Nah. Again, not in a properly designed system.

3108. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rl0ml$7lg$1@207.18.224.20>
Source record: 146911

On 21 Aug 1998 16:51:03 GMT, k4cc@aol.com (K4CC) wrote:

>>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>The only FCC regs that specifically address this kind of
>situation are contained in Part 97, which regulate the Amateur
>Radio Service. Those regs allow licensed Amateurs to use

Exactly. And the FCC has stated, that the interpetation is that
someone can use any means of communications within part
97, only. IE, a novice can use an extra frequency.

They have stated that the rules do not permit in any way, the use
of another services frequencies through part 97.

3109. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rl0s7$7lg$2@207.18.224.20>
Source record: 146912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On 21 Aug 1998 19:38:13 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>Boy, you know nothing.
>
>If you are a licensed amateur operator, you may use ANY MEANS of communication
>IF:

And the FCC has stated, that this means ANY MEANS WITHIN PART 97!

IE, a Novice can use a general frequency.

3110. Re: Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: youngman@impulse.net
Message-ID: <35DE0F5B.E2D36F23@impulse.net>
Source record: 146913

I too have had wonderful dealings with CEI. I recommend them allthe time.

Greg Youngman

Cbake777 wrote:

> An Excellent reply from a reputable company. I recently purchased a scanner
> from CEI (BC235XLT) and have had a very positive experience. The operator was
> very courteous and informative. I had no suprises and am a very satisfied
> customer. I will do business with CEI again. I'm sure there are many others
> that feel the same. I am very glad to see a response such as this, it
> reinforces my willingness to do business with a comoany that understands the
> "Customer Service" concept. Thank you to Ken Ascher, Chairman/CEO of
> Communications Electronics Inc. for his detailed response.
>
> CEB
> Thank you for your comments about the RELM HS200 handheld
> scanner. The scanners we distribute at Communications Electronics,
> Emergency Operations Center are all new factory fresh merchandise.
> When we purchase radio receivers from RELM and other
> manufacturers we usually buy 500 to 1,000 units at a time.
> We get a significant discount for purchasing in large quantities
> which is normally passed back to our customers and clients.
> This usually results in a lower price to you. When we resell these
> products through our different sales division to our dealers, the price
> they resell at is usually higher.
>
> As you may know Daniel, a CEI customer benefit is our 61 day
> satisfaction guarantee return policy as explained in our customer benefits
>
> section of our web site http://www.usascan.com. When an item is
> returned to us, we return it to our vendors as part of our quality
> assurance
> program. As a customer benefit, CEI does not charge a restocking fee
> as we want our customers to be 100% satisfied with the equipment they
> purchase.
> For example, we recently returned a few hundred radios to Uniden that did
> not meet our quality control standards or were returned
> to us by our customers simply because they wanted to test a different
> model.
> If you are not delighted with your purchase, simply return your
> merchandise
> freight prepaid within 61 days from our date of shipping.
>
> The radios we return to the manufacturer are usually resold in their

> company stores at a discount with a reduced limited warranty.
> For example, we recently returned many Trunktracker radios to Uniden.
> After a quality control inspection, the Bearcat 235XLT's we returned to
> Uniden
> were then offered to Uniden customers at a reduced price, currently
> $165.00.
> Instead of the standard limited one-year factory warranty on new product,
> the like-new Uniden product has only a ninety-day limited warranty.
> Although the refurbished product which is sold in the Uniden store is
> "like-new", please remember it does not usually have the latest features
> such
> as the valuable attenuator feature. Many customers have asked us to update
>
> their "like-new" Bearcat 235XLT scanners with the attenuator or other
> features
> but this usually can not be done.
>
> I know our returned product sent back to Uniden is popular
> because it is quickly sold out. If saving money is a concern to you,
> we recommend you order from the Uniden internet store.
> When you order refurbished Bearcat 235XLT's from Uniden at
> http://www.uniden.com you currently save $4.95. The shipping/handling and
> insurance charges are usually lower through the Uniden store then CEI as
> we
> offer additional services and benefits. However, please remember
> the "like-new" product has only a ninety-day limited factory warranty and
> not the
> standard one-year limited factory warranty. Refurbished product usually
> does
> not incorporate the latest features such as the attenuator or software
> upgrades.
>
> To answer your question regarding the sensitivity and intermod
> specifications on
> RELM radios, I recommend you contact Mr. Bill Cole at RELM. The number at
> RELM is 1-800-422-6281 or their E-mail is relmservice@relm-comm.com.
>
> As a additional CEI service, if you need help, don't panic. You will
> find the customer service telephone and fax numbers to most of the
> products we distribute by visiting our web page at http://www.usascan.com
> and selecting the appropriate catagory. In addition,
> you should find information about the country that manufacturered your
> product by
> clicking on the flag on the product pages in our website.
>
> I hope this answeres your questions, but if you need further information,
> please
> call me at 1-800-USA-SCAN or send me E-mail at cei@mediaone.net.
>
> Ken Ascher WB8LIT

> Chairman/CEO
> Communications Electronics Inc.
> Emergency Operations Center
>
> Daniel Dave Pepper wrote:
>
> > I just bought a Relm HS200 from CEI at an incredibly good
> > price($169.95), but have been disappointed in its performance in the
> > 160-161MHz railroad band when compared to my old Radio Shack Pro-50.
> > Its range is shorter(even though its sensitivity specs are better,
> > 5uV for the Relm vs. 1uV for the Pro-50) and the intermod is only
> > slightly less.
> >
> > Is this performance difference normal, or is it possible that the CEI
> > units are cheap because they are factory rejects, or other factors. I
> > am not trying to slam CEI(unless this is the case), but rather trying
> > to determine why the poor range since the sensitivity specs are
> > better.
> >
> > Also, does the BC235XLT have a longer range than the HS200 in the
> > 160-161MHz range?(Its sensitivity spec is .25uV vs .5 uV)
> >
> > I ask because I am thinking of buying a BC235XLT from CEI(again at a
> > great price of $169.95). I understand that a ham transceiver would
> > provide better reception, but I am trying to stay cheap.
> >
> > Thanks in advance,
> >
> > Daniel Dave Pepper
>
> Chris Baker
> 94 RMX 250
> 88 Z50R (The Beast)

3111. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Festus <bendejo@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6rl3fj$tv3$1@nnrp4.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 146914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote in message <35DD9707.51AB@notmyisp.com>...
>Moon Doggie wrote:
>>
>> ScannerMan wrote:

((snip))

>My god are you stupid! I believe he would be well *justified* in using
>the frequency.

No he would not. I would arrest him in a second.

We have arrested a ham once before, he spend 33 days in county jail for
calling in, what he thought was a "felony" in progress.

L8
http://onetime.simplenet.com/darkside.html
http://onetime.simplenet.com/guntrader.html

> RadioBoy

3112. Re: Yupiteru mvt7100 manual wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <lJoD1.477$Lc3.8357367@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 146915
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

I can e-mail you the said info for the MVT-7100. send me your e-mail
address to altman@ctel.net

Jonathan Clough wrote in message ...
>In article <903639771.11856.0.nnrp-08.c2def52a@news.demon.co.uk>, george
>thompson <gt@atherstone1.demon.co.uk> writes
>
>Hi George,
>
>>can anyone scan me this manual or tell me where on the internet i can get
>>it....many thanks George
>
>I don't know where you will find a copy on the Internet.
>
>We have quite a few copies of the Yupiteru English or Japanese manual
>(assume the latter isn't of much interest).
>
>I also wrote a "English" manual for the MVT-7100 back in 1993 which was
>a little more explanitory I hope. If you have access to HAMNET on
>Compuserve then there is a text file version in the library but it does
>not have the illustrations we also used.
>
>Cheers,
> /---\
>| Jonathan Clough | HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
|
>| Javiation, | leading manufacturers including:
|
>| Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K. |AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco
DJ-X10|
>| Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146 | Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
|
>| Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
|
>| Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
|
>| http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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> \---/
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3113. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DE160B.1593@parg.org>
Source record: 146916

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Why don't you cancel them, and then nuke them from DejaNews?

Occasionally it is useful to leave certain messages on & viewable
so to assist those system admin people who are investigating their
users who are committing abuse.

Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
or abusing usenet here!

3114. FS or Trade: Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robbin Olson <rolson@cpinternet.com>
Message-ID: <35DE1F26.3738@cpinternet.com>
Source record: 146917

I am trying to sell my Pro-26 scanner. The scanner is in excellent condition. I would like $165 or would trade for something else nifty.

R. Olson

3115. Re: Chicago PD Zone Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <n9jig-2108982051080001@k56-ip-189.theramp.net>
Source record: 146918
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6rl55h$e3n@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>, "Ed Walsh"
<emw-1@NOSPAMatt.net> wrote:

> I will be in Chicago in the near future and will be monitoring a bit of
> Chicago PD. I have the 13 zone frequencies, however I am wondering which
> zone covers the area surrounding Midway Airport.
>
> Thanks for any information!
>

Check the CARMA Web page for a CPD zone map, and all CPD freqs at
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

--
******* Rich Carlson, N9JIG *******
Illinois Highways Page http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html
Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA)
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

3116. TrunkTracker TG's for Wichita,KS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: iguard@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14346-35DE218C-8@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146919

For info on TG's in the Wichita, KS area go to
my website(it's small but good) at:
http://scanwichita.cjb.net

------CharlieC

PS: Pardon my sig below I have a Webtv and we can personalize our
email like this.

3117. Re: New RS scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <m5rD1.11$vX6.340618@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 146920

Rick Gans wrote in message <35db939e.515220003@news.mindspring.com>...
>I caught a glimpse of the new Radio Shack catalog today (more about
>their catalog in another message)

<snip>

Don't get me started about their catalogs. What is it with some of these bozos that they think giving up the catalog is giving the keys to the Kingdome. Dropped $20 at an RS yesterday, 'Oh no, the catalogs don't come out until after the end of August. Passed another one taking home some Chinese food tonight "Oh, sorry, I just gave away my last one." Ida know, does going through life as an RS drone give 'em this need to exercise some paltry little power over others?

Rob

3118. Re: WHAT THE HELL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Lang <robertlang@nac.net>
Message-ID: <CbrD1.12$vX6.342335@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 146921

Jim Harland spewed in message <35d8dbcc.156829038@enews.newsguy.com>...
>MY GOD WHAT A BUCH OF SICK LOSERS WASTING THEIR TIME OVER NOTHING BUT
>TRAILER TRASH TALK.................

Hey, don't knock it. I got stellar advice on a great source for
cinderblocks to prop up the sagging side of my trailer.

3119. Mackey Lost his Sprint & AOL Accounts was: Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35DE3F81.1E63@concentric.net>
Source record: 146922

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> > Why don't you cancel them, and then nuke them from DejaNews?
>
> Occasionally it is useful to leave certain messages on & viewable
> so to assist those system admin people who are investigating their
> users who are committing abuse.
>
> Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
> or abusing usenet here!

John,

Don't you really mean that you've lost 2 accounts over the
past 5 months?

Everyone knows that you lost your Sprint account back in April
for being a Rogue Canceller and Forger. You also forgot to
mention that you lost your secret AOL account about 2 weeks ago
foro Rogue Cancelling and Forging post via various Open NNTP
Servers.

Jake

3120. Re: Chicago PD Zone Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OWw5UHYz9GA.74@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146923
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

[Publicly] overlooking your embarrassing line...

From http://www.neousa.com/jdopke/cpdzone.html:
Midway Airport is located in Zone 6 (460.400 MHz).

Ed Walsh wrote in message <6rl55h$e3n@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>...
>I will be in Chicago in the near future and will be monitoring a bit of
>Chicago PD. I have the 13 zone frequencies, however I am wondering which
>zone covers the area surrounding Midway Airport.
>
>Thanks for any information!
>
>*** Ryan - PLEASE only answer this message if you REALLY know the answer!
>Thanks! ***
>
>
>
>

3121. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#EXGiIYz9GA.91@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Glad you're taking side with us hams! Really!

Thanks.

Jack wrote in message <35df95da.4979500@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>
>I think you are confusing captain scanner with an amateur operator!
>
>You are quite ignorant of federal laws involving emergency
>communication! Not making the transmission in a TRUE life or death
>situation might violate the good samaritan laws!
>
>In a true emergency situation, I don't think you would have time to
>check with the chief before reporting the catastrophe!

3122. Need MOD for Uniden BC235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jfel@pr.net
Message-ID: <jfel-2108981223400001@ppp-208-138-216-154.coqui.net>
Source record: 146925
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm looking for a mod to restore any lost freqs(cell, cb, military, airplane, etc...) on my Uniden BC235XLT. I've read a lot of postings saying there is no cell MOD. Last month I was in Florida and I met a Taxi driver with a BC235XLT in his cab. It was cell modified. That's how I know it's out there somewhere. If you have a mod for this scanner reply. Otherwise do a post. Thanks!!!

3123. WTB: AOR SDU-5000 Spectrum Display Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082116082800.MAA18336@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146926

Want to buy AOR SDU-5000, must be in excellent or like-new condition.
Bob
r1c1w@aol.com

3124. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moon Doggie <Moon@doggie.net>
Message-ID: <35DD9977.37F2B8A0@doggie.net>
Source record: 146927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:

> JTWard01 wrote:
> >
> > Dave,
> >
> > A strict reading of the regs suggests you are correct. However, a ham was
> > recently nearly prosecuted for using a law enforcement frequency to summon help
> > for a hiker who was seriously injured from a fall on a mountain. The ham only
> > escaped prosecution because he agreed to turn over his modified handheld radio
> > to the authorities. Both local law enforcement and the FCC were involved.
> >
> > John Ward
>
> You know how the police are -- "my gun is bigger than your gun" type of
> mentality.
>
> They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
> rather than a threat from authorities.
>
> Makes you wonder where everyone's priorities are?
>
> If I had to report an emergency on a police fx I'd just make the
> transmission, then leave the area.
>

welll damn...being so high and mighty, why would you have to leave ?

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>
> =RadioBoy=
>

3125. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moon Doggie <Moon@doggie.net>
Message-ID: <35DD99FD.62FFB707@doggie.net>
Source record: 146928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:

> Moon Doggie wrote:
> >
> > ScannerMan wrote:
> >
> > > I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> > > solicit your opinions.
> > >
> > > Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> > > department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> > > fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> > > regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> > > crime, because it endangers "life or property."
> > >
> > > Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
> > >
> >
> > no...seeing as this is a well monitored freq, which you have no ticket to
> > use, why would it even be a question ?
>
> Are you naturally stupid - or just a damned idiot? He didn't ask if the
> frequency was "well monitored" but wanted to know if he could legally
> use it, in an emergency situation.
>
> He doesn't have a ticket? Although the frequency is licensed to a
> particular police agency, THINGS CHANGE in emergency situations. A life
> threatening emergency means JUST THAT!
>

oh ? So...during an emergency, the FCC is going to pull the police departments
freq and give it to hams ?

Now just how is stupid here ?

>
>
>
> > are you saying that the police are not monitoring there own freq. ?
> >
> > Don't think so.......
>
> My god are you stupid! I believe he would be well *justified* in using
> the frequency.

>

and why is that ? Is that the on;ly why to contact the polce ? Are there not people paid ful time to monitor the police freqs ? (hint, they are called "dispatchers")

and you feel that this "emergency" *might* go unnoticed having been broadcast (in this case overheard) on a police band ?

kid...tell your mother that you are posting......and not in school.

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>
> RadioBoy
>

3126. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DDA1C9.522955F4@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 146929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

> Now just how is stupid here ?

Very.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

3127. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioBoy <radioboy@notmyisp.com>
Message-ID: <35DDA23E.1C94@notmyisp.com>
Source record: 146930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Moon Doggie wrote:
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> radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:

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> and why is that ? Is that the on;ly why to contact the polce ? Are there not
> people paid ful time to monitor the police freqs ? (hint, they are called
> "dispatchers")
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> and you feel that this "emergency" *might* go unnoticed having been broadcast
> (in this case overheard) on a police band ?
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> kid...tell your mother that you are posting......and not in school.

I'm sorry. You are not stupid, you are retarded, so I'll have to go
r-e-a-l s-l-o-w so you can fully understand.

First of all, I'm older than you, besides most schools systems are out
for vacation.

Let's get back to the radio thing, OK?

1. I have an Icom U-16, two-way radio, than can be programmed (in the
field) to transmit on a local police frequency.

2. I witness your mother, or wife, or sister, being raped, at gunpoint.

3. Nobody else is around.

4. I cannot help the victim because the suspect is armed.

5. I have two choices:

a) I can push the transmit button and tell the police dispatcher where
the crime is being committed,

(or)

b) I say to myself, "Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
use the radio, Oh well."

=RadioBoy=

3128. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <ishD1.721$u53.217258@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35DD986B.1BB3@notmyisp.com>, radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
>JTWard01 wrote:
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>> Dave,
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>> A strict reading of the regs suggests you are correct. However, a ham was
>> recently nearly prosecuted for using a law enforcement frequency to summon
> help
>> for a hiker who was seriously injured from a fall on a mountain. The ham only
>> escaped prosecution because he agreed to turn over his modified handheld
> radio
>> to the authorities. Both local law enforcement and the FCC were involved.
>>
>> John Ward
>
>You know how the police are -- "my gun is bigger than your gun" type of
>mentality.
>
>They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
>rather than a threat from authorities.

As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers. Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death situation.

If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access to a Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to call 911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the Police radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.

If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the Chief or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!

COP
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>Makes you wonder where everyone's priorities are?
>
>If I had to report an emergency on a police fx I'd just make the
>transmission, then leave the area.

>
>
> =RadioBoy=

3129. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10464-35DD9563-35@newsd-154.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146932

While FCC rules seem to permit this where the protection of life or protperty is concerned, I would advise you NEVER to transmit on law enforcement or fire frequencies without proper authorization.

There have been cases where the police have seized the radio equipment of persons doing this and even one ham, who was a civilian employee of a department, lost his dual band HT after calling in for a medical emergency on the frequncy of the department he worked for. (happened this past year in Calffornia, see QST mag. for details)

If I were in that situation, I would first try the ham repeaters, even if I wasn't licensed, and that failing, perhaps an ambulance service or hospital channel (155.340 is used in many places). Better yet, get your ham ticket and use a repeater auto-patch. Or buy a used cell phone. Even one that is not connected to a service can still dial 911.

Jim, KB9KEB
EMT-I

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
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3130. Re: Help I.D.: Old Bearcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10463-35DD9764-38@newsd-154.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146933

The Bearcat III was an early model crystal scanner that covered 2 bands. It had plug-in moduals for either low-band, hi-band, or UHF. These were very popular radios and many are still in service. They were replaced by the Bearcat IV, which would cover all three bands. Crystals are still available, but the last I heard, service on these is hard to get as they haven't been made for many years. You may post for someone to photocopy a manual for you.

Jim, KB9KEB
EMT-I

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
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3131. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082116510300.MAA11515@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146934

In article <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>, ScannerMan <scanners@no.spam.com>
writes:

>I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?

The only FCC regs that specifically address this kind of
situation are contained in Part 97, which regulate the Amateur
Radio Service. Those regs allow licensed Amateurs to use
whatever means of communication they have at their disposal
in an emergency situation IF life and property are threatened and
IF no other means of communication are available. So, that's three IF's
that would have to be met (1. licensed Amateur 2. life or property
threatened 3. no other means of communication available).
As other posters have pointed out, the liklihood is that even if you
meet all three tests, you're likely to get a major hassle from the
folks whose frequency you transmit on!
Dave

3132. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <wwhD1.723$u53.217258@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35DDA23E.1C94@notmyisp.com>, radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
>Moon Doggie wrote:
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>> radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
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>> and why is that ? Is that the on;ly why to contact the polce ? Are there
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>> people paid ful time to monitor the police freqs ? (hint, they are called
>> "dispatchers")
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>> and you feel that this "emergency" *might* go unnoticed having been broadcast
>> (in this case overheard) on a police band ?
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>> kid...tell your mother that you are posting......and not in school.
>
>
>I'm sorry. You are not stupid, you are retarded, so I'll have to go
>r-e-a-l s-l-o-w so you can fully understand.
>
>First of all, I'm older than you, besides most schools systems are out
>for vacation.
>
>Let's get back to the radio thing, OK?
>
>1. I have an Icom U-16, two-way radio, than can be programmed (in the
>field) to transmit on a local police frequency.
>
>2. I witness your mother, or wife, or sister, being raped, at gunpoint.
>
>3. Nobody else is around.
>
>4. I cannot help the victim because the suspect is armed.
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>5. I have two choices:
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>a) I can push the transmit button and tell the police dispatcher where
>the crime is being committed,
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>(or)
>
>b) I say to myself, "Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
>not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I

>use the radio, Oh well."
>

That is why there are pay phones around. 911 is a free call. If you were to transmit on our system with prior authorization you would not have that radio long. If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.....

COP
> =RadioBoy=

3133. Harris Co., Texas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rk7gl$7dc$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146936
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Like everyone else I am trying to figure out the new SmartZone system for the Harris Co. Trunked Radio system. I have posted what I am sure of at http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/hcso.htm . If anyone is familar with the system can you check that out and let me know what you can add to it. That is just for the sheriff's dept. I need to add constables and other services to it also.

Thanks
John Habbinga

3134. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35e2a58e.3159114@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 146937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>> If I had to report an emergency on a police fx I'd just make the
>> transmission, then leave the area.
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>
>welll damn...being so high and mighty, why would you have to leave ?

Donald Scott, Waco, Oklahoma City, Boston, Johnny Lawmeister -- I can think of DOZENS of reasons I wouldn't want to be around law enforcement officers.

3135. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35e3a5ca.3218353@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 146938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>oh ? So...during an emergency, the FCC is going to pull the police departments
>freq and give it to hams ?
>
>Now just how is stupid here ?

You are.

The guy witnesses, in person, a crime. No police are around.

He has a transmitter that will operate on the police frequency, so he
keys up and reports it on that frequency.

That seems very simple to understand from where I'm sitting. Why are
you having so much trouble with it? I've seen three people explain it
to you, yet you're writing letters to the FCC to get frequency
allocations! Sheesh!<tm>

Now, I should probably type that again very slowly so you can
understand it.

T h e g u y w i t n e s s e s, i n p e r s o n,
a c r i m e. N o p o l i c e a r e
a r o u n d.

H e h a s a t r a n s m i t t e r t h a t w i l l
o p e r a t e o n t h e p o l i c e f r e q u e n c y,
s o h e k e y s u p a n d r e p o r t s i t o n
t h a t f r e q u e n c y.

3136. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <CGhD1.731$u53.217258@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35e2a58e.3159114@news.swbell.net>, inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts) wrote:
>>> If I had to report an emergency on a police fx I'd just make the
>>> transmission, then leave the area.
>>>
>>
>>welll damn...being so high and mighty, why would you have to leave ?
>
>Donald Scott, Waco, Oklahoma City, Boston, Johnny Lawmeister -- I can
>think of DOZENS of reasons I wouldn't want to be around law
>enforcement officers.

Shame you have to lump all law enforcement officers under one. What did the
Law Enforcement community have to do with Oklahoma City, Boston, and others.
I guess if you are "breaking the law" then surely you don't want to be around
them.

If you don't like the LAWS change them don't break them........

COP

3137. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moon Doggie <Moon@doggie.net>
Message-ID: <35DDA751.C6942BD3@doggie.net>
Source record: 146940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

but this was niot the case presented...the case presented stated that the he had heard on the police freq. the emergency call.
My statements were made toward this case...not the one you presented...

the way it was presented, the the cops WOULD have heard the call, thus no need to use the freq. to alert them.

In your case presented here, oviously the cops would need to be told....

lets at least discuss the same situation...hell, I could come up with cases to defent most anything, but that is not what was originally stated.

Thats all.

RadioBoy wrote:

> Moon Doggie wrote:
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> > radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
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> >
> > and why is that ? Is that the on;ly why to contact the polce ? Are there not
> > people paid ful time to monitor the police freqs ? (hint, they are called
> > "dispatchers")
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> > and you feel that this "emergency" *might* go unnoticed having been broadcast
> > (in this case overheard) on a police band ?
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> I'm sorry. You are not stupid, you are retarded, so I'll have to go
> r-e-a-l s-l-o-w so you can fully understand.
>
> First of all, I'm older than you, besides most schools systems are out
> for vacation.
>

right...so..your in your 60's then ?

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>
>
> Let's get back to the radio thing, OK?
>
> 1. I have an Icom U-16, two-way radio, than can be programmed (in the
> field) to transmit on a local police frequency.

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> 2. I witness your mother, or wife, or sister, being raped, at gunpoint.
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> the crime is being committed,
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> (or)
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> b) I say to myself, "Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
> not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
> use the radio, Oh well."
>

is that what I said ? MAybe you should also learn to read a post.....

3138. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dre@gte.net
Message-ID: <6rk09i$6f9$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146941
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Wow, you're so big and bad you have nothing better to do then post
silly non-informative messages. Don't waste our time. As far as not
being able to help yoursef...sounds like nobody can.
On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 20:22:13 GMT, J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!
wrote:

> I can't believe you CHEEK-A-LIKES will stoop to fucking forging! I
>will never stop fucking with your little pissant scan radio chats! I
>am a big bad ham radio operator, you guys are just shit! I love to run
>1500 watts on 11 meters to screw with the losers on CB HAHAHAHAHA and
>you guys are even below them!
>You should abandon these chats now because my regin of terror is just
>begining!
>
>

3139. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: TACTICAL-COMMAND <tac-com@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6rka2g$pia@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

The answer to this question is NO. You cannot legally transmit messages on the police/fire channel.

WHY???? You are not licensed by the FCC to operate on that radio frequency. Police/Public Safety agencies have (or should have) valid FCC licenses that authorize them to operate within certain perimeters. Members of that agency are authorized by the FCC to operate under the umbrella of that license due to their duties and employment.

THER IS NO EXCEPTION.
WHY??? Imagine 10 citizens with 10 two-way radios broadcasting messages on public safety channels. Or 100 citizens? Then a couple of these radios get lost/stolen and land in criminal or prankster hands....

USE A CELLULAR TELEPHONE or PAYPHONE....

ScannerMan wrote in message <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>...
>I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>solicit your opinions.
>
>Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>
>Dave McGuire

3140. SS3Q

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "JOHN E. STRIDSBERG" <john.stridsberg@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6rk7et$7kv$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146943

SSA21
AQ1S1
VD56C

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3141. FS:ICOM-R7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicolas Condaras <nickos@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6rka5m$m67$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146944

For sale Icom R-7000, original owner, excellent condition best
receiver/scanner 25-2000 MHz.
Asking $750 OBO,
WILL CONSIDER TRADE FOR FULL MODE 440 OR SATELLITE RADIO
E-mail me for more info.
nickos@gte.net

3142. Re: Sudbury, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ck279@torfree.net
Message-ID: <Ey1sMv.CEA.0.queen@torfree.net>
Source record: 146945

Dave (faricky@hotmail.com) wrote:
: Does anyone have information on any emerg services systems in Sudbury
: and area.

try http://www.members.home.com/ontscan/

--

Philip Tong
hytong@iname.com ck279@torfree.net ck279@freenet.toronto.on.ca
Toronto, Ontario, CANADA

3143. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DDB32F.5852@parg.org>
Source record: 146946

John M - KAOSSF wrote:
> I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in

Tha above was another forge! :(

3144. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35ddb26c.2330118@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Funny, we were always told that in a life or death situation it IS
permissible to transmit on ANY frequency to SAVE that LIFE.
You just have to try EVERY other means available to you first.

Ben

3145. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DDB354.533F@parg.org>
Source record: 146948

John Mackey * KA0SSF * wrote:
> I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in

The above was a forge.

3146. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DDB2B6.79E6@parg.org>
Source record: 146949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Now that I think about it, John Mackey probably posted this message... (or
> MAlexder)

You can't tell the difference between me on MCI & MAlexder on AOL?????

Ryan, the forges have been happening to me to. Stop trying to make
trouble when you don't know what you are talking about.

3147. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DDB520.4B87@parg.org>
Source record: 146950
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

doug wrote:
> Wow, you're so big and bad you have nothing better to do then post

It was a forge, I didn't write it. :(

3148. Re: I can't help myself - give me a break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DDB53D.2630@parg.org>
Source record: 146951

myob@myob.com wrote:
> Don't try all these fascist tactics of getting people blocked from the
> newsgroup, forging posts, and name calling. Act like adults, not
> someone who sits in your trailer all day drinking Budweiser and
> listening to a scanner.

Well said, very well said!

3149. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DDB6D2.FA7@parg.org>
Source record: 146952

John M - KAOSSF wrote:
> I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason

Another forge! :(

3150. FS. STANDARD C558A w/CELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <35DDB2BF.8C14BC30@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 146953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello all,
I have a Standard C558A Portable
for sale, It comes with Batt(2.5 watt),Charger,Diamond RH77CAant,
and PTT Headset-Boom Mic and leather case
I am asking $350 USD +Shipping
Unit is in excellent shape
Unit receives 100-199,300-500, and 800-999

NO GAPS IN 800

Has not been modified to TX out of band, But I do have the instructions
to mod it
If intrested
Email me direct at
tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com
or call 219-742-9366
Thanks W9ZRO

3151. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <wMiD1.777$u53.257510@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35ddb26c.2330118@news.mindspring.com>, w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com (Ben) wrote:
>Funny, we were always told that in a life or death situation it IS
>permissible to transmit on ANY frequency to SAVE that LIFE.
>You just have to try EVERY other means available to you first.
>
>Ben
>
Part 97.403 says:

No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any means of radiocommunications at its disposal to provide essential communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are not available.

At its disposal: Frequencies that your license allows you to operate on.

Normal communications means items like the phone, cell phones, word of mouth, public safety communication networks, smoke signals or whatever. No where does it give permission for a HAM to transmit on any other frequencies except those assigned to the amateur radio service.

Part 97.403 does not give you the right under you ham license to operate on any frequency you want. Even during an emergency...

COP

3152. Re: LOOKING FOR A KNOWLEDGEABLE RECCOMENDATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6rke05$am6@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 146955

The 9000XLT is a great scanner. I think it is one of the best available. I have an AR3000, R7000, Pro2005, BC9000XLT, BC895XLT, as well as some cheaper ones and I use the 9000 the most. Good RF section, great features. It isn't an "entry level" scanner - you won't outgrow it.

--
Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
Rocky84 wrote in message <35DC17A6.739D1E3A@usa.net>...
>OK, I am totally new to scanners, but I have extensive knowledge on CB's
>(what little there is to know) and computers. I am considering the
>Uniden Bearcat 9000XLT, can anyone give me a clue as to if this is a
>worthy product, or is there a similar product that is better. Please
>respond via email. Thanks.
>
>--
>-----------------------------------
>China is funding the President's
>campaign, yet encrypting my email
>is a threat to national security.
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>
>

3153. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cop Busters <copbustr@not.me.com>
Message-ID: <35DDBBF5.41FF@not.me.com>
Source record: 146956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:

> As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
> officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
> around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
> Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
> killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
> situation.

I'm not a HAM but I can tell that you are full of shit. The amateur
radio leagues in my state are well organized and well regulated. In any
type of emergency or disaster situation they are (more than) prepared to
take control and provide essential communications - even when your
police radios fail.

> If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access to a
> Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
> cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to call
> 911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
> type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the Police
> radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.

Excuse me? If I use a two-way radio to save someone's life, how could I
"cost someone their life?" Are you referring to a "startle reaction"
when the officer hears my pleas for help, and is awakened from his nap,
or he spills some Dunkin' Donut coffee on himself?

> If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the Chief
> or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!
>
> COP

Good idea! If I witness a robbery, rape, or shooting I'll call the
police chief at home and ask if I can use their repeater for 10 seconds.

Great Idea!

You're Busted!!!!!

CopBusters

3154. Special Event - W2GSB/Lighthouse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2gsb@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rkjj6$90l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146957

Special Event W2GSB/Lighthouse

Fire Island Lighthouse, Fire Island National Seashore, Fire Island New York

As part of Lighthouse/Lightship Activity Weekend, members of the Great South Bay ARC, and Islip ARES will operate from the Fire Island Lighthouse, ref #670 (IOTA NA-026, USIA NY-013-S), Aug 22 and 23, 1400-2200Z signing W2GSB/Lighthouse. SSB on IOTA frequencies, CW as announced.
A QSL certificate will be available. QSL direct only with a 9x10 SASE or #10 SASE to: Rich Tygar AC2P, 5 Chelmsford Dr., Wheatley Heights, NY 11798
Addition information at www.gsbarc.org or via e-mail info@gsbarc.org

73 - W2GSB - Great South Bay ARC

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3155. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: RDP <twnotterNOSPAM@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6rka5m$1tu$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 146958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

RadioBoy wrote in message +ADw-35DDA23E.1C94+AEA-notmyisp.com+AD4-...
+AD4-Moon Doggie wrote:
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg- radioboy+AEA-notmyisp.com wrote:
+AD4-
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg- and why is that ? Is that the on+ADs-ly why to contact the polce ? Are
there not
+AD4APg- people paid ful time to monitor the police freqs ? (hint, they are called
+AD4APg- +ACI-dispatchers+ACI-)
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg- and you feel that this +ACI-emergency+ACI- +ACo-might+ACo- go unnoticed having
been
broadcast
+AD4APg- (in this case overheard) on a police band ?
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg- kid...tell your mother that you are posting......and not in school.
+AD4-
+AD4-
+AD4-I'm sorry. You are not stupid, you are retarded, so I'll have to go
+AD4-r-e-a-l s-l-o-w so you can fully understand.
+AD4-
+AD4-First of all, I'm older than you, besides most schools systems are out
+AD4-for vacation.
+AD4-
+AD4-Let's get back to the radio thing, OK?
+AD4-
+AD4-1. I have an Icom U-16, two-way radio, than can be programmed (in the
+AD4-field) to transmit on a local police frequency.
+AD4-
+AD4-2. I witness your mother, or wife, or sister, being raped, at gunpoint.
+AD4-
+AD4-3. Nobody else is around.
+AD4-
+AD4-4. I cannot help the victim because the suspect is armed.
+AD4-
+AD4-5. I have two choices:
+AD4-
+AD4-a) I can push the transmit button and tell the police dispatcher where
+AD4-the crime is being committed,
+AD4-
+AD4-(or)
+AD4-

+AD4-b) I say to myself, +ACI-Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
+AD4-not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
+AD4-use the radio, Oh well.+ACI-
+AD4-
+AD4- +AD0-RadioBoy+AD0-

Or if you used a little sense, we have a really neat system that allows a person to contact others legally. It is called a phone-cellular or landline-either way the call is free. Being that you have no business possessing the radio and having it programmed for police frequencies, your justification for using it is in question. You most likely have not been trained on the use of the police frequencies and what various codes utilized may indicate. In other words, you will probably interrupt something because you don't know what a felony alert or code red tone is.

If you think that having a radio there that is programmed for police frequencies for a safety device, think again. If you can afford a radio, you can afford a cellular phone. So go buy one and you will find you can also use it for other things than contacting the police.

State laws vary but you may find possession of a device capable of interrupting police communications is illegal. Give up the thought of having this to save someone and get a cell phone.

3156. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu
Message-ID: <35ddba52.18459112@news.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 146959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 07:44:11 -0400, ScannerMan <scanners@no.spam.com>
wrote:

>I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>solicit your opinions.
>
>Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>
>Dave McGuire

That depends who you are. Let's assume for the moment you are a
licensed amateur radio operator. If you are not, the answer is NO.
Personal opinions aside, FCC Regulations state:

ï¿½ 97.111 Authorized transmissions.

(a) An amateur station may transmit the following types of two-way
communications:

<SNIP>

(2) Transmissions necessary to exchange messages with a station in
another FCC-regulated service while providing emergency
communications;

ï¿½ 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.

No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
life and immediate protection of property when normal communication
systems are not available.

I was going to request that we all stop shouting our opinions and
actually use some facts. Unfortunately, the facts are vague.

What "not available" means is probably open to some interpretation.
Does it mean "I can't get to a phone in time" or does it mean "The
hurricane knocked out all the phone lines"?

It certainly applies to the second, but does it apply to the first? Probably up to the court system, unfortunately. Technically, it MIGHT be permitted. However it WILL be unexpected, and seen by the police as interference, right or wrong.

The better solution would be to use a cell phone (even without signing up to use it you can call 911), or a pay phone.

3157. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wild Bill <wildbill@no.spam.com>
Message-ID: <35DDB72E.7BDC@no.spam.com>
Source record: 146960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

TACTICAL-COMMAND wrote:
>
> The answer to this question is NO. You cannot legally transmit messages on
> the police/fire channel.
>
> WHY???? You are not licensed by the FCC to operate on that radio frequency.
> Police/Public Safety agencies have (or should have) valid FCC licenses that
> authorize them to operate within certain perimeters. Members of that agency
> are authorized by the FCC to operate under the umbrella of that license due
> to their duties and employment.
>
> THER IS NO EXCEPTION.
> WHY??? Imagine 10 citizens with 10 two-way radios broadcasting messages on
> public safety channels. Or 100 citizens? Then a couple of these radios get
> lost/stolen and land in criminal or prankster hands....
>
> USE A CELLULAR TELEPHONE or PAYPHONE....

Hey, blow it out your ass. If I see someone in distress, I'll transmit
so screw you!

Speaking of RULES....stop posting binaries on the scanner group.

OK, asshole?

Will Bill
(The One & Only)

3158. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35e1be77.3406018@news.erols.com>
Source record: 146961

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 07:44:11 -0400, ScannerMan <scanners@no.spam.com>
wrote:

>I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>solicit your opinions.
>
>Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?

I wouldn't use it, unless someone's life was in immediate danger,
there was no other way to contact anyone, and even then, I'd hesitate.

(1) What the hell would you be doing with a radio like that anyway?

(2) If you're using a frequency agile radio, why not put the report in
to 911 via a ham autopatch? You won't lose much time (maybe one
minute).

(3) Cops are extremely protective of their radio traffic. They're not
fond of you listening (though they know they can't do a damned thing
about it) and the dispatcher in particular does not want you in their
hair (they have enough problems keeping their own folks in line).

Ultimately, you do have the right to yell for help using any means
necessary --from smoke signals to satellite radios. However, you'd
better have good justification for the resources you used, and you'd
better have a bona-fide emergency.

While the latter criteria sounds probable enough, I don't think anyone
will put up with the former.

This isn't rocket science. Just listen to a metropolitan police
operation from rush hour onward. You'll hear lots of life and death
radio traffic on the air. To take precedence over that kind of radio
traffic, you'd have to be dealing with something like a madman armed
with a nuclear weapon threatening to set it off.

Only then might they sit up and take notice.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

3159. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <XxjD1.871$u53.288453@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35DDBBF5.41FF@not.me.com>, copbustr@not.me.com wrote:
>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>
>>
>> As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
>> officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
>> around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
>> Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>> killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>> situation.
>
>I'm not a HAM but I can tell that you are full of shit. The amateur
>radio leagues in my state are well organized and well regulated. In any
>type of emergency or disaster situation they are (more than) prepared to
>take control and provide essential communications - even when your
>police radios fail.

Bull Shit
>
>
>> If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access to
> a
>> Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
>> cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to call
>> 911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
>> type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the Police
>> radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.
>
>
>Excuse me? If I use a two-way radio to save someone's life, how could I
>"cost someone their life?" Are you referring to a "startle reaction"
>when the officer hears my pleas for help, and is awakened from his nap,
>or he spills some Dunkin' Donut coffee on himself?
>
If you were able to comprehend the English language you would have noticed
that I said you "could". Didn't say you would.
>
>> If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the Chief
>> or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!
>>
>> COP
>
>Good idea! If I witness a robbery, rape, or shooting I'll call the

>police chief at home and ask if I can use their repeater for 10 seconds.
>
>Great Idea!
>
>You're Busted!!!!!

Hey if your not a HAM how can you speak for the HAM community? I know for a fact since I am a HAM and can tell you that the trunk systems we have will out do any ham system. If ours have a problem, which it hasn't since it was installed three years ago, and makes the system in-operable there are other city's radio systems that are programmed into our radios that we can use. Also most HAMs are just WANNABEES and are not trained properly. For my police certification I had to go to the law enforcement academy for 560 hours of training, take a state test, go through a training period with a training officer and all the while taking other classes to keep my state certification.

Also if you witness a robbery, rape or shooting please use a phone to report it. Don't try and play COP......Give the person answering your call all the information you can and let the Police handle it.

But I guess with the attitude you have towards the Police maybe you should handle every situation yourself and don't bother the COPs that are at the "Donut" shop.

COP
>
> **CopBusters**

3160. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35DDC883.19D2@ibm.net>
Source record: 146963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
> Also most HAMs are just WANNABEES and are not trained properly.

Sheriff Joe Arpaio of Maricopa County, AZ, recrutes and trains
hams for his citizen posse.

> Also if you witness a robbery, *rape* or shooting please use a phone to report
> it. Don't try and play COP...

If I witness a criminal raping my daughter, don't try to "play COP"????
What planet are you from, anyway? Call to 911 - "There's a man raping my
daughter, I have a Colt 45 and am trained in its use - what should I do?"
Man, get real!
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

3161. Re: LOOKING FOR A KNOWLEDGEABLE RECCOMENDATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082119292700.PAA29739@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146964

>From: "Brett - N7OLQ"

>he 9000XLT is a great scanner. I think it is one of the best available. I
>have an AR3000, R7000, Pro2005, BC9000XLT, BC895XLT, as well as some cheaper

Don't overlook the BC895 either. It has 300 channels, versus 500, but it has trunk tracking and computer control, which the BC9000 doesn't have. It's got great sensitivity too. There's an awful lot of bang for only $200-$220.

3162. Re: M-400 / FLEX decode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35df79a2.14556984@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146965
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 21 Aug 1998 03:51:20 GMT, "Reuben M" <magic@dorsai.org> wrote:

>I am currently a happy owner of a Universal M-400 Decoder, with 3.02
>firmware, which decodes POCSAG24, POCSAG, SUPOCS, GOLAY, DTMF, ACARS, etc.
>Looking for anyone who might have information on moding the 3.02 firmware
>to decode FLEX and reFLEX as well.

Cool unit! Wish I could do golay!

>Any other infomation about how to decode FLEX (besides the program POCFLEX)
>would be greatly appreciated.

U.S. patent #5555183 and the MC68175 datasheet.

>Also looking to purchase a "4 LEVEL FSK" Hamcom interface if anyone is
>selling one or knows where to get one, many thanks...

Build it! It is a piece of cake! I have it decoding 100% of FLEX ABCD
and about 75% of REFLEX ABCD. I will be posting the mod's I made to
the 4-level interface on my site in the next few days.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3163. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DDCCC0.7AC187A8@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 146966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Boy, you know nothing.

If you are a licensed amateur operator, you may use ANY MEANS of communication
IF:

- you are a validly licensed amateur operator
AND - life or property is in danger
AND - no other communication is available.

Like Dave (K4CC) said, you can find that in Part 97 of the FCC rules.

So: do your homework before posting misinformation that could indirectly kill
someone. I've certainly learned my lesson (about posting misinformation)...

TACTICAL-COMMAND wrote:

> The answer to this question is NO. You cannot legally transmit messages on
> the police/fire channel.
>
> WHY???? You are not licensed by the FCC to operate on that radio frequency.
> Police/Public Safety agencies have (or should have) valid FCC licenses that
> authorize them to operate within certain perimeters. Members of that agency
> are authorized by the FCC to operate under the umbrella of that license due
> to their duties and employment.
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> public safety channels. Or 100 citizens? Then a couple of these radios get
> lost/stolen and land in criminal or prankster hands....
>
> USE A CELLULAR TELEPHONE or PAYPHONE....

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

3164. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <j0kD1.1007$u53.299344@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35DDC883.19D2@ibm.net>, w6rca@ibm.net wrote:
>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>> Also most HAMs are just WANNABEES and are not trained properly.
>
>Sheriff Joe Arpaio of Maricopa County, AZ, recrutes and trains
>hams for his citizen posse.

You said the magic word "trains". I and three other hams I know are reserve deputy sheriffs and have gone through 560 hours of training, on the job training, state test and we continue taking classes to keep certification.

The problem I am relating to is the WANNABEE HAM with no training but picking up a HT and thinking he is a COP.
>
>> Also if you witness a robbery, *rape* or shooting please use a phone to
> report
>> it. Don't try and play COP...
>
>If I witness a criminal raping my daughter, don't try to "play COP"????
>What planet are you from, anyway? Call to 911 - "There's a man raping my
>daughter, I have a Colt 45 and am trained in its use - what should I do?"
>Man, get real!

No you get real. He did not say it was a family member. I agree, if it is a family member I will get involved, but then again I am trained to handle situations like that and if you are trained then be it. Most people who intervene find themselves either hurt or dead because they don't know what to do.

3165. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DDCD85.B10A875E@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 146968

Why don't you cancel them, and then nuke them from DejaNews?

KA0SSF wrote:

> John M - KAOSSF wrote:
> > I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
>
> Another forge! :(
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

3166. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35DDCE7C.ABE1F637@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 146969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

> As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
> officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
> around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
> Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
> killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
> situation.

You are full of crap.

It's people like you who give amateur radio a bad name.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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3167. Re: Need MOD for Uniden BC235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e280a2.16348608@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146970
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 12:23:40 -0400, jfel@pr.net (jfel@pr.net) wrote:

>I'm looking for a mod to restore any lost freqs(cell, cb, military,
>airplane, etc...) on my Uniden BC235XLT. I've read a lot of postings
>saying there is no cell MOD. Last month I was in Florida and I met a Taxi
>driver with a BC235XLT in his cab. It was cell modified. That's how I know
>it's out there somewhere. If you have a mod for this scanner reply.
>Otherwise do a post. Thanks!!!

Ok, I'll do a post! Maybe he was only moonlighting as a taxi driver
from his primary job as a cpu designer?

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3168. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <gdkD1.1036$u53.299344@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35DDCE7C.ABE1F637@nospam.atandt.net>, jtonsa@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>> As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
>> officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
>> around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
>> Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>> killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>> situation.
>
>You are full of crap.
>
>It's people like you who give amateur radio a bad name.

Believe it or not pal but it is true. And it is people like you that
give amateur radio a bad name.......

COP

3169. Cheyenne Wy Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ/Rae <ramprat@cheyenneweb.com>
Message-ID: <35DDCDFD.88E35092@cheyenneweb.com>
Source record: 146972

We just moved to Cheyenne Wy and are looking for scanner freq's. Does anybody have some to get started with, or someplace to find some??

Thanks Much

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USAF Security Forces ICQ # 14108174
1997 F-250HD XLT Powerstroke Diesel 4x4, SC, SB, 5sp, 4.10,
285/75R16 BFG/MT's, K&N Filter, Lund bug deflector,
http://www.ford-trucks.com/pictorial/big/1997_f250_1.html
http://home.talkcity.com/GasolineAlley/butwhy/index.html

3170. Re: Ace Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#clxAIUz9GA.156@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146973
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well I got my scanner. I had paid overnight, and it came 3 days later, but everything looked brand new right down to the twist ties looking shiny and unused. The kicker is that they charged me $30.00 less then advertised, which paid for the overnight freight that never really happened....

Thanks all for the comments, I guess I just ought to feel lucky at this point
!
Dan B. wrote in message <35DC2B46.3D1E@qsl.net>...
>Greg Renner wrote:
>>
>> marcs_ms wrote:
>> >
>> > Just wondering if anyone has dealt with a company called Ace Communications
>> > http://www.ace-communications.com
>> > ?
>> >
>> > Just wanted to check and see if anyone else had ordered from them and what
>> > their experience was..
>> >
>> > Thanks
>>
>> I ordered a scanner from them once a few years ago. The scanner
>> arrived and was not as specified in the ad in Pop Comm. The ad said it
>> came with Ni Cads and a charger it did not. I called Ace they said to
>> send it back for a refund. I did, they did not refund, after a month
>> and several calls to them they kept saying it had been refunded. My
>> credit card statement said otherwise. I finally had a threeway call
>> between Ace, myself and my Credit Card Bank. The money was finally
>> refunded. I never dealt with Ace again.
>>
>> Greg Renner
>
>Dont' mess with ACE communications.... I bought a $429 AOR-2500 from
>them about 6 or 7 years ago...the first one arrived not working (I paid
>overnight) and the second one never worked right. I later found out that
>they sold me a refurb! I never got a refund on the overnight....I keep
>the scanner for five years before I got rid of it...Never again!
>--
>http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
>KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!

>Reviews on: Opto Cub and CPT De-scrambler. Humor on "how to be a LID"
>and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
>East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

3171. looking to buy scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11442-35DDC821-26@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146974

I am looking for a Radio Shack scanner-Base model only.Must be in very good shape.Have the 800 mhz band with at least 75 channels of storage.Email with your model,price and anything else to add and I will get back if interested.thanks

3172. SWAP SPR-4,PRO-63,386LAPTOP WITH 500MBH/D.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jim@techno1.com>
Message-ID: <35DCAC26.8A0F076C@techno1.com>
Source record: 146981

I have all this waiting to swap for hf receiver with digital readout for

decoding.
Drake has noisblanker board, and crystal calibrator board fitted, all
slots are full, radio works as this radio should, but it needs some
loving care has manual but not original.
Laptop also has 500mb h/drive and spare 124mb h/drive, this 386 is not
one of them big
bulky things,
it is the size of laptops that are made today.
what can i say about pro-63 except it is a pro-63.
main problem is i am in the uk, lots of excpence.
Thanks.......Jim. UK only.

3173. Re: 153.5150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: locksmith@bc.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <35dcbd61.1784796@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 146982

Dave <faricky@hotmail.com> wrote:

>153.5150
>
>Does this freq mean anything to anybody.
>
>Can anyone suggest who may be the user.
>
>Anywhere in the States and Canada.
>
>Please email response.
>
>Thanks.
>
>Dave.
It is a logging frequency in Quesnel, BC.

Rick VE7ABW
locksmith@bc.sympatico.ca
N 49.16.34.2
W123.01.36.9

3174. Re: PRO-2004 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980821011151 00.VAA17667@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146983

ANTHONY HOW DO YOU WANT PAYMENT. PLEASE E-MAIL pdoddy@aol.com

3175. Re: BC-350A Channels??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082101240900.VAA01494@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146984

>On the BC 350A can you actually program 50 channels
>or is it only 20.

Police Svc Search: 739 prepgmd; 20 programmable
Fire/EMG: 197 prepgmd; 10 programmable
Air: 1160 preprgmd (All Acft)
Marine: 90 prepgmd (All Marine)
Wx: 7 prepgmd (All NOAA Weather Svc)
Private: 0 prepgmd; 20 programmable.

So you have a TOTAL of 50 channels available for programming, but only a maximum of 20 can be scanned at any time.

AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

3176. Re: fire dept dreq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Peck <steven.peck1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <u94D1.139$IR.780051@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 146985

>
>A quick question from a complete newbie.
>
>Anyone in the GTA or Mississauga region/Canada have the frequencies
>for the 4 channels used by the fire department here (I'm interested in
>Mississauga)
>
>Thanks a lot in advance.
>

Here is what I have, if I remember correctly they are from Ron Katz's web site. I used to get a lot of activity on them up until November 97 then things went quiet, rumour is they went trunked. I still get the odd transmission with annoying tone codes being sent before and after the dispatch. I dont think I have ever picked anything up other than the dispatcher.

ID REGION SERVICE DESCRIPTION FREQ PL
35 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. TACTICAL F2 154.235 167.9
34 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. OPERATIONS 154.950 167.9
33 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. MOBILE REPEATER 158.925 167.9
32 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. F2 150.4250 167.9
31 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. DISPATCH 414.5875

Steve

3177. Re: Any problems with scanners bought from CEI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: marvin_d_c@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35DCFDE0.2C56@hotmail.com>
Source record: 146986

regarding the revised sensitivity figures for these two radios.....

Got your message with the corrected sensitivity figures. I'd only make two additional comments....

First, there isn't that much of a difference between 0.5 and 1.0 (certainly not as much as between 5.0 and 1.0), so in general, I would expect the radios to be essentially the same in performance, rather than one being clearly superior to the other.

Second, the figures probably represent either an average of a large number of sets tested (with some being better and some being worse), or perhaps the figures were the BEST they ever made, with the typical radio being not quite so good! Either way, the chance that you could reach up and pick a radio off the shelf and have it match the published figure is probably wishful thinking (unfortunately). Just like all cars are not equal when they roll off the assembly line, so too are all radios not created equal.....

Another thought comes to me as I finish this overly long message... there is a certain amount of internal noise produced by a radio, especially these synthesized radios, and this competes with the incoming signal. I think a manufacturer could artificially improve his sensitivity rating by turning off the local oscillator to decrease some of the noise while taking a so-called sensitivity reading. In other words, do these numbers really mean what we like to think they mean, or are they more like the wattage ratings on hi-fi amplifiers, or the horsepower ratings on cars???

Sorry to go on and on.....

3178. Cell capable unit & parts FS/trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toscano <toscano2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6ril8i$o8c@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146987

PRO2026B (newer version) with original cellular unblocked PRO2026A "Patrolman" CPU professionally mounted inside. Get the coverage of the original with the memory of the "B" model. Works flawlessly, includes 12v vehicle power cord, indoor AC adapter, manual, box from model "B", and model "A" parts scanner (where CPU was taken from). Will sell to best offer or trade for similar scanner (I need a SMALLER or handheld one), CB radio goodies, or whathaveyou.

3179. Re: EZ way to get freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082102390000.WAA01715@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146988

Why do all of these?
When you can get the frequencies at the radio store.

3180. Re: CELLULAR SCANNER WANTED!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <35DCE3FA.4A79A714@globe-net.net>
Source record: 146989

To see a list of which ones are capable, visit
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods.html

Then visit http://www.ebay.com and search "scanners".
Find the appropriate model and make your bid.

No new over the counter models in the USA sold today can be
easily modified for cellular reception.

Robert

Oatmeal Boy wrote:

> I am looking for a handheld scanner capable of modification to recieve
> cell phones. Are there any good makes/models that any of you reccomend?
> Thanks for your help. :o)

3181. Help Please With MDT, Winradio & MFJ1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpz6hymg@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rili9spm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146990

I'm trying to use the MDT1234 program with my discriminator-tap modified Winradio and an MFJ-1213 data interface. So far, I have had no luck and would appreciate some help. Must I manually set my com1 port in any special way? What could it be? I've also tried amplifying the Winradio discriminator output with my PC... What could it be?

Thanks for any help,

-David

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3182. Re: Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082103265200.XAA21190@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146991

>As you may know Daniel, a CEI customer benefit is our 61 day
>satisfaction guarantee return policy as explained in our customer benefit

Daniel...This is bull shit!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
I bought a 235 from these guys and 20 days after I got it the price went down.
I called them and was told that I bought on an internet speical and they could
not give me the lower price. It is now almost $60 less than I got it for.
Uniden makes a good poduct, where you buy it from is buyer beware.

Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, ¤227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

3183. ICOM R71A Sprintpak

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaron rigg <aaron.rigg@intellect.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bdccb4$6037ef60$84d20ccb@aaron-riggs>
Source record: 146992
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi All,

I have an Icom R71A which has an option board installed I would like to identify.

The board is labeled SPRINTPAK and ICOM/AD. It has a RS232 line driver IC (1488) on the board, therfore I assmue it is a type of PC interface. It connects to the CPU board and sits above it inside the radio.

Anyone know the manufacturer of this board? Is it CI-V compliant?

Regards
Aaron

3184. Re: CELLULAR SCANNER WANTED!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980821041317 00.AAA28130@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146993

Hello Oatmealboy I have a AOR1000XLT 1000ch handheld scanner in vg condition.
The coverage is 100-1300mhz no gaps full coverage. pdoddy@aol.com

3185. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980821042738 00.AAA00120@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146994

I belive what you guys are hearing is Narrowband PCS (NPCS). They use primarily 25 kHz or 50 Khz channels and are paired. The base talks out in the 940 MHz range and the pagers talk back(milliwatts) in the 901 MHz range (39 MHz split just like 900 MHz trunking). The frequencies are listed in FCC Part 24 specifically sections 24.129 and 24.130. You can get the channel info from the GPO website.
I know Skytel has a nationwide system up and I believe PageNet and a couple of other companies aren't far behind. FCC beta freq site might help you identify the particular user in your area.
They typically send out multiple subcarriers over the same 940 MHz transmitter and it really sounds brutal on a regular scanner.

Bob

3186. M-400 / FLEX decode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdccb7$06e9a9a0$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146995
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am currently a happy owner of a Universal M-400 Decoder, with 3.02 firmware, which decodes POCSAG24, POCSAG, SUPOCS, GOLAY, DTMF, ACARS, etc. Looking for anyone who might have information on moding the 3.02 firmware to decode FLEX and reFLEX as well.

Any other infomation about how to decode FLEX (besides the program POCFLEX) would be greatly appreciated.

Also looking to purchase a "4 LEVEL FSK" Hamcom interface if anyone is selling one or knows where to get one, many thanks...

Reuben

magic@dorsai.org

3187. WTB: AOR SDU-5000 Spectrum Display Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082104575200.AAA03720@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146996

WTB an AOR SDU-5000 spectrum display unit to use with my ICOM R-7100 receiver.
Also interested in any comments anybody might have on this unit.

Thanks.

Bob

3188. For Sale pro 2041 scanner 400 ch base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35de18a0.910007@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146997

Selling a like new in the box pro 2041 base scanner from
radio shack comes with 400 ch triple converage nice scanner
for the Base.. houst etc.. has box ,manual,ant.. no cell .... very top

of the line scanner "stock" goes to 960MHZ selling for..
125.00 plus shipping email me thanks..

3189. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6zgp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082106552500.CAA13419@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146998

>I belive what you guys are hearing is Narrowband PCS (NPCS).

Nextel!
Bryan Herbert
BLH Communications-owner
Magic Mountain-Parking Lot Attendant / Tram Operator
Amateur Radio-KE6ZGP
LA Co. Disaster Communications Service-F-150
Civil Air Patrol-YOSEMITE 845

3190. Re: Yupiteru mvt7100 manual wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <wA2dtFAn+R31EwDV@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 146999
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner

In article <903639771.11856.0.nnrp-08.c2def52a@news.demon.co.uk>, george thompson <gt@atherstone1.demon.co.uk> writes

Hi George,

>can anyone scan me this manual or tell me where on the internet i can get >it....many thanks George

I don't know where you will find a copy on the Internet.

We have quite a few copies of the Yupiteru English or Japanese manual (assume the latter isn't of much interest).

I also wrote a "English" manual for the MVT-7100 back in 1993 which was a little more explanitory I hope. If you have access to HAMNET on Compuserve then there is a text file version in the library but it does not have the illustrations we also used.

Cheers,

/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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3191. Bloomington IL Airshow Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@haha.com
Message-ID: <35DD3A5D.AD168A86@haha.com>
Source record: 147000

I am going to attend the airshow in Bloomington, IL this weekend and am looking for the frequencies that the various teams and airport use. If anyone knows any or has any suggestions for me to try please email me at:

kallen@rnet.com

Thank you very much!

3192. Re: Where is FCC Freq Table?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcce8$01f42b60$a614c9cf@compaq>
Source record: 147001

Here seems to be a pretty good version, at:
http://members.aol.com/ronwischer/home5.html

Harry

3193. Re: NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082110332100.GAA21305@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147002

Here are a few that I picked up from someone else (I have others and will try to dig them out):

Quarterback Radios

461.3625 Mhz D-031 Denver Broncos
466.3625 Mhz

461.6125 Mhz D-116 Dallas Cowboys
466.6125 Mhz

461.7125 Mhz D-054 Miami Dolphins
466.7125 Mhz

462.0625 Mhz D-072 Pittsburg Steelers
467.0625 Mhz

463.2875 Mhz D-071 New York Jets
468.2875 Mhz

463.4625 Mhz D-073 SanDiego Chargers
468.4625 Mhz

463.8875 Mhz D-131 Green Bay Packers
468.8875

463.9625 Mhz D-023 Buffalo Bills
468.9625 Mhz

464.5125 Mhz D-043 Indianapolis Colts
469.5125 Mhz

464.7375 Mhz D-205 Jacksonville Jaguars
469.7375 Mhz

464.8375 Mhz D-115 Chicago Bears
469.8375 Mhz

464.9375 Mhz D-065 New England Patriots
469.9375 Mhz

461.6875 Mhz D-243 Miami Dolphins - Coaches
463.7125 Mhz 203.5 New England Patriots - Coaches
464.5000 Mhz D-031 Chicago Bears - Camera/Video Crew
464.9500 Mhz D-703 NY Jets - Camera/Video Crew
467.8125 Mhz 192.8 Indianapolis Colts - Camera/Video Crew

3194. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082110363800.GAA09614@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147003

>From: "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
>Date: Thu, Aug 20, 1998 21:35 EDT
>Message-id: <uL2ezPKz9GA.185@upnetnews03>
>
>Hmm. I only said 'probably'.

You are probably the person who is posting forged messages, engaging in personal vendettas, e-mail bombing, impersonating other people, lying, flaming, posting unceasingly off-topic and similar activities.

Note, that I only said you "probably" do these things.

3195. Radio Shack PRO-60 Cellular Mod???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
Message-ID: <6rjs28$9j0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 147004

Does anyone have a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60 Scanner? Or other Mods? I have checked some Mod sites on the web but can't find any. Does anyone else in earshot own one of these, or can you help?

TIA

james

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3196. EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ScannerMan <scanners@no.spam.com>
Message-ID: <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>
Source record: 147005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to solicit your opinions.

Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said crime, because it endangers "life or property."

Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?

Dave McGuire

3197. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@att.net>
Message-ID: <35DD7763.51F2E3DA@att.net>
Source record: 147006

I realize you said probably, however, no, I don't post forged messages, I don't engage in personal vendettas (let alone flaming), I don't email bomb or impersonate, and I don't post off-topic much at all.

You can email AT&T WorldNet if you don't believe me.

MAlexder wrote:

> You are probably the person who is posting forged messages, engaging in
> personal vendettas, e-mail bombing, impersonating other people, lying, flaming,
> posting unceasingly off-topic and similar activities.
>
> Note, that I only said you "probably" do these things.
>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
http://www.tcrc.org/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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3198. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@att.net>
Message-ID: <35DD77F6.A3B4CAA8@att.net>
Source record: 147007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

I cannot cite exactly where this rule is, but ham transceivers are easily
modified to transmit out-of-band, and the books I used to study say that it
is allowed to transmit anywhere (on any band) if it is an immediate
emergency.

I'll let someone else do the citing, but yes, I really did read this in
those books.

ScannerMan wrote:

> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> solicit your opinions.
>
> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
> Dave McGuire
>

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3199. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@att.net>
Message-ID: <35DD7852.31F29E3F@att.net>
Source record: 147008

Umm, yes it does. Check QRZ (qrz.com) -- he runs a repeater in Portland.

K A [zero] S S F.

Amnesia wrote:

> Nice Fake Call sign - KA0SSF doesn't exist in the FCC database..
> Anyone curious as to this knows the website to check. Anyway the Name
> mackey has been added to my kill file..
>
> Nice posting from Downunder by the way
>
> John Mackey * KA0SSF * wrote in message
> <35dcbba8.1714635@news.zip.com.au>...
> >I really want to apologise to all the scanner people in
> >rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner for my shithouse attitude,
> >off-topic postings, forged emails, rogue-cancels and other
> >miscellaneous mail bombs (especially to my BumChum Billy "big butt"
> >Cheeks!). I also want to apologise to clark college for illegally
> >accessing their system's nntp news server externally and injecting
> >fake newsgroup postings and making rogue newsgroup cancels. Most of
> >all, I would like to say that since I'm gay and demented I have no
> >control over my actions. My only real hobby is rooting around with my
> >warp-infested floppy dick and shoving dipoles up my lover's rear ends.
> >
> >I promise from now on to do the following:
> >
> >1. Make no more off-topic posts
> >2. Refrain from talking about anything but scanners
> >3. Resign from the "officer colostomy for brains position"
> >4. Continue to stalk my lover Bill Cheeks
> >
> >
> >
>

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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3200. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <#DIJosQz9GA.207@upnetnews03>
Source record: 147009

Can we just call it a truce?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID# 2212-98

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MAlexder wrote in message
<19980821103638O0.GAA09614@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>From: "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
>>Date: Thu, Aug 20, 1998 21:35 EDT
>>Message-id: <uL2ezPKz9GA.185@upnetnews03>
>>
>>Hmm. I only said 'probably'.
>
>You are probably the person who is posting forged messages, engaging in
>personal vendettas, e-mail bombing, impersonating other people, lying,
flaming,
>posting unceasingly off-topic and similar activities.
>
>Note, that I only said you "probably" do these things.

3201. Re: NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.104720244763d6869896a7@news.pon.net>
Source record: 147010

In article <1998082110332100.GAA21305@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
malexder@aol.com says...
> Here are a few that I picked up from someone else (I have others and will try
> to dig them out):
>
>
> Quarterback Radios
>
> 461.3625 Mhz D-031 Denver Broncos
> 466.3625 Mhz
>
> 461.6125 Mhz D-116 Dallas Cowboys
> 466.6125 Mhz
>
> 461.7125 Mhz D-054 Miami Dolphins
> 466.7125 Mhz
>
> 462.0625 Mhz D-072 Pittsburg Steelers
> 467.0625 Mhz
>
> 463.2875 Mhz D-071 New York Jets
> 468.2875 Mhz
>
> 463.4625 Mhz D-073 SanDiego Chargers
> 468.4625 Mhz
>
> 463.8875 Mhz D-131 Green Bay Packers
> 468.8875
>
> 463.9625 Mhz D-023 Buffalo Bills
> 468.9625 Mhz
>
> 464.5125 Mhz D-043 Indianapolis Colts
> 469.5125 Mhz
>
> 464.7375 Mhz D-205 Jacksonville Jaguars
> 469.7375 Mhz
>
> 464.8375 Mhz D-115 Chicago Bears
> 469.8375 Mhz
>
> 464.9375 Mhz D-065 New England Patriots
> 469.9375 Mhz
>

>
> 461.6875 Mhz D-243 Miami Dolphins - Coaches
> 463.7125 Mhz 203.5 New England Patriots - Coaches
> 464.5000 Mhz D-031 Chicago Bears - Camera/Video Crew
> 464.9500 Mhz D-703 NY Jets - Camera/Video Crew
> 467.8125 Mhz 192.8 Indianapolis Colts - Camera/Video Crew
>

Anyone know frequencies used for the Oakland Raiders?

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

3202. Re: HELP: Realistic Pro 2006 Price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082114185400.KAA24692@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147011

ONE OF THE VERY BEST IF NOT THE BEST.AS FAR AS THE PRICE GOES EXCELLENT IF THE CONDITION IS EXCELLENT.GO FOR IT.

3203. Re: Radio Shack PRO-60 Cellular Mod???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980821142840000.KAA07735@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147012

That scanner is not cell capable unless you completely replace the CPU. There is a company in the UK that sells the CPU....I'm sure you could find out by searching newsgroups through dejanews.

3204. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dre@gte.net
Message-ID: <6rk2npmjs1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 147013
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

See my response to this pathetic faggot on ars
On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 20:22:13 GMT, J Mackey - NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS!
wrote:

> I can't believe you CHEEK-A-LIKES will stoop to fucking forging! I
>will never stop fucking with your little pissant scan radio chats! I
>am a big bad ham radio operator, you guys are just shit! I love to run
>1500 watts on 11 meters to screw with the losers on CB HAHAHAHAHA and
>you guys are even below them!
>You should abandon these chats now because my regin of terror is just
>begining!
>
>

3205. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moon Doggie <Moon@doggie.net>
Message-ID: <35DD8C6D.48CA1B85@doggie.net>
Source record: 147014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

ScannerMan wrote:

> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> solicit your opinions.
>
> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>

no...seeing as this is a well monitored freq, which you have no ticket to
use, why would it even be a question ?
are you saying that the police are not monitoring there own freq. ?

Don't think so.......

>
>
>
> Dave McGuire
>

3206. WTB BC760

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwco16@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082115180300.LAA00906@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147015

I am looking for a BC760 used, email me @ JwCo16@aol

3207. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082115280900.LAA01989@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147016

Dave,

A strict reading of the regs suggests you are correct. However, a ham was recently nearly prosecuted for using a law enforcement frequency to summon help for a hiker who was seriously injured from a fall on a mountain. The ham only escaped prosecution because he agreed to turn over his modified handheld radio to the authorities. Both local law enforcement and the FCC were involved.

John Ward

3208. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjgilbert.NOSPAM@wcom.net
Message-ID: <35dd8992.2943322@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 147017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

There are many instances where hams have used modified
HT's to contact police on *their* frequencies. In most cases,
the ham's HT is almost always confiscated and he/she is
charged with violating the laws applicable to transmitting on
their freqs. After many hoops and dodges, the charges are
dropped and the HT is returned because the ham *really* didn't
violate any laws. However; it should be noted the one should
always try to use *legitimate* means first, and transmit on *their*
frequencies as a last resort - you may cause more harm than
good. Of course, with the new trunking systems, I'm not sure
it would do you any good now anyway.

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 07:44:11 -0400, ScannerMan <scanners@no.spam.com>
wrote:

>I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>solicit your opinions.
>
>Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>
>Dave McGuire

3209. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioboy@notmyisp.com
Message-ID: <35DD9707.51AB@notmyisp.com>
Source record: 147018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Moon Doggie wrote:
>
> ScannerMan wrote:
>
> > I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> > solicit your opinions.
> >
> > Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> > department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> > fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> > regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> > crime, because it endangers "life or property."
> >
> > Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
> >
>
> no...seeing as this is a well monitored freq, which you have no ticket to
> use, why would it even be a question ?

Are you naturally stupid - or just a damned idiot? He didn't ask if the
frequency was "well monitored" but wanted to know if he could legally
use it, in an emergency situation.

He doesn't have a ticket? Although the frequency is licensed to a
particular police agency, THINGS CHANGE in emergency situations. A life
threatening emergency means JUST THAT!

> are you saying that the police are not monitoring there own freq. ?
>
> Don't think so.......

My god are you stupid! I believe he would be well *justified* in using
the frequency.

RadioBoy

3210. Re: Scanner Converts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rk61v$14sa$4@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147019
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Wiggie wrote in message <35dc3bb9.226188@enews.newsguy.com>...

>that when you tune the scanner to 460Mhz while hooked up to the
>converter, you are getting 860Mhz only and not a signal originally on
>460Mhz.

Also, when using older scanners, you may not be able to tune exactly to the desired frequency. The scanner has to be able to tune in 12.5 kHz increments in the 460 MHz band. Most of the early programmable scanners could not do that.

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

3211. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioboy@notmyisp.com
Message-ID: <35DD986B.1BB3@notmyisp.com>
Source record: 147020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

JTWard01 wrote:
>
> Dave,
>
> A strict reading of the regs suggests you are correct. However, a ham was
> recently nearly prosecuted for using a law enforcement frequency to summon help
> for a hiker who was seriously injured from a fall on a mountain. The ham only
> escaped prosecution because he agreed to turn over his modified handheld radio
> to the authorities. Both local law enforcement and the FCC were involved.
>
> John Ward

You know how the police are -- "my gun is bigger than your gun" type of
mentality.

They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
rather than a threat from authorities.

Makes you wonder where everyone's priorities are?

If I had to report an emergency on a police fx I'd just make the
transmission, then leave the area.

=RadioBoy=

3212. HELP! Relm HS200!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082115574000.LAA17155@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 147021

i was wondering if this is a good radio. i ALREADY HAVE A PRO-90, but i will probably return that one and get the relm HS200. Trunktracking isnt important to me because no one around my area uses it. i also felt the pro-90 didnt get that great reception. Is this a good idea? Is the HS200 a good scanner? i would REALLY appreciate some insight from someone who has owned or used this scanner.

thanks a bunch!

steve... Evrclear84@aol.com

3213. Re: 153.5150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rk61s$14sa$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147022

Dave wrote in message <35DC683D.512B8AA@hotmail.com>...
>153.5150
>
>Does this freq mean anything to anybody.
>
>Can anyone suggest who may be the user.
>
>Anywhere in the States and Canada.

In the USA, it's a utility frequency (power companies, etc.). In
Canada, it's a public safety frequency. Northumberland County,
Ontario uses it as a fire dispatch repeater output.

73 de Dave, NF2G
NF2G Scannist Pages at
http://www.ggw.org/nf2g

3214. Re: EZ way to get freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rk61t$14sa$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147023

Scape3000 wrote in message
<19980821023900000.WAA01715@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Why do all of these?
>When you can get the frequencies at the radio store.

The normal assumption is that one would want the CORRECT frequencies.

3215. Re: fire dept dreq. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rk61u$14sa$3@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 147024

Steven Peck wrote in message ...
>Here is what I have, if I remember correctly they are from Ron Katz's
web
>site. I used to get a lot of activity on them up until November 97
then
>things went quiet, rumour is they went trunked. I still get the odd
>transmission with annoying tone codes being sent before and after the
>dispatch. I dont think I have ever picked anything up other than the
>dispatcher.
>
>ID REGION SERVICE DESCRIPTION FREQ PL
>35 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. TACTICAL F2 154.235 167.9
>34 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. OPERATIONS 154.950 167.9
>33 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. MOBILE REPEATER 158.925 167.9
>32 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. F2 150.4250 167.9
>31 MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. DISPATCH 414.5875

Mississauga is on UHF only at this time. I'll be in the Toronto area
next week and will be updating and reverifying some of my listings
(focusing on trunked systems mainly), then updating the NF2G Scannist
Pages afterward as needed.

To see what I have now, go to
http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/ontario_index.html and click on Peel.

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

3216. BC145xl Manual and/or technical specs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kearney <bobk@cnct.com>
Message-ID: <35DF88E0.14CE@cnct.com>
Source record: 146725

I have a bc 145 xl that has died and I would like to try and repair it.
Dose anyone have a copy of an old manual or know of a web site I may get
some technical information on this scanner?

Thanks
bobk@cnct.com

3217. Re: Freq's in IOWA ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DF8B59.4646@parg.org>
Source record: 146726

Eugene wrote:
> If you know of ANY freq.'s for the Northwest Iowa Area ....Please Post

What county are you in?

I have some of the Freqs used around the Woodbury County area (Sioux
City vicinity).

3218. Re: EZ way to get freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douthit@wtp.net
Message-ID: <Douthit-2208982208030001@news.wtp.net>
Source record: 146727

In article <35DC361D.C7EF930F@ibm.net>, endo@ibm.net wrote:

> I emailed the admistrative dept. of my local sherrif they were more thgan
> happy to give me there freqs. why not try it your selves if your looking
for them.

One day I walked into the sheriff's dept. in my town and asked if I could get a copy of the frequencies, and one of the dispatchers said that it is against their policy and to buy the RS Police Call book. Later, I went in and asked to talk to the sheriff himself and only then did I finally get the sheet of freqs. What really pissed me off is that they gave it to me about a year ago no problem and this time they hassled me so much!

--
Daniel Douthit
Douthit@wtp.net
http://www.wtp.net/~Douthit

3219. Re: Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <jtonsa@nospam.email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uTVaHokz9GA.297@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146728

Yes, however (as I stated), my grandfather's system operated at just about
1300 MHz (1.3 GHz).

Ben wrote in message <35da49aa.38926943@news.mindspring.com>...
>these are two different types of alarms.
>The one is a microwave motion detector. A lot of them are on the 10GHz
>band.
>The other uses 319.5 transmitters at each switch(door or window) to
>relay back to the controller. It is a wireless alarm. The transmitters
>come on if the circuit is open/closed.

3220. FS Ham & Scanner Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TELCOM-GmbH@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6rlvta$60$2@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 146729
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

C-528 used 2m/70cm Handy mit viel Zubehï¿½r 650.00

FC-757 AT used Antennentuner fï¿½r FT-757 GX 590.00

FP-757 HD used Netzteil fï¿½r FT-757 GX mit LSP 395.00

FT-470 used 2/70 Handy mit FBA17/PA6/FNB17 450.00

FT-757 GX used KW xcvr 1300.00
FT-900 AT used 100W HF xcvr mit Mikro 2200.00

IC-451 E used 70cm Allmode xcvr 1705.00
IC-701 E used KW xcvr und IC-PS 15 (Netzteil) 1455.00
IC 706 Used MiniHF Transceiver inkl. 2 u. 6m 1890.00
IC-725 used KW xcvr 1600.00

IC R 7000 used 25-2000 MHz All-Mode Empfï¿½nger 1500.00
IC R 9000 used HF/VHF Receiver 6000.00

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3221. CHGO FRI AIRSHOW BLUE ANGELS FREQS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082200411400.UAA22069@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146781

Report from the Friday show. This is a full practice rehersal held for park district day campers, city housing residents and others. It's held at the show site, the North Ave beach.

123.100 / 319.850 Platform
126.800 / 308.400 Show Arv/Dep
128.450 / 284.000 OHare Arv/Dep
119.000 / 393.100 OHare East Approach
126.900 / 390.900 OHare Tower
143.800 / 384.900 OHare Tanker Command Post
126.200 / 372.200 OHare USAF Pilot Dispatch
121.300 / 257.800 Meigs Tower
315.600 Show Alternate UHF

So far, the blue Angels have been heard on:
238.150 (Formation)
275.350 (Button 9 - Comm 2 / Solos?)
345.900 (Alternate?)
263.350 (Not heard today)
168.900 - HT's F3 - Alternate Ground Ops
170.900 - HT's F? - Primary Ground Ops

Lima-Lima - 123.175 123.150
Sierra Aces - 123.475 122.750 122.975 123.150
Northern Lights - 136.975 (not a misprint / expansion band freq - AM Mode)
Navy leapfrogs - 407.500
Springfield F-16's - 272.175
Don Johnson ground link: 123.425
Unknown military team on Thursday - 140.400 (AM)
Chgo Park Dist Lifeguard Supervisors - 45.92
Chgo Park District Admin - 151.190 151.295 159.360

-Haven't heard much yet on 122.725, the former show discrete

-Show ops staff are using rental VHF radios from "Comm Direct". We couldn't find any likely subjects for frequency counter use (plus, the backround RF there is murder), but we found some show ops by searching, and at least some of these are in the rental radios. They have 7 channels configured for the show, many of the radios have 15 channels, but I suspect only the first seven (or in some cases two) are programmed. They are numbered one through seven and grouped like- security / hospitality / medical / show stand / etc. These appear to be the same radios as last year. We had the hospitality net on 154.965 (203.5 Hz PL Tone), haven't confirmed it yet. The other freqs were:

151.145
151.505

151.565
151.625
151.955
154.600

Communications Direct Inc is also licensed for rental radios on these UHF frequencies statewide. I haven't checked them yet for activity at the site, but all we saw appeared to be VHF.

461.1125 461.6875 462.1125 463.5625 463.8375

464.6375 464.8625 466.6875 467.1125 468.5625

468.8375 469.6375 469.8625

-Coast guard operations were on 157.050, 157.075 and 157.150. The cutter Mea (Sp?) Bay from Cleveland is here serving as show center. USCG was testing their data link on 157.075 this afternoon after the show. Sounds like ASCII, NBFM Mode. We did not find the USCG Rescue Helo demonstration, they may have been on UHF, I was getting bad intermod on 282.800 and couldn't listen for it there. Illinois State Conservation boat is also on post, check 151.250 and 151.445, though they be on the ISP trunked system by now. Heard the CPD Marine units talking boat to boat on the CPD trunked system.

-Citywide Six is event primary for the CPD, other will be in use, too.

-Also have not found the air to air channel for the AH-64 Apache Gunships (x2). Searched low band, high band and UHF, no luck so far. (Have Quick?)

-Heard some Hilltop MOA activity on 350.350, unknown if it was related.

-Marine band very busy, search 156.250 - 157.425, 25 Khz steps

-Only one A-10 today - so no air to air traffic. No B1 today.

Go to the show. Happy Scanning - Ted

3222. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4wsm@nospam.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35de13ed.27295046@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On 21 Aug 1998 19:45:36 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>> Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>> killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>> situation.
>
>You are full of crap.
>
>It's people like you who give amateur radio a bad name.
>--
And REAL Police officers...

>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>Twin Cities Repeater Club - 147.21+
> http://www.tcrc.org/
>SkyWarn ID# 2212-98
>
>Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
>It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.
>
>

3223. Chicago PD Zone Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Walsh <emw-1@NOSPAMatt.net>
Message-ID: <6rl55h$e3n@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146783
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I will be in Chicago in the near future and will be monitoring a bit of Chicago PD. I have the 13 zone frequencies, however I am wondering which zone covers the area surrounding Midway Airport.

Thanks for any information!

*** Ryan - PLEASE only answer this message if you REALLY know the answer! Thanks! ***

3224. Re: Minneapolis Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Walsh <emw-1@NOSPAMatt.net>
Message-ID: <6rl5g3$fu7@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146784
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please feel free to drop by my web page. You will find a pretty fair amount
of Minneapolis/St. Paul city and county agency listings, as well as
Minnesota State Patrol frequencies.

Minnesota Radio Monitoring Page: http://home.att.net/~emw-1/mmp.html

>Looking to find an up to date listing of Minneapolis area Police, Fire &
Rescue
>along with any other that are available. Any help would be appreciated.

3225. BEARCAT'S 800XLT & 800 75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082200565900.UAA24275@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146785

BC800 XLT BASE WITH CELL
BC855 BASE

75.00 EACH

OR

LOOKING TO SWAP THESE TWO UNITS FOR 1 BC8500

CWEST69521@AOL.COM

3226. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6rl4ne$bo8@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS WORST wrote:
> Most people who intervene find themselves either hurt or
> dead because they don't know what to do.

It's too cold-hearted to just stand by and watch someone in trouble.
If you're able to help someone in need but you fail to do so, you're
a coward.

I once chased a purse-snatcher 3/4 of a mile (down the Ala Wai Canal,
then onto Kalakaua Avenue into Waikiki) and cornered him; someone else
helped me to subdue the crook until HPD arrived. If I would have
had my HT with me I would have used it to whack the bad guy over
the head a few times.

(fol-ups directed to only alt.law-enforcement)

Jeff KH2PZ (Honolulu Marathon time: 4:14)

3227. gandalf cabmate mdt data

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocop <radiocop@zdial.com>
Message-ID: <01bdca50$b5460020$233692d1@thomasge>
Source record: 146787

hi,

would like to know if anyone knows what type of data format is used to
dispatch
cabs using GANDALF SYSTEMS CABMATE series mdt model#3602.
the system has been used by acab co in phila for 9yrs & has been in use
in ny,atlanta,san fran,st louis ect for several more years. someone said it
may be 4800baud fsk. also if there is software program to decode the data
to a pc using a icom 7100 2 level interface discrim tapped & optolinx
will pay top dollar for the program

thanks
RADIOCOP@ZDIAL.COM

3228. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6rl9uu$8eu@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

AMEN !!!!

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

Hawke wrote in message <35de16e5.115301390@news.uswest.net>...
>Well,
>given all the facts.. It seems that hams serve a much wider purpose
>than some would have us believe.
>
>I know of several people that are hams AND members of the Posse here
>in Phoenix. They do a lot more than just be "wannabe's". From what I
>understand, some search and rescue equipment is being developed by the
>hams in the Posse (its supposed to be a combination of gps, aprs and
>handheld computer technologies). Where else can hams contrinute to the
>wider community as other than a hobby? A: in the technical community,
>law enforcement, public service and emergency preparedness, thats
>where!
>
>For the NAYSAYERS, shut up and read all the facts before spouting off!
>you serve only to make yourselves look like fools when you don't have
>all the facts!
>
>Hawke
>
>
>On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 12:20:35 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>
>>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>>> Also most HAMs are just WANNABEES and are not trained properly.
>>
>>Sheriff Joe Arpaio of Maricopa County, AZ, recrutes and trains
>>hams for his citizen posse.
>>
>>> Also if you witness a robbery, *rape* or shooting please use a phone to
report
>>> it. Don't try and play COP...
>>

>>If I witness a criminal raping my daughter, don't try to "play COP"????
>>What planet are you from, anyway? Call to 911 - "There's a man raping my
>>daughter, I have a Colt 45 and am trained in its use - what should I do?"
>>Man, get real!
>>--
>>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore
>

3229. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-2108982248130001@pm58-43.magicnet.net>
Source record: 146789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>, scanners@no.spam.com wrote:

> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> solicit your opinions.
>
> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>
> Dave McGuire

If you have a HAM license it would probably be legal, but only if you do
not have immediate access to a phone at the time. If you had a wireless
phone at the time, you would be obligated to call 911 on that.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

3230. Louisville, KY: 451.3 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale <jbseale@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <35DE33CB.437C728A@iglou.com>
Source record: 146790

Anybody know what 451.3 is used for in Louisville? I know that BellSouth uses this frequency in several Kentucky cities, but Louisville isn't one of 'em.

3231. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082203234400.XAA03964@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146791

In article <35de16e5.115301390@news.uswest.net>, proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke) writes:

>I know of several people that are hams AND members of the Posse here
>in Phoenix. They do a lot more than just be "wannabe's".

Speaking of our old friend Eric Oyen...

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3232. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rlipueuv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146792

In article <35DDB6D2.FA7@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> John M - KAOSSF wrote:
> > I want to make it clear to all scanner fans out their that the reason
>
> Another forge! :(

It ain't good to anger the gods, Johnny Bluejeans. Especially so
when they are Net Gods. Perhaps some penance for your past sins
would be in order at this point. Never too late to confess and
take your medicine.

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3233. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35de41b5.10206657@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 146793

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 17:51:24 -0700, KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:

>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> Why don't you cancel them, and then nuke them from DejaNews?
>
>Occasionally it is useful to leave certain messages on & viewable
>so to assist those system admin people who are investigating their
>users who are committing abuse.
>
>Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
>or abusing usenet here!

Who was the other one besides you?

3234. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35de4206.10287342@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 146794

On 21 Aug 1998 13:38:01 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@att.net>
wrote:

>Umm, yes it does. Check QRZ (qrz.com) -- he runs a repeater in Portland.
>
>K A [zero] S S F.
>

The Zero is quite appropriate in John's case.

3235. WTB: Uniden mobile 16 channel scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0oba@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082204123100.AAA22729@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146795

I am looking for the uniden 16 channel scanner for the mobile. Don't remember the model number but you know who you are. Or anything that is eqivalent. please let me know. I'll pay up to 40 dollars depending on the scanner. 30 for the one I am mainly talking about. Thanks, Scott, n0oba

3236. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082204283800.AAA24769@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146796

Might be a nationwide license and not show up at any specific geographic sites.
What were the exact freq's?
Bob

3237. Freqs for Princess Cruise Lines...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eACbdXYz9GA.274@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146797
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Going on a cruise, next year actually, and was looking for freqs used by Princess for ships at sea. Thought it would be fun to kick back on my private balcony with my cigar in one hand and my BC235XLT in the other and listen to the XO talk to whatever happens to be out there...

Thanks

3238. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zman <zman-76.com@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rlpjf$1uj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Yeah...especially in alife threatening situation, I don't think the police
would mind. Especially if it saved an officers or civilians life

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Zman
radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote in message <35DD9707.51AB@notmyisp.com>...
>Moon Doggie wrote:
>>
>> ScannerMan wrote:
>>
>> > I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>> > solicit your opinions.
>> >
>> > Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>> > department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>> > fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current
FCC
>> > regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>> > crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>> >
>> > Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>> >
>>
>> no...seeing as this is a well monitored freq, which you have no ticket to
>> use, why would it even be a question ?
>
>
>Are you naturally stupid - or just a damned idiot? He didn't ask if the
>frequency was "well monitored" but wanted to know if he could legally
>use it, in an emergency situation.
>
>He doesn't have a ticket? Although the frequency is licensed to a
>particular police agency, THINGS CHANGE in emergency situations. A life
>threatening emergency means JUST THAT!
>
>> are you saying that the police are not monitoring there own freq. ?
>>
>> Don't think so.......
>
>My god are you stupid! I believe he would be well *justified* in using
>the frequency.
>
> RadioBoy

3239. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zman <zman-76.com@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rlpjg$1uj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Yeah, that's what I want taking up a room in my house (instead of my takes home police car, with mobile data terminal and all the other neat toys) A Big Fat Ham!!

Grow up Radio Puke.

--
Zman
radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote in message <35DD986B.1BB3@notmyisp.com>...
>JTWard01 wrote:
>>
>> Dave,
>>
>> A strict reading of the regs suggests you are correct. However, a ham was
>> recently nearly prosecuted for using a law enforcement frequency to summon help
>> for a hiker who was seriously injured from a fall on a mountain. The ham only
>> escaped prosecution because he agreed to turn over his modified handheld radio
>> to the authorities. Both local law enforcement and the FCC were involved.
>>
>> John Ward
>
>You know how the police are -- "my gun is bigger than your gun" type of
>mentality.
>
>They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
>rather than a threat from authorities.
>
>Makes you wonder where everyone's priorities are?
>
>If I had to report an emergency on a police fx I'd just make the
>transmission, then leave the area.
>
>
> =RadioBoy=

3240. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerald Taylor <getaylor@telepath.com>
Message-ID: <35DE70BA.4E95E54F@telepath.com>
Source record: 146800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

What if the person needing help to not die is YOU?

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:

> In article <35DDA23E.1C94@notmyisp.com>, radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
> >Moon Doggie wrote:
> >>
> >> radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:
> > >
> >>
> >> and why is that ? Is that the on;ly why to contact the polce ? Are there
> > > not
> >> people paid ful time to monitor the police freqs ? (hint, they are called
> >> "dispatchers")
> >>
> >> and you feel that this "emergency" *might* go unnoticed having been broadcast
> >> (in this case overheard) on a police band ?
> >>
> >> kid...tell your mother that you are posting......and not in school.
> > >
> > >
> >I'm sorry. You are not stupid, you are retarded, so I'll have to go
> >r-e-a-l s-l-o-w so you can fully understand.
> > >
> >First of all, I'm older than you, besides most schools systems are out
> >for vacation.
> > >
> >Let's get back to the radio thing, OK?
> > >
> >1. I have an Icom U-16, two-way radio, than can be programmed (in the
> >field) to transmit on a local police frequency.
> > >
> >2. I witness your mother, or wife, or sister, being raped, at gunpoint.
> > >
> >3. Nobody else is around.
> > >
> >4. I cannot help the victim because the suspect is armed.
> > >
> >5. I have two choices:
> > >
> >a) I can push the transmit button and tell the police dispatcher where
> >the crime is being committed,
> > >
> >(or)

> >
> >b) I say to myself, "Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
> >not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
> >use the radio, Oh well."
> >
>
> That is why there are pay phones around. 911 is a free call. If you were to
> transmit on our system with prior authorization you would not have that radio
> long. If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
> training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......
>
> COP
> > =RadioBoy=

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3241. Bearcat :BCT-12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KKAL <LKKAL1@YAHOO.COM>
Message-ID: <01bdcd9c$23b68b80$a8455da6@vogmudet>
Source record: 146801

Anyone have information on the BCT-12? Is it a worthwhile investment when used with a radar detector & does it inform you of safety hazards?

3242. Looking For NJ STATE PD ch,s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jces9119@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082208353501.EAA13379@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146802

any one out there have the new jersey state police ch,s/ freq i need them i need to know haw to put them in a motorola radio its not the same thing you put in the scaners i need the codes and ch,s/freq if any one can hellp me out e/mail me at jces9119@aol.com thanks hope some one out there can hellp me out

3243. Re: ICOM R71A Sprintpak

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Tomkinson" <dtmknsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35DE86D7.3DFE193D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146803
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Is there a cable connecting it to the back panel?? The "thing" ajd
describes is the Icom CI-V interface which gets connected externally to
the CI-V box. U then run a DB25 cable to your com port on your computer.

You might look further @ the device & see if there are any part numers
on it. Then email Icom & see what they have to say.

Don

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Location: N33d42m05s W117d59m25s Grid Sq: DM13AQ UTC -7hrs.
Scanners: Air-8, AR2001, AR900, BC50, BC101, BC142 (Wx sats),
BC20/20, BC2500, FRG9600, HP100, HX1000, HX1500,
Pro26, Pro2004/5/6, Pro2045, Pro2046, R10FM, R532,
R7000, Scout 40, SX200N.
Software: Deltacomm v3.9, Probe v3.0, ScanCat Gold-SE v7.242
ScanStar v3.66.
Shortwave: DC777, DX160, DX394, ICF2010, R70, R71A, R1000.

3244. SSB Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB8SOJ <no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <6rm31f$32f$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 146804

Has anyone tried to use TEN-TEC kit T-KIT No. 1050 Universal 455KHz BFO to receive SSB on the Radio Shack Pro 2006? The kit was designed to be used on SW receivers that are of the AM only type. The Pro 2006 has AM so I am lead to believe that it should work. Any comments would be appreciated. If it does work it would be a cheaper solution that having to use a SSB SW Receiver inline with the scanner to get SSB reception. Thanks to all who respond. Dennis

3245. Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082211042000.HAA17756@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146805

>From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
>or abusing usenet here!

You're next. That will make what, three times already?

3246. Re: NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082211420400.HAA19250@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146806

I found some more NFL-related freqs in my files. I've been collecting this stuff for quite a while, but I can't vouch for any of it.

463.4625 DPL Repeater San Diego Charger, QB headset
468.4625 DPL Input

464.4625 Repeater New England Patriots, QB headset
469.9375 DPL Input

461.6125 DPL Repeater Dallas Cowboys, QB headset
466.6125 DPL Input

461.3625 DPL Repeater Denver Broncos, QB headset

NFL Referee Wireless Mikes
174.400 Atlanta, Dallas
175.000 New Orleans
180.600 Chicago
183.000 Kansas City
184.000 Pittsburgh, Washington
184.400 Minneapolis, Seattle
185.400 San Francisco, Cleveland, Miami
187.800 San Diego
194.000 Indianapolis
195.800 Buffalo, Denver

Freqs to try for parabolic microphones

794.625
801.500
795.750
802.000
797.125
803.750
804.625
805.000
799.125
805.250
799.875

Goodyear Blimp
123.050 Airport/landing site
123.200
123.250
132.000 Goodyear Public Relations
151.620 Blimp and ground crew
167.5625 Remote to law enforcement

460.025
460.050 Goodyear aerospace net
462.225
465.025 Remote to law enforcement
465.9125 Operations/Sports event
465.9375
465.9625

I'd also suggest looking in whatever freq guides you have for stadium security, state police or whoever else does traffic control, wireless microphones and so on. As an example, I got these from ScannerBase:

154.540 Denver Broncos
154.570 Denver Broncos
462.8625 Mile High Stadium
467.8625 Mile High Stadium

Beyond Police Call might have some too (I no longer have a current copy to check).

If all else fails, ask John Mackey or his buddies Digital Personna or John Petri. I'm sure they will help you out.

3247. Re: EARPIECE KITS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgewald@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35deb5e1.3414872@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146807

On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 10:28:50 -0700, "TACTICAL-COMMAND"
<tac-com@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

Are you sure that's not an IUD?

>

3248. El Segundo PD {California

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <df8_9808220500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146808

-=> Quoting Scape3000 to All <=-

Sc> Can someone share the frequencies for El Segundo PD and fire
Sc> anyone frome that area [California]

The City of El Segundo belongs to the South Bay Regional
Public Communications Authority.

It may leave the Authority and it is unknow how the change
would affect frequency assignments.

Police Dispatch....473.6375.....470.6375R.....203.5
Police Tac.........474.1125.....471.1125R.....203.5
Police Tac.........473.3125.....470.3125R.....203.5
Police Mutual Aid..............153.860
Fire Dispatch..................154.355.......103.5
Fireground.....................154.130

Sc> Please send E-mail

Sorry, ya gotta read it here if you want it.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3249. Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <df9_9808220500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146809

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3250. Mackey Lost his Sprint &

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <dfa_9808220500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146810

-=> Quoting Scantech@concentric.net to All <=-

> Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
> or abusing usenet here!

Sc> John,

Sc> Don't you really mean that you've lost 2 accounts over the
Sc> past 5 months?

Sc> Everyone knows that you lost your Sprint account back in April
Sc> for being a Rogue Canceller and Forger. You also forgot to
Sc> mention that you lost your secret AOL account about 2 weeks ago
Sc> foro Rogue Cancelling and Forging post via various Open NNTP
Sc> Servers.

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|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
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3251. I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <dfb_9808220500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146811

-=> Quoting George Vetterle to All <=-

>K A [zero] S S F.

GV> The Zero is quite appropriate in John's case.

Is that his IQ or his penis size? Or both?

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3252. Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <dfc_9808220500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146812

-=> Quoting Sgambino@my-dejanews.com to All <=-

Sg> It ain't good to anger the gods, Johnny Bluejeans. Especially so
Sg> when they are Net Gods. Perhaps some penance for your past sins
Sg> would be in order at this point. Never too late to confess and
Sg> take your medicine.

He will never confess that he libeled Bill Cheek
with lies about non-existent arrest warrants and
about being kicked out of FidoNet.

His forged arrest warrant is dated 3 years before
SDPD had a mid-city police station.

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3253. Radio Shack Pro 2006 serial number/cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinjan@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rmfsrcfl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146813

Would a unit with serial number 11A3 be cell restorable? What are the serial number ranges which allow for this procedure?

Thanks

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3254. Yupiteru MVT-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Porky <pigsty@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <6rmej4$p4$1@comet3.magicnet.net>
Source record: 146814

Like new cond.,all mode,531khz-2039mhz continuous no blocks! $400.00.
Has rubber duck ant.,cig.lighter power adapt., hand strap, belt clip, box,
manual & also a power dc. converter not supplied when purchased.
pigsty@magicnet.net. This radio is being posted for a friend that does not
have internet capabilities. Thanks,.."Porky"

3255. Re: FM RADIO on a scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: len999@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35dec055.2016145@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 146815

Ref: FM radio...scanners.

The ICOM PCR1000 has both AM and FM frequency bands.

Of course, it is not a portable and must be attached to your
computer. But it is extremely wide-band. 1300mhz down to
below the BC band. A good unit!

Leonard...

On Thu, 20 Aug 1998 15:49:43 GMT, inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts)
wrote:

:>Even with a scanner that does not have the regular Fm radio coverage, many
:>Fm/tv stations use the 900 mhz range as a relay link.
:>if you have a 900mhz scanner, just scan that range, and you may be able to hit
:>one or more of these audio links.
:
:Ah, the studio-transmitter links! Yes, you can monitor those if you
:are directly in a line that runs between the studio and transmitter.
:You might be able to be some few degrees off to the side, and probably
:behind the receiving antenna. It does work well, and you hear
:everything you'd hear on the station. I've tried it successfully with
:AM and FM stations, but does it work for TV stations? They can be
:heard on their own audio channels as well.
:
:I understand that monitoring the STL freqs may be opposed by the ECPA,
:but am unable to verify that is true.

3256. Re: Yupiteru MVT-9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082213225400.JAA13574@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146816

HEY PORKEY I HOPE I'M NOT TO LATE .DO YOU STILL HAVE RADIO. HOW DO YOU YOU WANT PAYMENT. CHECK,COD, BANK OR POSTAL MO. PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF IT"S NOT TO LATE THANKS.pdoddy@aol.com

3257. Mackey silenced for the weekend was: Re: Apology to all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: scantech@concentric.net
Message-ID: <35DEC92A.632C@concentric.net>
Source record: 146817

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
>
> >Already, 2 people have had their accounts terminated for forging
> >or abusing usenet here!
>
> You're next. That will make what, three times already?

He's kinda lost it already. MCI is under UDP right now,
so we won't be hearing from Mackey for at least a couple
of days!

Jake

ps: UDP stands for Usenet Death Penalty

3258. FS: Relm HS200 Portable Scanner $160

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rob7732@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082214212500.KAA18773@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146818

FS: (1) Relm HS200 Portable Scanner.
200 Channels
PL/DPL
Excellent cond,used very little,with all original packing,box,manual,power supply,hand strap,etc.

$160 Firm, I ship to U.S. after recieving money order or cert check.
Email if intrested please.
Rob

3259. Nashville Scanner FREQ's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larson Douglas Hudson <ldhudson@home.com>
Message-ID: <35DED377.696B26E0@home.com>
Source record: 146819

could someone email me with scanner freqs in nashville
thanks

what about most used police codes also

thanks

slug

3260. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Furbish <sfurbish@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <35DEE1EC.345FD14A@cybertours.com>
Source record: 146820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> Boy, you know nothing.
>
> If you are a licensed amateur operator, you may use ANY MEANS of communication
> IF:
>
> - you are a validly licensed amateur operator
> AND - life or property is in danger
> AND - no other communication is available.

That doesn't mean, however, that you're not going to have to explain how you came by this equipment that operates outside of your assigned licensed bandwidth and it won't save you if it can be shown that other communication means were available. Realistically, in an emergency, who's going to question the HAM operator doing a good deed? The problem occurs when someone thinks they can bypass conventional communications because they're a licensed HAM.

Steve

3261. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission (no flame version)!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <schlemba@botbait.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6rmq91$6bu@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Folks,
DO NOT USED MODIFIED HAM GEAR ON LAW ENFORCEMENT SYSTEMS, PERIOD.
Do many of you know what "stunning" a radio is? Do you understand the implications of a "hot mic" on a police
system? Digital trunking systems will eventually make this "ham intrusion" issue a moot point but current
non-trunking commercial radios can be "stunned" if stolen or silenced (either remotely or by timeout) if
someone is sitting on the mic button. Can you imagine the panicked ham who consciously reports a crime and then
throws the HT into his truck with the PTT depressed and no timeout timer set or, worse yet, his mobile rig? How
many hams have heard their repeater tied up by this same cause? All it takes is for one ham in an area to
determine this radio access is permissible for a legit serious crime then the next ham determines that seeing
someone with a coat hanger near a car is "serious threat to life or property". See where this goes?
Unless you have specific permission (in writing) from the Sheriff or Chief (as is the case in some
parts of North Carolina for hams there), do not TX on LE frequencies. Today, you can't swing a dead cat without
hitting a cell phone user.

Steve
KF4NNQ

ScannerMan wrote:
>
> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> solicit your opinions.
>
> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
> Dave McGuire

3262. Re: Radio Shack Pro 2006 serial number/cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35DEFAEA.32C8ADA2@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146822

ALL PRO-2006 can be cell restored.

robinjan@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Would a unit with serial number 11A3 be cell restorable? What are the serial
> number ranges which allow for this procedure?
>
> Thanks
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3263. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35def90e.12740837@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Look here, "cop", who says there's going to be a pay phone right
there? And like I'm really worried about losing my radio when many
hams/communications enthusiasts such as myself have more than one!
And who said anything about wanting to be a cop? All I'd be interested
in is helping someone out of a potentially life-threatening situation?
It seems like you're more interested in no one BUT the cops helping
people. What are you - afraid that a private citizen gets credit for
something the cops weren't there for? You've got shit for brains,
"cop." This high and mighty attitude taken by you and some of your
"cop" compadres is BS. You aren't better than us. Many "cops" don't
even know what freqs they use - they just turn on the radio, push the
button, and talk. So bite me.
>
>That is why there are pay phones around. 911 is a free call. If you were to
>transmit on our system with prior authorization you would not have that radio
>long. If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
>training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......
>
>
>COP

3264. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e3a9cd.75633049@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146824

On 22 Aug 1998 04:28:38 GMT, r1c1w@aol.com (R1C1W) wrote:

>Might be a nationwide license and not show up at any specific geographic sites.
>What were the exact freq's?
>Bob

940.2375 and 940.2125

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3265. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <Jefft@jnlk.com>
Message-ID: <35DEF938.9D3E9299@jnlk.com>
Source record: 146825
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

If you fo to the FCC Database web pageand look up microwave towers in your area you will usually find that they ahve licsences for most of the frequencies that you hear data on in your area.

Tom wrote:

> We have that in the Dallas/Ft Worth area too.
> All I have been able to find out is that 940-941 and and 930-931 MHz
> is allocated to Narrowband PCS. I don't know what it is or who uses it.
>
> Tom
>
> --
>
> Remove the X from email address
>
> Jack wrote in message <35e16f1c.5128892@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
> >
> >Can anyone else hear data (reflex) on 940.2375 or 940.2125 in your
> >area? How about some licensee data? None of my references list either.
> >Also, do they use reflex for things other then pagers? The length of
> >the data received would suggest it's going to a PC or something like
> >that..any input would be appreciated!
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> >
> >26.1972800/-080.1707083
> >Fort Lauderdale, FL
> >http://broward.home.ml.org

3266. WTB: MFJ-1213 or Optolinx (CORRECTED)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdcde8$bb496ca0$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146826
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Anyone have these for sale please email magic@dorsai.org. Thanks.

3267. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <Jefft@jnlk.com>
Message-ID: <35DEFA9A.C07160A0@jnlk.com>
Source record: 146827
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

FCC database:

http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts

3268. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082217170200.NAA21054@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146828

>You know how the police are -- "my gun is bigger than your gun" type of
>mentality.
>
>They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
>rather than a threat from authorities.
>
>Makes you wonder where everyone's priorities are?

Did it ever occur to you that some Police Officers are licensed Amateur
operators also?
Grouping disparate people who perform a similar job function into a stereotype
to fit your personal agenda isn't realistic, Radioboy.

If you ever cast off your prejudices and grow up a mite, you could even call
yourself 'RadioMan' <g>.

And yes, I am a career law enforcement Officer, as well as an Amateur...KC5JLA.

James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

3269. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35defb92.13385182@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

This is for "COP" and others on his side:

Imagine your wife gets brutally raped and murdered.. The love of your life, mother of your children. And I happen to witness this from afar, say from a wheelchair which i have been confined to for a few months. And i happen to have with me at the time a police band 2-way (the only means of communication i happened to have at that time, for the sake of arguemnet), but don't use it because "i may get in trouble." Well, the police later catch the maniac who did this, based on my descriptions of him. Yay, we're all happy - we've brought the criminal to justice. But it is revealed throughout the course of the trial that I had this police 2-way radio and didn't use it to help bring assistance. Wouldn't you be just a TEENY LITTLE BIT P.O'D ?????? Or would you say to me, "Thank you for not breaking the law and transmitting on my precious frequencies." Sorry, "cop", I love my wife way too much to let someone else's wife be killed. Gimme a friggin' break.

Big Bad Berticus proudly sends...

3270. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082217245800.NAA22013@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146830

>Hmmm... Hams were using radios about 30 years prior to the police getting
>around to using them. Maybe it's the police who are imitating the hams.

Yes, those beat cops...too darned lazy to lug around a boat-anchor tube rig,
Morse key, antenna array, and a power supply...probably toted along inside a
'Radio Flyer' wagon?
<grinning>

James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

3271. Bearcat 101 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082217342900.NAA23138@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146831

A short time ago someone had posted the programming steps for the Bearcat 101 scanner. I unfortuneately did not save the message, and of course today came across a very nice 101 at a flea market. I would appreciate anyone who has the programming info reposting it. Thank you very much.

Larry Fowkes

3272. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082217354500.NAA11137@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146832

>b) I say to myself, "Oh lord, using this radio is a crime, I'd better
>not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
>use the radio, Oh well."
>
> =RadioBoy=

If you called the cops on your Icom U-16 to save my mother/wife/sister from being raped at gunpoint, and had your radio confiscated, I'd buy you a new one, as well as the finest dinner in town.

Some Departments are damned peculiar about they way they accept help from civilians, and that is a shame. Some cops, too, make some damned poor decisions, but then, as long as we're human, we're prone to making human errors, too.

Jim Prine, author of "The Real Police: Stories from the Crescent City", KC5JLA.

3273. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082217440400.NAA12143@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146833

>If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
>training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......

That's a foolish thing to say. Some people can't afford the time off to become Certified law enforcement Officers, and many people can't pass the tests...psychological and physical...that certification academies stipulate. This doesn't make them bad people, or less worthy of our services.

We have a man in his 30's right now, a former Army CID Investigator, married, stable, has a Master's Degree in Criminal Justice. He is probably going to be terminated because he was a few seconds slow on his pre-Academy timed 1.5-mile run. He was competing against kids fresh out of high school, by the way...all slots in the Academy are competetive.

And, you mentioned a few posts back that you were a Reserve Deputy Sheriff. Why don't YOU go full-time and try to make it on a full-timer's pay, before you chastise others?

I've been a full-time street cop since 1975, BTW, in case you're interested, and some of the Reserve guys are tops, so don't take this as an indictment of all Reserve folks.

James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

3274. FS Pro-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug270@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35de2d92.27930096@news-server>
Source record: 146834

```
Pro-60
200 channel hand held scanner.
Triple conversion
search
6 new Nicads and charger
Will receive Mil Air
Like new condition
All documentation
$175.00 or best offer

Send E-Mail to doug270@yahoo.com
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3275. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e5f5a1.77755017@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On 22 Aug 1998 06:48:16 GMT, "Zman" <zman-76.com@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>Yeah, that's what I want taking up a room in my house (instead of my takes
>home police car, with mobile data terminal and all the other neat toys) A
>Big Fat Ham!!

What a fine idea! I think tonight while I'm monitoring the local SO's
MDT and listening to my sporty 895XLT I'll eat a big fat ham! Got to
run over to the honeybaked ham store now..later

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3276. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082217560800.NAA25635@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146836

>(3) Cops are extremely protective of their radio traffic. They're not
>fond of you listening (though they know they can't do a damned thing
>about it)

Most of the cops I know and work with assume that our conversations are monitored, by the news media, our own family members, bored housewives, people confined to nursing homes, internal affairs agents, other departments' cops, etc., and we couldn't care less.

We might bring a smile every now and then, and occasionally someone monitoring us gives us a hand when we need it.

A free society is far better than a secret police state.

James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

3277. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomhvdc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082218321600.OAA29711@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146837

It seems, to me, that most of the responses that say "...if a loved one was being killed, i would..." and because of that situation it makes it okay to do something illegal. This is the classic "The end justifies the means" thinking. This will always lead to anarchy. When a society decides that laws are not important and only what makes sense to them is the basis for how they act, then the end is near. Anyone can take this arguement to justify any action, even murder. If people were able to "police" themselves then we would not need the Police. Second major point to remember, when you start allowing "the end to justify the means" you are also letting anybody do anything they want to you. You can not say "Hey, that's illegal, you can't do that" anymore since they already know it's wrong. Their "ends" over ride your "rights"

Tom S.

3278. BC80Xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082218571200.OAA20412@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146838

any mods for this radio ???\

Gspri@aol.com

3279. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35DF1A17.5C5A@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146839

Joe Nicholson wrote:
>
> -=> Quoting George Vetterle to All <=-
>
> >K A [zero] S S F.
>
> GV> The Zero is quite appropriate in John's case.
>
> Is that his IQ or his penis size? Or both?

Thanks for the informative and timely post.

Now can we get this NOISE outta here?? Take it to rrs where none cares about the topic!

Thanks.
-Phil

3280. Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35DF1D58.47497091@mc.net>
Source record: 146840

M.G. de Swart wrote:

> Hi all scanner technicans
>
> Within a few monthes the Dutch Police, the Fire Dept. and Ambulance
> cars will start
> to use digital-transmitting. So it will be impossible to receive
> that services by scanners.
>

No there is currently nothing you can obtain to "decrypt" these comm's.

It is just the high tech way of keeping the tax paying public in the dark. What you don't know is what you need not to know. Some secure comm's I understand. But everything
totally unobtainable really bothers me...Like they really want to hide something from you.

But thats today's grossly overpriced technology. Complexed,bug ridden and over kill.

3281. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35DF1D50.5AE3@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

> > That is why there are pay phones around. 911 is a free call. If you were to
> > transmit on our system with prior authorization you would not have that radio
> > long. If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
> > training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......
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> > > =RadioBoy=
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While coming home from work one evening I came across a shooting in progress ! I grabbed my cell phone and called the local police department (Jersey City N.J) and the phone rang over 19 times ! I finally had to call the next town over for help . IF I had a radio with me I WOULD HAVE used it ! AND I AM A POLICE OFFICER ! I took 3 rounds of fire from those scumbags and I was very lucky ! If your life , or someone else's life depends on it , ... do it ! Better to be tryed by 12 than carried by 6 ! Tom Rowan .... North Bergen N.J P.D

3282. Anyone one try Hacking a NEXTEL ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: keith@knip.comm
Message-ID: <6rn6pq$8pi$1@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 146842

Has Anyone one tryed Hacking a NEXTEL Radio, so it can
be used to Receive other Nextel Users ?

3283. 8.33 khz step sizes???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: user@anon.duh
Message-ID: <35df1f77.117541571@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 146843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

hello

i have been looking into purchasing a handheld scanner for a couple of months now, but am a bit confused about what step sizes i will need. i hear of this 8.33khz step size, but mainly in the UK newsgroup. will i be limited by a handheld such as an mvt 7100 or aor 8000 if it doesnt have the proper step size? it seems that neither of these have the 8.33khz step but the mvt 9000 and aor 8200 do --- both a bit to rich for my blood. any ideas or comments? thanks.

matt@i1.net

3284. Pro-2050 mod's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pastormtg@mail.earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35DF2111.2032815F@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146844

Does anyone know of any radio shack pro-2050 mod's?

3285. NFL Frequencies (Oakland Raiders)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1048c5b9fc2b187f9896a9@news.pon.net>
Source record: 146845

For those interested, I looked up the Oakland Raiders from the FCC Web site and found the Raiders have 3 frequencies:

WPKY684
464.500 MHz
469.500 MHz
469.550 MHz

They have licensed 10 radios on each frequency transmitting up to 5 watts. No transmitter location listed, so I assume it is mobile or HT radios only. I'll scan these frequencies Monday night at the Tampa Bay game. Usually when I see a frequency at 464 and another exactly 5 MHz higher (464.500 and 469.500) the higher frequency is the input frequency on a repeater. I don't think it is a law, but that is how I general see it used. Maybe they have a full-duplex radio or something.

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

3286. EEB files for Chapter 7 bankruptcy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don C <dongolf@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6rn8u4oks1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 146846

Moday's Washington Post had the sad news.

3287. De-coder Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <mexgringo@zianet.com>
Message-ID: <35DF2195.5E1@zianet.com>
Source record: 146847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Is there a decoder that will tell you pager #'s or phone #'s being dialed? Just Curious....

Shan

3288. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Davis, III" <mellon88@gte.no.spam.net>
Message-ID: <35DF1F6A.132A@gte.no.spam.net>
Source record: 146848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

JSPRINE wrote:
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> >not say anything, that lady might get killed, but I'm a bad person if I
> >use the radio, Oh well."
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> being raped at gunpoint, and had your radio confiscated, I'd buy you a new one,
> as well as the finest dinner in town.
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> civilians, and that is a shame. Some cops, too, make some damned poor
> decisions, but then, as long as we're human, we're prone to making human
> errors, too.
>
> Jim Prine, author of "The Real Police: Stories from the Crescent City", KC5JLA.

Amen!

JD

3289. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Davis, III" <mellon88@gte.no.spam.net>
Message-ID: <35DF1FB1.1EA4@gte.no.spam.net>
Source record: 146849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

JSPRINE wrote:
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> >If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
> >training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......
>
> That's a foolish thing to say. Some people can't afford the time off to become
> Certified law enforcement Officers, and many people can't pass the
> tests...psychological and physical...that certification academies stipulate.
> This doesn't make them bad people, or less worthy of our services.
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> We have a man in his 30's right now, a former Army CID Investigator, married,
> stable, has a Master's Degree in Criminal Justice. He is probably going to be
> terminated because he was a few seconds slow on his pre-Academy timed 1.5-mile
> run. He was competing against kids fresh out of high school, by the way...all
> slots in the Academy are competetive.
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> And, you mentioned a few posts back that you were a Reserve Deputy Sheriff.
> Why don't YOU go full-time and try to make it on a full-timer's pay, before you
> chastise others?
>
> I've been a full-time street cop since 1975, BTW, in case you're interested,
> and some of the Reserve guys are tops, so don't take this as an indictment of
> all Reserve folks.
>
> James S. Prine
> http://www.prinebooks.com

I admire your straight forward attitude and ability to use common sense.
Thank you.

JD

3290. Re: NFL Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082220262200.QAA13037@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146850

>From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com (John Petri)

>Good, solid, informative post. Thanks!

Yet another useless post from John Mackey's flunky! No thanks!

3291. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35df2d4b.1458643@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 146851

On 22 Aug 1998 19:17:14 GMT, Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Joe Nicholson wrote:
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>> -=> Quoting George Vetterle to All <=-
>>
>> >K A [zero] S S F.
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>> GV> The Zero is quite appropriate in John's case.
>>
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>
>Thanks for the informative and timely post.
>
>Now can we get this NOISE outta here?? Take it to rrs where none cares
>about the topic!
>
>Thanks.
>-Phil

Phil,

That's where it *was* posted to. I don't see in the headers where it
was cross posted anywhere else. Maybe I'm missing something?

George

3292. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Davis, III" <mellon88@gte.no.spam.net>
Message-ID: <35DF1FFF.2065@gte.no.spam.net>
Source record: 146852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

not even wrote:
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> On 22 Aug 1998 17:35:45 GMT, jsprine@aol.com (JSPRINE) wrote:
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> >If you called the cops on your Icom U-16 to save my mother/wife/sister from
> >being raped at gunpoint, and had your radio confiscated, I'd buy you a new one,
> >as well as the finest dinner in town.
>
> The truth of the matter is it would be VERY unusual for a person to NOT be
> able to hit a Ham repeater, but be able to hit a Police repeater. Even
> MORE suspicious would be someone claiming to NOT know the tones for the
> local Ham repeater, but knowing the Police tone.

Suspicious of what? People who have radio hobbies aren't necessarily
hams.

Get real!

JD

3293. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Davis, III" <mellon88@gte.no.spam.net>
Message-ID: <35DF203D.4207@gte.no.spam.net>
Source record: 146853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Thomas Rowan wrote:
>
> > > That is why there are pay phones around. 911 is a free call. If you were to
> > > transmit on our system with prior authorization you would not have that radio
> > > long. If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
> > > training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......
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> While coming home from work one evening I came across a shooting in
> progress ! I grabbed my cell phone and called the local police
> department (Jersey City N.J) and the phone rang over 19 times ! I
> finally had to call the next town over for help . IF I had a radio with
> me I WOULD HAVE used it ! AND I AM A POLICE OFFICER ! I took 3 rounds of
> fire from those scumbags and I was very lucky ! If your life , or
> someone else's life depends on it , ... do it ! Better to be tryed by 12
> than carried by 6 ! Tom Rowan .... North Bergen N.J P.D

Finally a cop with common sense and NOT afraid to deviate from the
ranks. I agree with you 100% sir!

JD

3294. Long Island

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: otalk2meo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082220592800.QAA04741@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146854

I'm having trouble finding police and fire frequencies for nassua county here on long island. Any help would be much appreciated. Thanks!!

Jeff

3295. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35DF3497.18FA@parg.org>
Source record: 146855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Phil Smalley wrote:
> Why can't you at least confine your off topic noise to one group or the
> other? Is that too much to ask?

Phil-

You should try following your own advice. The flame war is basically
over yet you are attempting to stir it up again. Shame on you!

3296. HOT NEWS: ICOM PCR 100 not 1000!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TELCOM-GmbH.HV@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6rn3vesrn2@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 146856
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

See the latest News from Icom Japan. This products are introduced today
at japan ham show.
Go to our homepage and click into Japan:

http://www.telcom-gmbh.com/news.htm

nice weekend

vy 73
Hanno

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3297. FS - BC-3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082221533000.RAA11615@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146857

Like new BC-3000xlt 400 channel scanner with orig box, manual and all original accessories. This includes original wall wart charger / power supply and rubber duck. Price includes the optional heavy duty leather case, which sells for about
$30.00 extra. Package price was $325.00. Reduced to $275.00 shipped CONUS. Email direct if interested.

3298. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082222255300.SAA15512@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146858

>From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>
>You should try following your own advice. The flame war is basically
>over yet you are attempting to stir it up again. Shame on you!

Nope, Phil has asked you to contain your flaming to this particular group instead of escalating it. He's already conceded that you are not going to stop causing trouble. All he is asking is that you don't cause as much trouble elsewhere.

You should be ashamed of yourself! Please stop causing trouble and disrupting this newsgroup with off-topic posts. The trouble has nearly died down now that you have fewer people to attack. If you would only follow the example of everyone else, this could be a useful and prodcutive group, don't you agree?

3299. Re: Bearcat 101 Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980822222290300.SAA27964@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146859

I'd like to say thanks to the several induviduals who took time to answer my request here and via email. I was able to get the BC101 up and running with no trouble. Thanks again to all who helped....

Larry Fowkes

3300. Lots of goddies for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082223572500.TAA08685@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146860

Motorola Saber 1E (24 Channel) UHF W/ Speaker Mic & Leather case

Jedi Rapid Charger

GP-68 Battery (1200 Ma) Never used, in the box

Yaesu FT-40R UHF HT with track tunning

Bearcat Trunktracker portable, Never used in box

AOR Ar8000 Handheld Communications receiver in box

I'm looking for a Motorola Visar UHF Low split with a keypad..

Email - ligosa@aol.com

3301. Cablemodem for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e7b_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146861

-=> Quoting Meriadoc@my-dejanews.com to All <=-

> From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

>> Bud, SHUT YOUR FOOL MOUTH and stop flaming this NG!

Me> John M you better watch it that nice Pio that is the Moderator of this
Me> newsgroup is likely to kick you out of it for talking like that. Merry

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777

|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3302. Cancel "Re: Apology to al

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Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e7c_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146862

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

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3303. Cancel "Re: Mackey, Digit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e7d_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146863

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JM-K> From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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3304. Cancel "Re: Sending Compl

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e7e_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146864

-=> Quoting John M - Kaossf to All <=-

JM-K> From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

Pamper's model baby john mackey is a L I A R
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3305. Cancel "Re: Apology to al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e7f_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146865

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

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3306. Cancel "Re: Sending Compl

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e80_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146866

-=> Quoting John M - Kaossf to All <=-

JM-K> From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

john mackey - next post office lobby poster photo
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3307. Cancel "Re: I can't help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e81_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146867

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>

ARC poster boy john mackey is a L I A R
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3308. Cancel "Re: WHAT THE HELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <e82_9808221900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146868

-=> Quoting John M - Kaossf to All <=-

JM-K> From: John M - KAOSSF <jmackey@parg.org>

DEPENDS poster boy john mackey is a L I A R
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To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
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3309. Re: BC 3000XLT or equiv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Andrew J. Leary" <ajleary@snet.net>
Message-ID: <35DF780E.46C5@snet.net>
Source record: 146869
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Tim Weaver wrote:

> I have a BC235XLT, which I like a lot. However, I notice several gaps in
> the frequency reanges and was loking into getting something with
> continuoius coverage. Thus, I was thinking about the BC3000. ANyone have
> it? How do you like it?

I currently own both a BC-3000XLT handheld and a BC-9000XLT base
scanner. I've had no problems with either.

Later,

Andrew

3310. Re: Foreign scanners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Grenadier@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35DF7F20.1DCCFC60@juno.com>
Source record: 146870

Does anyone know what they are looking for specifically? I'm guessing that they check the model number against a prohibitited list. But if they don't check a list but just turn on the scanner and try to enter an "illegal" frequency, couldn't you have a bandplan excluding those frequencies loaded into the scanner before it's mailed? Just curious...

Jay

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> ...US Customs is starting to inspect packages more thouroughly these
> days.

3311. Good Stuff For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <QiLD1.528$Lc3.8730278@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 146871
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps, 1000 channels -->$325.00

RS PRO-64 with leather case, 400 channels (new) -->$150.00

RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new) -->$150.00

AMD K-6-233 processor (new) -->$125.00

(4) 8-MB EDO SIMMS -->$100.00

Aiwa (Walkman style) CD player, 40-sec antiskip -->$175.00

All the above items work perfectly, I just need to sell !!!

If you think I'm too high, Make me an offer at altman@ctel.net

3312. Re: Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Ascher WB8LIT <cei@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <35DF8139.B4997810@mediaone.net>
Source record: 146872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks for buying your Bearcat 235XLT from Communications Electronics, Emergency Operations Center. We guarantee you'll be happy with our product or simply return it to us, freight prepaid in new condition for a refund within 61 days from our date of shipping. Since you said you purchased your Bearcat 235XLT for $199.95, provided everything is in like new condition when returned such as the AC adapter, antenna, operating manuals, etc. CEI will issue a credit for $199.95. As the Bearcat 235XLT scanners sold by CEI are currently at $269.95 less $100.00 in rebates or special savings, your replacement cost is $169.95 plus shipping/handling/insurance. This means you should get money back, a new updated model scanner and a new one-year factory limited warranty. CEI does not require you to call in for a return material authorization, also known as an RMA. We do insist however that the entire unit and all the accessories packaged with your scanner are returned. We are unable to take back scanners that have scratches, missing accessories, names engraved in the scanner, etc. and issue full purchase price credit. If you're missing a part such as the owners manual, simply tell us when you do the return and the replacement cost for that item will be deducted from your credit.

Scanners returned to CEI must be "like-new" as it will be going back to Uniden. After a quality control inspection, your "like-new" scanner will be resold in the Uniden internet store. This is how CEI "recycles" returned scanners. People interested in buying scanners on a budget should shop the Uniden internet store at http://www.uniden.com. Please remember that items purchased in the Uniden store have a reduced 90 day limited factory warranty and not the one-year limited factory warranty found on new Bearcat scanner product purchased through CEI or our CEI dealers.

I recommend Mark, you take advantage of our 61 day customer satisfaction guarantee policy. This policy is one of many exclusive CEI customer benefits listed in our web site at http://www.usascan.com in the customer benefits section. Our policy gives you the opportunity to update your scanner with some of the latest technology such as the new attenuator feature, restart your one-year limited factory warranty and even get you cash back. This CEI policy and others were created from our customer feedback and customer focus groups over the last 30 years. It helps to protect your investment for years to come. It's easy to return your product to us. To minimize possibility of loss, we suggest you ship the product to us in the original packaging, prepay shipping charges, and insure the shipment. Please understand that we cannot be responsible for loss or damage during shipment. Returned products must be in like-new

condition, complete with all manuals, parts, and accessories as sold originally. Include the original copy of your invoice and the reason for the return.

By the way, the CEI 61 day 100% satisfaction guarantee policy is a separate benefit from the CEI price protection policy. The CEI price protection policy helps save you money because during the first 14 days after your purchase, if the price decreases by over $10.00 you are entitled to a refund less a $10.00 administrative service fee. This means if on January 1st you bought a scanner for $300.00 and on January 13th, CEI lowered the price $30.00 to $270.00, you would be eligible for a $30.00 refund less processing charge. Of course, if the price went up, we do not bill you extra. In some cases (although it's rare) some radio equipment appreciated in value when a manufacturer raised their prices. The Icom R9000 communications receiver is a radio that appears to have increased in value.

Regarding your questions on quality control concerns, when new products are received, our logistics coordinator checks to see if certain CEI quality control requirements are met. For example, all scanners must have a scannable UPC code (zebra bar code) on the merchandise. The country or origin must be correct. Power supplies must be UL and CSA listed for product safety. Operating instructions and safety warnings must be in English and sometimes other languages. An inspection is made to see if the operating instructions correspond to the software and firmware revisions of the microprocessor in the scanner. Another inspection is made to see if the frequency coverage is correct for the country the product is being distributed in and the FCC ID number is affixed to the product.

Recently, when Uniden updated the Bearcat 235XLT scanner with the new RF attenuation feature, our quality control staff noticed this new feature was included but there was no corresponding update in the enclosed operating guide. This RF attenuator update to the Bearcat 235XLT can be found our web site at http://www.usascan.com. In addition we had Uniden create a special addendum regarding this feature. This addendum was added to the Bearcat 235XLT operating guides distributed by CEI. If you are a Uniden dealer and need the Bearcat 235XLT addendum, please e-mail me at cei@mediaone.net with your dealer name, address and phone number. Out of the hundreds of trunk tracker scanner we recently returned to Uniden, over 96% of the scanners worked correctly. Customers simply did not read the owners manual and programmed the scanner incorrectly. For example in some scanners returned to Uniden, customers locked out all the channels and returned the scanner to us claiming it would not scan. They did not call Uniden or us. The customer simply could not grasp how to program the scanner. Returns for truly defective products are normally an extremely low

percentage in comparison to the total number of scanners we distribute. Remember, because of CEI's very liberal return policy, we receive scanners back simply because customers want to update their technology.

About a year ago, we noticed a higher than normal quality control issue regarding the center pin of the antenna breaking on the Bearcat 235XLT. We corrected this issue by having Uniden change the specification on the antennas we received at CEI. I can not find any reports of the scanner constantly picking up the data channel. I recommend you call Uniden at 1-800-297-1023 regarding this issue. Ask for a level three technician.

We appreciate our customers being very frank with us regarding their likes and dislikes of the products they own. We share your every comment with the manufacturers so they may improve their products. Thanks in advance for your help.

We know millions of customers enjoy their Bearcat scanners everyday. As a Uniden Master Distributor, it is our responsibility to help you get the Uniden products you need, when you need it. We think our Uniden Bearcat products offer our customers an excellent value.

It has been such a pleasure serving you that, on behalf of CEI, I just wanted to say thanks. We know that you will enjoy using your Bearcat 235XLT from CEI.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman & Chief Executive Officer
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center
http://www.usascan.com
email cei@mediaone.net

Mark A. Clark wrote:

> Mr. Ascher,
>
> In article <35DC80B1.D0B24A2C@mediaone.net> you write:
> >
> >For example, we recently returned a few hundred radios to Uniden that did
> >not meet our quality control standards or were returned to us by our
> >customers simply because they wanted to test a different model.
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> >The radios we return to the manufacturer are usually resold in their
> >company stores at a discount with a reduced limited warranty.
> >For example, we recently returned many Trunktracker radios to Uniden.
> >After a quality control inspection, the Bearcat 235XLT's we returned to
> >Uniden
> >
> >Ken Ascher WB8LIT
> >Chairman/CEO

> >Communications Electronics Inc.
> >Emergency Operations Center
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>
> I am extremely interested in what quality control problems you have
> found with the BC 235XLT. I have noticed some problems in TrunkTracking
> mode where the scanner will constantly pick up on the data channel (or
> seems to - giving the data channel sounds constantly). I am interested
> to know if this is one of the problems. You mention in your post that
> you have a 61 day return policy. If I wanted to return this scanner and
> receive another BC 235, how could that be arranged? Also, when I bought
> my scanner from you a little over a month ago, the price was $199.95.
> It is now $169.95. On http://www.usascan.com/html/benefits.html I
> notice that you have a price protection policy, which says
> "CEI Price protection policy helps save you money". If I cannot arrange
> a way to exchange my BC235 for another one, how do I use your price
> protection policy? Your quick response to these questions would be
> greatly apprectiated. Thank you for your time in helping me with this.
>
> Mark Clark
> KB9LCA

3313. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Andrew J. Leary" <ajleary@snet.net>
Message-ID: <35DF7DBC.11CD@snet.net>
Source record: 146873

Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr. wrote:
>
> It may sound silly, try http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/
> the price is steep, but I think there isn't anywhere else to order one.

Scanner World USA (http://www.scannerworld.com) stocks the battery pack for the BC3000XLT; last time I looked they were advertising it at $52.99 each. Several people have posted other sites for getting replacement cells to install in your existing battery pack.

Later,

Andrew

3314. Re: 8.33 khz step sizes???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35DF8900.C1B77FC9@ibm.net>
Source record: 146874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

user@anon.duh wrote:
> i have been looking into purchasing a handheld scanner for a couple of
> months now, but am a bit confused about what step sizes i will need. i
> hear of this 8.33khz step size, but mainly in the UK newsgroup.

This will be the new airband step size which will slowly be phased
into use over 6 or 7 initial European countries. Word is that even
the FAA here in the US is considering it.

> will i be limited by a handheld such as an mvt 7100 or aor 8000 if it
> doesnt have the proper step size?

Not if it can do 1kHz steps. You'll be able to tune more than close
enough to the "real" frequency to receive the audio.

> it seems that neither of these have the 8.33khz step but the mvt 9000 and aor 8200 do ---
both a bit to rich for my blood.

The AR8200 is the only hobbyist receiver at this time with the
8.33 steps. But any receiver with 1Khz will get what you want
as far as tuning. You won't be able to do a proper search but
you'll have to decide personally if that's a restriction you
can live with.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

3315. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082321090300.RAA24982@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146625

>From: emoney250@aol.com

>Heck, just buy something (I
>forget what they minimum limit is) and get a FREE catalog (yes, nothing is
>free).

The point is that they are charging for the catalog whether you buy something
or not.

3316. Re: ICOM R71A Sprintpak

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <35e0857d.6913172@news2.nettally.com>
Source record: 146626
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

It sounds like an RS232 interface and possibly includes some sort of
A/D convertor. Any other parts? BURR/BROWN chip? Why don't you post a
jpeg of it showing the chips? Where did you get the receiver, Govt
auction?? What kind of external plugs on the radio?

"aaron rigg" <aaron.rigg@intellect.com.au> wrote:

>Hi All,
>
>I have an Icom R71A which has an option board installed I would like to
>identify.
>
>The board is labeled SPRINTPAK and ICOM/AD. It has a RS232 line driver IC
>(1488) on the board, therfore I assmue it is a type of PC interface. It
>connects to the CPU board and sits above it inside the radio.
>
>Anyone know the manufacturer of this board? Is it CI-V compliant?
>
>Regards
>Aaron

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

3317. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6rq17s$d3g@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146627

You must have an Amateur Radio License, or a reporter.

Here is the law, note section (3)

State of Florida Scanner LawFlorida Statutes (1995)Title 46, CRIMES
Ch. 843, OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE§ 843.16
843.16 Unlawful to install radio equipment using assigned frequency of state or law enforcement officers; definitions; exceptions; penalties

(1) No person, firm, or corporation shall install in any motor vehicle or business establishment, except an emergency vehicle or crime watch vehicle as herein defined or a place established by munincipal, county, state, or federal authority for governmental purposes, any frequency modulation radio receiving equipment so adjusted or tuned as to receive messages or signals on frequencies assigned by the Federal Communications Commission to police or law enforcement officers of any city or county of the state or to the state or any of its agencies. Provided, nothing herein shall be construed to affect any radio station licensed by the Federal Communications Commission or to affect any recognized newspaper or news publication engaged in covering the news on a full-time basis or any alarm system contractor certified pursuant to Part II of Chapter 489, Operating a Central MonitoringSystem.

(2) As used in this section, the term:

(a) "Emergency vehicle" shall specifically mean:

1. Any motor vehicle used by any law enforcement officer or employee of any city, any county, the state, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, or the Armed Forces of the United States while on official business;

2. Any fire department vehicle of any city or county of the state or any state fire department vehicle;

3. Any motor vehicle designated as an emergency vehicle by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles when said vehicle is to be assigned the use of frequencies assigned to the state;

4. Any motor vehicle designated as an emergency vehicle by the sheriff of any county in the state when said vehicle is to be assigned the use of frequencies assigned to the said county;

5. Any motor vehicle designated as an emergency vehicle by the chief of police of any city in the state when said vehicle is to be assigned the use of frequencies assigned to the said city.

(b) "Crime watch vehicle" means any motor vehicle used by any person participating in a citizen crime watch or neighborhood watch program when such program and use are approved in writing by the appropriate sheriff or chief of police where the vehicle will be used and the vehicle is assigned the use of frequencies assigned to the county or city. Such approval shall be renewed annually.

(3) This section shall not apply to any holder of a valid amateur radio operator or station license issued by the Federal Communications Commission or to any recognized newspaper or news publication engaged in covering the news on a full-time basis or any alarm system contractor certified pursuant to Part II of Chapter 489, Operating a Central Monitoring System.

(4) Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

A no-code tecnician license would suffice. It is very easy to obtain, requires a minimal study period, and thus, no reason not to get one!

cheers
Rick W4RP

Catz wrote in message <35e1e938.93446745@news.netrox.net>...
>
>I have heard different things about using a scanner in a car in
>Florida (Miami in particular, Dade County).
>
>Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an
>amateur ham license. If this is the case, I would be curious as to
>exactly what level license one would need to operate legally.
>
>Others have told me that it is perfectly legal to do so providing the
>scanner is not permanently mounted in the car.
>
>I'm trying to figure out if anyone knows what the real scoop is on
>this and if they have a statue they could point me to on the web
>verifying same.
>
>And am also curious how the cops react to people they run into with
>scanners and whether they even really care. Anyone have any
>experience with this?
>
>Thanks.....any help would be appreciated.
>
>Catz
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>*`.`.`.

>of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
>become unwitting victims of the darkness."
>
>Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas
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�.��.��
>
>http://www.netrox.net/~catz
>
>The Y2K Problem
>An Introduction for the Layperson
>http://www.miamionthenet.com/y2k.htm

3318. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e38693.6384788@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146628

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 10:10:12 GMT, catz@netrox.net (Catz) wrote:

>
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>Florida (Miami in particular, Dade County).
>
>Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an
>amateur ham license. If this is the case, I would be curious as to
>exactly what level license one would need to operate legally.
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>scanner is not permanently mounted in the car.
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>this and if they have a statue they could point me to on the web
>verifying same.
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>scanners and whether they even really care. Anyone have any
>experience with this?
>
>Thanks.....any help would be appreciated.
843.16 Unlawful to install radio equipment using assigned frequency
of state or law
enforcement officers; definitions; exceptions; penalties.--

(1) No person, firm, or corporation shall install in any motor
vehicle or business establishment,
except an emergency vehicle or crime watch vehicle as herein defined
or a place established by
municipal, county, state, or federal authority for governmental
purposes, any frequency
modulation radio receiving equipment so adjusted or tuned as to
receive messages or signals on
frequencies assigned by the Federal Communications Commission to
police or law enforcement
officers of any city or county of the state or to the state or any of
its agencies. Provided, nothing
herein shall be construed to affect any radio station licensed by the
Federal Communications
System or to affect any recognized newspaper or news publication
engaged in covering the news
on a full-time basis or any alarm system contractor certified pursuant
to part II of chapter 489,
operating a central monitoring system.

(2) As used in this section, the term:

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1. Any motor vehicle used by any law enforcement officer or employee of any city, any county, the state, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, or the Armed Forces of the United States while on official business;

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Since most of the state's police forces are on 800mhz you could
interpret this to mean that a unit without 800mhz coverage in your car
might be legal...but the government has freq's licensed in every band
anyway...I guess it would depend who's lawyer was smarter!
If you notice amateur licensee holders are exempt..so if you want one
in your car go to RS and pick up that book "Now you're talking" or
something like that, then read it and goto:
http://www.arrl.org/arrlvec/examsearch.phtml
for a place close to you and within a month or so you'll be completely
legal most everywhere in the country for a scanner in your car!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3319. PRO 2026 - # 200-0148A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: robored@sirius.com
Message-ID: <6rq53drqf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146629

greetings...

I have a pro 2026 - mod # 200-0148A.....date tag is 7A4

Sn #45007547...

I have read that the A 's were modifiable ....
I'm looking inside at the L201 spot but i don't see any lead wire to cut is there any
way that this model can be modified....?

Or is it to far up the date line

regards
robert

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3320. lake co.(OH) trunking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mregis007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082321381500.RAA29025@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146630

is it me, or is anyone in the cleveland area having trouble tracking lake/geauga co.?

3321. For Sale - Pro-31 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcee3$82ba7e00$191e31d1@default>
Source record: 146631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Shack Pro-31 Hand Held 10 channel scanner.
Very Clean in and out; "A 10!" .... Used very little.

Asking $50.00

--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260 Ext *3

3322. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6rq4dj$qo5$1@camel29.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146632
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,alt.firefighters

pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>> The FCC has taken the position that public safety
>> frequencies are under the control of the agency assigned. This means that
>> those frequencies, and who and when they can be used, are determined by the
>> agency, regardless of what type of license a person holds. If you review state
>> laws you will find in many that it is a criminal offense to broadcast over
>> police frequencies even in an emergency unless "authorized" to do so.

No. That is NOT how it works. You must be confused with "Interservice
Sharing," a policy that allows any open radio channel to be used for
things it normally wasn't assigned for, like a police department
getting a license to operate on a vacant fire channel.

Looking at the Communications Act of 1934, its amendments and various
parts of Title 49 CFR, in an emergency, rules and regulations are
"suspended" so that help can be contacted under extraordinary
circumstances. These rules and regulations supersede any local
ordinances or state laws regarding radio usage in their area. The
intent goes back to the days of "Wireless" transmitters on ships to
ensure that help could be contacted on frequencies where normal
operation was not allowed and remains intact today.

That doesn't mean that it's a good idea to come up on anyone's radio
frequency ***unless you are sure you or someone else will certainly
die unless you make contact RIGHT NOW and DAMN the consequences!*** If
you do so, expect varied responses from individual agencies, but don't
expect any of them to be happy or understanding that you have the
capability of going on their system or for that matter, you even know
what frequency they're on!

Always try 146.52 or your local ham repeaters FIRST!!!

The Commission still has some of the best direction finding apparatus
out there and has not abdicated any authority to state or local
entities to ensure compliance with the R&Rs, but local jurisdictions
should be aware that Congress has changed the mission of the
Commission to more of a revenue producer by selling frequency
exclusivity than an enforcement body. In fact, Commission Engineers
are *not* law enforcement officers and rely on the U.S. Marshall
Service to perform their compliance enforcement functions after they
gather the technical evidence. In other words, be prepared to
"police" your own system because the Commission does not respond red
lights and sirens to interference calls.

The purchase of a Doppler type direction finder, like LoJack on your simplex and input radio frequencies (and training with it) is always a good investment for your department.

>> It was always my understanding that the FCC has regulations regarding public
>> safety assigned frequencies and transmitting over police radios, that over
>> ride any other regulation. I may be wrong, but my department has charged and
>> received convictions on several occassions when someone transmitted over the
>> radio. If it was a false transmission or not an absolute emergency they
>> usually would charge under the criminal code. If it was an absolute emergency,
>> they always confiscated the radio and let the FCC handle it from there. Now
>> under what rules, I don't know but I've seen it happen.

Usually under non-type accepted equipment. Modifying a ham radio TRANSMITTER (there is no similar requirement about frequency ranges of RECEIVERS!) to go "out of band" for anything but Civil Air Patrol (CAP) and Military Affiliate Radio System (MARS) and then transmitting there is a violation because the equipment has not been "type accepted" to transmit there. That's justifiable for confiscation, but if there is a CAP license or MARS license, the modification is LEGAL! Usually there is no other "equipment related" charge associated with the operation.

Using the radio in a non-life threatening manner or deliberately interfering with an emergency radio system might be interpreted as obstructing or interfering with a firefighter or police officer in the commission of their duty. That's something that can be done without the Commission's involvement if you can direction-find and catch the radio. There are also charges the Commission could bring in the Communications Act and 47 CFR.

With the Commission involved, the actor could receive a "Notice of Apparent Liability" from the Commission for posessing a non-type-accepted transmitter and also be criminally charged locally for interfering and get the R&R violation.

>... is accused of stealing two 800-megahertz
>radios typically used by area firefighters and police to dispatch
>officials to emergency scenes

Go into the 800 MHz system manager terminal and "KILL" the radios. They'll turn up in the back of someone's locker because they'll be useless and won't work (can't even be used to listen).

No need to make it a media event.

Oh well.

Steve
(KA2AYR)

3323. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcee5$1fd187a0$191e31d1@default>
Source record: 146633

I did the same. Could not find it.
--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

Paul <pwolsko@nac.net> wrote in article
<iq_D1.85$vX6.1040488@nntp1.nac.net>...
> I did a search on ZDNET as you said, for NKS, and get no results. Could
you
> give us a precise URL - a link??
>
> Thanks,
> Paul
>
> Barry wrote in message <35E07C3D.9C1F013E@att.net>...
> >Hey all,
> >
> >Guess my other message didn't make it - oh well - I'll try again.
> >
> >There's a new scanner oriented database on zdnet (http:\\www.zdnet.com
> >) that I downloaded the other day and thought you guys should know about
> >it.
> >
> >It's called NKS Radio Scanner Database (just do a search for NKS) and
> >this thing is awesome! SIX different search routines, Trunk Tracker
> >group id listings, full database view, print, etc. No, I don't work for
> >em, but I sure do like the program and thought you might too - check it
> >out.
> >
> >It's brand new I guess, only been there a couple days - be the first on
> >your block to get a copy :))))
> >
> >Take it easy -
> >
> >BarryS.
> >
>
>
>

3324. newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: motorsport@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <35E09D6A.5A70@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146634

I'm interested in getting a mobile scanner for my truck, but know
nothing about the hobby. Is there a good site for learning the basics?
Thanks for any info you can provide.

3325. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6rq6ee$haf@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 146635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35CED126.6137F75D@ralvm.rtp.com>,
Rich Wells <n2mca@strongsignals.net> wrote:

>... And many people still continue to directly
>compare a communications receiver and a true-blooded scanner
>which simply can't be done...

Hi Rich,

It's natural to compare the shortwave performance
of handheld scanners with existing shortwave receivers.

The manufacturers' advertisements for
handheld, wideband scanners invite comparison. Consumers who
are going to spend more money on a scanner because
it tunes shortwave and has SSB/CW product
detectors want to know how well the extra cost circuitry performs.

Unfortunately, I haven't yet tested a handheld ICOM, AOR,
or Alinco scanner with shortwave performance to match an old
Sony 2010 or Magnavox D2935 with the standard whip antenna.
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

3326. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Herb de Nova <please@no.spam>
Message-ID: <6rq7n9$r8d$1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 146636

Does this mean they're going to stop mailing them out for free, the way they usually do?

David S Chesler wrote in message ...
> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.

3327. Re: FS: Relm HS200 Portable Scanner $160

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Darren L. North" <northd@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <35E05DE8.57C8C435@cvn.net>
Source record: 146637

Rob7732 wrote:

> FS: (1) Relm HS200 Portable Scanner.
> 200 Channels
> PL/DPL
> Excellent cond,used very little,with all original packing,box,manual,power
> supply,hand strap,etc.
>
> $160 Firm, I ship to U.S. after recieving money order or cert check.
> Email if intrested please.
> Rob

Does this scanner show you what the PL tones are, or do you have to know them and program them in yourself. I saw where the BC895XLT can read the tones, but you've got to have a pretty long transmission to give the scanner enough time to cycle through all the tones. I was hoping that this radio, or another model, may be able to read the tones without having to cycle through them all.

3328. Re: Police Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Darren L. North" <northd@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <35E060B3.46968949@cvn.net>
Source record: 146638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

LumberPhreak wrote:

> While listening to local law enforcement radio communications, I notice
> a large portion of their conversation is scrambled in some way (sounds
> like white noise). This is generally preceded with one of the officers
> stating something to the effect of, "Go coded...". Where might be a
> good place to find more information on the specifics of this, and is it
> possible to modify a scanner to unscramble these conversations? Any
> info will be appreciated...

It's digital encryption, probably DVP if used in a Motorola system. YOu
can't decode the signal. You'd be better off buying one of their radios
and stealing their keyloader for about 30 seconds....just long enough for
you to load the key into your radio. Then, hope like hell that they don't
change the key very often.

3329. Re: 895 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Darren L. North" <northd@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <35E06021.C8D87B6E@cvn.net>
Source record: 146639

dave archer wrote:

> Iam trying to get my tape recorde hooked up to my 895XLT, for some reasn
> the tape recorder is not comming on when the scanner is active like its
> soppsed to '
> can any one give me any Ideas?? has to why has any one done this with a
> 895XLT
> Thank you
> Dave
> davarc@Premier1.net
>
> born to be wild (thats my theam)

Dave,

Not sure if it's bullshit or not, but I read somewhere that the record option was a typo in the manual, along with 3 or 4 other things that it says it can do, but really can't. I'd check out the review that is on the one scanner review page that I think is run by some guy named Wells, or something like that. He talked about it there, I believe. Sorry, I can't find the URL for his page right now.

3330. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082323225700.TAA25642@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146640

In article <6rq7n9$r8d$1@clarknet.clark.net>, "Herb de Nova" <please@no.spam>
writes:

>Does this mean they're going to stop mailing them out for free, the way they
>usually do?

Those are the monthly SALE catalogs; I don't think they've ever mailed out the
"big" catalogs.

Don't worry; Sammy Salesdroid will still demand your name and address everytime
you buy a 9-volt battery and you'll still get their junk mail every month.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3331. FS: YAESU FT-470 Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dave (a.k.a. Keyboard Guy)" <dave@hipservice.com>
Message-ID: <35E0A6DE.4826@hipservice.com>
Source record: 146641

YAESU FT-470 Dual Band Handheld Transceiver

1 CSC-43 Leather Case
1 Ni-Cd Battery Pack FNB-17 7.2v
1 Ni-Cd Battery Pack FBN-12 12v
1 Ni-Cd Battery Charger NC-28B
1 Ni-Cd Battery Charger NC-18B
2 Alkaline Battery Cases FBA-17
1 DC Car Adapter/Charger PA-6
1 YHA-28 Antenna
w/ window mount cable (RG-58/U)
Box, Manual & Receipts
$245 plus shipping

Contact Dave at dave@hipservice.com

3332. FS: YAESU FT-470 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dave (a.k.a. Keyboard Guy)" <dave@hipservice.com>
Message-ID: <35E09EA8.4D98@hipservice.com>
Source record: 146642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,sac.swap

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Contact Dave at dave@hipservice.com

3333. Re: PRO 2026 - # 200-0148A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6rqan6$6gp$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146643

robored@sirius.com wrote:
>
> greetings...
>
> I have a pro 2026 - mod # 200-0148A.....date tag is 7A4
>
> Sn #45007547...
>
> I have read that the A 's were modifiable ....
> I'm looking inside at the L201 spot but i don't see any lead wire to cut is
> there any
> way that this model can be modified....?
>
> Or is it to far up the date line
>
> regards
> robert
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

If the serial no starts with 45 it can't be modified, and it does

3334. WINRADIO Releases New Product

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Chatten <gchatten@advdig.com>
Message-ID: <35E0B66F.2765@advdig.com>
Source record: 146644

WiNRADiO has released four new models of it's popular 1000-i receiver
card:
1000-e (external using serial or PCMCIA)
1500-i (internal 150Khz - 1.5Ghz)
1500-e (external of the 1500-i)
3100-e (external of the 3000-i series)

All are up on the web with promotional pricing at:

http://www.advdig.com
and http://www.advanced-digital.com

Regards.

3335. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KAPIL <kapil@enteract.com>
Message-ID: <6rqgcqien1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 146645
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Exactly what the hell is POC32???????????????

davie wrote in message <6rpc97$8im$1@apple.news.easynet.net>...
>freeware poc32
>

3336. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E0470A.A65AFFD@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146646
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Hello All ,

Deti , the maker of this softeware has seen fit to change his mind
about making it freeware. He gave this program away for a long
time stating that it was freeware , without any reservations.
Then "WITHOUT WARNING" he published a new version that 1.
was no longer 'FREEWARE " (the current version) and 2. killed
the freeware versions that you already had. So instead of getting an
upgrade , you got ripped instead. If you install this software where
you already have the "pay " version , it wont work . "AND" if you try
out the pay version and decide thats its not worth the extra ,
you can't go back to your old " so called " freeware.
I , for one do not like this type of business practice. I consider it
" offensive " to be given something then have the same person
" steal " it back. To make the freeware version work once again,
just remove ALL references to poc32 in the registry with REGEDIT.
Then reinstall the "FREEWARE " . Like the pay version better ..???
Then go to http://warezslutz.com/crckspage/new/wpcrackz.htm
and get the " crack " for the current version .. " fairs fair " and
" what goes around comes around "

a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAIR

davie wrote:

> freeware poc32
>
> ---
>
> Name: poc32.zip
> poc32.zip Type: Zip Compressed Data (application/x-zip-compressed)
> Encoding: base64

3337. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35e0c99e.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 146647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e0812b.118618379@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
>A; The governement would like to control all aspects of the media and
>communications in this country and world if possible...only letting
>the "desirable" through.

Hmmm?...seen any black helicopters lately Roy?

>B: They love people who contimplait their navels while the tanks roll
>by and their rights fly out the window.

Maybe you need to "Contimplait" a spelling book Roy.

>...it is a life and death type of situation. It affects
>everyone...

Yeah...a loose cable could electrocute me on my scanner. :)
Have you written your congressman lately Roy?
Maybe you need to run for office so you can save us all from ourselves.

Finally; Roy; you nor any other American have enjoyed "rights" for at least
20 years.
"Mr. Smith Goes To Washington" is just a movie Roy.

>10-4 good buddy?

Roger D Roy....God I hate CB lingo.

3338. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rqhj0$u61$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146648

At my store I give the catalog away on the condition that the customer give his or her name and address for marketing purposes. This way my customer gets a catalog and gets a monthly update to the catalog in the mail each month. This seems to be a fair deal. :-)

3339. Re: Need MOD for Uniden BC235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Phipps <sphipps@clandjop.com>
Message-ID: <6rqfmg$hmb@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146649
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

bill carty <102150.3700@compuserve.com> wrote in message
<35DDFAC6.2BC22864@compuserve.com>...
>I have amod for you!
>It's real simple. Put one finger in a light socket, step on the radio
>after you have ran a 14 guage wire to a good ground and then get some
>one to turn the light on for you. I can guaranty that you will modify
>not only your scanner, but your life as well.

Is this suppose to be funny???

3340. Via Rail freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkoole@iname.com
Message-ID: <MPG.104a939f403a191989684@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 146650

Anyone have any Via Rail (Canada) frequencies. I'm heading out on the Canadian and am interested in listening in to what's happening along the way.

Thanks in advance,

--
James Koole
email <jkoole@iname.com>

3341. Re: SS3Q

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E0D905.34A6@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 146651

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JOHN E. STRIDSBERG wrote:
> SSA21
> AQ1S1
> VD56C
>
> Q

Is it safe?

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+---------------------------------------------------------------------------+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---------------------------------------------------------------------------+
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3342. Re: American vs. UK PRO-26 -- Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rqiruuvt1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146652

The spacing might be a little different, but by tuning to the next nearest frequency you should be able to hear just fine. The default mode (am, fm or wfm) might be different, but you can change this manually on the Pro-26. You should be able to hear everything with the European version as you can with the US version at the sacrifice of some conveniences.

brian@snpp.com wrote in message <35E0AD06.339E@snpp.com>...
>Hi all,
>
>I need a little info on the PRO-26 regarding differences between the UK
>and USA models. Specifically, while I realize the UK version features
>extra frequency coverage in the 800 MHz area, I am concerned that there
>may be additional differences which would make the scanner inconvenient
>for use in the United States. Most of my concern lies in the possibility
>of the UK version utilizing different frequency spacing than the USA one.
>If I buy a PRO-26, will I find myself SOL for scanning ... oh, say the
>144-176 MHz range, which has a 5 kHz spacing here but a 6.25 kHz spacing
>in England? Any other differences?
>
>I'd really appreciate any info you guys could send my way. Thanks much!
>
>Brian

3343. Re: WINRADIO Releases New Product

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e098z6wz9GA.75@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146653
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Never heard of the WinRadio before. Thinking of getting a base for my new house....Anyone out there have these and what are the opinions?

Thanks

G Chatten wrote in message <35E0B75F.7873@advdig.com>...
>WiNRADiO has released four new models of it's popular 1000-i receiver
>card:
>1000-e (external using serial or PCMCIA)
>1500-i (internal 150Khz - 1.5Ghz)
>1500-e (external of the 1500-i)
>3100-e (external of the 3000-i series)
>
>All are up on the web with promotional pricing at:
>
> http://www.advdig.com
>and http://www.advanced-digital.com
>
>Regards.

3344. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35E0DC31.2CCD@mc.net>
Source record: 146654

Cathy De Viney wrote:
>
> I get 'NO RESULTS' at this site for this search.
>
> CATHY

I found it. Went to www.zdnet.com went to download section.
enter search for radio scanner databases and went right to it.

Its good. Also check out the others listed too

3345. HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6rql10cla1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 146655

I am interested in getting my HAM Lic. and would like any info on prices on Lic. and Equip.

Mike

3346. Re: REQ: Kansas City, Kansas Police frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: MikeH <mbhines@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <v25E1.1721$xF.1187266@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 146656

J. Botee wrote in message <35D98991.BB48547D@swbell.net>...
> Enter the following frequencies in the 856., 857., 858., 859. & 860.
>groupings:
> .7625 & 9375.
> If you have a Trunk Tracker, you should get numbers assigned such as
>1392 for fire dpx, 16 for Central Patrol police etc..
>
>Jim
>
Try www.bearcat1.com/fleetks.htm
and www.crcltd.com/sm0ke
You'll find freqs and talkgroup identifiers to use plus other items
happy scanning!
MikeH

3347. PRO-51 squelch tail mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOmikex@swbell#.net
Message-ID: <b35E1.1724$xF.1182630@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 146657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I've read an "old" N.G. post about a squelch tail "mod" for the PRO-51
scanner. Any one know where this mod might be posted??
Mike
mikex@swbell.net

3348. Re: 10 Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr." <bilbrey@so-spam.exis.net>
Message-ID: <6rqnd3sko1@grouper.exis.net>
Source record: 146658

Each region or dept has there own, each varying slightly in codes. Please post for what city/state and also which branch or department you would like them for and I think that we could help you.

K Ritz wrote in message <35e0e3f3.6133859@news.sk.sympatico.ca>...
>I'm new to this. Could someone please tell me where I could find a
>copy of the 10-codes used by the police?

3349. Re: BC235XLT TRUNKTRACKER ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr." <bilbrey@so-spam.exis.net>
Message-ID: <6rqntnssn1@grouper.exis.net>
Source record: 146659

All key are turned off except the scan and man keys. This still might present a problem. I suggest getting a case for it so you don't have to lug it around in your pocket, it also protects it nicely.

I'm sorry, I don't mean to offend anyone, just wanted to put my $0.02 in.....

Tom

LightManJK wrote in message
<1998082318392500.OAA05951@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>The Buttons CAN be turned off!!!
>What do you think that little key symbol means in the corner. Hold the button
>till it beeps and the buttons are locked.

3350. BC3000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35E0E3DC.CBC571CA@sunshine.net>
Source record: 146660

I'm looking in to buying a BC3000xlt, can you help?
I would like some feed back on it like how you like it if you own one?
thanks
Ryan ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

3351. Re: 10 Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rqnmb$1e2$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146661

http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/apco.htm and
http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/apcox.htm
The first link is for the APCO "10 Codes"
The second link is the APCO "Expanded 10 Codes"
10-Codes do vary a little bit from one department to the next, but the
expanded codes cover most of them.

K Ritz wrote in message <35e0e3f3.6133859@news.sk.sympatico.ca>...
>I'm new to this. Could someone please tell me where I could find a
>copy of the 10-codes used by the police?

3352. FS: Radio Shack Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDS <skynite@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#7lOmmxz9GA.285@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146662

1. PRO-2006, as new in box, removed just to test all functions, mint condition $350

2. PRO-2056, as new in box, removed just to test functions, also mint condition $135

Please email if interested.
Bruce

3353. Re: FS: Icom PCR-1000, Icom R-10 Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary W. Duffield" <duffield@jomax.net>
Message-ID: <35E105E9.96E8A20C@jomax.net>
Source record: 146663
Cross-posted to: alt.forsale,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Ok Mike I tried to Email you. No luck.

Please Email me with your address.

duffield@jomax.net

Gary

Mike wrote:

> Please use the following e-mail address. Apologies for teh wierd spam-filter
> chars, but I get enough spam already.
>
> Delete the "*"'s.
>
> mw*al*dr*on@*ohi*o.net
>
> For Sale, Icom PCR-1000
>
> This is the computer controlled receiver, full frequency coverage from 10kHz to
> 1300MHz.
> It's a wonderful receiver, fully computer controlled, and beginning to see a
> flurry of third party support.
>
> $400.00 + Shipping/COD
> ------------------------------
>
> For Sale, Icom R-10
>
> A top notch handheld receiver, can be fully computer controlled. Full frequency
> coverage from 500kHz to 1300MHz.
> This is an export version, the case has never been opened.
> It also included NiCad batteries, as well as the CSR-10 Dos Cloning Software.
> This radio is supported by most computer scanning solutions because it utilizes
> the standard CI-V command set.
>
> $350.00 + Shipping/COD
> ------------------------------
>
> If someone would like both the above, I will sell them for $700.00, and I will
> pay for shipping.
>
> If you're wondering why I'm selling, I'm trying to consolidate my radio
> equipment to generate some extra cash.
>

> I will entertain _reasonable_ offers on the above receivers.
>
> Thanks for your time, Please e-mail me at above address.
>
> -Mike, KB8VKF

3354. Re: PRO-34 cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Dillon <dpdillon@catalina-inter.net>
Message-ID: <35E1033D.2C251A@catalina-inter.net>
Source record: 146664

Bruce K wrote:

> Yes it can be cell modified,although I personally don't know how.BTW I
> have a modified one on Ebay right now.The other "fantasy"is just that
> unfortunately.

You just tear the thing apart. There are lots of little screws. Then you desolder the bnc connector. then you desolder a ground strap. Then you unscrew an inner top board. Carefully pull it off of the bottom board. Then there is a diode there on the left... you just clip it. Actually there are three diodes there on the left... I cant remember which one it is. I think it was the bottom one labeled D34, but my memory may not serve me correct. These instructions certainly are not enough to reeally do it- you need to confirm which diode is the right one.

By the way, listening to cell is illegal (stupid law) and I don't condone it. Besides... more importantly- It's a fair bit of work to work to get in there and mod the thing just to listen to something you will get bored with rather quickly.

In my opinion, the Pro 34 is a fantastic scanner.

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Dan Dillon KD6FPX
http://www.catalina-inter.net/dpdillon/
Seeking Electrical Engineering Position
mailto:dpdillon@catalina-inter.net

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3355. Holland, Michigan frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Berg <bergy@macatawa.org>
Message-ID: <6rpco0$86h@news.cs.hope.edu>
Source record: 146665

Anyone have any?

3356. RADIO SITE UPDATE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Crabtree <crabtree@crtelco.com>
Message-ID: <35E04F85.F09E2C9A@crtelco.com>
Source record: 146666

Please visit the newly updated site at

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Thinktank/5878/

3357. Bearcat 895 XLT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: greeneggs@and.ham
Message-ID: <UsTD1.97$86.14370468@newsfeed.n-link.com>
Source record: 146675

Are there ANY mods available for us
"do it yourself'ers?"

Thanks!

roadbikr@n-link.com

3358. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980823120721OO.IAA09380@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146676

pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com writes:

>1. Ham radios are not designed to transmit on FCC assigned public safety
>> frequencies. So if any ham operator has a set that can transmit, they have
>> violated FCC regulations by modifying the set.

Just a minor digresssion here to point out
that it is not a violation of FCC regulations
to modify Amateur equipment. In fact, one
of the stated purposes of the Amateur Service
is technical experimentation.
Dave

3359. Freqs for Shrewsbury MA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jberrier@ma.ultranet.com
Message-ID: <6rp0fejmh1@ligarius.ultra.net>
Source record: 146677

Can anyone give me the police and fire frequencies for Shrewsbury Massachusetts? Thanks in advance

Net-Tamer V 1.11 - Registered

3360. Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: firecomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082312274000.IAA10327@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146678

HI

LOOKING TO TRADE MY UHF HT'S(PAIR BTX-126) FOR A 235XLT OR PRO 43.

THANKS

3361. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dixon@sy2000.madison.k12.fl.us
Message-ID: <6rp5i9$1eo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146679

In article <35e1e938.93446745@news.netrox.net>,
catz@netrox.net (Catz) wrote:
>
> I have heard different things about using a scanner in a car in
> Florida (Miami in particular, Dade County).
>
> Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an
> amateur ham license. If this is the case, I would be curious as to
> exactly what level license one would need to operate legally.

You need to read Florida statute 843.16, You can find this at
www.leg.state.fl.us, if you have no luck let me know and I will forward a copy
to you.
Fred
>

> Others have told me that it is perfectly legal to do so providing the
> scanner is not permanently mounted in the car.
>
> I'm trying to figure out if anyone knows what the real scoop is on
> this and if they have a statue they could point me to on the web
> verifying same.
>
> And am also curious how the cops react to people they run into with
> scanners and whether they even really care. Anyone have any
> experience with this?
>
> Thanks.....any help would be appreciated.
>
> Catz
>
> *`.`.`.

>
> The Y2K Problem
> An Introduction for the Layperson
> http://www.miamionthenet.com/y2k.htm
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3362. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35E03933.4478@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 146680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Virginia Judge Rules That Radar
> Detectors Equipped With Safety
> Warning SystemTM Are Legal
>
> On October 30, 1996, The Honorable Robert Phillips, Judge of the Accomack
> County (Virginia) General District Court, Traffic Division, ruled that
> radar detectors equipped with the Safety Warning System are not subject
> to Virginia's long-standing detector ban.

This is a non-precedent court. It is the lowest level court in the
Commonwealth of Virginia and the judge's ruling has no widespread
effect.

>
> The Safety Warning System (SWS) uses technology similar to that found
> in motion detectors, automatic door openers and radar detectors to alert
> motorists about to encounter abnormal driving situations.
>
> A radar-based transmitter operating on pre-approved radio frequencies
> sends an audible tone to radar receivers or detectors. New "smart"
> detectors already on the market also have the capability to display
> a text message which scrolls across a small screen on a portable,
> dashboard-mounted unit.

There are devices on the market which allow a motorist to see the Safety
Warning Messages but DO NOT react to a police radar signal. Under
Virginia law, these would automatically be allowed.
> broadcasts. At no time during the course of the hearing did the
> Commonwealth of Virginia contradict this evidence.

They probably had a prosecutor who was not familiar with the technical
side of the argument and probably should have had an expert witness on
the stand to present rebuttal.

> Legislation is pending in the Virginia General Assembly to repeal the
> state's radar detector ban. If passed, Virginia motorists will join
>
Not at this time. There was some legislation pending which banned these
so called "radar jammers". This legislation was tied to the repeal of
the radar detector ban. That legislation was withdrawn and apparently
resubmitted. Radar detectors are still illegal in Virginia and now any
type of radar jamming device is also.

3363. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rp42p$e1n$0@207.18.224.97>
Source record: 146681
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,misc

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 03:39:41 -0400, pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:

>I just got off the phone with a licensed HAM operator who's had his
>ticket for 30 years, and he told me if there *was* a life or death
>situation, the FCC rules state that anyone can use *any* frequency to
>summon help. Once again, we are talking about a severe "life & death"
>situation.

He should then get more current on the rules. The FCC has ruled,
that the line about using any frequency at your disposal means any HAM
frequency. Anything in part 97. IE a Novice can use a Generals
frequency.

3364. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB8SOJ <no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <6rp4a0$11g$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 146682

Here in Michigan, you must be a Technician or higher license class. And that does not mean that the officer has even heard of the law. There has been several cases where radios have been confiscated and lawsuits had to be brought up in order to get the radios back. Be aware that law enforcement officers do not like the fact that the average citizen has radio equipment that can receive their communications. I took a copy of the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code that lets Amateurs have radios that receive police frequencies to the State Police District Headquarters in Paw Paw Michigan and they told me it did not matter to them. If they see the radio they would take it. Be warned. Good luck. Dennis KB8SOJ
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>
>I have heard different things about using a scanner in a car in
>Florida (Miami in particular, Dade County).
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>Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an
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>
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>Thanks.....any help would be appreciated.
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>Catz
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>http://www.netrox.net/~catz
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>The Y2K Problem
>An Introduction for the Layperson
>http://www.miamionthenet.com/y2k.htm

3365. Pro-Turbo Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35e31b40.2727325@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 146683

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

3366. Re: De-coder Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Stewart <daves@specdata.com>
Message-ID: <6rp86p$hnb@ns3.specdata.com>
Source record: 146684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Wintone will do it

http://www.steaksandwich.com

Shannon Young wrote in message <35DF2195.5E1@zianet.com>...
>Is there a decoder that will tell you pager #'s or phone #'s being
>dialed? Just Curious....
>
>Shan

3367. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980823140615 00.KAA17086@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146685

In article <6rp4a0$11g$1@leol.net-link.net>, "KB8SOJ"
<no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net> writes:

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>does not mean that the officer has even heard of the law. There has been
>several cases where radios have been confiscated and lawsuits had to be
>brought up in order to get the radios back. Be aware that law enforcement
>officers do not like the fact that the average citizen has radio equipment
>that can receive their communications.

Yes. Heaven forbid, the citizens who pay their salaries should have the ability
to monitor their activities.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3368. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <chyzy@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <35E02AA5.CA07A8CF@megsinet.net>
Source record: 146686
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

What about an anonymosis transmission?.....how the hell would they know
who you are if you dont give them your name?.....they cant pinpoint you!

ScannerMan wrote:

> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> solicit your opinions.
>
> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
> Dave McGuire

3369. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35e02b09.96565029@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Do I sense sarcasm in this post? This person sounds a little paranoid...god knows they might next be suspecting that the government doesn't really take it's direction from the wants and needs of the average person and is only concerned with the large corporations that are owned and or controlled by a small minority of the country.

Next they'll be saying there's something inherently immoral for the CEO's and exec's of a corporation to be giving themselves multi million dollar bonuses while laying off hundreds if not thousands of workers even thought the company made profits if not record profits, but fell short of their projected numbers.

They're probably enough of a socialist to think that there's something wrong with a system that manages to get 80% of all the income to just 5% of the population leaving the remaining 95% to scramble for the remains. They're probably enough of a liberal fag commie to think that if you just distributed some of that money into training and creating decent jobs for the jobless this would relieve some of our problems.

They might be absolutely insane enough to think that those jobs could be created by cutting 10 or more hours off of the existing work weeks of people who already have jobs with out lowering their pay and letting them go home and be with their families.

It sickens me when I see such rhetoric. It sickens me that this person just won't accept what is and has always been. They actually have the temerity to want to change this. It sickens me to think that this kind of person would actually want to put the blame on the greed of the leaders of this country and a system that keeps people so over worked that they don't have time and energy to get involved in changing it. They won't put the blame on the real problem... the Jews, Fags, welfare mothers and god damned foreigners. Oh yeah...and feminists.

If you don't like it here why don't you go somewhere else.

Peace

Roy ;)

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 01:17:38 -0500, Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net> wrote:

>Chip Santucci wrote:
>
>> It is just the high tech way of keeping the tax paying public in the
>> dark. What you don't know is what you need not to know. Some secure

>> comm's I understand. But everything
>> totally unobtainable really bothers me...Like they really want to hide
>> something from you.
>
>What? You don't trust your government?
>You must be one of those radicals who believes in things like
>Constitutinal Rights! You might even be out of control because you
>believe that people have the right to free speech and freedom of the
>press! YOU ARE A THREAT TO THE GOVERNMENT! YOU ARE A RADICAL!
>YOU MUST BE WATCHED! IF YOU ONLY UNDERSTOOD THAT GOVERNMENT LOVES YOU
>AND FEELS YOUR PAIN. AND THAT IT ONLY WANTS THE BEST FOR YOU AND YOUR
>FAMILY. MAYBE THEN YOU WOULD BE MORE WILLING TO HAND OVER THOSE EVIL
>CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES. MAYBE THEN YOU WOULD BEGIN TO
>TRUST YOUR BIG BROTHER!
>(please pick up the movie, "Wag the Dog".)

3370. Re: Help Please With MDT, Winradio & MFJ1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpz6hymg@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rpf47$9au$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146688

Thanks for your help Jack...Also, If anyone else has suggestions, please advise.

I tried your suggestions and found that the interface does work with the pager program and also the "hamcomm" software (though the messages are often unreadable). However, I still cannot get my setup to display MDTs, even using the newer MDT software from your site. Since the default for the pager software uses CTS (I'm assuming), I have set the MDT software for CTS, although I also tested DSR and DCD modes with and without inversion. Since I am using a Winradio, maybe there is someone else who has experience using this software with it? The other switches in the MDT software are TRACKSCANPORT, TRACKSCAN and TRACKBAUDSCAN, all of which I've tested, even though I do not know what exactly they do or what the correct settings are.

Thanks for any advice,

-David

In article <35e29d54.6893626@news.mia.bellsouth.net>,
kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:
> On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 02:20:57 GMT, cpz6hymg@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> >I'm trying to use the MDT1234 program with my discriminator-tap modified
> >Winradio and an MFJ-1213 data interface. So far, I have had no luck and
> >would appreciate some help. Must I manually set my com1 port in any special
> >way? What could it be? I've also tried amplifying the Winradio
discriminator
> >output with my PC... What could it be?
>
> The output has to be on CTS, your interface might be on DSR, if that
> is the case jump pin 5 & 6 together..or try one of the newer mdt
> programs available. I have one on my site also, you could try it!
>
> try starting it with the command line switch /re
> eg mdtw1234 /re
>
> Also, check your setup with pd-204 on a pager channel like 929.1375
> http://www.bearnet.demon.co.uk/pocsag/pd-204.zip
>
> Also, make sure it is mdt you are trying to decode, you can listen to
> a sample at my site, addr below.
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083

> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3371. Re: BC235XLT TRUNKTRACKER ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: photographer@cheerful.com
Message-ID: <35e0359b.6567681@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146689
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jay,

I would like add to your list:

I wish the buttons could be turned off!

I put the radio in my pocket and something hits a button and I have to
take the radio out of my pocket and press "scan" again. Drag!!

Tim

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 18:26:17 -0600, Jason Low <lowj@cadvision.com>
wrote:

>D Kerkes wrote:
>
>> I am thinking about buying a new handheld scanner and was wondering if
>> anyone is using this model scanner from Uniden and was wondering if anyone
>> could provide me with information on it's performance?
>
>For monitoring the local Motorola Type II SmartZone trunk, it can't be
>beat--unless you (AND whoever owns/operates the trunk!) are willing to get
>yourself a Motorola trunking radio. Reception within a Zone on the 235 is
>outstanding, although I had to pick up a third-party antenna since the Uniden
>one crapped out with the infamous centerpin breakaway. You'd never know you were
>on a trunk if you hadn't spent an hour or so programming the radio.
>
>Some beefs I have:
>
>1. The radio won't take into account all the modifiers that can be done to a
>channel. For example, Fire Dispatch channel C13 is 304 on my radio. They have
>C13 for the North half of the city and C14 (336) for the South. They have a foot
>pedal which activates the "multi-select" feature to let the dispatcher broadcast
>on C13 and C14 simultaneously. When the dispatcher does this, the talkgroup
>suddenly becomes either 311 or 343 (304 or 336, plus 7). The TrunkTracker
>doesn't handle this--I don't hear a dispatcher who's using multi-select unless I
>specifically listen to 311 and/or 343. Similarly, if someone on tac channel C1
>(48) pushes the Emergency button, their traffic comes across on 50 (48+2).. and
>it's not heard on '48'. So if you program it using Scan Lists, you end up
>missing a bunch of stuff. (I'd use Search Mode, but there are upwards of 60
>police digital/encrypted channels on this trunk, and you can only lock out 100
>talkgroups total. There are also more than 50 Fire/EMS talkgroups too (the radio
>has 5 banks of 10 channels each in which to store talkgroups).

>2. It can't follow the SmartZone system from zone to zone as I travel through
>the city. A true trunking radio (if I'd had $3000 to blow) would sense which
>Zone is the strongest and switch to it. The 235 doesn't. I programmed in all 5
>Zones in the city and just have to start switching trunkbanks once the one I'm
>listening to starts to fall off.
>3. Reception seems to be significantly less than a true trunking radio. Granted,
>like I say we're talking a $400 scanner versus a $3000 radio, but I at 50km away
>from the city can only get the Zones sporadically, and I know for a fact that
>fire crews have been out past my location by about another 25-35km and have been
>able to contact Dispatch using a *handheld* radio..
>4. I'd prefer A) the delay to be selectable by each talkgroup instead of
>globally, and B) the delay to be shortened--currently, it's 5 seconds, and I
>think 1, 1.5, or 2 would be more than enough.
>
>Other than that, the TT is a fantastic radio. I would recommend (and have done
>so) it to anyone wanting to scan a trunk system.
>--
>Jay lowj@cadvision.com http://www.fumbling.com/heard/
> http://www.redwoodmeadows.ab.ca/fire/
>
>

3372. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35e03ba0.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 146690
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e02b09.96565029@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
>Do I sense sarcasm in this post? This person sounds a little
>paranoid...god knows they might next be suspecting that the government
>doesn't really take it's direction from the wants and needs of the
>average person and is only concerned with the large corporations that
>are owned and or controlled by a small minority of the country.

(Snipped all the crap that followed) wasn't worth quoting.

...and all this has What agin to do with scanners?

3373. Re: DTMF Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark Neider <cfneider@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rpeh4$qld@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146691
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Did you get an answer yet to your DTMF question? There was an article in QST or MT earlier this year on how to build one. If you didn't get an answer yet, I'll be happy to research the matter further for you.

dolph wrote in message <35d288de.0@news.qnet.com>...
>Does anyone have plans for a dtmf decoder? I will gladly pay for a schematic
>and parts list.or an avenue where I can find one?
>Thanks in advance!
>Isaiah Beard wrote in message <35D0B3EA.AE4173D3@pobox.com>...
>>Jose Cuervo wrote:
>>>
>>> Can

3374. cleveland gov't freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mregis007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082315483100.LAA27258@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146692

hey..
does anyone know any working gov't freqs for the cleveland area?
thanks...

3375. Re: cleveland gov't freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082316082600.MAA29531@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146693

>hey..
>does anyone know any working gov't freqs for the cleveland area?
>thanks...
>
>

Hey, they're all listed in Police Call. Go buy a copy at RadioShack. Of course, once you do you'll discover that Cleveland is on a digital trunked system and you can't monitor them anyway. ;-)

JW

3376. Uniden/Regency R 4020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlandon@mci2000.com
Message-ID: <35e04062.923062@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146694

Anyone know if this unit can be tweaked for other freq's? I've had this thing for a while now, the battery's getting dead (but the AC cord works). I'm wondering if it can be modified?

RLandon

3377. Re: better antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlandon@mci2000.com
Message-ID: <35e141df.1304195@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146695

Contact Jack at Shoestring antennas jacksa@juno.com, he'll make you
one to your spec.

On 19 Aug 1998 14:01:59 GMT, cbake777@aol.com (Cbake777) wrote:

>I have a BC235XLT and have replaced the duckie with a RS extended antenna which
>has improved reception immensely. I am looking for an antenna that will provide
>the same or better reception in a more discreet size. When extended, the RS
>antenna is over 24" long. I'm looking for something that will be more sensitive
>to low band frequencies..in a compact size...any ideas?
>Chris Baker
>94 RMX 250
>88 Z50R (The Beast)

3378. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6rpgjn$2d3$1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146696

>Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an
>amateur ham license. If this is the case, I would be curious as to
>exactly what level license one would need to operate legally.
I've lived in Florida and now in Georgia and have NEVER been hassled by any law enforcement agency. Mainly because I don't flaunt it in front of them. If you don't say anything about your scanner to the officer, 99.9% of them won't say anything to you about it. Just use common sense and don't put on a show and everything will be fine.

/\/\|k.e

3379. Re: RS PRO-27

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3430-35E03C84-7@newsd-152.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146697

Most Rat Shack scanners used (F-10.7) / 3 for VHF Hi Band and (F-10.7) / 9 for UHF, as best as I can remember. Hope this helps.

Jim, KB9KEB

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
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3380. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Shaw <a0005868@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <546C0FEB4EC821C9.66F180C98CFA783F.D9D5E6536E273E86@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,

PCH wrote:
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> Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e02b09.96565029@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
> >Do I sense sarcasm in this post? This person sounds a little
> >paranoid...god knows they might next be suspecting that the government
> >doesn't really take it's direction from the wants and needs of the
> >average person and is only concerned with the large corporations that
> >are owned and or controlled by a small minority of the country.
>
> (Snipped all the crap that followed) wasn't worth quoting.
>
> ...and all this has What agin to do with scanners?

You will find out when your scanner is outlawed.
TS

3381. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4aus1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082317033700.NAA23682@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146699

Mike is absoulutely correct. Ive had mobile mounted scanning equipment for several years, and was only questioned once.. In Alachua County/Gainsville Area.

If your going to have a permananly mounted scanner in your vehicle here in Florida, its always a good idea to have a copy of the Florida Statute concerning this, as well as your ham ticket..

www.afn.org/~afn09444/scanner
has copies of the statute avalable for view

Jason

3382. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rpjp4$mv0$3@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146700
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,misc

pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote in message
<35DFC73D.689C@ix.netcom.com>...
>> 3. As for anyone using a police radio's, all states have some form
of laws
>> that makes it a violation, but, he also says they have exceptions.
Such
>> exceptions are: if directed by a police officer or if the officer
is
>> incapacitated. This means (to answer one post) if you come across
an officer
>> that is down and you use the radio to call for help, it's not a
violation to do
>> so.

Because all of this is so jurisdiction dependent, the whole debate really makes no sense. People keep saying, "Use a cellphone." What if you're in some part of the country (the vast majority of the U.S. land mass as of this time) where there is NO CELLULAR SERVICE? What good does that advice do you then? In sparsely populated areas, there aren't many hams on VHF or above, no repeaters, etc. Maybe you could call another ham three states away on your 40 meter mobile in that case, but is it practical?

Again, if you just carry around a modified ham radio or a regular commercial radio that can transmit where you're not licensed, you run a grave risk of mistakenly declaring an "emergency" and using your fancy toy when the need really is not there. There is no legitimate reason to carry a transceiver, except in areas where you have an interest in monitoring local activity and they use communication systems that aren't yet available on commercial scanners. If the only way to hear digitally transmitted (not encrypted) public safety traffic is to have a radio like they're using, then there's nothing wrong with buying one if you can afford it. But you shouldn't be looking for an excuse to talk on it!

If you can afford a fancy two-way, you can afford a more conventional and lawful means of summoning help. As long as the police aren't the only occupants of any radio spectrum where you happen to be, there should be no justification for using their frequencies. And most of the U.S. is equipped with pay phones.

>> 5. The reason police departments can confiscate radios used to
transmit on a
>> police frequency is because "It's probably been modified and thus

is illegal,
>> or if it's a standard UHF that can be programmed, they don't have
the right to
>> transmit on police freqencies"

If the police confiscate a radio just because it doesn't meet FCC specifications, they are acting beyond their authority. They should refer such matters to the FCC and/or DOJ for enforcement. Those agencies have jurisdiction over radio regulations; the local cops don't.

>Don't misunderstand what my opinion is: I don't think people should
>carry two-way radios and go out on "crime patrol" to report
suspicious
>activity to their local police, but there are, at times, situations
>where someone with a radio could SAVE A LIFE.

Exactly right. The "proper" definition of such a situation depends totally on where you are and what resources are available to you AT THAT MOMENT. If you PLAN to use a police radio to report any emergency you happen to feel justifies it, NO SITUATION will in fact justify such a transmission because you will not have taken the reasonable precaution (reasonable because you are planning in advance anyway) to provide yourself with suitable lawful means of reporting emergencies.

>Being a "late-nighter" I've run into some very unusual situations
where
>I felt the police should be notified. I used a cell phone.
>
>But, if I had a two way radio, and saw a rape, armed robbery, or
>shooting in progress, I would use that radio to summon help. If my

If you also had the cell phone with you, the officer could legitimately ask why you were unable to reach 9-1-1 on it. If he can pick it up and place a call to 9-1-1 on it himself, you're busted.

>Could you see the look on the Jury's face? "This man used a radio to
>save a life and now we must prosecute him."

Now you're getting into the concept of "jury nullification". You'd better hope the members of your jury are informed enough to know that they can judge the law as well as the offense. They are not likely to be instructed of that right by the judge, and he/she will probably block any attempt by your attorney to even mention it to them. The jury will be told not to use "common sense" but strictly the facts of the case and the words of whatever statute is being enforced against you. If they're like most jurors, they will do exactly that and convict you.

73 de Dave, NF2G
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will not taste the joy of knowledge."
'Abd Al-Latif (1162-1231)
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3383. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rpjp1$mv0$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146701

not even wrote in message <35e01a51.210397127@news-server>...
>The truth of the matter is it would be VERY unusual for a person to
NOT be
>able to hit a Ham repeater, but be able to hit a Police repeater.
Even
>MORE suspicious would be someone claiming to NOT know the tones for
the
>local Ham repeater, but knowing the Police tone.

Why? I'm a ham operator, but I know a lot more about public safety communications systems around my state than most people who are "professional" public safety personnel. I don't spend much time on the air on the ham bands. Who wants to listen to blow-by-blow descriptions of driving home from work anyway? I'd have to spend time searching for a ham repeater, then maybe I'd be able to get in if I either luckily hit the right PL tone or the repeater was carrier squelched. Or I could pull a local emergency service frequency and PL tone from my head.

What people know well depends on their interests and hobbies and available time, and does not create blanket justification for being suspicious of them.

That being said, I agree with the folks in this debate who advocate being prepared to use normal, lawful means to contact authorities in an emergency rather than trying to get illegal transmit capability "in case of a REAL emergency." Like the saying goes, "When all you have is a hammer, everything starts to look like a nail." People who wander around with modified transmitters end up just looking for some excuse to make that "emergency" transmission on a frequency where they have no business talking.

73 de Dave, NF2G
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3384. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rpjp2$mv0$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote in message ...
>In article <35DDC883.19D2@ibm.net>, w6rca@ibm.net wrote:
>>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>>> Also most HAMs are just WANNABEES and are not trained properly.
>>
>>Sheriff Joe Arpaio of Maricopa County, AZ, recrutes and trains
>>hams for his citizen posse.
>
>You said the magic word "trains". I and three other hams I know are
reserve
>deputy sheriffs and have gone through 560 hours of training, on the
job
>training, state test and we continue taking classes to keep
certification.
>
>The problem I am relating to is the WANNABEE HAM with no training but
picking
>up a HT and thinking he is a COP.

And in previous postings on this topic, YOU used the magic words "MOST HAMS". You're the one who started flaming ham operators. Now apologize to the 400,000+ ham operators in this country, most of whom take their privileges seriously and many of whom are TRAINED as emergency communicators by their local emergency preparedness authorities.

de Dave, NF2G

3385. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6rpjp5$mv0$4@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote in message ...
>Part 97.403 says:
>
>No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
any
>means of radiocommunications at its disposal to provide essential
>communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
life and
>immediate protection of property when normal communication systems
are not
>available.
>
>--

>
>At its disposal: Frequencies that your license allows you to operate
on.

Oh, and now you're an FCC Commissioner or Administrative Law Judge,
too?

As a cop, you should know that interpretation of the law belongs to
those duly constituted authorities with the judicial power to
interpret, and not to street cops. Also, the law consists of more
than black-letter statutes, and previous precedential interpretations
are as much a part of the law as the statute itself.

If the FCC has already interpreted 97.403 differently from what you
say
it means, in short, you're wrong.

Go do some legal research before spouting your own personal
interpretations of the law. I would hope that your on-duty
enforcement of your jurisdiction's penal codes is somewhat better
informed.

73 de Dave, NF2G
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3386. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082317572400.NAA13007@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146704

In article <Ey5Koo.791@world.std.com>, chesler@world.std.com (David S Chesler) writes:

>
> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.

Aw, geez....not THIS old failed scam again?!?!?!

Radio Shack...you've got questions, we've got ripoff schemes.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3387. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharpy <heynow@letsgo.com>
Message-ID: <35E05C14.1D095ECB@INVALID.com>
Source record: 146705

pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:

> I just got off the phone with a licensed HAM operator who's had his
> ticket for 30 years, and he told me if there *was* a life or death
> situation, the FCC rules state that anyone can use *any* frequency to
> summon help. Once again, we are talking about a severe "life & death"
> situation.
>
> Don't misunderstand what my opinion is: I don't think people should
> carry two-way radios and go out on "crime patrol" to report suspicious
> activity to their local police, but there are, at times, situations
> where someone with a radio could SAVE A LIFE.
>
> Being a "late-nighter" I've run into some very unusual situations where
> I felt the police should be notified. I used a cell phone.
>
> But, if I had a two way radio, and saw a rape, armed robbery, or
> shooting in progress, I would use that radio to summon help. If my
> description of the suspect(s) was correct and and arrest was made, I
> would *invite* a police officer to try and take my radio or arrest or
> charge me.
>
> Could you see the look on the Jury's face? "This man used a radio to
> save a life and now we must prosecute him."

Well expressed; interpretation of "dire emergency" is always going to be contested. An individual's own interpretation of "dire emergency" will have to face the test of the court in determining consistency with the spirit of the regulation. The entire situation must be evaluated to determine if the unlicensed transmitter's situation actually did justify use of those frequencies. And the reason you have to assess compliance with the "spirit of the regulation" is because the regulatory standard itself is ambiguous.

Regulatory agencies usually try to steer clear of ambiguous language. But in this particular case, the extensive arguments surrounding interpretations of "dire emergency" are well worth the benefits provided by allowing a citizen to summon help in cases of imminent mortal danger, using whatever means available.

3388. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082318180300.OAA03136@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146706

>From: cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo)

>> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>>that's not credited to future sales.
>
>Aw, geez....not THIS old failed scam again?!?!?!

Heck, I wouldn't mind paying the $3 for a catalog if that's what it takes. What I do mind is when you ask one of the droids to check their computer to see if a particular product is available in the area and they act like it more trouble than launching a space shuttle.

I went into a large electronics store the other day and they offered to sell me a catalog for one cent. Don't ask me why they want people to even pay for it at that price, but heck, at least they want to make it easy for you to buy from them.

3389. Re: Freqs for Shrewsbury MA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082318364300.OAA18050@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146707

Shrewsbury Police- 155.7, pl 131.8
car to car 155.88

Shrewsbury Fire 154.235 pl 131.8
>>>>>" It's Never too late to be what you might have been"<<<<<<
Elliot

" It's Never enough until your Heart Stops Beating"
new order

3390. Re: BC235XLT TRUNKTRACKER ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lightmanjk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082318392500.OAA05951@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146708

The Buttons CAN be turned off!!!
What do you think that little key symbol means in the corner. Hold the button till it beeps and the buttons are locked.

3391. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082318442600.OAA06531@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146709

I will pay the $3 anytime. I have a job and know how to manage my money, so no problem. Radio Shack must be where you shop for your pruducts otherwise you wouldn't be complaining about their catalog price. Heck, just buy something (I forget what they minimum limit is) and get a FREE catalog (yes, nothing is free).

3392. Re: Wireless Alarms?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: davideguna@vabch.com
Message-ID: <8_ZD1.935$bz4.2750214@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 146710

Paul,

I have a wireless security system in my condo that has the door/window sensors, along with a motion det. and have not had any problems at all with interference with my scanner, or cordless phones..

-David

Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net> wrote:

>Do wireless burgular alarms installed in the same house as a scanner
>cause interference?
>Thanks, Paul Littleton

3393. ONTARIO CANADA FREQ'S TRUNKTRACKER ID'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Rozitis <mrozitis@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <35E063E4.592F4BC5@interlog.com>
Source record: 146711
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Several have e-mailed me for Ontario emergency services freq's. I have most of my stuff on computer but not all and it will be awhile before it is ready.

Let me recomend a new but really goo scanner guide that covers all of Ontario and has all the new trunk tracker ID's, it is called the Ontario Scanner guide by Jim Garnett. It is available in Toronto at Atlantic ham radio 368 Wilson ave. north side of Wilson just west of Bathurst St. Phone 416-636-3636.

Queensway CB in Brampton also carries it.

3394. Re: Windsor, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Rozitis <mrozitis@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <35E061C4.AE3FAA14@interlog.com>
Source record: 146712

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> Does anyone have information on any emerg services systems in Windsor
> and area.

A good source of Ontario frequency information is the Ontario Scanner guide by Jim Garnett. Itis available at Atlantic ham radio on Wilson av. in Toronto just west of Bathurst st. on the North side. phone 416-636-3636 or radiocommication in the yellow pages.

This book has most of the trunk tracker ID;s that you will want for every Emergency service in the province of Ontairo.

It currently is the most accurate book of freq's published in Ontario and has far more info than Ontscan. Although Ontscan has a nice format it is a little short on real accurate information, especially in the regions.

I also have some info on file if you absolutly can't get to Toronto.

>

3395. WTB: 4 LEVEL FSK Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdcec3$41ac5700$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146713
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please email magic@dorsai.org with pricing info. Thanks...

3396. New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry <bsanders11@att.net>
Message-ID: <35E07C3D.9C1F013E@att.net>
Source record: 146714

Hey all,

Guess my other message didn't make it - oh well - I'll try again.

There's a new scanner oriented database on zdnet (http:\\www.zdnet.com) that I downloaded the other day and thought you guys should know about it.

It's called NKS Radio Scanner Database (just do a search for NKS) and this thing is awesome! SIX different search routines, Trunk Tracker group id listings, full database view, print, etc. No, I don't work for em, but I sure do like the program and thought you might too - check it out.

It's brand new I guess, only been there a couple days - be the first on your block to get a copy :))))

Take it easy -

BarryS.

3397. PLEASE opinion on the AR 8200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcallin@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rpvp4$n64$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146715

Hi,
I've read some good and also very bad news about the new AOR scanner
ar8200 (it should be worst then ar8k?). However this is confusing
and therefore any opinion and suggestion would be very appreciated.
There is also Icom IC R10 ? If I missed something please let me know.
Thank you very much for the help and any information.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3398. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <pb_D1.550$Lc3.8949780@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 146716

I live in Maine and RS is not charging for their catalogues here !!!!

David S Chesler wrote in message ...
> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.
> Radio Shack tends to have clueless salespeople, but the fellow
>who explained the new policy to me yesterday was a real winner.
> "Lots of people want the catalog, but they don't want to pay
> for them."
> "Yup. And when you start charging admission, I won't want
> to come into the store, either."
> "The catalogs cost money -- if they didn't charge for them,
> they'd have to make up the cost elsewhere, perhaps by raising
> prices."
> [Sotto vocce] "Well, they sure couldn't cut your minimum wage
> salary. I wonder how much they pay for the database that has
> a record of every AA battery I ever bought from them, and where.
> I wonder if they ever heard of 'Promotional Material'?"
>--
>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or
/paddleball.html)
>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

3399. Re: Windsor, Ontario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles W. finley" <cwf@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <35E07091.638D41C0@gatecom.com>
Source record: 146717

Dave wrote:

> Does anyone have information on any emerg services systems in Windsor
> and area.
>
> I am looking for freqs, talkgrounds, control channels, system IDS
>
> Any info would be greatly appreciated
>
> Thanks
>
> Dave

The Detroit(MI) Police brodcasts in the 453Mhz band. Most Macomb County PD Brodcasts in the 460Mhz band. The city of warren is 851-855.4875 Mhz and 856.0375mhz and 856.0875. Most fire depts in Detroit and windsor can be found in the 153-155Mhz range. The Macomb county Fire net is on 154.130. the City of Eastpointe PD is on 460.500. all of my freqs. are in Michigan.

3400. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pwolsko@nac.net>
Message-ID: <iq_D1.85$vX6.1040488@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 146718

I did a search on ZDNET as you said, for NKS, and get no results. Could you give us a precise URL - a link??

Thanks,
Paul

Barry wrote in message <35E07C3D.9C1F013E@att.net>...
>Hey all,
>
>Guess my other message didn't make it - oh well - I'll try again.
>
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>) that I downloaded the other day and thought you guys should know about
>it.
>
>It's called NKS Radio Scanner Database (just do a search for NKS) and
>this thing is awesome! SIX different search routines, Trunk Tracker
>group id listings, full database view, print, etc. No, I don't work for
>em, but I sure do like the program and thought you might too - check it
>out.
>
>It's brand new I guess, only been there a couple days - be the first on
>your block to get a copy :))))
>
>Take it easy -
>
>BarryS.
>

3401. Re: cleveland gov't freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlwjww@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082319533500.PAA27719@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146719

Visit the site at
http://w3.gwis.com/~schilig/scanner.txt

>hey..
>does anyone know any working gov't freqs for the cleveland area?
>thanks...

3402. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sokratys@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35e0707a.188420213@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

It doesn't - just look at where it's being crossposted.

3403. Re: Screw U all

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35E07FCE.5F2@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146721

KA0SSF wrote:
>
> Phil Smalley wrote:
> > Why can't you at least confine your off topic noise to one group or the
> > other? Is that too much to ask?
>
> Phil-
>
> You should try following your own advice. The flame war is basically
> over yet you are attempting to stir it up again. Shame on you!

So, I take it then, that my offer to have an on topic conversation with you has fallen on deaf ears?

You did read my whole post didn't you? Yes, of course you did, you would have had to in order to snip the part about us talking about scanning, sans flames. I don't see how you can consider that message "stirring it up again" when I went OUT OF MY WAY TO BE NICE TO YOU!!!! I called you no names, used no foul language, and even offered to have a friendly conversation with you. Yet this is how you respond.

I must confess that I figured as much (as did others, by the way). Too bad, but there's a reason that I did it. Hopefully the public now stands better informed of your intentions, and mine.

Just try not to crosspost in a.r.s. unless it's about scanning, OK? Thanks. It's much appreciated.

-Phil

3404. Re: Seeking advice on wiring Yaesu FT-2500 to a Honda Accord's battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: 207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6rpuuc$21s$2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 146722

In article <35df8c5f.19615826@news.mindspring.com>, dpepper2@yahoo.com wrote:
>Just bought a Yaesu FT-2500M, but after looking under the hood of my
>'92 Honda Accord, the idea of wiring it seems a bit daunting. Anyone
>have experience in connecting the power cord to the battery through
>the firewall of an Accord? It seems the only place to run it through
>is on the far upper side of the passenger side, under where the fuse
>box is. Can I run the line through there without drilling another
>hole in the firewall? Can I move the fusebox to access this area by
>unscrewing its mounts without causing electrical haywire to my car?
>Anything else I should know? If a hole must be drilled, where should
>I go to have this done without paying an arm or a leg?(or having
>passengers get wet feet on a rainy day!)
>

You might look for where the electrical wiring goes through the firewall.
There is usually a large rubber grommet and I often am able to poke a hole
(Very Carefully so as not to damage any wiring!) through the edge of the
grommet and stuff a couple # 14 wires through that can go to the battery. Be
sure to fuse at the battery.

Ed WB6SAT

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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3405. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35e0812b.118618379@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 10:40:57 -0400, "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
wrote:

>
>Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e02b09.96565029@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
>>Do I sense sarcasm in this post? This person sounds a little
>>paranoid...god knows they might next be suspecting that the government
>>doesn't really take it's direction from the wants and needs of the
>>average person and is only concerned with the large corporations that
>>are owned and or controlled by a small minority of the country.
>
>
>(Snipped all the crap that followed) wasn't worth quoting.
>
>...and all this has What agin to do with scanners?
>
>
A; The governement would like to control all aspects of the media and
communications in this country and world if possible...only letting
the "desirable" through.

B: They love people who contimplait their navels while the tanks roll
by and their rights fly out the window.

A post of a political nature was put up on this news group...a very
appropriate post since it could affect a "hobby" we all enjoy...it is
a hobby you know. Now the political nature of the post is not a
hobby...it is a life and death type of situation. It affects
everyone...not just scanning enthusiasts and it started a thread. I
responded in nature to the the part of the thread that was important
to me. (there were no questions on Bearcat 839xlt's or Rehlm HS200's
so I felt it would have been inappropriate to respond with something
of that nature.)

10-4 good buddy?

Roy

"As nightfall does not come all at once, neither does
oppression. In both instances, there is a twilight.
And it is in such twilight that we all must be aware
of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
become unwitting victims of the darkness."

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas

3406. Q: Anybody use Opto Scout with ICOM R-7100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc@cci.com
Message-ID: <6rpukv$iev@bmerhc5e.bnr.ca>
Source record: 146724

I'd like to use an Optoelectronics Scout with an ICOM R-7100.
Has anybody had any luck with this combination?

Is the cable just a straight through cable?

What CI-V settings does the R-7100 want? Any strange Scout
settings other than to use CI-V?

Thanks and 73,
Jim N2VNO

--
James D. Cronin, Sr. Software Engineer
NIS, Northern Telecom
jdcronin@nortel.com
Don't use my old address, jdc@nortel.com It was reassigned to someone else.

3407. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6rnjf3hin1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>I'm not a HAM but I can tell that you are full of shit. The amateur
>radio leagues in my state are well organized and well regulated. In any
>type of emergency or disaster situation they are (more than) prepared to
>take control and provide essential communications - even when your
>police radios fail.

Agreed.

>Excuse me? If I use a two-way radio to save someone's life, how could I
>"cost someone their life?" Are you referring to a "startle reaction"
>when the officer hears my pleas for help, and is awakened from his nap,
>or he spills some Dunkin' Donut coffee on himself?

Well, I have been at RTAs and other emergencies myself, and it's curious how many times hams turn up asking if they can help because 'they were passing by'.
This kind of behaviour I cannot accept. I think it's legitimate that if life (not property) is in danger, you should be allowed to use any frequency in the spectrum to try and make a call.
I also think it's true, that if you have both a cellphone and a HT, use the cellphone first, then the HT in your licensed bands, and then wherever they can hear you.
I recently myself came across an RTA that happened about 30 seconds earlier, and I called an ambulance on the Red Cross frequency, as the valley we were in had NO cell coverage. I also heard the local Police get a call from someone who just arrived at home reporting the RTA, and when they got there, the ambulance was well on the way.
Had I not made the call, the Police would have had to (via their radio autopatch), and the victim would have lost many precious minutes.

>Good idea! If I witness a robbery, rape, or shooting I'll call the
>police chief at home and ask if I can use their repeater for 10 seconds.

Those situations warrant 'alternative' means, but there are a lot of other less sensitive frequencies, like cab firms, etc. etc.

Mike
Formerly in my local Mountain Rescue Team

3408. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6rnjtehua1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146731

>In a properly designed, and purchased commercial system, one failure
>will not take a system down.

Er...yes it could. If the lights go out, then the trunked system goes out.
If there is any problem with the computer running the system, the system
could go down.
With amateur repeaters, they can be almost any mobile radio which does
VHF/UHF (I can set up my FT-8500 to be a cross-band repeater in 10 seconds).
Also, they are simple, PC-free, reliable things, and there are also portable
ones.
Hey, they even run on batteries !!!

Mike

3409. San Diego Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: motorola1000@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rnsgl$oc1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146732

Does anybody know the complete list of the Naval Regional Radio Network Trunked frequencies in the 402-420MHz Band?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3410. Re: Radio Shack Pro 2006 serial number/cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6rnrlinhu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146733

NOT TRUE !!In article <35DEFAEA.32C8ADA2@pacbell.net>,
Jim Wayda <jwayda@pacbell.net> wrote:
> ALL PRO-2006 can be cell restored.
>
> robinjan@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > Would a unit with serial number 11A3 be cell restorable? What are the serial
> > number ranges which allow for this procedure?
> >
> > Thanks
> >
> > ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3411. Trunk Tracker BC-235XLT Programming Question ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lightmanjk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082301115600.VAA18000@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146734

Ok, here is my my problem, thank you in advance for all that reply.

I live near Philadelphia, PA, and PHL PD are assigned a trunk. The problem is that they have over 30 freqs. How do I program the trunk into the scanner if there are only 30 spaces. Is there a way to find the data channels and seperate them?

Any help is appreciated.

3412. Re: De-coder Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdce2e$52c372c0$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Shannon Young <mexgringo@zianet.com> wrote in article
<35DF2195.5E1@zianet.com>...
> Is there a decoder that will tell you pager #'s or phone #'s being
> dialed? Just Curious....

Yes Universal M-400... what protocol are you trying to decode?

3413. Monterey Scanner Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: entrtaenu@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082301253300.VAA19877@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146736

Can anyone help me with gettin started with some monterey scanner freqs??? any and all would be appreciated

3414. FS: Icom PCR-1000, Icom R-10 Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: NoSpamPlease!@here.SeeMessage
Message-ID: <6rnt80$ajr@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146737
Cross-posted to: alt.forsale,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Please use the following e-mail address. Apologies for teh wierd spam-filter chars, but I get enough spam already.

Delete the "*"'s.

mw*al*dr*on@*ohi*o.net

For Sale, Icom PCR-1000

This is the computer controlled receiver, full frequency coverage from 10kHz to 1300MHz.
It's a wonderful receiver, fully computer controlled, and beginning to see a flurry of third party support.

$400.00 + Shipping/COD

For Sale, Icom R-10

A top notch handheld receiver, can be fully computer controlled. Full frequency coverage from 500kHz to 1300MHz.
This is an export version, the case has never been opened.
It also included NiCad batteries, as well as the CSR-10 Dos Cloning Software.
This radio is supported by most computer scanning solutions because it utilizes the standard CI-V command set.

$350.00 + Shipping/COD

If someone would like both the above, I will sell them for $700.00, and I will pay for shipping.

If you're wondering why I'm selling, I'm trying to consolidate my radio equipment to generate some extra cash.

I will entertain _reasonable_ offers on the above receivers.

Thanks for your time, Please e-mail me at above address.

-Mike, KB8VKF

3415. Re: gettin bill cheek back

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <_NKD1.1299$YQ.3367352@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146738

Hey Bill Cheek is the only person in the world who could get kicked out of
a public newsgroup!
If you are so foolish to desire his abuse you can subscribe to a hardcopy
newsletter he puts out.
Its the same BS found here but you can at least get to pay for it and the
rest of us don't have to read it.

Ha ha

<wink>

Vic ki4je

K patterson wrote in message <6r7jqo$l39$1@supernews.com>...
>Thats whats I was wondering. If nothing else, there is always Deja News. Im
>not all that familiar with the workings of a news group, can a person be
>kicked out of an unmoderated group?

3416. Re: Freqs for Princess Cruise Lines...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale <jbseale@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <35DF7D10.FCC8D312@iglou.com>
Source record: 146739
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Your best place to get this info would be the Mr. Scanner or Spectrum CD ROMs. BTW: I took my Pro37 and my Cub counter on Carnival's Jubilee a few years ago and had alot of fun with them. One day, I heard the wireless mike frequency that was being used on another ship that was docked next to us while we were in Aruba. I was hearing one of Royal Carribean's ships and they were using the mikes for games being played poolside. I could also hear security frequencies used at the Aruba terminal and while we were in San Juan, I heard IFB audio from WSJU TV 18, an NBC affiliate in San Juan and I also listened to San Juan PD (yes, the dispatchers and officers are bi-lingual). Lots of stuff to listen to on these Carribean cruises.

marcs_ms wrote:

> Going on a cruise, next year actually, and was looking for freqs used by
> Princess for ships at sea. Thought it would be fun to kick back on my
> private balcony with my cigar in one hand and my BC235XLT in the other and
> listen to the XO talk to whatever happens to be out there...
>
> Thanks

3417. Re: Monterey Scanner Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickph@usa.net
Message-ID: <35e07ab7.28803841@news.provide.net>
Source record: 146740

On 23 Aug 1998 01:25:33 GMT, entrtaenu@aol.com (EntrtaenU) wrote:

>Can anyone help me with gettin started with some monterey scanner freqs??? any
>and all would be appreciated

You might try these.I found them using the percon database search.

154.7850 WSZ29 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY CA
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154.7850 WSZ35 MONTEREY, CITY OF PP MONTEREY
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154.8150 WSZ29 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
154.8150 WSZ35 MONTEREY, CITY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
154.8900 WNUJ613 MONTEREY PENINSULA COMMUN PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
154.8900 WNUJ613 MONTEREY PENINSULA COMMUN PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
154.9200 WPFE281 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
154.9200 KVP812 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
155.4900 KVP572 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
155.4900 KVR941 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
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155.5350 KVP572 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
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155.5350 KVR941 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
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155.5950 WGP788 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
155.7300 WAG42 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
158.8500 KMH973 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY
158.8500 KMH973 MONTEREY, COUNTY OF PP MONTEREY
CA MONTEREY

Rick in White Lake Mich

3418. The scan-L list is closed to the public at this time was Re: Justice Prevails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <P1LD1.1302$YQ.3372964@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The scan-L list is closed to the public at this time.
You may not subscribe until after labor day when the list will again be
opened to qualified applicants.
If you desire I will forward scan-l email to you on a temporary basis for
information purposes only but you may not post to the list which is owned
and controlled by Peter Laws. I will merely add your email forwarding
address to a OUTLOOK 98 rule on handling my received scan-L email.

Email me ---&#65533; winndixie at bellsouth.net .
Robot spam killer in the above line.

Vic Healey ki4je

Jeff Adams wrote in message <35d8740f.2489060039@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>...
>Speaking of the scan-l mailing list, I've tried twice to subscribe
>unsuccessfully, and each time I followed the instructions (maybe - or
>maybe not, maybe that's the whole problem :-)) and sent mail to the
>address indicated.
>
>Is the scan-l mailing list alive and well? If so, what is the proper
>email address to send mail to about getting on the list? If the owner
>is reading this, could you please email me?
>
>Thank you,
>
>======CORRECT EMAIL: remove the xyz====================================
>| Jeff.Adams@gscxyz.gte.com) | GTE Electronic Systems Division |
>| 415-966-2122 | Mountain View, CA U.S.A. |
>| All opinions are mine and not my employer or internet access provider. |
>==

3419. RCA Handhelds: Are they any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale <jbseale@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <35DF7F64.3CFDEB4C@iglou.com>
Source record: 146742

Yes, RCA has broken into the scanner world with two handhelds (to my knowledge), Both units have pretty much the same features as your Uniden/Realistic models. But they also have an attenuation feature, and it didn't appear by accident (as it did on Uniden's 235XLT). I also happened to noticed that the "sports" version of this scanner has 200 channels, which is odd for such a model (most "sports" scanners have only 100 channels), and this thing is dressed in RED plastic as opposed to yellow. Is that weird or what?
Both of these were at h. h. gregg in Louisville, KY.

3420. Problem with my HS200 was NOT CEI's fault(everybody loves CEI!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpepper2@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35df89f9.19000983@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146743

Well after several days of responses, the limited range of my HS200(as compared to my Pro-50) apparently is normal for the HS200, and not the fault of CEI. The overwhelming response was quite positive regarding CEI, so I can only assume that the range is normal for this scanner. Therefore I must publicly thank CEI for giving me a great deal on the HS200. I certainly wil buy from them again.

Daniel Dave Pepper

3421. Seeking advice on wiring Yaesu FT-2500 to a Honda Accord's battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpepper2@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35df8c5f.19615826@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146744

Just bought a Yaesu FT-2500M, but after looking under the hood of my '92 Honda Accord, the idea of wiring it seems a bit daunting. Anyone have experience in connecting the power cord to the battery through the firewall of an Accord? It seems the only place to run it through is on the far upper side of the passenger side, under where the fuse box is. Can I run the line through there without drilling another hole in the firewall? Can I move the fusebox to access this area by unscrewing its mounts without causing electrical haywire to my car? Anything else I should know? If a hole must be drilled, where should I go to have this done without paying an arm or a leg?(or having passengers get wet feet on a rainy day!)

Thanks for any advice,

Daniel Dave Pepper

3422. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ro4cm$gq4$0@207.18.224.219>
Source record: 146745

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 01:25:48 +0200, "Miguel Puchol"
<mpuchol@eurohubner.com> wrote:

>>In a properly designed, and purchased commercial system, one failure
>>will not take a system down.
>
>
>
>Er...yes it could. If the lights go out, then the trunked system goes out.

Er...No, not if it has UPS and generators.

>If there is any problem with the computer running the system, the system
>could go down.
Not with a redundant controller, and failsoft.

3423. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikenet@ruralnet.org
Message-ID: <35df8adf.200780950@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 146746

For the NicadLady try www.nicdlady.com

On 21 Aug 1998 21:56:30 GMT, deforger@aol.com (Deforger) wrote:

>The NicadLady
>http://ggfx.com/nicad/index.htm

3424. Re: Long Island

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@my.net
Message-ID: <6ro8u8$92a$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 146747

Check out http://www.li.net/j4dice/scanli.html
In article <1998082220592800.QAA04741@ladder01.news.aol.com>, otalk2meo@aol.com
says...
>
>I'm having trouble finding police and fire frequencies for nassua county here
>on long island. Any help would be much appreciated. Thanks!!
>
>
>
>Jeff

3425. WTB: P110/GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio5000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082304350000.AAA02674@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146748

Wanting to buy Motorola GP300 and P110 radios, parts, pieces and accessories.
No high prices please.

3426. 4-Level FSK and more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e191a1.36647989@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146749
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just updated my website with the 2 & 4 Level FSK demodulators that
I've been having outstanding performance with and some more common
digital .WAV samples. Check it out.

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3427. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e294df.37478365@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146750
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 22 Aug 1998 13:06:35 -0400, Jeff <Jefft@jnlk.com> wrote:

>FCC database:
>
>http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts

>
Error! nothing there...that was the first place I went!

940.2375 or 940.2125, oh well...

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3428. PRO-34 cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Webb <wwwebb@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <Ey4KtL.6os@iglou.com>
Source record: 146751

Is there a mod for the cell phone range?

Fantasy...
Can this scanner be modified to pick up AM, FM, CB, SW, etc.
In other words everything between 1Khz to 960MHz....??

Geoff
wwwebb@iglou.com

3429. Re: Seeking advice on wiring Yaesu FT-2500 to a Honda Accord's battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmikkelsen@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <35dfa228.1347182@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 146752

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 03:38:12 GMT, dpepper2@yahoo.com (Daniel Dave Pepper) wrote:

>Just bought a Yaesu FT-2500M, but after looking under the hood of my
>'92 Honda Accord, the idea of wiring it seems a bit daunting. Anyone
>have experience in connecting the power cord to the battery through
>the firewall of an Accord? It seems the only place to run it through
>is on the far upper side of the passenger side, under where the fuse
>box is. Can I run the line through there without drilling another
>hole in the firewall? Can I move the fusebox to access this area by
>unscrewing its mounts without causing electrical haywire to my car?
>Anything else I should know? If a hole must be drilled, where should
>I go to have this done without paying an arm or a leg?(or having
>passengers get wet feet on a rainy day!)
>
>Thanks for any advice,

Without being sarcastic, I'd really recommend you get an auto electrician to install the whole lot. It shouldn't cost you too much - there's less than an hours work.

Stuffing around with your car's electrical system and/or communications equipment can end in a lot of heartache. It'll take a lot longer timewise to fix any problems you cause, than it will to get an auto electrician to. Not mention any costs in repairing your Yaesu.

When it comes to a car electrical system, you need to know exactly what you are doing.

Cheers.

Dion Mikkelsen.

3430. Re: Staten Island Ferry/Jersey City Ferry Frequencies ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35dfa9ee.63509439@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146753

Thanks alot for all you replys.

Roy

On 21 Aug 1998 22:09:19 GMT, deforger@aol.com (Deforger) wrote:

> I saved this from someone else's old response.
>
> The Staten Island Ferry uses VHF marine radio for it's communications.
> Channel 19 156.950Mhz is the "House" frequency.Bases are in St George in SI &
>Whitehall in Manhatten.The boats are usuallycalled up on channel 13 156.650Mhz
>or
>16- 156.800Mhz and asked to "go to house".
>Ferries are called by name ie. Barbari,Lehman, Kennedy,Legion,etc. Also there
>is terminal operations on 158.730Mhz,but never verified.
>
>Good Luck
>Robert

3431. Re: Cancel "Re: Apology to al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e39e0a.39825068@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146754

On 22 Aug 98 16:02:46 , Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com (Joe Nicholson) wrote:

> -=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-
>
> Ka> From: KA0SSF <jmackey@parg.org>
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> john mackey: next Jerry Lewis poster boy
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>Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
>From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
>To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
>Subj: Hello Replies: None
>Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

>
> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>
> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> > him getting booted from Fido.
>
>which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?
>
>:)

I remember why I left fidonet now!

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3432. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dean173@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082305501900.BAA22935@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146755

Would anyone care to prolong this agonizing thread by debating the fact that civilian's definition of an EMERGENCY can differ wildly from that of the police?

Locally, we publicize our local phone number for NON, and 911 for Emergencies. Our 911 line is often clogged with calls from
local residents who should know better, reporting traffic signals out, flooded roadways and power outages. Excepting the rare case,
of course if you are on Home Medical equipment, etc, etc, a power outage IS, but
99% of the time IS NOT.

That being said, what we are lacking here is
a breath of common sense. Laws be damned,
if you can provably save someone's life or
limb from IMMINENT or EXISTENT danger, you would be remiss not to use any means within your ability not to help in any way possible. If you do, in fact, save a life,
you should (and might) get an award for it.

HOWEVER:
If you use unauthorized means for anything short of a true emergency, you should be prosecuted to the fullest extent possible.

Example A: You drive by a person lying
face down on the sidewalk. You stop, go to him, roll him over, and discover he is not breathing. You call it in on your HandyDandy
6000. You win. I can't argue with you.

Example B: You drive by the same person,
face down etc. You don't check to see if he's breathing or not. You call it in, same method.
The 3 arriving units find a drunk with a broken nose. Big deal. You lose, and should be arrested and charged.

Do YOU want your local police frequency tied up with the likes of Example B, while the
dispatcher waits for the frequency to clear so
she can send the troops to YOUR house for the real thing? If you think this is unrealistic,
you have not long monitored a busy police channel.

Extreme example: Should we pass out HT's,
one for every block, and trust in everybody's judgment?

I used to carry my HT religiously in case of "emergency". It is no substitute for a cell phone.....and let's not get ridiculous. What

are the odds that you are in a dead cell area, but the PD will hear you at 5 watts? Hell, 3/4
of the Police Radio towers are renting space to the cell companies anyway!!!!!

3433. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e49fc2.40265294@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146756

On 22 Aug 1998 17:24:58 GMT, jsprine@aol.com (JSPRINE) wrote:

>>Hmmm... Hams were using radios about 30 years prior to the police getting
>>around to using them. Maybe it's the police who are imitating the hams.
>
>Yes, those beat cops...too darned lazy to lug around a boat-anchor tube rig,
>Morse key, antenna array, and a power supply...probably toted along inside a
>'Radio Flyer' wagon?
><grinning>

LMAO!

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3434. Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35DFB402.6B63@swbell.net>
Source record: 146757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Chip Santucci wrote:

> It is just the high tech way of keeping the tax paying public in the
> dark. What you don't know is what you need not to know. Some secure
> comm's I understand. But everything
> totally unobtainable really bothers me...Like they really want to hide
> something from you.

What? You don't trust your government?
You must be one of those radicals who believes in things like
Constitutinal Rights! You might even be out of control because you
believe that people have the right to free speech and freedom of the
press! YOU ARE A THREAT TO THE GOVERNMENT! YOU ARE A RADICAL!
YOU MUST BE WATCHED! IF YOU ONLY UNDERSTOOD THAT GOVERNMENT LOVES YOU
AND FEELS YOUR PAIN. AND THAT IT ONLY WANTS THE BEST FOR YOU AND YOUR
FAMILY. MAYBE THEN YOU WOULD BE MORE WILLING TO HAND OVER THOSE EVIL
CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES. MAYBE THEN YOU WOULD BEGIN TO
TRUST YOUR BIG BROTHER!
(please pick up the movie, "Wag the Dog".)

3435. RS PRO-27

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35dfb220.479066@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 146758

I would like to know the formula for the crystals.
Is it (F-10.7)/3, or (F+10.7)/3, or something else?

Barry

3436. Re: PRO-34 cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14773-35DFAFBE-96@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146759

Yes it can be cell modified,although I personally don't know how.BTW I have a modified one on Ebay right now.The other "fantasy"is just that unfortunately.

3437. Re: I want to recognize someo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Kirkland <jwkirkland@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35DFC063.4772073E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 146760

Fire Chief = Fire Prick

Who give a flip if he copied it? You?

Do you have anything good to say?

Smart ass people like you have destroyed this NG that used to provide alot of
useful information for scanner geeks like myself. Take your asshole comments
to rec.radio.scanner.flame_fest.

Fire Chief wrote:

> -=> Quoting Tscommone to All <=-
>
> > And I wish that more people like you still lived in America, if they
> > didwe wouldn't be going to hell in a hand basket and getting no better.
> > Thank you and God Bless you... Rick D. Adkins, TSC
> > Mid Central Region
>
> Do you feel real good about possessing a copy that violates U.S.
> copyright laws, and which deprives the rightful owner (Uniden)
> of the fees it's entitled too?
>
> Maybe we're going to hell in a handbasket because the world is full
> of crooks like you, cheating whenever they can.
>
> I don't think your God blesses people like that.
>
> ___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
> ---
> | WarpGate: Fire Chief 52:1000/211
> | Internet: fire.chief@warpgate.com
> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3438. Where to buy a bearcat 9000xlt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14775-35DFB675-64@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146761

Looking for the most reasonable place to buy this scanner?Tried
Uniden-they are out.thanks

3439. Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason James <"Jason James"@cyberearth.com>
Message-ID: <35DF9516.12A43A21@cyberearth.com>
Source record: 146762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Radioman27 wrote:
>
> Does anyone know what frequencies the police transmit to the new radar
> detectors that receive public safety messages ?Like when my radar
> detector says accident ahead....
> Please mail me ,thanks
> Radioman27@aol.com

go to http://www.radar.org

ENGLEWOOD, FLORIDA - NOVEMBER 13, 1996

Virginia Judge Rules That Radar
Detectors Equipped With Safety
Warning SystemTM Are Legal

On October 30, 1996, The Honorable Robert Phillips, Judge of the Accomack County (Virginia) General District Court, Traffic Division, ruled that radar detectors equipped with the Safety Warning System are not subject to Virginia's long-standing detector ban.

The Safety Warning System (SWS) uses technology similar to that found in motion detectors, automatic door openers and radar detectors to alert motorists about to encounter abnormal driving situations.

A radar-based transmitter operating on pre-approved radio frequencies sends an audible tone to radar receivers or detectors. New "smart" detectors already on the market also have the capability to display a text message which scrolls across a small screen on a portable, dashboard-mounted unit.

One of more than 60 standardized messages, such as "Work Zone," "Emergency Vehicle Approaching," "Accident Ahead" and "Train At Crossing," can be activated at any given time.

The ruling by Judge Phillips was handed down in a hearing on a detector violation issued to retired Cape Charles, Virginia, Police Chief Bill Lewis. A proponent of safety radar devices, Chief Lewis was testing three radar detectors on the dash of his vehicle at the time he was stopped and cited for violating Virginia's radar detector ban.

Virginia's law, in effect since 1962, also includes an exemption for devices "used for a lawful purpose" and transmitting on licensed frequencies. In the rear of his car, Lewis also had a safety radar transmitter which he was testing for possible interference from a nearby airport. Even though Chief Lewis told the trooper what the

devices were and why he was using them, he was ticketed and told to "tell it to the judge."

In court, Chief Lewis argued that the Virginia radar detector statute exempts any receiver of radio waves used for lawful purposes and received on a frequency lawfully licensed by state or federal agencies.

Chief Lewis produced evidence proving that the transmitter was broadcasting on a frequency band licensed by the Federal Communications Commission the band is identical to that on which a K-band radar gun broadcasts. At no time during the course of the hearing did the Commonwealth of Virginia contradict this evidence.

Judge Phillips then found Chief Lewis not guilty of violating the state's anti-detector statute.

Legislation is pending in the Virginia General Assembly to repeal the state's radar detector ban. If passed, Virginia motorists will join millions of other drivers across the nation who are free to receive the warning alerts and traffic-related messages being broadcast by a growing number of Safety Warning System transmitters.

(Currently the only other area in the United States that bans radar detectors in passenger vehicles is the District of Columbia.)

click here ---> http://www.radar.org/vapr.htm

3440. Re: Pc conection for a Alinco DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: baptpdc@we.mediaone.net
Message-ID: <35e0c908.46225830@nntp.we.mediaone.net>
Source record: 146763

The alinco link points to an old version of the software.
The link for the latest version is:
http://people.we.mediaone.net/baptpdc/djx10.htm

-bap

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 09:17:15 GMT, "Mike Anderson"
<NOSPAManderson@pei.sympatico.ca> wrote:

>Javier,
>I bought an ICOM OPC-478 programming cable , and it works great. The cable
>should be readily available to you through mail order. You can get some
>software from Alinco's home page.
>http://alinco.com/DJX10SOFTWARE/DJX10.shtml . I found the shareware version
>of the software slow to read/write 1200 channels + PMS and all radio info,
>but it is supposed to be faster in the registered version. The registered
>version also has more features.
>
>I hope this helps.
>
>Mike
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>zipi@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6rbrngsfk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>>I want to know how conect one alinco dj x10 scanner on my computer (PC).
>>-Eschematic diagram of connections
>>-Software
>>-Webï¿½s links
>>-And DJ-X10 scanner electric diagram (if itï¿½s posible)
>>
>>Tanks and sorry for my poor english language.
>> In my country itï¿½s imposible buy the alincoï¿½s cable conection
>>
>>
>>Javier Garmilla
>>JGARMILL@teleline.es
>>Vitoria
>>Spain
>>
>>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

3441. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John B <jrb44@SPAM.iname.com>
Message-ID: <35DF874E.DE51EED5@SPAM.iname.com>
Source record: 146764
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,misc

We're dealing with alot of "what if's" in these situations.

I agree with what RobAZ1 wrote. I don't think it makes any sense to try to talk on a police frequency. You have no idea what is going on on that frequency. They may have cleared it for emergency traffic because of a situation across town.

I'm not saying that you shouldn't notify the police. I'm just saying that you should be prudent on how you do it. Yours may not be the only situation requiring immediate attention in that city. Additionally, the dispatchers probably could not continue a discussion on situation, location, suspects and such on that frequency.

In any situation, you should get as much information as you can and summon help in any way you can (send another to call 911, call from your wireless phone, etc). Information like license plate #, description of possible suspect, direction of travel and relay that to the proper department in the best way possible.

Transmitting on a police frequency hinders the departments ability to conduct normal operations. I would never condone that method.

pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:

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> ticket for 30 years, and he told me if there *was* a life or death
> situation, the FCC rules state that anyone can use *any* frequency to
> summon help. Once again, we are talking about a severe "life & death"
> situation.
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> Don't misunderstand what my opinion is: I don't think people should
> carry two-way radios and go out on "crime patrol" to report suspicious
> activity to their local police, but there are, at times, situations
> where someone with a radio could SAVE A LIFE.
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> I felt the police should be notified. I used a cell phone.
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> But, if I had a two way radio, and saw a rape, armed robbery, or
> shooting in progress, I would use that radio to summon help. If my
> description of the suspect(s) was correct and and arrest was made, I
> would *invite* a police officer to try and take my radio or arrest or
> charge me.
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> Could you see the look on the Jury's face? "This man used a radio to
> save a life and now we must prosecute him."
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> Amazing.
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> (ken)
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> ==========
> See some sample photos taken with my Olympus digital camera at:
> http://www.theupperdeck.com/digitcam/
>
> See Brownie's personal website at:
> http://www.dogchow.com/pages/chihuahua

3442. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e5a14b.40658564@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146765

On Sat, 22 Aug 1998 19:24:05 GMT, spamthisone@juno.com (not even)
wrote:

>On 22 Aug 1998 17:35:45 GMT, jsprine@aol.com (JSPRINE) wrote:
>
>>If you called the cops on your Icom U-16 to save my mother/wife/sister from
>>being raped at gunpoint, and had your radio confiscated, I'd buy you a new one,
>>as well as the finest dinner in town.
>
>The truth of the matter is it would be VERY unusual for a person to NOT be
>able to hit a Ham repeater, but be able to hit a Police repeater. Even
>MORE suspicious would be someone claiming to NOT know the tones for the
>local Ham repeater, but knowing the Police tone.

Most HT's decode also...

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3443. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35DFD0BB.D5E@swbell.net>
Source record: 146766
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,misc

John B wrote:

> I'm not saying that you shouldn't notify the police. I'm just saying that you should
> be prudent on how you do it.

Guess what? If its an emergency, who cares what the cops/fcc think
about it???
Let them take you before a jury and explain that you used their specific
frequency to call for help in an emergency.
If the jury is informed, they will laugh in the face of those seeking to
bring charges against you.
REMEMBER: JURY NULLIFICATION is where the jury overrides the law and
says that in this instance, the law should be ignored.
Jury Nullification are the only words a quality jury needs to know in a
case like this. And, when an attorney, prior to being assigned to a
jury, asks you a few questions, the first two words out of your mouth
should be "Jury Nullification". He will throw you out of the building
because those are words you are not supposed to know. Those words give
you tremendous power over the case being heard. No matter what the law
says, in a state where J.N. is legal, you have the right to ignore what
the judge says, and inform the court that the jury has come to the
conclusion that, in this instance, the law should be ignored via J.N.
Boy, you will upset the control phreaks in the court because you are so
smart!

3444. Re: Winradio 1000i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: navigator@pacific-ocean.com
Message-ID: <35e1cf2d.27429868@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 146767

On Wed, 19 Aug 1998 10:31:17 -0600, Dan Oppenheim <antelope@swcp.com>
wrote:

>I just ordered a Winradio 1000i and should have it by this Friday. Has
>anybody had good luck with this receiver? Any comments (good or bad),
>suggestions, etc? Any info will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Dan
>

I find it a great value of money. Not the greatest radio on Earth -
but it does work as advertized and the software is fun to use.
Be sure you get the free memory manager from the Winradio Web site. I
find it great for organizing the memories.

Juergen

3445. Re: Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082308320400.EAA02502@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146768

Before a big reply like that could you let us get our boots on. The shit got high quick.

Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, §227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

3446. Re: Where to buy a bearcat 9000xlt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980823102041 00.GAA23098@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146769

http://www.scannerworld.com/

Should be a good place. I bought a BC-3000xlt from them last year. Good price and prompt shipment.

3447. Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: catz@netrox.net
Message-ID: <35e1e938.93446745@news.netrox.net>
Source record: 146770

I have heard different things about using a scanner in a car in Florida (Miami in particular, Dade County).

Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an amateur ham license. If this is the case, I would be curious as to exactly what level license one would need to operate legally.

Others have told me that it is perfectly legal to do so providing the scanner is not permanently mounted in the car.

I'm trying to figure out if anyone knows what the real scoop is on this and if they have a statue they could point me to on the web verifying same.

And am also curious how the cops react to people they run into with scanners and whether they even really care. Anyone have any experience with this?

Thanks.....any help would be appreciated.

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"As nightfall does not come all at once, neither does
oppression. In both instances, there is a twilight.
And it is in such twilight that we all must be aware
of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
become unwitting victims of the darkness."

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas
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http://www.netrox.net/~catz

The Y2K Problem
An Introduction for the Layperson
http://www.miamionthenet.com/y2k.htm

3448. BC3000xlt wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35DFF00F.F52AF9D0@sunshine.net>
Source record: 146771

I want a bc3000xlt and/or some info on how you like it(If you own one)
thanks
please e-mail me at
ryan_whittleton2sunshine.net

3449. Texas county will be first to trace cell phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpinero@pobox.com
Message-ID: <35dff0ba.3353955@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146772

Did anyone else see this? The Houston Chronicle is reporting that Harris County, Texas, will be the first place in the world (minus the New Jersey tests) to put cell-phone locating technology into real service.

The article reports that the system will be in place by the end of this year, and will go with TRUEPOSITION which uses Time-Distance-of-Arrival approach. The roll out will be small...only a certain segment of a particular wireless company will have this feature enabled for them, but it marks the beginning of a new era in civilization (gee, who 'da thought a place called Harris County Texas?). The system will evolve quickly though, and I suspect such announcements will begin to roll in as the months pass.

You can read this article for yourself at

http://www.chron.com/cgi-bin/auth/story.mpl/content/chronicle/metropolitan/98/08/21/network.2-0.html

but be warned there is a registration process involved. It's free and once you answer the last question, you will be taken right to the article.

Dave
Are your local police going undercover?
http://members.aol.com/truth4000/page1.htm
David Pinero ICQ # 3887811 * AIM Name TDAVE365
Personal Homepage http://www.pobox.com/~dpinero

3450. want to buy a Bearcat 9000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15209-35DFE221-144@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146773

If you have this item for sale-please email me.thanks

3451. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <35E00002.E23C86DD@netdoor.com>
Source record: 146774
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,misc

God gave us a brain and a set of rules to operate by, the FCC gave us a license and a set of rules to operate by. You transmit out of band with your rig it better be an emergency.

Butch Magee, KF5DE
Jackson,MS

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> http://www.dogchow.com/pages/chihuahua

3452. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E1E08F.94C8F5C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146425
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Since you are obviously too tired to type warezslutz into
any search engine and since I obviously have a severe case of
parallaxxxxxx ...here it is again ..i hope i get it right this time.

http://www.warezslutz.com/crkspage/new/wpcrackz.htm

a_alpha1

3453. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Danz <ddan@az.stratus.com>
Message-ID: <6rsr8o$cvk@transfer.stratus.com>
Source record: 146475
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6rskoobel1@garnet.mint.net>...
>It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
Cheeks.
[..snip..]
>and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>
>

I'd rather let sleeping dogs lie.

3454. Re: How to receive AFSK signal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab309@issc.debbsX.ndhq.dnd.ca
Message-ID: <35e1ee42.12418596@news.ndhq.dnd.ca>
Source record: 146476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,comp.dcom.modems

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 12:55:58 +0200, Fabrizio Ravegnani
<fabrizio@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it> wrote:

>Hi to everybody !!
> I would like to acquire data from a weather radiosonde that it
>transmits on
> 404 MHz whit the following communication parameter: 300, N, 8, 2
>in AFSK (2025/2225 Hz)
>(but I can make some adjustement in tones on the trasmitter)
>I have tried to use a modem, but without result ;it seems it cannot work

I doubt if a standard modem is designed to handle Audio
Frequency-Shift Keying (AFSK) with those mark and space frequencies.
If you're handy, though, you should be able to build a pretty simple
demodulator using phase-locked loops to create the narrow filters.

Rick (remove X from e-mail address)

3455. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: monkey@nospam.net
Message-ID: <35E1E261.85F27A7@nospam.net>
Source record: 146477

Why give them your name and address when you can give them
a fictitious one? Make up something outrageous, and get
offended if they don't believe you :)

Bad Monkey

Brian wrote:
>
> Interestingly, my local RS gave me a copy of the 1999 catalog at no charge.
> Of course, they had to take my name and address, which is basically a
> non-monetary form of payment.
>
> --
> Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
> http://www.cizone.com
> Computer and Internet features, books, news, free
> technical support, and more.
> To reply, remove "_usenet" from my e-mail address.

3456. BC3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35E1E487.F2F41813@sunshine.net>
Source record: 146478

I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it? or
how it works for you?
thank you too all that respond
Ryan
ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

3457. BC3000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35E1E431.E12F0179@sunshine.net>
Source record: 146479

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Ryan
ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

3458. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082422224800.SAA26780@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146480

>From: "peter hawkes" <peter.hawkes@virgin.net>
>Date: Mon, Aug 24, 1998 16:56 EDT
>Message-id: <6rsjnsldk1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>
>
>What a gaff you are not knowing what POC32 is.

What gaff that you don't know that it's really spelled gaffe.

3459. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdgordon@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082422232200.SAA26859@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146481

Who is the idiot those who charge or those who pay the three bucks?
I was given a catalog free when I said "you aren't really charging $3.95 for
a catalog, are you?"

3460. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6rspbp$1nj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146482

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
<6rs0ff$h3n@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>...
>The usual test fee is $6.35, but the license itself is free. Try
>http://www.arrl.org/ for information on testing and other information in
>your area.
>
>The equipment on the other hand is very costly. If you're going to be on
the
>HF bands, look to spend at least $1000 (and yes, that's cheap) for an
>average HF rig.
>
>If you're looking to get into only VHF/UHF, you'll be looking at about
>$300-500 for an average dual-band handheld, or $500+ for a [dual-band]
>mobile unit.

I've recently purchased an ICOM 2710 for $480, an ICOM 207 for $380, and
2 W32As for 289 each. I friend of mine picked up a Yeasu 8500 for $350.
All of these are dual band with crossband repeat (except for the 207 which
is dual band but only one band at a time) and were brand new. If you don't
mind buying used you can sometimes get a really good deal. Another
friend of mine picked up a barely used 2710 for $200.

That just my 2 cents.

>
>I got my license 2 months ago, and it really has been fun so far. I now
have
>expanded myself from a j-pole and being only on VHF to now getting a
>dual-band Yaesu and a 2 meter beam and rotor. All in two months!
>
>Good luck, and study hard! I recommend "Now You're Talking" from Radio
Shack
>and/or a local library.
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
>It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.
>
>Mike Harmon wrote in message <6rql10cla1@tenax.raex.com>...
>>I am interested in getting my HAM Lic. and would like any info on prices
on
>>Lic. and Equip.

>>
>>Mike

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
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3461. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082422271300.SAA27403@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146483

>From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com

>Yes, that's nice, I got 20 hits from dejanews when I entered "pro
>2042". A few of the posts talked about the computer interface, and
>that was it.

Gee, I don't understand it. This is a subject that has come up several times and has been talked to death. Wiggie has posted a comprehensive overview on a number of occasions.

Try www.optoelectronics.com and www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html to start. Those are two oft-mentioned URLs.

3462. More NFL Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082422281800.SAA10677@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146484

These freqs are assigned to the NFL for mobile use:

463.2375
468.2375
457.5325
461.2375
461.3125
461.3375
461.4625
461.5375
461.6875
461.7875
461.8215
461.8375
461.8625
461.9375
462.8125
463.4875
463.5375
463.7125
464.1125
464.2625
464.3625
464.7125
464.9875
466.2625
466.4125
4667625
466.8375
466.8875

3463. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcl1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082422373600.SAA28899@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146485

>"Zombie Wolf" wrote

>It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks

NO NO NO NO!!!
How do you spell BLACK PLAGUE or VIRUS?
Things have been much better on the NG since Bill hasn't posted.
Bill was the problem and things are back to scanning now.

I think I'll get the radio Slack catalog now to check on a new TT scanner.
Rick

3464. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6rspfs$2c6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146486

CBRambo wrote in message
<1998082412355200.IAA05361@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>In article <1998082409435301.FAA15590@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
history67@aol.com
>(History67) writes:
>
>>
>>The Licence is free, the test fee is $6.10
>>The equipment is KiloBucks
>
>And the old farts babbling endlessly about their health problems will drive
you
>nuts!

I don't know what area you are from, but in my area there are quite a few
younger hams.
It seems like the ham community is very strong and growing.

>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

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3465. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.104b97d742f59a14989735@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146487

Tandy is of course the master of nobody and nothing. After all, they can't even seem to keep a electronics store in business. They recently sold out their Computer City chain to their arch competitor CompUSA. What does that say.

3466. Re: Texas county will be first to trace cell phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: monkey@nospam.net
Message-ID: <35E1E53F.A5EBD340@nospam.net>
Source record: 146488

Tracey*Levin wrote:
>
> There is a way around this. If you want to not be dectected, place your
> call from the outside fringe of their area which will allow fewer cell
> sites to be involved in the detection of your signal.
>
> Inside their standard zone, youll have several sites looking at you.

Also, you can simply use a directional antenna, which confuses the
triangulation process. Of course they will still know which phone
placed the call, from the ESN.

Bad Monkey

3467. Re: Diamond D-707E antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.104b975727dccf21989734@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146489

Yes. I owned one in California for a year. I was very disappointed with it. It had an excessive noise floor and poor sensitivity altogether. I was very pleased to have taken Glenn's (the owner of Scanner's Unlimited in San Carlos California) advice and tried a "Monitenna" from Channel Master. It turned out to be the most superior antenna I ever owned and I feel as if I owned them all. Austin, Grove, Channel Master just to name a few. The higher you get it and using a non-metallic mast, the better it performs. I challenge anyone to find a antenna to outperform it across the entire range of 25mhz to 1300mhz. If you want to talk to Glenn about it, you can reach him at his store Tuesday through Saturday. (650) 573-1624. Good Luck.

3468. New Web Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Kathy <lynchs@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6rsr6j$qm0$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 146490

Thought I would jump into the fray with a new web page for the south side Hampton Roads area.

http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/Paradise/5341/RP2.html

- Ed Lynch
Chesapeake, VA

3469. BC560Xlt $45.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3tug@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082423053700.TAA02987@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146491

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BC560xlt wallcharger book GC $45.00 shipped
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3470. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cenick <cenick@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6rsta5$7m5@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146492
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just say No!
Dan Danz wrote in message <6rsr8o$cvk@transfer.stratus.com>...
>
>Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6rskoobel1@garnet.mint.net>...
>>It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
>Cheeks.
>[..snip..]
>>and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>>
>>
>
>I'd rather let sleeping dogs lie.
>
>

3471. Earn Commisions/put our Descrambler Add on your website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082423305500.TAA19567@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146493

Put our Speech Inversion Descrambler Add on your web page and
earn a $5.00 commision on each sale. Email CTPDS49@AOL.COM
for full details.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters/ Service Manuals</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

3472. Great way to put a scanner on your Bike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Holland <mholland@sailtechmarine.com>
Message-ID: <6rsqamfns2@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 146494

Check out the Bike and Motorcycle mounts for scanners, two-way, ham, GPS, and Cell.

http://www.sailtechmarine.com

Mike

3473. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35E1FD47.51C9@parg.org>
Source record: 146495
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:
> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks.
> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell

Perhaps your energies would be better suited sending complaints to the
Cheek-a-likes who are still causing troubles.

3474. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082423483800.TAA22052@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146496

> They recently
>sold out their Computer City chain to their arch competitor CompUSA. What
>does that say.

It says they know how to build a business from scratch then sell it to a
competitor for millions and walk away with the profit.

JW

3475. Re: I can't help myself

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcfcd$9b3614e0$15dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 146497

Joe,
Just what are you trying to say? :-)
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Joe Nicholson <Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com> wrote in
article <dfb_9808220500@warpgate.com>...

Diarrhea Mouth john mackey is a L I A R
> Diarrhea Mouth john mackey is a L I A R
> Diarrhea Mouth john mackey is a L I A R

3476. help needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ammodog <ammodog@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <6rsvfm$k74$1@news.ispn.net>
Source record: 146498
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I aquired an old uniden bc145xl, I was wondering if anyone knew the freq range on this scanner, and if there were any mods. email me or post here.

thanks in advance.

3477. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Stamper <gstamper@eagle1.eaglenet.com>
Message-ID: <35E204AA.550D@eagle1.eaglenet.com>
Source record: 146499
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Other replies snipped. This reply is directed toward the original
poster

> >ScannerMan wrote:
> >
> >> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> >> solicit your opinions.
> >>
> >> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> >> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> >> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> >> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> >> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
> >>
> >> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
> >>
> >> Dave McGuire

Your first problem is that your assumption is incorrect. If you are not
licensed by the FCC to transmit on a given frequency you do not have the
right to do so for any reason whatsoever. Even a ham radio operator who
is licensed by the FCC to transmit on multiple frequencies is not
permitted to transmit on any frequency they choose. They can only
transmit on the frequencies that they are licensed for. And a ham radio
operator is not licensed to transmit on the public safety frequencies,
solely because he/she is a ham.

If you have a two-way radio (a radio capable of transmitting) it is
supposed to be licensed to someone. The fact that you can purchase such
a radio, capable of transmitting on the public safety frequencies,
without proving that you have a license to transmit on those frequencies
simply points out the loop hole in the licensing requirements and the
desire of the company that sold you the radio to make a buck.

3478. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam <being@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6rt2qd$2pl$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146500
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

peter hawkes wrote in message
<6rsjkslbi1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>...
|It is pager decoding software.
|
does it really work? and how does it work? have anyone tried? just want to
know.

sam

3479. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#IW62W8z9GA.169@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146501
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Try this one

http://huizen.dds.nl/~pocsag/pocsag.htm

Anthony Larkin wrote in message <6rsucm$o1s4@kirk.tinet.ie>...
>The URL you quote does not work!!
>
>Error message 404 comes up.
>
>Anthony
>a_alpha1 wrote in message <35E0470A.A65AFFD@pacbell.net>...
>> Hello All ,
>>
>> Deti , the maker of this softeware has seen fit to change his mind
>> about making it freeware. He gave this program away for a long
>> time stating that it was freeware , without any reservations.
>> Then "WITHOUT WARNING" he published a new version that 1.
>> was no longer 'FREEWARE " (the current version) and 2. killed
>> the freeware versions that you already had. So instead of getting an
>> upgrade , you got ripped instead. If you install this software where
>> you already have the "pay " version , it wont work . "AND" if you try
>> out the pay version and decide thats its not worth the extra ,
>> you can't go back to your old " so called " freeware.
>> I , for one do not like this type of business practice. I consider it
>> " offensive " to be given something then have the same person
>> " steal " it back. To make the freeware version work once again,
>> just remove ALL references to poc32 in the registry with REGEDIT.
>> Then reinstall the "FREEWARE " . Like the pay version better ..???
>> Then go to http://warezslutz.com/crckspage/new/wpcrackz.htm
>> and get the " crack " for the current version .. " fairs fair " and
>> " what goes around comes around "
>>
>> a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAIR
>>
>>
>>davie wrote:
>>
>>> freeware poc32
>>>
>>> --
-
>-
>>>
>>> Name: poc32.zip

```
>>> poc32.zip Type: Zip Compressed Data
>(application/x-zip-compressed)
>>> Encoding: base64
>>
>>
>>
>
>
```

3480. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: erhu@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35e0bf61.1713879@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 146502

O.K. Don't shoot me over this but I think the way they see it is that
if it was free everylittle kid and non buyer would take one and they
cost something to produce so they charge the 2.95 to keep the flakes
from walking off with them then having to cover the losses thru higher
product prices. So, to satisfy the purchasing public, they place
coupons in the catalog that well offsets the purchase price. I don't
work there but that's how it's worked out for me this past five years
PLUS they send me a coupon that can be used during the month of
my birthday that is good for 10% off ANY purchase. So quit your
whinning and buy the damn catalog and use the coupons and you can
actually save way more than the 2.95 you spent. If you don't buy
anything from them then maybe GIVING you a nice bound color catalog
would cost the rest of us higher prices when WE buy something, think
about it.......
Neal
Anaheim, Ca
P.S. I don't work there or own stock.

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 17:31:30 GMT, chesler@world.std.com (David S
Chesler) wrote:

> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.
> Radio Shack tends to have clueless salespeople, but the fellow
>who explained the new policy to me yesterday was a real winner.
> "Lots of people want the catalog, but they don't want to pay
> for them."
> "Yup. And when you start charging admission, I won't want
> to come into the store, either."
> "The catalogs cost money -- if they didn't charge for them,
> they'd have to make up the cost elsewhere, perhaps by raising
> prices."
> [Sotto vocce] "Well, they sure couldn't cut your minimum wage
> salary. I wonder how much they pay for the database that has
> a record of every AA battery I ever bought from them, and where.
> I wonder if they ever heard of 'Promotional Material'?"
>--
>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or /paddleball.html)
>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

3481. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Reuschlein <jayr@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#kAwMo8z9GA.74@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146503

I also received it free for giving my name and address (Which I didn't mind as I am already on their mailing list)

Mall of America, 1st floor. Didn't stop in the 3rd floor store.

Jason

Brian wrote in message <6rrpuc$545$1@news.wintek.com>...
>I just picked up mine and wasn't charged a thing. The droid scanned it in
>the register and gave it to me....
>
>I agree with you that some of those salespeople don't have a clue about
>anything....

3482. Re: Motarola Secure'net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dale@urs2.net
Message-ID: <35E21675.24173391@urs2.net>
Source record: 146504

Don't waste your time. The Motorola Secure Net digital encription (DVP, DES & DES-XL) is one of the hardest to bust. It will cost you LOTS of your hard earned money and time to do it and most (99.999%) of law enforcement abencies change their code key on a daily or more basis. If you get caught even trying, its a FEDERAL CRIME. Its not worth it.

Dale B.

Lawrence Family wrote:

> Does anyone know of a way to decode the Motarola Secure'Net digital
> encoding? Please E-Mail back

3483. Re: PRO 2026 - # 200-0148A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6rt53l$3qv$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146505

AllanStern wrote:
>
> >> I have a pro 2026 - mod # 200-0148A.....date tag is 7A4<<
>
> The 7A4 tells you the scanner was manufactured in July of 94. To be
> cell-modifiable, most scanners have to have been manufactured before April of
> 94; for example those with date codes of 1A4, 2A4, and 3A4 would be OK.
>
> AL STERN Satellite Beach FL
> ï¿½ Patrick AFB ï¿½ NASA-KSC ï¿½ Cape Canaveral Air Station

THE SERIAL NO. TELLS IT ALL IF IT STARTS WITH 45 IT CAN'T BE MODIFIED

3484. S. Nevada enthusiests

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: skipp21@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35e21bb3.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 146506

I am interested in corresponding with scanner enthusiests in my area.

Throw me a line....Rich at skipp21@ibm.net

3485. BC200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David R. Firbank" <firbank@mountain-inter.net>
Message-ID: <35e21e0f.0@news.westel.com>
Source record: 146507

Does anyone know how to clear (1) or all memory locations without using another frequency and how to reconfigure scanning to clear any or all locked out sectors?

3486. Re: PRO-34 cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Mansfield <davemanNOSPAM@vmicro.com>
Message-ID: <35e21e4d.0@news.vmicro.com>
Source record: 146508

Dan Dillon wrote in message <35E1033D.2C251A@catalina-inter.net>...
>Bruce K wrote:
.
<snip>
.
>I think it was the bottom one labeled D34, but my memory may not

D11 to be exact. Several web sites have this info, or links to pages that have the info.

>serve me correct. These instructions certainly are not enough to reeally
>do it- you need to confirm which diode is the right one.
>
>By the way, listening to cell is illegal (stupid law) and I don't condone
>it. Besides... more importantly- It's a fair bit of work to work to get
>in there and mod the thing just to listen to something you will get bored
>with rather quickly.

Well, there's always that chance, just that little one, that you might monitor something that would allow you to pretend you're James Bond, or maybe hear some fantastic sex lies, or heaven forbid, a politician or two telling the TRUTH!!!

Reminds me of a tank commander I had - like to pretend he was shooting Commies while the track was parked in the motor pool..Oops! That's an off topic subject that belongs somewhere else...<sigh>

>
>In my opinion, the Pro 34 is a fantastic scanner.

There are better nowadays, but this guy is a great workhorse...

3487. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Giant Squid <squid@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <6rta36sro1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 146509

Heck yeah, give them any name you want, most of them care as little about it as you do. If you lied and gave them a fake name, then maybe they would give you a free catalog.
Remember this, if the RS employees had a computer science degree or an electrical engineering degree, or could build a computer from the parts on the back wall, they wouldn't be working a minimum wage job. Burger king pays better, and their service sucks too. What do you expect?
monkey@nospam.net wrote in message <35E1E261.85F27A7@nospam.net>...
>Why give them your name and address when you can give them
>a fictitious one? Make up something outrageous, and get
>offended if they don't believe you :)
>
>Bad Monkey
>
>----------

3488. Re: Texas county will be first to trace cell phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rt7t7bps1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146510

A directional antenna wouldn't throw off a triangulation process in most
situations.
monkey@nospam.net wrote in message
>Also, you can simply use a directional antenna, which confuses the
>triangulation process. Of course they will still know which phone
>placed the call, from the ESN.
>
>Bad Monkey

3489. Singal amps for handheld units....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcs_ms <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#B2ndu9z9GA.326@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146511
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just wondering if anyone out there uses the inline signal amps for handheld units. Radio Shack has one for $65.00 and I have seen a few on the web ranging from 40 to 100 bucks..

Worth the money?

Thanks!

3490. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35E22FF0.2F97@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146512

monkey@nospam.net wrote:
>
> Why give them your name and address when you can give them
> a fictitious one? Make up something outrageous, and get
> offended if they don't believe you :)
How about one of the following:
Dick Burns
Mike Hunt
I.P. Freeley
>
> Bad Monkey
>
> ----------
>
> Brian wrote:
> >
> > Interestingly, my local RS gave me a copy of the 1999 catalog at no charge.
> > Of course, they had to take my name and address, which is basically a
> > non-monetary form of payment.
> >
> > --
> > Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
> > http://www.cizone.com
> > Computer and Internet features, books, news, free
> > technical support, and more.
> > To reply, remove "_usenet" from my e-mail address.

3491. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35E23093.FED@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146513

CBRambo wrote:
>
> In article <6rs1vv$e6e$1@news-2.news.gte.net>, dre@gte.net (doug) writes:
>
> >I agree 100%. Those RS idiots haven't figured out that in business to
> >make money you must spend money ie. catalogs. What always amazed me
> >about them is that they pay so little to train their staff. The
> >ignorance of their sales people became such a joke that instaed of
> >truly rectifying the problem with improved training, they come up with
> >a slogan that denies the existence of the problem: "You've got
> >questions, we've got answers" ......righhhhht!
>
> I worked for them once. Minimum wage plus a pitiful commission. They wonder
> why their turnover is so high and why their employees have the I.Q. of an
> inbred turkey.
If I was an inbred turkey I would be insulted by that remark.
>
> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3492. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35E23204.16CD@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146514

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >From: rjmierrn@aol.com
>
> >Tight asses, if you cant part with three bucks then you need too get a life
> >and >a job.IMOH
> >
>
> You apparently don't get it. No one is worried about the lousy three bucks.
> It's the prinicple. If someone wants to do business with you, they should at
> least make some attempt to make it easy as well as show their appreciation for
> your patronage. I don't see that as being a particular tricky concept to grasp,
> do you?
I recently saw Tandy's chairman on one of the business programs. To sum
up what he said in my own words, they are interested in selling cellular
and long distance phone service. The rest is window dressing.

Why do you think that their trained monkeys (with my utmost apologies to
those trained monkeys out there who may take offense at this statement)
always hit you up to sign up for cellular phone service or change your
long distance carrier every time you walk through the door???

3493. AVCOM SDM-42A Spectrum Display Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron M <monfeli@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <35E235B3.50DBA60A@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 146515
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This professional Spectrum Display Monitor is designed for use as a panoramic signal display for VHF scanners and Communication Receivers such as Icom, AOR Realistic etc. The SDM-42A displays all signals present in the receiver's IF on a 5" CRT so that the operator can monitor signal activity up to a full 10mhz wide. The operator can then quickly tune to signals as they appear in the spectrum display. This greatly facilitates locating and tuning of intermittent signals as well as surveilling a particular frequency band. This unit has been used in a

hobbiest environment not a professional one and is in excellent condition. Asking $750.00.
Ron

3494. FS:PRO-2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35E23575.6634@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146516
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Excellent condition.
$150 plus $10 for shipping

3495. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35e18ad3.379912@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146517
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 15:29:50 GMT, jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com (Jeff
Adams) wrote:

>On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 01:33:32 GMT, wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:
>
>>On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 16:43:53 -0400 (EDT), capone23@webtv.net (joe
>>stanley) wrote:
>>
>>>does anyone have any mods for the pro-2042
>>>
>>
>>There are quite a few mods for the Pro-2042 to make it a awesome
>>setup.
>
>And those would be? ... Could you list them, or provide a book title
>or URL or something?
>
Well, for starters....
1) S-meter
2) Center Tune Meter
3) Extended Delay
4) Auto Tape Record Switch
5) Extended memory
6) Data-Tone Squelch
7) SCA Decoder
Basic mods from internet and the book "THE ULTIMATE SCANNER"
8) Computer interfacing
Optoelectronics OS535
http://www.optoelectronics.com/
PROgramit Interface
http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/
Boondog Automation ISA card interface
http://www.boondog.com/
9) Remote Control (see PROgramit's page)
There are others that can add a few features, but they don't readily
come to mind.

Wiggie

3496. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <ezfQi$8z9GA.125@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>
>As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
>officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
>around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
>Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>situation.

I left Law Enforcement because most cops I worked with fit the same this description. One who still works as a Deputy Sheriff almost shot me on a trespasser call, when there was no justifable reason to use deadly force at all. This same individual two years ago left a suspect lock in his Police Car with the heat on full during a 95 degree day until the man passed out.

>
>If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access
to a
>Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
>cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to
call
>911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
>type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the
Police
>radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.

When the chips are down and someone's ass is on the line, who cares how help is summoned. My best friend was shot by a dirt ball while trying to figure out all that justifable use of deadly force guidelines. Like the old LA Cop said many years ago "It is better to be judged by 12 than carried by 6"

>
>If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the
Chief
>or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!

Let's face it Chiefs and Sheriffs are Politicians only the people can get them votes or poltical power get this privilege. How many worthless politcal party supporters are Special Poilceman or Deputies?
>
>
>
>COP

Ivan Ivanovich

3497. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <OePQJD9z9GA.250@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Oh I forgot, try finding a pay these days, especially in BFE. I work for the phone company and can tell you we are getting out of the pay phone business due to the lack of PROFIT. Money Talks Bullshit Walks, some thing I learned working Washington DC metro area.

Ivan Ivanovich

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote in message ...
>In article <35DDA23E.1C94@notmyisp.com>, radioboy@notmyisp.com wrote:

stuff deleted
>
>That is why there are pay phones around. 911 is a free call. If you were
to
>transmit on our system with prior authorization you would not have that
radio
>long. If you want to be a Police Officer why don't you go through the
>training and become one. Don't be a wannabee.......
>
>
>COP
=RadioBoy=

3498. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <uT8dkF9z9GA.126@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

ibhsffo wrote in message <35DDD85E.3C685A57@mci2000.com>...
>

bunch of dribble removed here

>another ham or scanner listener. You would probably be better off just
>putting out a broadcast on the local repeater frequency so one of the
>hams could dial 911 for you. BTW don't you have a phone patch on your
>local ham repeater? If not, why not?

Been their tried that! Cell Phone is definitely better, even though it takes
a minimum of 20 minutes just to be routed to the right agency!

Ivan Ivanovich

>
>HMG

3499. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <eNYkyG9z9GA.158@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

You forgot to mention it would be advisable to retain a Lawyer and at least
one Ham/Cop expert to validate your judgement.

Ivan Ivanovich
Ben wrote in message <35ddb26c.2330118@news.mindspring.com>...
>Funny, we were always told that in a life or death situation it IS
>permissible to transmit on ANY frequency to SAVE that LIFE.
>You just have to try EVERY other means available to you first.
>
>Ben
>

3500. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <#OC3$J9z9GA.207@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Best answer is there no right or wrong answer!

Use your best judgement for the situation at hand.

After reading all the replies this simple post invoked, the theory "Opinions are like assholes everyone has one" is now become a validated Fact!

ScannerMan wrote in message <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>...
>I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>solicit your opinions.
>
>Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
>Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
>
>Dave McGuire

3501. Off Topic: Childish Activities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Tabor <edward.tabor@dol.net>
Message-ID: <35E25B73.58C0EBDB@dol.net>
Source record: 146523

I read the messages posted on this net and, over half of them are putting down individuals that, obviously, some person(s) has a vendetta for. As grown adults (I hope), can we leave the rude comments to ourselves, or, if really inclined, post them off the net. I believe useful information may be in the net but, as of this time, it is a waste. I will stay subscribed (for now) but, I am really getting turned off. Like any good CB or other radio, the on/off switch is a handy device.
I don't write this to cause flames but to ask that writer's use common courtesy, not be common, in the writings they produce.
Thanks to all. Ed

3502. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E1DF5C.2CC47A2A@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146524
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Since you have obviously been off the planet for some time ..
why don't you look at the " thousands " of pos32 relaced posts
at My-Deja News ...and see if there are still any questions
afterward.....

a_alpha1

sam wrote:

> peter hawkes wrote in message
> <6rsjkslbi1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>...
> |It is pager decoding software.
> |
> does it really work? and how does it work? have anyone tried? just want to
> know.
>
> sam

3503. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rs0o5$i2v@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146525

Whoa! He he.

I think that they should just make the catalog completely free of charge,
even if no purchase is made. Heck, TechAmerica (a division of Tandy,
interestingly) has a catalog about three or four times the size of Rat
Shaft's, and they charge absolutely nothing for it.

I guess $3 is not much, but it really is the principle of the thing...
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

Ed Walsh wrote in message <6rqjli$3jo@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>...
>
>Sounds like RatShack is not very consistent when it comes to handling the
>catalogs. My wife went into a RS this afternoon to pick up a catalog for
>me. Not only did they not charge her, but they asked her how many she
would
>like!
>
>

3504. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rs0ri$ifj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146526

IYHO?

The principle (like CBRambo said) is that we don't WANT to pay $3 for
something that will compell us to want to spend more $$ later.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

RjMIERRN wrote in message
<1998082412113700.IAA03955@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Tight asses, if you cant part with three bucks then you need too get a life
and
>a job.IMOH

3505. Re: 895 scanning speed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwco16@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082415321400.LAA20594@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146527

Ours at work goes so fast that it barely displays it b-4 it changes 100 per sec
or so! Looks fast!
-JWO

3506. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35e186da.227193156@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 146528
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 01:33:32 GMT, wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:

>On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 16:43:53 -0400 (EDT), capone23@webtv.net (joe
>stanley) wrote:
>
>>does anyone have any mods for the pro-2042
>>
>
>There are quite a few mods for the Pro-2042 to make it a awesome
>setup.

And those would be? ... Could you list them, or provide a book title
or URL or something?

3507. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082415464800.LAA22043@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146529

>From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
>
>And those would be? ... Could you list them, or provide a book title
>or URL or something?

There is a lot of information already available if you do a www.dejanews.com.

3508. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dre@gte.net
Message-ID: <6rs1vv$e6e$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146530

I agree 100%. Those RS idiots haven't figured out that in business to make money you must spend money ie. catalogs. What always amazed me about them is that they pay so little to train their staff. The ignorance of their sales people became such a joke that instaed of truly rectifying the problem with improved training, they come up with a slogan that denies the existence of the problem: "You've got questions, we've got answers" ......righhhhht!

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 17:31:30 GMT, chesler@world.std.com (David S Chesler) wrote:

> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.
> Radio Shack tends to have clueless salespeople, but the fellow
>who explained the new policy to me yesterday was a real winner.
> "Lots of people want the catalog, but they don't want to pay
> for them."
> "Yup. And when you start charging admission, I won't want
> to come into the store, either."
> "The catalogs cost money -- if they didn't charge for them,
> they'd have to make up the cost elsewhere, perhaps by raising
> prices."
> [Sotto vocce] "Well, they sure couldn't cut your minimum wage
> salary. I wonder how much they pay for the database that has
> a record of every AA battery I ever bought from them, and where.
> I wonder if they ever heard of 'Promotional Material'?"
>--
>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or /paddleball.html)
>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

3509. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082416001800.MAA10653@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146531

In article <6rs1vv$e6e$1@news-2.news.gte.net>, dre@gte.net (doug) writes:

>I agree 100%. Those RS idiots haven't figured out that in business to
>make money you must spend money ie. catalogs. What always amazed me
>about them is that they pay so little to train their staff. The
>ignorance of their sales people became such a joke that instaed of
>truly rectifying the problem with improved training, they come up with
>a slogan that denies the existence of the problem: "You've got
>questions, we've got answers" ......righhhhht!

I worked for them once. Minimum wage plus a pitiful commission. They wonder why their turnover is so high and why their employees have the I.Q. of an inbred turkey.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3510. Pro-2037

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug270@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35e186b9.17902526@news-server>
Source record: 146532

I have a Radio Shack Pro - 2037 scanners.
Like new condition.
Original boxes and documentation.
Triple conversion.
200 Channel
Search
150.00 $

Send E-Mail to doug270@yahoo.com

Thanks
Doug

3511. Re: Via Rail freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Mercier <pmercier@recorder.ca>
Message-ID: <35E19853.3357CD8C@recorder.ca>
Source record: 146533

Since VIA Rail no longer has conductors, you may wish to add the following
frequency:

160.2000 Mhz.

It is used for communications between the enginemen and the Service Managers,
and the
Service Managers and Service Attendants. The above frequency is the one used
in
the Corridor, and should be the same elsewhere.

You can always ask one of the Service Attendants to have a look at his radio
monitor.
The frequencies it covers are listed either on the back or on the bottom.

Marc Purdon wrote:

> Try 159.81, 418.05 also the following:
>
> 161.415 -- -- channel 1 (end to end)
> 161.205 -- -- channel 2 (dispatcher)
> 160.935 -- -- channel 3 (dispatcher)
> 160.665 -- -- channel 4 (dispatcher)
> 160.365 -- -- channel 5 (terminal switching)
> 160.485 -- -- channel 6 (dispatcher)
> 161.025 -- -- channel 8 (dispatcher)
> 161.505 -- -- CN police
>
> James Koole wrote:
>
> > Anyone have any Via Rail (Canada) frequencies. I'm heading out on the
> > Canadian and am interested in listening in to what's happening along the
> > way.
> >
> > Thanks in advance,
> >
> > --
> > James Koole
> > email <jkoole@iname.com>
>
> --
> Marc Purdon
> Calgary, Alberta.
> http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

3512. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brian_usenet@cizone.com>
Message-ID: <pYgE1.86$Fm.4399922@news.en.com>
Source record: 146534

Interestingly, my local RS gave me a copy of the 1999 catalog at no charge.
Of course, they had to take my name and address, which is basically a
non-monetary form of payment.

--
Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
http://www.cizone.com
Computer and Internet features, books, news, free
technical support, and more.
To reply, remove "_usenet" from my e-mail address.

David S Chesler wrote in message ...
> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.
[...]
>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or
/paddleball.html)
>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

3513. IHRA drag racing freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6rs6gicht1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146535

Anyone know of freqs used at IHRA drag racing events?

3514. FS: Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multi-band Receiver/Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: av391@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <6rs3pt$b3@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 146536

Yupiteru MVT-7100 Multiband Scanner/Receiver

One of the best scanner/receiver units money can buy!

- frequency range from 530kHz to 1650Mhz in receiving modes:
Wide FM, Narrow FM, AM, LSB and USB (including cellular band)
- twelve frequency steps can be selected
- 10-band search function
- 1000-channel memory
- comes with car connector, hand strap, belt clip, earphone,
original box, owner's manual and original receipt
- purchased in November 1996: used no more than 25 hours
Price: $500 CANADIAN CASH FIRM

Originally paid over $900 from Atlantic Ham Radio. This was the
second model from the top back in 1996. It was hardly ever
used (practically brand new). Yes, from the above frequency range,
you can receive all analog cellular conversions!

Serious inquiries ONLY. Located in Toronto. Leave a voice number
if interested.

3515. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rs49q$q4k$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146537

If you were on RadioShacks mailing list, then you would have your battery club card by now. I guess you don't like giving out your name and address for catalog updates. Oh well. You can still go to your nearest RadioShack and ask them for the battery card. It is back and it is a better value than before.

CBRambo wrote in message
<19980824123549O0.IAA05358@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>In article <19980824121137O0.IAA03955@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
rjmierrn@aol.com
>(RjMIERRN) writes:

Screw that! And whatever happened to my free "battery of the
>month" card?
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3516. FS: Realistic Pro-34 Scanner ($125)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: fly1200@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6rsat2$c0h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146538
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE: Realistic Pro-34 Scanner ($125)

Frequency coverage: 30-54, 108-138, 138-174, 380-512 and 800-900 MHz
(including cellular coverage). In good, working condition.

Asking $125 (plus shipping).

--
fly1200@hotmail.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3517. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082417370100.NAA04196@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146539

In article <6rs49q$q4k$1@news4.wt.net>, "John Habbinga" <habbinga@wt.net>
writes:

>If you were on RadioShacks mailing list, then you would have your battery
>club card by now. I guess you don't like giving out your name and address
>for catalog updates.

Actually, I don't like my name and address being given to junk mailers,
telemarketers, future government scanner confiscators, etc.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3518. Barbados and scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35e1aa54.2746554@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 146540

Hi,

Does anyone out there know whether scanners are allowed on Barbados? I will be visiting the island in a few weeks and would like to take my scanner with me.

Thanks in advance,

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Joost van Stuyvenberg
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
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3519. Re: Icom R10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35e1a535.1434903@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 146541

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 08:32:00 -0500, "Frequr" <Monitor@kdsi.net> wrote:

>A popular webpage (www.strongsignals.net) is reporting that the august 20
>shipment of Icom R10's
>will be the last ones let into the US. They are reporting that the FCC will
>not approve anymore of their "easily modifiable radios" in regards to
>cellular reception. Has anyone done this mod?

Take a look at my IC-R10 page (http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10) for
a description of this mod.

Regards,

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Joost van Stuyvenberg
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
==================================

3520. FS : PRO - 2038 (50 Chnl + 800 mhz / base or mobile)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Jones <asjones_98@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35E1ABBB.4711@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146542

For Sale - Pro 2038

* 50 channel
* up to 956 mhz range
* can be used as base unit or mobile
* preprogrammed band searches (Police, Fire, Marine, WX, etc)
* Orig box & manual
* replacement 12v AC Adapter

Asking $75.00 + S/H / Will accept other offers.

Send to asjones_98@yahoo.com

3521. FS AOR 8000, pre-ban, full coverage reciever.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve painter <stevepaint@clearwater.net>
Message-ID: <35e1903f.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 146543

AOR 8000, Pre-ban, full coverage receiver. No gaps in coverage. Included: Soft case & 4 AA rechargeable batteries, antenna, wrist lanyard, cigarette lighter adapter & AC adapter, Manual & original box & packing materials. Unit is in like new condition, one yr.. old & used only about 25 hrs. Also included is the Opto Electronics Optolynx, boxed with manual & AOR conn. cable, installation disk (with radio manager for windows), AC adapter & warranty card, along with the Scancat-Gold for Windows (v7.011), Scanner Wear soft control 2.0 demo disk, Signal Intelligence Scan*Star plus demo disk, manual, quick start card, envelope software/manual. Would like to sell this as a package for $550, but will respond to all offers.

Also have a new Radio Shack LCD Freq. counter (cat.#22-306) which is the newer design with hold function, boxed with manual & antenna. Used only about 6 times. $75, OBO. All items are fully guaranteed, & your money will be cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied.

3522. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Wood <timfy@csi.com>
Message-ID: <#Hp9KC5z9GA.290@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 146544
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

POC32 is a fantastic piece of software that can decode pager signals.

It is worth every penny of the meagre registration asked, and no, I'm
nothing to do with the author (other than a user of his software)

KAPIL wrote in message <6rqgcqien1@news.megsinet.net>...
>Exactly what the hell is POC32???????????????
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>
>davie wrote in message <6rpc97$8im$1@apple.news.easynet.net>...
>>freeware poc32
>>
>
>

3523. FS: AOR and RS scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robinson <tsr172@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6rsckh$8u0$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146545

AOR 1500 unblocked with case $301, AOR 1000 unblocked with case $261, Radio Shack Pro-2035 no mods $260. E-mail for further information.

Tim Robinson
KF4MGU

3524. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reddog <senorpurpl@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6rsdt2$9eb$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 146546

Old farts with health problems

nope that ham (at least in my area)

or the most foul, disgusting language
heard on CB (quite unsuitable for family use).

depends on where you live and what mode you use

Why not try FRS?
too short range.

getting a ham license seems really easy. I have started studying and if i
kept up with it i would probably have it by now.

www.arrl.org might be a good place to get some info as well.

>
>CBRambo wrote:
>>
>> In article <1998082409435301.FAA15590@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
history67@aol.com
>> (History67) writes:
>>
>> >
>> >The Licence is free, the test fee is $6.10
>> >The equipment is KiloBucks
>>
>> And the old farts babbling endlessly about their health problems will
drive you
>> nuts!
>>
>> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
>> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3525. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access1.digex.net
Message-ID: <6rsf9m$4vq@access1.digex.net>
Source record: 146547

In article <19980824160018OO.MAA10653@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
CBRambo <cbrambo@aol.com> wrote:

>I worked for them once. Minimum wage plus a pitiful commission. They wonder
>why their turnover is so high and why their employees have the I.Q. of an
>inbred turkey.

It depends on the store and the manager.

Correct me if this is out of date, but.... My understanding is that the store managers are well trained, but work with great autonomy. They operate as if the store were their own. They decide who to hire and how to train them. Too many just go for minimum wage droids. Some look beyond just what their payroll is that week. There's a great RS near me that always has well trained people. They're across the street from a high tech office park, and figure they're dead meat if they can't service those customers.

So when you got to a RS, you're patronizing the individual store, not the company. Just like the auto repair job you get at one Shell or Mobile station has nothing to do with what will happen at another.

Ken Plotkin

3526. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tork <tork@cts.com>
Message-ID: <903988305.56102@wagasa.cts.com>
Source record: 146548

Want to be a Ham Radio Operator?

Now you can get an Amateur Radio license without learning the Morse code.
First, you need to study the FCC Rules that apply to Novices and Technicians, some antenna theory, and electronics theory. Next, you take a 30 question multiple choice test and a 25 question multiple choice test. You can buy a book with all the questions and answers in it at Ham Radio Outlet or any Radio Shack store ..and start studying.
If the Morse code does not scare you, you can get beginning code practice tapes with your study material and start with the Novice license which requires ability to copy code at 5-words per minute.
A Novice gets more HF privileges (longer distances) and a codeless Technician gets more VHF and UHF privileges. If you add the code at 5-words per minute to the Technician license, you get all of the Novice and Technician privileges.
PARC (Palomar Amateur Radio Club San Diego)annually conducts licensing and upgrade classes beginning in late spring and continuing through the summer. Classes meet one evening
per week and carry the student from Novice through the Advanced class license.
If you are interested in computers, you can access bulletin boards and contact other computers via packet radio. Technicians can also get involved with Amateur TV, microwave transmission, satellites, earth-moon transmissions, community service, transmitter hunts, and use mobile UHF and VHF radios.

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David Torkelson
KF6DGN
33.205 N 117.353 W
Grid Square DM13
Oceanside, Ca. United States
Mike Harmon wrote in message <6rql10cla1@tenax.raex.com>...
>I am interested in getting my HAM Lic. and would like any info on prices on
>Lic. and Equip.
>
>Mike
>
>

3527. Pro-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug270@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35e286df.17940303@news-server>
Source record: 146549

Pro-60
Like new condition
Hand Held Scanner
200 Channel
Search
Triple Conversion
Will pick up MilAir
6 New Nicads and charger
$175.00 or best offer

Send E-Mail to doug270@yahoo.com

Thanks
Doug

3528. Re: How to receive AFSK signal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdag@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rslhapvg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,comp.dcom.modems

In article <35E146BD.94ED7B40@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it>,
fabrizio@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it wrote:
> I would like to acquire data from a weather radiosonde that transmits
> on 404 MHz whit the following communication parameter:
> 300, N, 8, 2 in AFSK (2025/2225 Hz)
> <snip>

1) You need to make a "dummy" telephone coupler to connect (I expect) the audio output of a UHF receiver to the Telephone-Line connection of the modem. Older modems can be direct-connected (possibly needing an attenuator network), but newer modems need "loop current" of about 33mA to make them happy. 3) Set up whatever communications code/ software for appropriate serial port and parameters. 2) The modem must be FORCED to Bell 103A Originate mode to prevent Auto (Non-) Sensing of carrier by sending it an AT initialization string. The AT commands differ from modem to modem; for example, a Diamond SupraExpress 336 needs: AT&F&Q6S37=1N0+MS=B103,0,300,300 4) Start "communications session" by sending to modem: ATA Note: if the carrier is marginal or cuts out occasionally, you may wish to disable "carrier-loss disconnect" by sending modem (before ATA): ATS10=255 -- W.D.A.Geary Wardenclyffe Microtechnology Time flies like an arrow, but fruit files like a banana.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3529. Re: PRO-51 squelch tail mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOmikex@swbell#.net
Message-ID: <hKjE1.1948$xF.1701273@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 146551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Todd wrote:
>
> Radio Shack PRO-51: Modification to shorton squelch tail
>
> This change was performed successfully on a unit coded "11A3." The
> CPU in this unit was marked "Uniden UC1581." Use the following
> information at your own risk! Neither I nor my employer are
> responsible for any damages you may incur from this information!
>
> Orientations are with the set flat on a work surface, LCD display
> facing down, with antenna BNC and knobs facing away from yourself.
>
> As with any electronic instrumentation, remove all power and take
> all necessary precautions to prevent damage from electrostatic
> discharge (ESD). This modification requires fine soldering and
> familiarity with surface mount devices.
>
> CAUTION:
>
> Be aware that parts of the circuitry will *still* be powered!
> There is a capacitor on the digital board that keeps the channel
> memory alive. This capacitor may contain enough energy to damage
> the electronics should a short occur.
>
> Parts required: One 1/10th watt carbon resistor, 100K to 220K. Value is
> not critical. A lower value shortens the time the squelch remains open
> after incoming signal stops. The resistor should physically as small
> as possible.
>
> Opening Case
>
> Fortunately, this set is very easy to open. Open battery
> compartment and remove batteries. Remove four screws: two
> straddle the sticker on the back of the cabinet, two others at the
> upper part of the battery compartment. There are two small
> plastic detents at the floor of the battery compartment. They are
> directly downwards from the "-" and "+" legends, which are molded
> on an extension of the removable back. These detents will need to
> be unhitched to allow the back to separate from the front.
> Pull back off gently.
>
> Remove RF board
>

> The RF board is attached to the top panel, which contains the
> volume and squelch controls and the antenna connector. At this
> point, the board is essentially free and will separate from the
> rest of the set when the header connector at the lower right is
> pulled apart. This header provides electrical connections between
> the two boards. Lift the RF board straight out, and set the rest of the
> radio aside. Flip RF board over, keeping BNC pointing away from
> yourself.
>
> Add resistor
>
> Refer to the ASCII diagram below. Bend one of the resistor leads close
> to the body of the resistor so that the resistor forms a hairpin shape.
> Trim leads and solder the new resistor in parallel with the chip
> resistor marked "105." The latter is positioned between the two
> surface-mount IC's towards the bottom of the RF board. Press the new
> resistor parallel to the circuit board, making sure there are no
> shorts.
>
> +------------+
> [101] | |
> | |
> [684] | NJM2090V |
> | |
> [224] | |
> +------------+
> [ ] [ ] [||]
>
> [225] [105] [123]
> | |
> | +-+
> | |R| <---add resistor: 100K - 220K
> | +-+
> _/ +------------+
> | |
> | |
> | TK11900M |
> | |
> | |
> +------------+
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> --
> Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
> http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler
>
>
> NOmikex@swbell#.net wrote:
> >
> > I've read an "old" N.G. post about a squelch tail "mod" for the PRO-51

> > scanner. Any one know where this mod might be posted??
> > Mike
> > mikex@swbell.net
Thank you! I've "surf soldered" surface-mounted PCBs before and this
PRO-51 was one of them. (VHF-L band select line).
"No coffee tonight!"
Mike
mikex@swbell.net

3530. Diamond D-707E antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35E1CA8B.3174@mc.net>
Source record: 146552

Does anyone have any first hand knowledge on this antenna?

Diamond D-707E 40 - 1500Mhz 3 foot fiberglass stick
20db preamp built into the base with
a variable voltage controller inside.

Any reviews, users or comments

Any one using the AUSTIN FERRET base antenna..? Comments?

Thanks Chip

3531. Diamond D-707E antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35E1CAB2.1055@mc.net>
Source record: 146553

Does anyone have any first hand knowledge on this antenna?

Diamond D-707E 40 - 1500Mhz 3 foot fiberglass stick
20db preamp built into the base with
a variable voltage controller inside.

Any reviews, users or comments

Any one using the AUSTIN FERRET base antenna..? Comments?

Thanks Chip

3532. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Isaiah Beard <scared_poet@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <35E1CC9F.324E5DE@pobox.com>
Source record: 146554
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Brian Gaff wrote:

> > Exactly what the hell is POC32???????????????
> Gawd knows, sending a binary here obviously implies some mental
> problem though, so we may not understand it anyway :-)

I've heard it mentioned before it alt.radio.scanner/rec.radio.scanner.
The program is supposed to be a POCSAG encoder/decoder that you can use
on WIN95 platforms..

3533. Re: 8.33 khz step sizes???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <CdVBa1DWwc41Ewt$@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 146555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35df1f77.117541571@news1.i1.net>, user@anon.duh writes

Hi,

>i have been looking into purchasing a handheld scanner for a couple of
>months now, but am a bit confused about what step sizes i will need. i
>hear of this 8.33khz step size, but mainly in the UK newsgroup. will i

Your in the States I assume (St Louis area ?) so the 8.33kHz isn't
really an issue you need to be worried about.

The introduction of 8.33Khs steps has been delayed again to October 1999
although this will not be extended. As things stand at the moment
Germany and France will probably intriduce them first - here in the UK
it will be some considerable time before allocations come into effect.

>be limited by a handheld such as an mvt 7100 or aor 8000 if it doesnt
>have the proper step size? it seems that neither of these have the
>8.33khz step but the mvt 9000 and aor 8200 do --- both a bit to rich
>for my blood. any ideas or comments? thanks.

The MVT-9000 does not have 8.33kHz step sizes as such. The "Offset"
feature allows 8.3kHz frequencies (132.0083 for example) to be selected
but the AR8200 is currently the only scanner that implements 8.33kHz
step sizes correctly.

Even when/if 8.33kHz spaced channels become a reality sets such as the
MVT-7100, AR8000 and anything with steps sizes of 5Khz or smaller will
be able to receive transmissions without much trouble. Whilst the
display may not be exact you will still receive them OK.

If you get the chance try tuning to a VOLMET frequency and tune up/down
in 1kHz steps and see how far you can go before you loose the
transmission.

Hope thats of some help.

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000

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3534. Re: Descrambling/Scrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rsiin$qp7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146556

Nope, it's not. About one police department uses it.
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73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

CTPDS49 wrote in message
<1998082413131600.JAA07911@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>We are interested in knowing if standard speech inversion is still
>used in your geographical area, or if digital encryption is used
exclusively.
>
><A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/
Signal
>Meters/ Service Manuals</A>
>http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

3535. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bombs88@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082420281200.QAA23790@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146557

>Yeah, definately no consisency..
Are you a Radio Shack Sales Person?

3536. Pro-62 Help and Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Decker <sdecker@esg.intel.com>
Message-ID: <35E1CBD6.369D9931@esg.intel.com>
Source record: 146558

Hi All,
I have a Pro-62 that I posted some problems with a wile back.
The new question I have is this. The 62 already works in the
cell and cordless phone area and so mods are not needed for listening.
I don't really listen to these frequencies but once in a great wile. (It's
True, I'm a Air Band guy) If I send this radio in for repair one, will the
unit be changed to lock out these areas or will it be made to meet the
design specs? Second, Does any one have a place they recommend to
send it in to for repair and if so why do you like them?
Thanks for the time.

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Scott Decker
AKA: PadMasterson
Praegitzer Design On Location at
Enterprise Server Group CO3
Intel Corporation
Ph: (503)-677-6582 E-MAIL: Scott.Decker@pii.com

3537. Re: finding security freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Hall" <jdhall@cheyenneweb.com>
Message-ID: <6rsinb$ris@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146559

Buy an inexpensive frequency counter. This is the right tool for the job. They are made to determine the RF frequency of a nearby signal. You might be able to determine the freq. with your scanner eventually, but the counter will do the job instantly.

John Hall

3538. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: peter hawkes <peter.hawkes@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6rsjkslbi1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 146560
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

It is pager decoding software.

KAPIL wrote in message <6rqgcqien1@news.megsinet.net>...
>Exactly what the hell is POC32???????????????
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>davie wrote in message <6rpc97$8im$1@apple.news.easynet.net>...
>>freeware poc32
>>
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>

3539. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: peter hawkes <peter.hawkes@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6rsjnsldk1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 146561
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

What a gaff you are not knowing what POC32 is.
Peter H.
Brian Gaff wrote in message <903937148snz@bgserv.demon.co.uk>...
>In article <6rqgcqien1@news.megsinet.net> kapil@enteract.com "KAPIL"
writes:
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>>
>> Exactly what the hell is POC32???????????????
>>
>>
>
>Gawd knows, sending a binary here obviously implies some mental
>problem though, so we may not understand it anyway :-)
>
>Brian
>
>--
>briang@bgserv.demon.co.uk
>Brian Gaff AKA B G Services - Still supporting Z80
> The Spectrum Emulator
>

3540. Winradio software to decode Morse Code and TTY ??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Breen <jbreen@press-sci.com>
Message-ID: <01bdcfa1$630ca7e0$235fd2ce@barbara>
Source record: 146562

Has anybody developed software for use with the Winradio for Decoding Morse Code and TTY??? Any info would be appreciated.

3541. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35e2cc82.245025147@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 146563

On 24 Aug 1998 15:46:48 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
>>
>>And those would be? ... Could you list them, or provide a book title
>>or URL or something?
>
>There is a lot of information already available if you do a www.dejanews.com.

Yes, that's nice, I got 20 hits from dejanews when I entered "pro
2042". A few of the posts talked about the computer interface, and
that was it. Could you could be more helpful and refer us to a web
site or other source of information?

3542. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbryce <dbryce@eaze.net>
Message-ID: <4skE1.120$W22.581355@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 146564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Some Police Trunk Radios have an ID that comes across a screen. When an officer keys up and lets go with out saying anything, they know who it is. Each radio in the trunk network has an assigned id.

This infformation is based on the Motorola trunk system TypeII

3543. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082420572100.QAA14746@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146565

In article <6rsf9m$4vq@access1.digex.net>, kplotkin@access1.digex.net (Ken Plotkin) writes:

>Correct me if this is out of date, but.... My understanding is that the
>store managers are well trained, but work with great autonomy. They
>operate as if the store were their own. They decide who to hire and how
>to train them. Too many just go for minimum wage droids. Some look
>beyond just what their payroll is that week. There's a great RS near me
>that always has well trained people. They're across the street from a
>high tech office park, and figure they're dead meat if they can't service
>those customers.

Not unless it's changed completely from the days I was there (late 80s.) My experience was just the opposite: the store manager had NO authority whatsoever. All directions, hires, mandates, etc., were by direction of the District Manager...who, in turn, received his "marching orders" as they were handed down from the Regional Manager...who got his directive from Ft. Worth. Typical "stuffed suit" corporate "one size fits all" BS.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3544. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082420584200.QAA14927@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146566

"Radio Shack: You've got questions, we'll point you to the description in the catalog...IF you have the $2.95 (plus tax) to pay for it!"

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3545. Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6rskoobel1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 146567
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks. You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:

ekruse@san.rr.com

and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.

3546. Re: I am looking for an 800mhz antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <OAkE1.260$ej4.5914853@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 146568

Mike:

The Comet, Miracle Baby, #CH-32, works well in the 800MHz band. Best part is, it's only about 1" long!

Bill Crocker

Rocky178 wrote in message <1998082414471000.KAA03384@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>I am looking for an 800mhz antenna to use on a portable scanner for receive. If
>anyone knows where I can get one or has one please let me know.
>
>Thanks,
>Mike

3547. Re: PRO 2026 - # 200-0148A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082421090200.RAA29288@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146569

>> I have a pro 2026 - mod # 200-0148A.....date tag is 7A4<<

The 7A4 tells you the scanner was manufactured in July of 94. To be cell-modifiable, most scanners have to have been manufactured before April of 94; for example those with date codes of 1A4, 2A4, and 3A4 would be OK.

AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

 Patrick AFB NASA-KSC Cape Canaveral Air Station

3548. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane stockley <ds9@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <R0lE1.2998$Z_4.3369984@tor-nn1-ca>
Source record: 146570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

As I understand it, the police in many major cities now use the data-channel
(I would assume) transmissions to multiple receive sites to triangulate the
positions of their officer's locations. A little bad luck would have a
cruiser right near your location at the same time you broke in.
It's a good idea but discretion is necessary.
What happens when a few hundred people start breaking in and bitching on the
various public-safety freqs when, say, their power goes out during a
lightning storm?
How many people do you know that you would trust to have the discipline to
stay off unless it was truly an emergency? (Not to mention their judgement
as to
what constitutes a real emergency.)
<dragonzbreath@hotmail.com>

Rick wrote in message <35E02AD0.CBB36D80@megsinet.net>...
>What about an anonymosis transmission?.....how the hell would they know
>who you are if you dont give them your name?.....they cant pinpoint you!
>
>ScannerMan wrote:
>
>> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>> solicit your opinions.
>>
>> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>>
>> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>>
>> Dave McGuire
>
>
>

3549. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082421364600.RAA20194@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146571

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>Subject: Bill Cheeks can use your help now
>From: "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
>Date: 8/24/98 9:08 PM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <6rskoo$bel$1@garnet.mint.net>
>
>It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks.
>You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell
>them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account
>reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I
>feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
>
> ekruse@san.rr.com
>
>and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
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3550. Re: IHRA drag racing freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082421374500.RAA03457@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146572

Check the back of police call.

3551. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082421413600.RAA20905@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146573

>Subject: Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)
>From: cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo)
>Date: 8/24/98 12:35 PM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <1998082412354900.IAA05358@ladder03.news.aol.com>
>
>In article <1998082412113700.IAA03955@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
>rjmierrn@aol.com
>(RjMIERRN) writes:
>
>>Tight asses, if you cant part with three bucks then you need too get a life
>>and
>>a job.IMOH
>
>You miss the point completely. A catalog is a promotional vehicle for Radio
>Shack to sell it's merchandise. Why should the customer have to PAY for
>their
>sales literature? Do we pay for their radio commercials? TV commercials?
>Newspaper ads? If the cost of the catalog is an issue, they should do what
>they have done in years past...and what other companies do...by offering an
>equal or better merchandise credit against the price of the catalog. But
>$2.95
>with no credit? Screw that! And whatever happened to my free "battery of
>the
>month" card?
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
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But others charge for theirs, ie JC PENNY, Bass Pro to name a couple.

3552. AOR1000 forsale MUST SELL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paradiddle7 <paradiddle7@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35E1F0A3.290B@usa.net>
Source record: 146574
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi,...

I have an AOR1000 .5-1300MHZ Scanner, full cellular, cordless and
military.
1000 Channels in 10 banks has the search feature.
Brand new rechargeables and antenna.
I must sell in order to buy gear for our band.
First $250.00 takes it, I will ship.
Thanks,
Jeff

3553. PRO-37 Speaker replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: acohn@oregon.uoregon.edu
Message-ID: <35e0cac7.22162635@news.uoregon.edu>
Source record: 146575

Any tips, instructions or warning about replacing the PRO-37 speaker would be appreciated.

Should I use a stock replacement, or is there something preferable.

Thanks

Alan

3554. Re: 895 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickh33923@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082401541500.VAA17700@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146576

I have been recording in normal scan mode, but not in Trunk mode. Hopefully I
am doing something wrong there.
I am using an adapter in the remote jack of the recorder and it is a little
touchy.

>dave archer wrote:
>
>> Iam trying to get my tape recorde hooked up to my 895XLT, for some reasn
>> the tape recorder is not comming on when the scanner is active like its
>> soppsed to '
>> can any one give me any Ideas?? has to why has any one done this with a
>> 895XLT
>> Thank you
>> Dave
>> davarc@Premier1.net
>>
>> born to be wild (thats my theam)
>
> Dave,
>
>Not sure if it's bullshit or not, but I read somewhere that the record
>option was a typo in the manual, along with 3 or 4 other things that it says
>it can do, but really can't. I'd check out the review that is on the one
>scanner review page that I think is run by some guy named Wells, or
>something like that. He talked about it there, I believe. Sorry, I can't
>find the URL for his page right now.

3555. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082401583600.VAA05820@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146577

Have they put it on-line? No cost, no cluttering up the already cluttered bookshelf.

>The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>>that's not credited to future sales.

3556. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Walsh <emw-1@NOSPAMatt.net>
Message-ID: <6rqjli$3jo@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146578

Sounds like RatShack is not very consistent when it comes to handling the catalogs. My wife went into a RS this afternoon to pick up a catalog for me. Not only did they not charge her, but they asked her how many she would like!

3557. home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: brad@netvigator.com
Message-ID: <6rqklq$37a$1@imsp009a.netvigator.com>
Source record: 146579

i'm a newbie in radio scanner, can anybody tell me the frequency

used for home cordless phone in hongkong? Also, does the frequency

apply all over the world? Thanks for your attn!!

3558. 10 Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ritz@sk.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <35e0e3f3.6133859@news.sk.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 146580

I'm new to this. Could someone please tell me where I could find a copy of the 10-codes used by the police?

3559. Best place for ground (discriminator tap jack) on PRO-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-cdW1FhMkdXcC@localhost>
Source record: 146581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Where is the best place to ground my jack when tapping my
discriminator output on my PRO-2045?

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

3560. ICOM R7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Webb <wwwebb@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <Ey6C2L.Bn@iglou.com>
Source record: 146582

Does anyone have the specs on this model?
What is the current comparable model?

Is this a good piece of equipment?

wwwebb@iglou.com

Thanks, Webb

3561. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4aus1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082403412300.XAA03886@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146583

Yeah, definately no consisency.. Free all over central flordia..

Jason

3562. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35e0cef1.138532290@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

>
>Finally; Roy; you nor any other American have enjoyed "rights" for at least
>20 years.

Let's start this by pointing out that we agree wholeheartedly on this
point.
We haven't had representation since the form of government went from a
democracy to a republic in the very beginning of this counrty.
I have only recently become aware what you stated...lets just say I
was in hibernation. I don't like it...do you?

>Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e0812b.118618379@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
>>A; The government would like to control all aspects of the media and
>>communications in this country and world if possible...only letting
>>the "desirable" through.
>
>Hmmm?...seen any black helicopters lately Roy?
>

Yes.. they fired 1 bullet and wiped out an entire heard of cows from
the ricochets ;-)

>>B: They love people who contemplate their navels while the tanks roll
>>by and their rights fly out the window.
>
>
>Maybe you need to "Contimplait" a spelling book Roy.

I saw that mistake after I mailed it and regretted it immediately.
Being pretty sure you'd point out a petty mistake to try negating any
thing else that the idea may have tried to convey. You held true to
form.
>
>>...it is a life and death type of situation. It affects
>>everyone...
>
>Yeah...a loose cable could electrocute me on my scanner. :)

Not the news group silly...the politics of this country. jeeeez

>Have you written your congressman lately Roy?

I have... I've also written the Whitehouse and campaigned to get the
Green Party's candidate on the ballot here in Jersey. It's not that I
had any belief that things would change at this point in time, but I
felt that if "I" didn't get off my ass and try something, then how

could I look myself in the mirror when I saw nothing had changed.

By the way, Jersey's pretty good about getting a new candidate on the ballot. You need to get 800 votes to do so. Actually it's more like1600 since the republicans and democrats will both pick the lists apart and it's best to get twice the required amount instead of going through the process of defending every one they challenge. You know petty things like dotting an "i" , someone signed with middle initial but printed their name without one, didn't include zip code. Anyway, some states require thousands and tens of thousand signatures to get a new candidate on the ballot. In these states the Republicans AND Democrats have basically passed laws to assure you can't initiate change in those states. It guarantees them a monopoly or should I say a duopoly. To me these laws are a crime against the American people.

>"Mr. Smith Goes To Washington" is just a movie Roy.
>
The idea's behind it don't have to be though. I believe we've been conditioned to accept bad conditions as being necessary or unavoidable. It's almost part of the Judaic/Christian philosophy that suffering is in some way noble and good. This mentality is a natural for a social system that has the majority scrambling for leftovers while a minority live like Kings. I know better, but wasn't that what we were taught the purpose of the revolution was? To get rid of monarchies?

We still do have a vote in this country. We've just been given garbage to vote for. When people get sick and tired of it and quit blaming all the scapegoats then maybe real communication will begin and change can start.

>>10-4 good buddy?
>
>
>Roger D Roy....God I hate CB lingo.
>
I'm ashamed to admit it, it WAS meant do be derogatory.
My Apologies.

Roy

"I hope we shall crush in its birth the aristocracy of our moneyed corporations, which dare already to challenge our government to a trial of strength and bid defiance to the laws of our country."
--Thomas Jefferson

Better late than never.

3563. National Hurricane Center Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: catz@netrox.net
Message-ID: <35e0e481.7730377@news.netrox.net>
Source record: 146585

Anyone have the freqs for the National Hurricane Center in Miami (or
other hurricane related freqs?)

Thanks

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"As nightfall does not come all at once, neither does
oppression. In both instances, there is a twilight.
And it is in such twilight that we all must be aware
of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
become unwitting victims of the darkness."

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas
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3564. Re: lake co.(OH) trunking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35e0e51c.189236030@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 146586

>is it me, or is anyone in the cleveland area having trouble tracking
>lake/geauga co.?

The following systems are Motorola Type I, this is probably where you
are running into a problem. You need to program the proper fleetmaps
for correct operation. Here they are . . . .

b0,s12 b2,s12 b4,s3 b5,s3 b6,s10 b7,s10

Both counties use the same fleetmap . . .

For more info, I would go here http://www.qsl.net/kb8vju/

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

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3565. Re: Via Rail freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35E0EDB5.CA2CF455@home.com>
Source record: 146587

Try 159.81, 418.05 also the following:

161.415 -- -- channel 1 (end to end)
161.205 -- -- channel 2 (dispatcher)
160.935 -- -- channel 3 (dispatcher)
160.665 -- -- channel 4 (dispatcher)
160.365 -- -- channel 5 (terminal switching)
160.485 -- -- channel 6 (dispatcher)
161.025 -- -- channel 8 (dispatcher)
161.505 -- -- CN police

James Koole wrote:

> Anyone have any Via Rail (Canada) frequencies. I'm heading out on the
> Canadian and am interested in listening in to what's happening along the
> way.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> --
> James Koole
> email <jkoole@iname.com>

--
Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

3566. Re: 10 Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35e5eeef.9891665@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 146588

>I'm new to this. Could someone please tell me where I could find a
>copy of the 10-codes used by the police?

Look in the "Police Call" book sold by Radio Shack. A better option would be to ask your local police department, because all 10 Code lists are different from others around the country. A few 10-xxx are the same but a lot of them are way different. Do a net search on "scanner AND frequencies" to see if you can find one close to your area. Here is one place to start:
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/1060/scnrng.htm

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/5137/scanner.html is a really good page

http://www.sparknet.net/~jtenor/list1.html is for Green Bay, but has a few links.

Any of those will get you going toward more information than you can possibly digest.

3567. Re: Texas county will be first to trace cell phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E0F5F3.4C0@swbell.net>
Source record: 146589

David Pinero wrote:
>
> Did anyone else see this? The Houston Chronicle is reporting that
> Harris County, Texas, will be the first place in the world (minus the
> New Jersey tests) to put cell-phone locating technology into real
> service

There is a way around this. If you want to not be dectected, place your call from the outside fringe of their area which will allow fewer cell sites to be involved in the detection of your signal.

Inside their standard zone, youll have several sites looking at you.

3568. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35e0fd44.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 146590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e0cef1.138532290@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
>>
>>Finally; Roy; you nor any other American have enjoyed "rights" for at
least
>>20 years.
>
>Let's start this by pointing out that we agree wholeheartedly on this
>point.
>We haven't had representation since the form of government went from a
>democracy to a republic in the very beginning of this counrty.
>I have only recently become aware what you stated...lets just say I
>was in hibernation. I don't like it...do you?

(Major Snip) Sorry

No Roy; I don't like it, but unlike the whiners in this NG, I've taken measures to protect myself against a loss of rights, loss of property etc...Unfortunately I can not and will not elaborate further on this except to say this as I crawl upon my soapbox:
Many years ago in this country, there was a little thing called the Boston Tea Party. Essentially as we all know this was due to many being fed up with "paying to be free and yet not truly being represented." Wow! An act of violence. Though I DO NOT advocate violence, the writing is indeed on the wall. Look around you. Terrorism, bombings, crime rates soaring contrary to "government reports", and the most dangerous of all...APATHY!
It seems we are all far too content as long as our stomachs are full and we have 2 cars in our garage.
80% of our Senatorial seats are held by millionaires. They know how to represent us? Please! They know what it is to balance a checkbook? Please! They know what it is to make a household budget? Please!

Ever hear about the frog in the pot?...If you throw him in at full boil, he'll jump out....BUT; place him in cold water and slooooowwwly turn up the heat, he'll die and never know how it happened. Need I elaborate on that one?

There is and has been a "Tea Party" boiling in this country for a long time. Soon, someone will say "Hey; they're killing us!" How?...By slooowly eroding moral fiber, passing laws at 2am when no one is watching C-Span, requlating EVERYTHING from Internet to Gun Control. The list is VERY long. The violent incidents we have seen in the past 5 years are simply a few sneaking on the boat and throwing a few bags of tea into the drink. BTW; writing your congressman is a complete and total waste of time. I am so tired of hearing "if you don't vote, don't complain." A grass roots revival? Can't happen

now. In order to have grass roots, you need fertile soil. That soil doesn't exist because "they" also requlate what is taught in the schools. Nor do we have the soil for the roots.."they" own that too!

The Soviet Union for many years feared such an uprising amoungst the people. What did they do? The found party members who would blend in with the common folk and incite a few to riot. Why? The reason: Several small fires are easier to control than a major burn. So now the people feel happy and content, they had their small fire, and will have more...all carefully controlled and orchestrated by the government. Hmmmm? Could that be happening in the U.S? Hmmmm?

Well, I suppose I'll get off my soapbox now and offer only this advice as a starting point.

Scanners: Buy all you can get. Buy transmitters too. You're right. They WILL be outlawed someday soon.
Get a GPS navigation instrument...maps too..topo are best.
Decide where you want to carve out your existance....nice climate if possible.
Read all you can on survival...do it now as books will disappear soon..some already have..ever seen "HTTP URL not found"?
Start investigating how to make yourself disappear...No SS, no DL #, no nothing...It's really not that difficult once you learn.
Stop bitching. Get real quiet real fast.
Got a secret?..Keep it to yourself.
LEARN FROM THE PROS: What does the CIA do primarily? The collect information. Tons of it.
Knowledge is power.

These are only the basics...you want more..ask me, but I won't post here nor will I answer email without encryption....I love PGP..so far.

Remember: It is far easier to ask for forgiveness than it is to ask for permission.

PCH

3569. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: briang@bgserv.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <903936532snz@bgserv.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146591
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

DO NOT POST BINARIES IN NON BINARY GROUPS!!!!

Brian

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briang@bgserv.demon.co.uk
Brian Gaff AKA B G Services - Still supporting Z80
The Spectrum Emulator

3570. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: briang@bgserv.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <903937148snz@bgserv.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146592
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

In article <6rqgcqien1@news.megsinet.net> kapil@enteract.com "KAPIL" writes:

>
> Exactly what the hell is POC32???????????????
>
>

Gawd knows, sending a binary here obviously implies some mental
problem though, so we may not understand it anyway :-)

Brian

--
briang@bgserv.demon.co.uk
Brian Gaff AKA B G Services - Still supporting Z80
The Spectrum Emulator

3571. Re: 10 Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082406103900.CAA20005@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146593

Food for thought. Although some 10 and 11 codes are somewhat 'universal',
there are several variences in them betweeen agencies (especially in different
states).

3572. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082409435301.FAA15590@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146594

The Licence is free, the test fee is $6.10
The equipment is KiloBucks

Sean

>>>>>" It's Never too late to be what you might have been"<<<<<<
Elliot

" It's Never enough until your Heart Stops Beating"
new order

3573. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Stephen Zajac" <szajac@prismnetwork.com>
Message-ID: <01bdcf4c$34b23400$b859b5cd@stephen-j.-zaja>
Source record: 146595

Go to the "Downloads" section, THEN do the search. That's how I found it.

STEVE
KB2EFK

cenick <cenick@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<6rq8po$g1l@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>...
>
> Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications wrote in message
> <01bdcee5$1fd187a0$191e31d1@default>...
> >I did the same. Could not find it.
> >--
> >Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
> >Owner
> >DAT2 Communications
> >dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
> >(410) 360-2260
> >
> >Paul <pwolsko@nac.net> wrote in article
> ><iq_D1.85$vX6.1040488@nntp1.nac.net>...
> >> I did a search on ZDNET as you said, for NKS, and get no results.
Could
> >you
> >> give us a precise URL - a link??
> >>
> >> Thanks,
> >> Paul

3574. How to receive AFSK signal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fabrizio Ravegnani <fabrizio@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it>
Message-ID: <35E146BD.94ED7B40@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it>
Source record: 146596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,comp.dcom.modems

Hi to everybody !!
I would like to acquire data from a weather radiosonde that it
transmits on
404 MHz whit the following communication parameter: 300, N, 8, 2
in AFSK (2025/2225 Hz)
(but I can make some adjustement in tones on the trasmitter)
I have tried to use a modem, but without result ;it seems it cannot work
without the phone line signal and a remote modem. Can I start data
acquisition before the carrier detection and handshake process ?
. I have thought to use the Sound Blaster, too, but I have found no
programs
supporting the communication parameters that interest to me.
Is there any software I can use ?. In alternative, a TNC could work?
Thanks in advances

Fabrizio Ravegnani

Fabrizio@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it

3575. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jknoll@visi.com
Message-ID: <pEbE1.147$9j4.822187@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 146597

chesler@world.std.com (David S Chesler) writes:

> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.
> Radio Shack tends to have clueless salespeople, but the fellow
>who explained the new policy to me yesterday was a real winner.
> "Lots of people want the catalog, but they don't want to pay
> for them."
> "Yup. And when you start charging admission, I won't want
> to come into the store, either."
> "The catalogs cost money -- if they didn't charge for them,
> they'd have to make up the cost elsewhere, perhaps by raising
> prices."
> [Sotto vocce] "Well, they sure couldn't cut your minimum wage
> salary. I wonder how much they pay for the database that has
> a record of every AA battery I ever bought from them, and where.
> I wonder if they ever heard of 'Promotional Material'?"
>--
>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or /paddleball.html)
>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

I guess here we go again with the inconsistency of RS.
I bought the Pro-90 case at RS and they gave me a catalog but only first
after getting my name, rank, and serial number :) Actually, if you
give them your name and address they should give you one for free.
That's what they did at the Mall of America RS in Mpls.

Jim
jknoll@visi.com

3576. Re: PRO-37 Speaker replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082411022701.HAA17968@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146598

acohn@oregon.uoregon.edu (cohn) writes:

>Any tips, instructions or warning about replacing the PRO-37 speaker
>would be appreciated.

Alan,
The speaker, like most everything else in the
PRO-37, is easy to get to. The only problem
I've encountered in opening mine up is a
tendency for the "key lock" switch mechanism to
scatter when the case is opened.
Dave

3577. Re: PRO-51 squelch tail mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35E147B4.4515A751@nightowl.net>
Source record: 146599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Radio Shack PRO-51: Modification to shorton squelch tail

This change was performed successfully on a unit coded "11A3." The CPU in this unit was marked "Uniden UC1581." Use the following information at your own risk! Neither I nor my employer are responsible for any damages you may incur from this information!

Orientations are with the set flat on a work surface, LCD display facing down, with antenna BNC and knobs facing away from yourself.

As with any electronic instrumentation, remove all power and take all necessary precautions to prevent damage from electrostatic discharge (ESD). This modification requires fine soldering and familiarity with surface mount devices.

CAUTION:

Be aware that parts of the circuitry will *still* be powered! There is a capacitor on the digital board that keeps the channel memory alive. This capacitor may contain enough energy to damage the electronics should a short occur.

Parts required: One 1/10th watt carbon resistor, 100K to 220K. Value is not critical. A lower value shortens the time the squelch remains open after incoming signal stops. The resistor should physically as small as possible.

Opening Case

Fortunately, this set is very easy to open. Open battery compartment and remove batteries. Remove four screws: two straddle the sticker on the back of the cabinet, two others at the upper part of the battery compartment. There are two small plastic detents at the floor of the battery compartment. They are directly downwards from the "-" and "+" legends, which are molded on an extension of the removable back. These detents will need to be unhitched to allow the back to separate from the front. Pull back off gently.

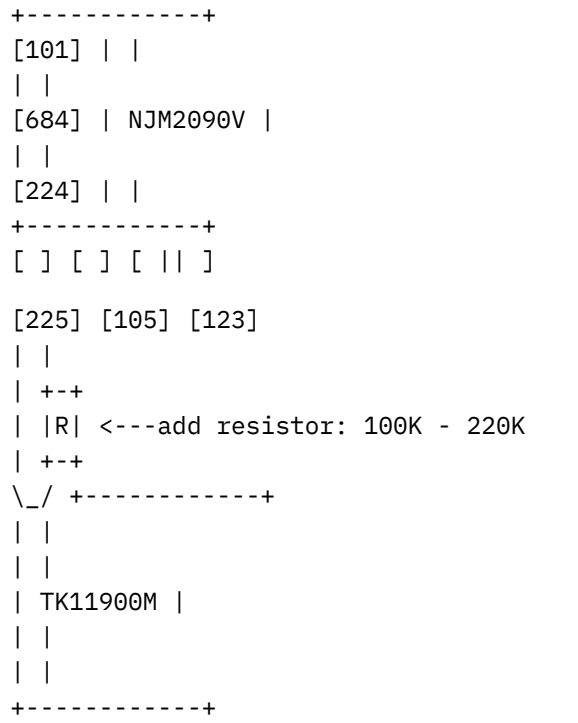
Remove RF board

The RF board is attached to the top panel, which contains the volume and squelch controls and the antenna connector. At this point, the board is essentially free and will separate from the rest of the set when the header connector at the lower right is pulled apart. This header provides electrical connections between

the two boards. Lift the RF board straight out, and set the rest of the radio aside. Flip RF board over, keeping BNC pointing away from yourself.

Add resistor

Refer to the ASCII diagram below. Bend one of the resistor leads close to the body of the resistor so that the resistor forms a hairpin shape. Trim leads and solder the new resistor in parallel with the chip resistor marked "105." The latter is positioned between the two surface-mount IC's towards the bottom of the RF board. Press the new resistor parallel to the circuit board, making sure there are no shorts.



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Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

NOmikex@swbell#.net wrote:
>
> I've read an "old" N.G. post about a squelch tail "mod" for the PRO-51
> scanner. Any one know where this mod might be posted??
> Mike
> mikex@swbell.net

3578. Re: Any Reviews of Alinco DJ-X10T ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35E14F3C.DA1802BB@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 146600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bob Parnass, AJ9S wrote:
> Rich Wells <n2mca@strongsignals.net> wrote:
> >... And many people still continue to directly
> >compare a communications receiver and a true-blooded scanner
> >which simply can't be done...
>
> Hi Rich,
>
> It's natural to compare the shortwave performance
> of handheld scanners with existing shortwave receivers.

Hey Bob,
Agreed. Compare is one thing, but to hold unreasonable expections of the handheld is not fair, IMO. I see many people who continue to not understand why a DC-to-daylight handheld can't perform as well as a dedicated HF radio. And to clarify my original point, I was commenting more on unreasonable comparisons between a "scanner" and a "communications" or "wide-band" receiver. Everyone is quick to point out how slow the AOR, Yupi, etc. are compared to the Uniden/RS but fail to mention that the Uniden/RS are segmented coverage with no HF, bandscope, alpha-tagging, computer control (for the most part), etc.

> The manufacturers' advertisements for
> handheld, wideband scanners invite comparison. Consumers who
> are going to spend more money on a scanner because
> it tunes shortwave and has SSB/CW product
> detectors want to know how well the extra cost circuitry performs.
>
> Unfortunately, I haven't yet tested a handheld ICOM, AOR,
> or Alinco scanner with shortwave performance to match an old
> Sony 2010 or Magnavox D2935 with the standard whip antenna.

From my point of view that is clearly understood, but many still think they should be equivalent and are therefore defective or unworthy when they turn out not to be. This is the very problem I am pointing out with my comments.

From all I have seen, there are a large portion who think $500-$600 will get them everything they will ever need, which is simply not true. Such a wide-coverage radio is a compromise and best used to get your feet wet with the HF portion of the spectrum. You can enjoy quite a bit of it with such a radio but

if you want to get serious, you'll need a serious radio ($1K-$2K).

Thanks for your thoughts!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

3579. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980824121137 00.IAA03955@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146601

Tight asses, if you cant part with three bucks then you need too get a life and a job.IMOH

3580. WTB: scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcf57$bd641880$39f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 146602

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im looking for a portable scanner,reasonably priced,does not
need 800mhz
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
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3581. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082412354900.IAA05358@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146603

In article <1998082412113700.IAA03955@ladder03.news.aol.com>, rjmierrn@aol.com (RjMIERRN) writes:

>Tight asses, if you cant part with three bucks then you need too get a life
>and
>a job.IMOH

You miss the point completely. A catalog is a promotional vehicle for Radio Shack to sell it's merchandise. Why should the customer have to PAY for their sales literature? Do we pay for their radio commercials? TV commercials? Newspaper ads? If the cost of the catalog is an issue, they should do what they have done in years past...and what other companies do...by offering an equal or better merchandise credit against the price of the catalog. But $2.95 with no credit? Screw that! And whatever happened to my free "battery of the month" card?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3582. Re: PRO-34 cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082412355000.IAA05360@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146604

In article <35E1033D.2C251A@catalina-inter.net>, Dan Dillon
<dpdillon@catalina-inter.net> writes:

>
>You just tear the thing apart. There are lots of little screws. Then you
>desolder the bnc connector. then you desolder a ground strap. Then you
>unscrew an inner top board. Carefully pull it off of the bottom board.
>Then there is a diode there on the left... you just clip it. Actually
>there are three diodes there on the left... I cant remember which one it
>is. I think it was the bottom one labeled D34, but my memory may not
>serve me correct. These instructions certainly are not enough to reeally
>do it- you need to confirm which diode is the right one

Pain in the butt, really. Wonder why they didn't make it simple like the
Bearcat 200/205?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3583. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082412355200.IAA05361@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146605

In article <1998082409435301.FAA15590@ladder01.news.aol.com>, history67@aol.com (History67) writes:

>
>The Licence is free, the test fee is $6.10
>The equipment is KiloBucks

And the old farts babbling endlessly about their health problems will drive you nuts!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3584. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: COP@net.com
Message-ID: <8hdE1.186$mc5.38405@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146606
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35de16e5.115301390@news.uswest.net>, proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke) wrote:
>Well,
>given all the facts.. It seems that hams serve a much wider purpose
>than some would have us believe.
>
>I know of several people that are hams AND members of the Posse here
>in Phoenix. They do a lot more than just be "wannabe's". From what I
>understand, some search and rescue equipment is being developed by the
>hams in the Posse (its supposed to be a combination of gps, aprs and
>handheld computer technologies). Where else can hams contrinute to the
>wider community as other than a hobby? A: in the technical community,
>law enforcement, public service and emergency preparedness, thats
>where!
>
>For the NAYSAYERS, shut up and read all the facts before spouting off!
>you serve only to make yourselves look like fools when you don't have
>all the facts!
>
>Hawke
>

And "if" you would have read my original message, I mentioned that if you want to do the COP thing then take the classes and become trained. I never have downed the "trained" person/HAM who wants to volunteer his time. The underlinging thing here is "TRAINING"..... The problem is most of the HAMs "don't" want to do the training, just want to get involved. Must be an ego thing.

Most of the HAMs I know sit through a 4 hour video and talk session on storm spotting and now they think they are experts. That is one of the reasons that we expect more than one report of a tornado before we confirm it to the weather bureau. If you want to get involved get the "Training". I sure that the members of the sheriff's posse have the training to be out there helping.

I am a HAM and also a reserve deputy sheriff. The process for certification to become a deputy is to do 560 hours of classroom and physical training, pass the state police officers test and when accepted to a department work with a training officer before being able to ride alone. Also to keep certification you need to satisfy a minium 20 hours of training every year. Of the 24 reserves on the sheriff's department I am on only 3 have HAM licenses. There being about over 1,000 Hams in the area I am not surprised that there are not more. They all wantabee but don't want to go through the "training".

Again what I am saying if you want to be a COP then get the training and volunteer. Don't go out and get a radio that is capable of getting on the police frequencies and a look alike police car so that you want everyone to think you are a police officer.
>

COP
>On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 12:20:35 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>
>>HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>>> Also most HAMs are just WANNABEES and are not trained properly.
>>
>>Sheriff Joe Arpaio of Maricopa County, AZ, recrutes and trains
>>hams for his citizen posse.
>>
>>> Also if you witness a robbery, *rape* or shooting please use a phone to
> report
>>> it. Don't try and play COP...
>>
>>If I witness a criminal raping my daughter, don't try to "play COP"????
>>What planet are you from, anyway? Call to 911 - "There's a man raping my
>>daughter, I have a Colt 45 and am trained in its use - what should I do?"
>>Man, get real!
>>--
>>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore
>

3585. Descrambling/Scrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082413131600.JAA07911@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146607

We are interested in knowing if standard speech inversion is still
used in your geographical area, or if digital encryption is used exclusively.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters/ Service Manuals</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

3586. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <rFdE1.189$mc5.38405@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146608

In article <19980821205530000.QAA22909@ladder03.news.aol.com>, zoe205@aol.com (ZOE205) wrote:
>Well, i am a member of the ham radio community, and i can tell you that your
>little trunked radio system can go down at any time...then who are you guys
>crying to for communications, oh us annoying ham radio operators. The police
>around here had the same mentality until a few years back when a tornado came
>through and knocked out all police radio communications. The police were then
>knocking on our doors to fire up our radios and help them. Now the police
>around here have OUR frequencies programmed in THEIR radios. P.S. In a trunked
>radio system it only takes one repeater antenna to go dead to crash the whole
>system.

Sorry but in my community we don't need no stinking hams to do our commun
ication. You really need to bone up on the new trunk systems, cell phones and
intercity radio systems before you say a statement like you did. Just like
hams trying to think you are the only ones that have a comm system that is
reliable. I think that HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST did a good job in describing ham
wannabees. You my "friend" must think that your radio is the ends of the
earth. Sorry but stay home and keep you HT rapped around you waist and keep
out of my way.....

3587. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <PMdE1.190$mc5.38405@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <zeno-2108982248130001@pm58-43.magicnet.net>, zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
>In article <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>, scanners@no.spam.com wrote:
>
>> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>> solicit your opinions.
>>
>> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>>
>> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>>
>>
>> Dave McGuire
>If you have a HAM license it would probably be legal, but only if you do
>not have immediate access to a phone at the time. If you had a wireless
>phone at the time, you would be obligated to call 911 on that.
>

Even if you are a HAM you would be illegal.

Please read part 27.403 Safety of life and protection of property.

No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential communication
needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life and immediate
protection of property when normal communication systems are not available.

I do not see anything where a ham can operate on a police frequency. They are
stating "at his disposal". If you are not licensed for that frequency then
you do not have that at you disposal. I talked to an FCC engineer to explain
this part to me and he said that if you are not licensed to operate legally on
those frequencies then you cannot transmit on them. This only pertains to
amateur frequencies and different types of transmissions.

Just Cause

3588. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082413313400.JAA26557@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146610

>From: rjmierrn@aol.com

>Tight asses, if you cant part with three bucks then you need too get a life
>and >a job.IMOH
>

You apparently don't get it. No one is worried about the lousy three bucks.
It's the prinicple. If someone wants to do business with you, they should at
least make some attempt to make it easy as well as show their appreciation for
your patronage. I don't see that as being a particular tricky concept to grasp,
do you?

3589. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980824133915O1.JAA10024@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146611

In article <35e0c99e.0@news.ctlnet.com>, "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com> writes:

>
>Hmmm?...seen any black helicopters lately Roy?

Showing your ignorance?

It's been documented that there are black helo's. They belong to Delta Force out of Fort Bragg. They run around all over the country, staging mock rescues etc.

They are famous for their money men who payoff owners of the property they have damaged. (they use live ammo and explosives).

PS They are exempt from Posse Comitatus, by presidential directive, and that alone should scare you paranoid types.

H Higgins

| The price of freedom is eternal vigilance. |

3590. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082413391601.JAA27196@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146612

In article <35e0c99e.0@news.ctlnet.com>, "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com> writes:

>
>Hmmm?...seen any black helicopters lately Roy?

Showing your ignorance?

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3591. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6rrpuc$545$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 146613

I just picked up mine and wasn't charged a thing. The droid scanned it in the register and gave it to me....

I agree with you that some of those salespeople don't have a clue about anything....

David S Chesler wrote in message ...
> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>that's not credited to future sales.
> Radio Shack tends to have clueless salespeople, but the fellow
>who explained the new policy to me yesterday was a real winner.
> "Lots of people want the catalog, but they don't want to pay
> for them."
> "Yup. And when you start charging admission, I won't want
> to come into the store, either."
> "The catalogs cost money -- if they didn't charge for them,
> they'd have to make up the cost elsewhere, perhaps by raising
> prices."
> [Sotto vocce] "Well, they sure couldn't cut your minimum wage
> salary. I wonder how much they pay for the database that has
> a record of every AA battery I ever bought from them, and where.
> I wonder if they ever heard of 'Promotional Material'?"
>--
>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or /paddleball.html)
>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

3592. Icom R10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frequr <Monitor@kdsi.net>
Message-ID: <6rrqk4$ri8$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146614

A popular webpage (www.strongsignals.net) is reporting that the august 20 shipment of Icom R10's
will be the last ones let into the US. They are reporting that the FCC will not approve anymore of their "easily modifiable radios" in regards to cellular reception. Has anyone done this mod?

3593. SPECIALITY PAGER 4 POLICE CALLS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mipi@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082413533300.JAA28371@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146615

There used to be a company here in MI named Speciality Pager who provided police call information via pager. I cannot find them listed anymore.

Does anyone know of such a company in the MI area?

Thanks for your help....

Bob in Camelot

3594. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35e0c291.672437@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146616
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 16:43:53 -0400 (EDT), capone23@webtv.net (joe stanley) wrote:

>does anyone have any mods for the pro-2042
>

There are quite a few mods for the Pro-2042 to make it a awesome setup.

Wiggie

3595. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiojim@innernext.com
Message-ID: <35E16808.78C9@innernext.com>
Source record: 146617
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>
> In article <35de16e5.115301390@news.uswest.net>, proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke) wrote:
> >Well,
> >given all the facts.. It seems that hams serve a much wider purpose
> >than some would have us believe.
> >
> >I know of several people that are hams AND members of the Posse here
> >in Phoenix. They do a lot more than just be "wannabe's". From what I
> >understand, some search and rescue equipment is being developed by the
> >hams in the Posse (its supposed to be a combination of gps, aprs and
> >handheld computer technologies). Where else can hams contrinute to the
> >wider community as other than a hobby? A: in the technical community,
> >law enforcement, public service and emergency preparedness, thats
> >where!
> >
> >For the NAYSAYERS, shut up and read all the facts before spouting off!
> >you serve only to make yourselves look like fools when you don't have
> >all the facts!
> >
> >Hawke
> >
>
> And "if" you would have read my original message, I mentioned that if you want
> to do the COP thing then take the classes and become trained. I never have
> downed the "trained" person/HAM who wants to volunteer his time. The
> underlinging thing here is "TRAINING"..... The problem is most of the HAMs
> "don't" want to do the training, just want to get involved. Must be an ego
> thing.
>
> Most of the HAMs I know sit through a 4 hour video and talk session on storm
> spotting and now they think they are experts. That is one of the reasons that
> we expect more than one report of a tornado before we confirm it to the
> weather bureau. If you want to get involved get the "Training". I sure that
> the members of the sheriff's posse have the training to be out there helping.
>
> I am a HAM and also a reserve deputy sheriff. The process for certification
> to become a deputy is to do 560 hours of classroom and physical training,
> pass the state police officers test and when accepted to a department work
> with a training officer before being able to ride alone. Also to keep
> certification you need to satisfy a minium 20 hours of training every year.
> Of the 24 reserves on the sheriff's department I am on only 3 have HAM
> licenses. There being about over 1,000 Hams in the area I am not surprised

> that there are not more. They all wantabee but don't want to go through the
> "training".
>
> Again what I am saying if you want to be a COP then get the training and
> volunteer. Don't go out and get a radio that is capable of getting on the
> police frequencies and a look alike police car so that you want everyone
> to think you are a police officer.

Huh? You sound like a real *first class* asshole!

Assuming the Communications Act of 1934 is still in effect, an emergency transmission takes priority over your police or sheriff department's "rules & regulations."

You are the jerk with an ego. Why would a citizen, who *wants* to save a life have to sit through 560 hours of classroom and physical training? I don't plan on capturing the armed suspect -- just reporting it so the *real* police (and not a RESERVE deputy) like you, so they can apprehend the suspect.

After reading your message I would call you if my cat were standed in a tree!

You appear to be a troll, as well as an idiot.

Radio Jim
in NYC

3596. Auction ending today! New Trunktracker scanner!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: danielle@unidirect.com
Message-ID: <6rrvih$t71$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146618

Hi Group,

I have an auction ending today on a PRO-90. The scanner is only 2 months old.
Barely used. It is a 300 channel, 800 MHz, Trunktracker scanner.
My area does not have any trunk systems so most of the functionality is being
wasted by me. It comes in original box with 1 nicad battery, charger, flexible
antenna, and 2 manuals (one is a users guide and the other is a common freq's
guide).
It is in perfect condition! A good buy for someone wanting to upgrade
to the new trunktracking technology.
Here is a link to my auction:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=26696658

Happy bidding!
Danielle

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3597. Re: Nashville Scanner FREQ's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobby Woolard <bug@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcf6d$f903c280$7577d6d1@ogleboog>
Source record: 146619

Need an email address to send them to

3598. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <schlemba@botbait.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6rru0d$8l7@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146620

Old farts with health problems or the most foul, disgusting language
heard on CB (quite unsuitable for family use). Why not try FRS?

Steve

CBRambo wrote:
>
> In article <1998082409435301.FAA15590@ladder01.news.aol.com>, history67@aol.com
> (History67) writes:
>
> >
> >The Licence is free, the test fee is $6.10
> >The equipment is KiloBucks
>
> And the old farts babbling endlessly about their health problems will drive you
> nuts!
>
> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3599. FS: PRO 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobby Woolard <bug@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcf6e$ebeef460$7577d6d1@ogleboog>
Source record: 146621
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale; 2026 with cell mod $100
The One & Only Oglebooger
You know that I know that you know!

3600. I am looking for an 800mhz antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rocky178@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082414471000.KAA03384@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146622

I am looking for an 800mhz antenna to use on a portable scanner for receive. If anyone knows where I can get one or has one please let me know.

Thanks,
Mike

3601. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rs050$fvo@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146623

Mina:

You've got a couple things incorrect and I would like to correct them.

Cordless phones operate at about 6.5 meters, and the frequencies are from
43.72 to 46.97 MHz. The one-sided conversation (listening to only the
handset) frequencies are in the 48 to 49.99 range.

Also, cordless phones can sometimes be picked up for several blocks as long
as you've got an outdoor antenna.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

Mina Naguib wrote in message <35e2c8dc.1504066@n3.idirect.com>...
>
>Don't know about Hong Kong, but I believe these frequencies are
>standard in North America... although some new wireless phones use
>900+mhz , the majority you will be able to hunt by setting your
>scanner's lower limit to 46.0mhz and highest to 47mhz and let it
>search.
>
>Now, the key is LPU (Low Power Unit) which means you won't be able to
>get anything fancy if you're not around the block or closer.
>
>Also, although sometimes stronger, you can get 1 side of the
>conversation by scanning between 49.mhz and 50mhz
>
>On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 16:44:51 GMT, brad@netvigator.com (louis) wrote:
>
>>i'm a newbie in radio scanner, can anybody tell me the frequency
>>
>>used for home cordless phone in hongkong? Also, does the frequency
>>
>>apply all over the world? Thanks for your attn!!
>>
>
>
>"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
> then realize that the prisoner was you."
>--

> Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
> home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
> ICQ UIN #6181556
>--
>To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
>email address

3602. Re: HAM Lic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rs0ff$h3n@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146624

The usual test fee is $6.35, but the license itself is free. Try
http://www.arrl.org/ for information on testing and other information in
your area.

The equipment on the other hand is very costly. If you're going to be on the
HF bands, look to spend at least $1000 (and yes, that's cheap) for an
average HF rig.

If you're looking to get into only VHF/UHF, you'll be looking at about
$300-500 for an average dual-band handheld, or $500+ for a [dual-band]
mobile unit.

I got my license 2 months ago, and it really has been fun so far. I now have
expanded myself from a j-pole and being only on VHF to now getting a
dual-band Yaesu and a 2 meter beam and rotor. All in two months!

Good luck, and study hard! I recommend "Now You're Talking" from Radio Shack
and/or a local library.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

Mike Harmon wrote in message <6rql10cla1@tenax.raex.com>...
>I am interested in getting my HAM Lic. and would like any info on prices on
>Lic. and Equip.
>
>Mike
>
>

3603. Cig. Plug For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdcee6$47a2e660$191e31d1@default>
Source record: 146667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Cigarette Lighter Power Cord for Audiovox MVX-450 or Equiv.

New....Never Used.

$10.00
--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260 Ext *3

3604. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: evrclear84@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082400185700.UAA20490@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146668

i live in ct and they gave me my catalog for free. I asked the guy for it, and he pullled one off of the pile and gave it to me.

steve Evrclear84@aol.com

3605. modify yourself?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Inspecktah <x_9-13-96_x@rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <zX2E1.274$Wl2.421244@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 146669

I was wondering how people modify their scanners to get cell phone conversations? how do they do it?!
And--anyone have a desktop scanner they are selling? Preferably uniden...
Thanks!
Please get back to me at:

x_9-13-96_x@rocketmail.com

Zak

Also, what are the cell phone freq.? i.e. 800mhz-???mhz?

3606. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35e0b932.45631252@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 146670

I get 'NO RESULTS' at this site for this search.

CATHY

3607. Re: newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35e0b8a2.45487937@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 146671

Strong Signals-

http://www.strongsignals.net/

CATHY

On 23 Aug 1998 22:50:29 GMT, motorsport@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>I'm interested in getting a mobile scanner for my truck, but know
>nothing about the hobby. Is there a good site for learning the basics?
>Thanks for any info you can provide.

3608. Re: lake co.(OH) trunking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082401145200.VAA29068@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146672

lake county and geauga county run lower power systems i guess, i cant hear them either. and i live down here in the warren area.

3609. Re: newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082401160700.VAA11896@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146673

Go pick up a copy of police call from radio shack, the beginning of the book will teach you the basics, and if you have any questions drop me an email at ZOE205@aol.com.

3610. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickh33923@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082401462900.VAA03966@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146674

Try looking under "Whats New".
It will be item # ? (127+)

>I get 'NO RESULTS' at this site for this search.
>
>CATHY

3611. Re: Uniden BC350A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rvade$4obc$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146276

48 monhs ago it was very busy, now all i get is the weather frequencies. is that normal?

i got some electronics around here, i'm gonna shuffle it around.

3612. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rva97$djou$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146277

the police doesn't bother with that crap, i agree

3613. Re: Outdoor Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082521383900.RAA09753@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146278

>From: "Jonathan Morgret" <jmorgret@iconnect.net>

>I have a BC235 and was wondering if I should get an outdoor antenna. I
>would like to be able to pick up my brother's police department which is a
>little farther away then my local police. Would this help? Where can I
>find a decent one?

An outdoor antenna (or in your attic) would probably help but that depends on your location, how high you mount it, what surrounds you and so on. But assuming that you're getting decent reception with the stock antenna, then you should give it a try. I recommend the Scantenna (about $40). Grove sells it, as does Radio Shack (not sure what they call theirs). If the freqs you want to listen to are only a "little farther" you might want to try replacing the stock antenna with a whip, like the $10 cheapie that Radio Shack sells, which can be "tuned" to whatever freqs you want to listen to.

3614. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35e32e62.11520994@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 146279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 22:36:51 -0400, "Ivan Ivanovich"
<iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:

>
>ibhsffo wrote in message <35DDD85E.3C685A57@mci2000.com>...
>>
>
> bunch of dribble removed here
>
>>another ham or scanner listener. You would probably be better off just
>>putting out a broadcast on the local repeater frequency so one of the
>>hams could dial 911 for you. BTW don't you have a phone patch on your
>>local ham repeater? If not, why not?
>
>
>Been their tried that! Cell Phone is definitely better, even though it takes
>a minimum of 20 minutes just to be routed to the right agency!
>
>Ivan Ivanovich
>
>
>>
>>HMG

Well, instead of calling 911, try 0 for the operator, inform her what
city you're in, and you'll be connected to the appropriate city.
I personally leave all the local Public Safetly agencies programmed in
my phone....
However, then you deal with the occasional idiot dispatcher. Just last
week, saw an injury accident occur on the way home, called that city's
dispatch direct, told them....and had to convince the dispatcher it
WAS withing their city limits......
Still prefer the cell over other means......but always nice to have a
2-way for backup.

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

3615. Re: 4-Level FSK and more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Weaver <weavert@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <6rvcss$7j0$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 146280
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

What does FSK mean and what do these do?

Jack <kryppy_X@bellsouth.net> wrote:
: Just updated my website with the 2 & 4 Level FSK demodulators that
: I've been having outstanding performance with and some more common
: digital .WAV samples. Check it out.

3616. Re: Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <6rvcu7$a0p$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 146281
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Intresting finding, I think that the circuit is not the same ??? I would NEVER attempt to recharge reg alkaline batteries,as Saitek does in their unit..unless you like leaky batteries.... Thanks for letting all know about this..
davez

web site:
http://www.ticon.net/~davez

Michael Rathbun wrote in message
<8F9EAAE8A427233F.B8EED526C0ABC9DD.276109080B18AD87@library-proxy.airnews.net>...
>In rec.radio.shortwave on Sat, 15 Aug 1998 07:09:29 GMT,
>druding@nospamrs.straw.com wrote:
>
>>
>>Dave,
>>
>>Interesting review, thanks.
>>
>>I just wanted to add a note re. something you mention on your review
>>page re. the Saitek Charger (I have one from Real Goods, which is
>>called ECO Charger, but it's the Saitek - it says so on the bottom).
>
>If you disassemble the Radio Shack unit, you can see the Saitek name and logo
>on the circuit cards.
>
>mdr

3617. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry L Sherwood <BARRYSHERWOOD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rvdjm$5poi$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I highly reccommend that unless you like the inside of a jail cell that you not transmit on your local police frequencies without the proper authorization and type accepted equipment!!!

3618. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6rvf1vlsf1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

thekat@san.rr.org (Bud) wrote:

>>according to the Communications Act of 1934, you may use ANY MEANS
>>possible to save life or property.

Without respect to anyone's personal opinion, the Communications Act specifies that in a dire emergency (and that is defined as an immediate danger to life and property - the classical use of "MAYDAY" or sending an SOS in CW) the normal rules are suspended so that radio equipment may be used to obtain help.

>>The Communications Act of 1934 overides *any* local or state law.

True. Be prepared to defend that posture in court if you DO use something you normally shouldn't despite your intentions or immediacy of need.

>You obviously have 'selective memory'. The FCC says you can NOT use a
>radio system that you are not licensed to use...

Under normal circumstances- unless you are in immediate danger of losing your life or property.

>... If you have a Ham license,
>you can use ANY _Ham_freq, even one you do NOT have privileges for, but as
>a Ham, you can NOT use a Police or Fire Department radio system and expect
>to not have SOMEthing done, at the least having your radio confiscated. If
>you fight THAT, you'll probably face other charges.

The charges you'd face are those of posessing equipment that has been illegally modified to transmit out of band (by the Commission) and/ or interfering with the duties of an official (by the local entity). NOT breaking part 97. The rules do not specify what frequencies and modes you can and cannot use.

The premise is that you SHOULD NOT have equipment capable of transmitting on these frequencies unless you have written authorization from the licensee, and then you must stay on the channels allowed on the license. Even so, a modified ham radio is not type accepted for use outside of CAP and MARS and should never be used "out of band" where it is illegal. Now here's a controversial parallel: let's say you buy a semi-automatic rifle, which is legal where you are. For whatever reason you modify it into an automatic, it's illegal. Similar (with a different impact, of course).

I can't underscore this enough - - It is still NOT A GOOD IDEA to go where you are not expected (even if you are a volunteer with a type accepted radio, like a GM300, etc.)!!!

Get local people together to listen to certain ham frequencies (146.52, 52.525, 446.0, etc.), 2182 kHz HF maritime calling/ distress, 121.5 aviation distress or 156.8 MHz maritime VHF calling/ distress, start a program with police or park rangers, like REACT so that you have a partnership where they know what you do and can call on you if they need your help (that happens sometimes) and you know who to call directly (NOT on the radio!) if you hear a distress message, but don't go where you are not expected unless you are alone and are most certain you will die if you can't get help (that's why this exemption exists- not to call in disabled vehicles or suspicious persons, etc.)!!! Many hams have tested the Communications Act of 1934 and many local/ state judges believe they are empowered to administer this law. You'll lose your equipment and, if your lawyer is not skilled at communications law (who is except an ARRL volunteer counsel or a "wireless communications raider"?), you may be locked up for a while until you appeal in Federal court.

There was an unfortunate case in NJ where a young man who is a ham was suspected of interfering with police operations on their frequency. While he ultimately proved this was not the case in court, his reputation was drawn through the mud, he was deprived of his equipment, he ran up a LARGE amount of legal fees and he probably has a damaged view of his local authorities because of a misunderstanding.

All I can say is, "Think before you talk." Proving you are right will cost you time, money and create a lot of undue animosity.

Steve (KA2AYR)

BTW: What do you all think about a system where a VHF or UHF ham radio can be placed in a PSAP, be the responsibility of a licensed amateur and is normally muted and disabled but opens up and allows a dispatcher to communicate if someone dials 9-1-1 on their keypad? Such thing could be sponsored by the local amateur club and this SHOULD allow direct access to emergency communications without ever making an issue of coming up on unauthorized frequencies???

3619. Re: SONY SCANNERS !!!! ANY INFO ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6rvfug$qbm@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 146284
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I was impressed with the performance of the SONY SC1PC I
tested for August 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

I measured the sensitivity across the spectrum
and the results are plotted graphically in the review.

Unlike the IC-R10, AOR AR8200, and DJ-X10T, the SONY SC1PC
comes with the cable and software you need
for computer control. Too, it is supplied with
a PerCon CDROM containing millions of FCC license records.

The SC1PC keystroke sequences are complex, like the other models
mentioned above. It's an attractive package which actually
performs.

In article <35e31bea.0@news.netway.com>, Ron <bluesky@netway.com> wrote:

>Hi I'm looking for info/spec's on the two new sony hand held
>scanners the most important Sensitivity and selectivity
>any one using one now ??? do you like it ?
>thanks for any info
> RON
--

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Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S AMPS/PCS Advanced Systems Development Lab
parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

3620. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd082$5f988980$3fdd0ad0@default>
Source record: 146285
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Dan,

I hope your mother runs out from under the porch & bites your a##.

Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Dan Danz <ddan@az.stratus.com> wrote in article
<6rsr8o$cvk@transfer.stratus.com>...

<snip>
> I'd rather let sleeping dogs lie.

3621. Re: Opto's Micro-Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd090$cc115d40$38dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 146286

Steve,
If you make your own antenna, it works great. I`m able to pick freq`s
from passing barges from over 3/8 mile away with no problem. The ant. that
you buy from opto sucks. Don`t waste your money on it.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Stephen Waits <swaits@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<35E2EE37.DF7261F9@ix.netcom.com>...
> I'd like to know if anybody has used the new "Micro-Counter" frequency
> counter housed in a Pager case from Optoelectronics?
>
> Positive? Negative?
>
> I'm looking for a relatively inexpensive counter for snagging
> frequencies from rent-a-cops, at large events, etc. Would this counter
> do it for me?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Steve

3622. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: intermod58@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082523235800.TAA24482@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146287

The input frequency should be 465.2325. The repeater input on UHF is always 5 Mhz higher than the output.

3623. Re: Singal amps for handheld units....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc Stanton (USA)" <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oirqgel09GA.294@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146288
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Marc Stanton (USA).vcf

Thanks for the responce Dave...

Dave Martindale wrote in message <6rv2ob$8eo@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...

>
>Power amplifiers work. If your problem is that you don't have enough
>power to reach a distant repeater, a power amplifier can make the
>difference. But the extra power alone won't turn a handheld into
>a mobile radio.
>
>

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Marc Stanton (USA).vcf]

3624. Radio Shack idiots

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <0bf_9808251700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146289

-=> Quoting Pierre Mercier to All <=-

PM> The RS store I deal with here in Canada has come up with a
PM> new, innovative, unheard of idea to control the distribution
PM> of catalogues. They keep them behind the counter and you
PM> have to ask the salesperson if you want one.

Hell, they've been doing that for decades in the U.S. of A.
Those stores in Canada are just now catching on to an old
American way of doing business.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3625. Who owns a Universal M-450 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25198-35E34BFC-94@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146290
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I like to know who owns one and if the have it hooked up to a computer, how you hooked it up to the computer? Where do you plug it from the back of the computer? Also, can you only look for certin numbes that you decode from the pager mode? Thanks!
mgdforty@webtv.net

3626. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10288-35E34A55-21@newsd-151.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146291

I knew this was bound to happen! And I'm just as sure that some idiot
will show him how to do it! Hope everyone is happy now.
Jim, KB9KEB

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
.....

3627. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam <being@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6rvllr$dv5$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146292
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

does it work better than message tracker? i want your feedback.

3628. Re: Singal amps for handheld units....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc Stanton (USA)" <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OL9AK9I09GA.138@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146293
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Marc Stanton (USA).vcf

Thanks for the responce Dave...

Dave Martindale wrote in message <6rv2ob$8eo@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...

>
>Power amplifiers work. If your problem is that you don't have enough
>power to reach a distant repeater, a power amplifier can make the
>difference. But the extra power alone won't turn a handheld into
>a mobile radio.
>
>

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Marc Stanton (USA).vcf]

3629. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rvmsqepb1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146294

The frequency 460.2325 is not a frequency that fits the spacing of that band. The nearest valid frequency is 460.225 or 460.2375. All the frequencies with four digits to the right of the decimal are allocated to low power and are unlikely to utilize repeaters anyway.

Intermod58 wrote in message
<1998082523235800.TAA24482@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>The input frequency should be 465.2325. The repeater input on UHF is always
5
>Mhz higher than the output.

3630. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <#nfShRJ09GA.101@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Provided they catch you!

Most of the time they can not find a simple stuck microphone in one of their
own vehicle unless they Auto ID feature.

Hells Angle wrote in message <6rv4ao$kcb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not
>allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble.
It
>is not illegal to listen but it is to transmit on the freq... that is not
>registered to you. Sorry but that is life
>
>

3631. Value of Scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: windbrkr@erols.com
Message-ID: <MPG.104d3075bea7f9779896ce@news.erols.com>
Source record: 146296

A friend passed away about a week ago, and his family has requested help in disposing of some of the electronics gear he left behind.

Along with the usual sell-by-the-pound "junque" we all accumulate, there were a couple of nice scanners that ought to be worth something.

The problem, of course, is finding the right price - one that an interested buyer would be willing to pay, but that won't amount to giving the gear away.

Any help in determining the "right price" for the following two items will be greatly appreciated. Both units are in good-to-very good condition, with cables, documentation, etc., and original boxes. All of the stuff has been verified as being in working order.

1. Icom R-100C wideband receiver/scanner
2. Radio Shack PRO-2035 scanner

Thanks for any input. Please feel free to post comments here, but I would appreciate copy by e-mail. If anyone knows of a good reference source for used-gear pricing, a pointer to it would also be helpful.

Bob

3632. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net>
Message-ID: <35E3679A.1C0D@companet.net>
Source record: 146297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

Steve & Susan wrote:

> The charges you'd face are those of posessing equipment that has been
> illegally modified to transmit out of band (by the Commission)...

You will have a hard time providing a citation of the law or regulation under which you could be charged for merely POSSESSING such equipment. There is no such law in the USA, and legal problems could only occur if possession of such equipment was supporting evidence in a case charging illegal usage.

Every ham rig that can be modified for MARS/CAP is capable of illegally transmitting on non-ARS, -MARS, or -CAP frequencies. Can the Radio Posse round up all the hams with MARS/CAP mods and claim they own an illegally modified radio?? Can a mis-guided ham who, using a radio legally modified for MARS, transmits on a public safety frequency then be charged under some law for simple possession of an illegally modified radio? NO, because there are NO such laws, save against those engaged in the MANUFACTURE of such equipment under certain circumstances.

Why did you make this claim???

> The premise is that you SHOULD NOT have equipment capable of
> transmitting on these frequencies...

Whose premise, since there is no law prohibiting this??

The capabilities that I choose to enable or add on to my personal-use radio equipment is my concern alone. However, I agree it would be gross stupidity to ever, ever use such equipment on frequencies where it is not welcome. I think it is evident that the ham who did so in San Diego County, CA, did so needlessly, almost as if he were waiting for an excuse to try it out. And public safety frequencies are not the place for over-enthusiatic radio operators to crowd and confuse with their "emergency" reports of highway fenderbenders et al.

OTOH, a poll of equipment used by MANY MANY public safety volunteer organizations (fire departments, rescue squads, etc.) would reveal a large amount of ham equipment modified for use on public safety channels.
Let's hope no one starts a self-righteous crusade against this until it is shown that a problem is actually resulting from such "gray-area" usage.

Regards,
Mike-M

3633. Houston Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rvosiful1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I updated the HoustonScan website at
http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/ , but I am building a links page
and would like other people that operate scanner websites for a specific
region (city, state, etc) to email me links to their websites.

jdhtex@aol.com

3634. Re: For Sale - Pro-31 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6rvqf4aqc1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Price dictates sales. If the price is too high, no one will buy. If some one deems it fair, they will buy or make an offer.
If you want one, and can find one cheeper somewhere else . Do it! More power to you. But why be a jerk about it?

erics wrote in message <01bdd037$716eafe0$f2f7c3d0@default>...
>WWWWHHHAAATTT??????you must be fucking drunk, $50 my ass,,,,,for 10 chans,
>i can get that thing for $5.00 $50puffffffffffftth!!!!!
>
>Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net> wrote in article
><01bdcee3$82ba7e00$191e31d1@default>...
>> Radio Shack Pro-31 Hand Held 10 channel scanner.
>> Very Clean in and out; "A 10!" .... Used very little.
>>
>> Asking $50.00
>>
>> --
>> Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
>> Owner
>> DAT2 Communications
>> dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
>> (410) 360-2260 Ext *3
>>

3635. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6rvs69glm1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146300

Thats a good point. If you don't want to pay for it, DON'T!

If the 3 bucks or the "principle of it" bothers anyone.....don't buy one.

I , however, have no problem with it. I went into my RS ready to
ay(without a gripe), but got it for free.

(Didn't mean to single you out Ryan, just seemed like a good spot to jump
in.)

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
<6rv2om$7uj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>... and, so what's your point? Why should we pay for THEIR advertisements?
>
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
>kill them."
>
>RjMIERRN wrote in message
><1998082421413600.RAA20905@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>But others charge for theirs, ie JC PENNY, Bass Pro to name a couple.
>
>

3636. Re: Value of Scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35E37577.87E6277F@INVALID.com>
Source record: 146301

windbrkr@erols.com wrote:

> A friend passed away about a week ago, and his family has requested
> help in disposing of some of the electronics gear he left behind.
> Any help in determining the "right price" for the following two items
> will be greatly appreciated. Both units are in good-to-very good
> condition, with cables, documentation, etc., and original boxes. All
> of the stuff has been verified as being in working order.
>
> 1. Icom R-100C wideband receiver/scanner
> 2. Radio Shack PRO-2035 scanner

Just curious; how old is the deceased? What did he pass away from? Did he smoke? Don't get me wrong, I don't intend to be callous; I'm sorry for your loss. I'm just curious about the life expectancy of a scanner hobbiest.

Humour me. Please.

3637. "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracker <tracker557@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35E37297.1C57@1earthlink.net>
Source record: 146302

I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures? Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the correct address.

3638. Bearcat 210

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gdpawdick@juno.com
Message-ID: <904098842.5492@wren.supernews.com>
Source record: 146303

Was just given an old Bearcat 210 scanner. Am not s/w knowlegable and wonder where I could get some documentation and listing of channels for my area (central CA). It appears to be working but need help in getting it up and running. Thanks

-**** Posted from Supernews, Discussions Start Here(tm) ****-
http://www.supernews.com/ - Host to the World's Discussions & Usenet

3639. Items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <fLKE1.54$IT.608757@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 146304
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale the following:

>>AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps,1000 channels $300.00
>>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
$150.00
>>RCA cb (40 channel)
$ 40.00
>>Uniden cb (40 channel)
$ 40.00
>>AMD K-6-233 processor (new)
$150.00
>>Panasonic 24X CD-Rom (new)
$ 50.00
>>Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE64
$ 90.00

OR BEST OFFER !!!!!

I would like to sell these Items. If you are interested e-mail me at
altman@ctel.net

3640. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ibhsffo <ibhsffo@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <35E37C89.5A4B608B@mci2000.com>
Source record: 146305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

w4nti@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <35E2EDF3.BD0A2842@dol.net>,
> edward.tabor@dol.net wrote:
(snip)

> This certainly was a "strange" exchange of mis-information. Item one,
> the police/commercial user's will ALL be using a PL (private line), tone
> guard, CTCSS or whatever you want to call it. That mean's unless you
> know the subaudible tone, you can't be heard through the system.
>
> In any real emergency any agency/citizen can use whatever means is
> at their disposal to summon help. That in itself does not give joe
> or jane ham authorization to use a police radio frequency. I think a
> good case of common sense would rule the day here.
>
> 73
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>

Maybe they will listen to you Dan, I said the same thing and was told
that the information was "dribble".

HMG

3641. Pro 33

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: aim.stew@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6rvub7pmc1@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146306

I need the instructions detailing the programming of my Pro 33 Realistic Scanner. If anyone knows where I might get it on line please let me know. Thanks

3642. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6rvt08$hn6$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146307

Some equipment is operated by a "tone burst." This is usually found in cheaper equipment. Instead of transmitting a continuous sub-audible tone, it transmits a tone burst which releases the squelch on the radio. The radio has a timer circuit that resets the tone burst feature a few seconds after the transmission stops. It would be difficult to tell what tone trips the squelch since it is just a burst. Since this feature is not as efficient as a standard PL tone it is not commonly found on commercial equipment. I noticed it on some of RadioShack's FRS radios.

Tracker wrote in message <35E37297.1C57@1earthlink.net>...
>I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I
>can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the
>tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures?
>Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the
>correct address.

3643. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Chamberlain and Rachael Rhoads <mailto>
Message-ID: <35E38155.20A6@epix.net>
Source record: 146308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Why do you want to? Why would anybody want to?

3644. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net>
Message-ID: <35E380D1.31A8@b.a.cop.oyeah>
Source record: 146309
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Just Cause wrote:

> From what I am reading here in this news group I now know why most public
> agencies are going to digital encripted transmissions. It is to keep people
> who do not belong on their radio systems.
>
> What did you all do before you owned that radio capable of getting on the
> public service frequencies? Do the same.
>
> Just Cause

Oh, my yes. You read and hear about it all the time. The PS frequencies are really under siege by SOMEBOBY transmitting illegally on their frequencies at every hour of the day. It's a real public nuisance! We need a Federal task force to stamp this out. We need to allow random searches for such equipment. You can't listen to a scanner for more than a couple of minutes ANYWHERE without noticing how commonly this explosive threat to democratic representative government occurs.

NOT.

If all one has to worry about is whether or not some vile "unauthorized" vermin is lurking with, God help us, the POTENTIAL to key up on the local PD frequencies, I'd say life is pretty sweet.

Actually, the reasons SOME agencies have gone to encryption are:
(1) Too much money in their budget for non-essential techno-gimmicks, AND
(2) [This is IT!] the natural desire of people everywhere not to have anyone monitoring their actions.

Anyone claiming "spurious interference" by modified ham rigs as a reason for encryption would be, er, uninformed or deceptive in every conceivable way.

3645. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beverly Walker <bevwalker@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <35E380C3.76C7@centuryinter.net>
Source record: 146310

Not necessarily true - scanner laws in mobile use vary from state to state - check out something like Truckers News to get the latest laws regarding mobile use of scanners by state. BASE use is a different story, but there are DEFINITE laws regarding the use of scanners in a vehicle (though I'm sure they selectively enforce them, I've had similar experiences).

3646. Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <0e5_9808252100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146311

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-=> Quoting Hans Gruber to All <=-

HG> Why does that joe fireman guy keep on spamming this newsgroup?

You have a problem in your life, jackass?

Maybe your wife walked out for a better man?

Complain to John Mackey, who brought on the
reign of terror in these newsgroups.

Until then, just shut your fat mouth!

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
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3647. AR8000-AR8200 TrueType Fonts - WHERE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stephen H. Fischer" <sfischer1@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6s095c$98j$1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146312

Hello all:

I am looking for a font to use in Windows 9x Programs
that matches the characters in the AR8000/AR8200 displays.

These characters are used by devices other than the AOR Radios.

A data sheet for the Samsung KS0066 LCD Controller is included
in the Serial LCD Backpack Display Modules on
ftp://ftp.jameco.com/jameco/data_sheets-displays/133129p1.gif
which shows all the characters.

This data sheet CORRECTLY shows ALL the characters in the AR8000,
which the various AR8000 web pages do NOT!

I have intermittently worked on a raster font with these characters,
but what I really want is a MONO SPACED true type font the has smoothly
scaled
characters for the English alphabet and block increasing
characters for the icons (Katakana Characters).

Thanks for your support.

--
Stephen H. Fischer <sfischer1@mindspring.com>

3648. Re: How to receive AFSK signal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <35e256d7.8556853@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 146313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,comp.dcom.modems

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 12:55:58 +0200,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
Fabrizio Ravegnani <fabrizio@o3.fisbat.bo.cnr.it>
from CNR-FISBAT thoughtfully posted:

> Hi to everybody !!
> I would like to acquire data from a weather radiosonde that it
> transmits on
> 404 MHz whit the following communication parameter: 300, N, 8, 2
> in AFSK (2025/2225 Hz)
> (but I can make some adjustement in tones on the trasmitter)
> I have tried to use a modem, but without result ;it seems it cannot work
> without the phone line signal and a remote modem. Can I start data
> acquisition before the carrier detection and handshake process ?
> . I have thought to use the Sound Blaster, too, but I have found no
> programs
> supporting the communication parameters that interest to me.
> Is there any software I can use ?. In alternative, a TNC could work?
> Thanks in advances

Try a "packet modem" TNC, particularly the "Baycomm" type.

They are based on a "modem" chip (TI TCM3105) that is compatible
with the modem FSK specs. By jumpering a few pins, you can change
the receive tone pairs. Search for "Baycomm modem schematic".
Note that the Baycomm modem data is sent through the handshaking
pins, and not the RX/TX pins of the serial interface. You will
need to rewire the connector.

Or, look for two shareware programs called "Hamcomm" and
"Radioraft". They can be set for custom mark-space freqs, shifts
and baudrates. They both require the "Hamcomm" interface - the
same one used for MDT, Trunker, POSCAG, etc, etc. The circuit is
included in the doc's.

Good Luck!

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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3649. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Tabor <edward.tabor@dol.net>
Message-ID: <35E2EDF3.BD0A2842@dol.net>
Source record: 146326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am a volunteer fire department member as well as an EMT and a fire policeman. In my training, both as an EMT and fire police, I have always been told that, IN AN EMERGENCY, any means of communication is acceptable, whether it be a ham radio, a police handheld or otherwise. (No, I am not a licensed ham.)

Cop Busters wrote:

> HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
>
> >
> > As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
> > officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
> > around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
> > Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
> > killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
> > situation.
>
> I'm not a HAM but I can tell that you are full of shit. The amateur
> radio leagues in my state are well organized and well regulated. In any
> type of emergency or disaster situation they are (more than) prepared to
> take control and provide essential communications - even when your
> police radios fail.
>
>
> > If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access to a
> > Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
> > cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to call
> > 911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
> > type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the Police
> > radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.
>
> Excuse me? If I use a two-way radio to save someone's life, how could I
> "cost someone their life?" Are you referring to a "startle reaction"
> when the officer hears my pleas for help, and is awakened from his nap,
> or he spills some Dunkin' Donut coffee on himself?
>
>
> > If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the Chief
> > or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!
> >
> > COP
>
> Good idea! If I witness a robbery, rape, or shooting I'll call the
> police chief at home and ask if I can use their repeater for 10 seconds.

>
> Great Idea!
>
> You're Busted!!!!!
>
> **CopBusters**

3650. Re: Interesting trick I found-new to me tho some might know it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rugjq$poq@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Why not just get Wintone? It's basically free (uncrippled and never "runs
out").

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

rsk wrote in message <35e469fe.59465721@messageid.org>...
>After scouring the net for HOURS trying to find a decent free DTMF
>decoder and coming up with crap that was crashing my system or didn't
>work I ran across the following simple idea. Take your pager...dial
>your pager's number on a regular phone...play the file into the
>phone...Presto..in 30 seconds the tones are decoded with a high degree
>of accuracy. I was amazed and also pissed I did't think of it myself.
>Hope someone has some use for this info. Works great for
>ex-girlfriends!!! <evil grin>

3651. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Mercier <pmercier@recorder.ca>
Message-ID: <35E2C94D.1D91158E@recorder.ca>
Source record: 146328

The RS store I deal with here in Canada has come up with a new,
innovative, unheard of
idea to control the distribution of catalogues. They keep them
behind the counter and you
have to ask the salesperson if you want one.

This way, only people who REALLY want one will ask. And those who
ask will receive it
free of charge. And I am pretty lucky... the staff in the local
store is relatively knowledgeable.

beavis9775@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <Ey5Koo.791@world.std.com>,
> chesler@post.harvard.edu wrote:
> > The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
> > that's not credited to future sales.
> --
> > David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>
> I picked up one today for no charge. I know the manager pretty well
> and he told me that one of the reasons that they are supposed
> to charge for the catalogs is to prevent kids (who presumably
> don't spend much if anything) from grabbing 6 or 8 of them
> from the box and leaving.
>
> Dave in Omaha
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3652. Re: For Sale - Pro-31 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: erics <estouch@goes.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd037$716eafe0$f2f7c3d0@default>
Source record: 146329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WWWWHHHAAATTT??????you must be fucking drunk, $50 my ass,,,,,for 10 chans,
i can get that thing for $5.00 $50puffffffffffth!!!!!

Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net> wrote in article
<01bdcee3$82ba7e00$191e31d1@default>...
> Radio Shack Pro-31 Hand Held 10 channel scanner.
> Very Clean in and out; "A 10!" .... Used very little.
>
> Asking $50.00
>
> --
> Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
> Owner
> DAT2 Communications
> dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
> (410) 360-2260 Ext *3
>

3653. Re: 895 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6rui71$67t$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 146330

Here's the address to Rich Well's page you were looking for:

http://www.strongsignals.net/

Darren L. North wrote in message <35E06021.C8D87B6E@cvn.net>...
>
>
>dave archer wrote:
>
>> Iam trying to get my tape recorde hooked up to my 895XLT, for some reasn
>> the tape recorder is not comming on when the scanner is active like its
>> soppsed to '
>> can any one give me any Ideas?? has to why has any one done this with a
>> 895XLT
>> Thank you
>> Dave
>> davarc@Premier1.net
>>
>> born to be wild (thats my theam)
>
> Dave,
>
>Not sure if it's bullshit or not, but I read somewhere that the record
>option was a typo in the manual, along with 3 or 4 other things that it
says
>it can do, but really can't. I'd check out the review that is on the one
>scanner review page that I think is run by some guy named Wells, or
>something like that. He talked about it there, I believe. Sorry, I can't
>find the URL for his page right now.
>

3654. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Lemar <lemar@gte.no.spam.com>
Message-ID: <35E2C870.35FD@gte.no.spam.com>
Source record: 146331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Just Cause wrote:
>
> In article <ezfQi$8z9GA.125@upnetnews05>, "Ivan Ivanovich" <iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:

> >Let's face it Chiefs and Sheriffs are Politicians only the people can get
> >them votes or poltical power get this privilege. How many worthless politcal
> >party supporters are Special Poilceman or Deputies?

> From what I am reading here in this news group I now know why most public
> agencies are going to digital encripted transmissions. It is to keep people
> who do not belong on their radio systems.

BZZZZTT!! Wrong answer, but you're invited to come back later and play
"I'm An Idiot!"

The trunking systems were built and designed for EFFICIENCY. Many
repeaters are required for the systems to work properly, and many have
been disasters!

Another fantastic feature is the ability to monitor and track those
officers who enjoy sitting in donut shops all night, or taking naps.
They can see if your car is moving.

But, try again!

D. Lemar

3655. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd03d$94701dc0$8801010a@mikey>
Source record: 146332

I agree. But I have to ask....

What's the big deal? If you don't want to give your
name and address, don't give it. Oh, I see, go on the
internet and whine about it.

Hey, I give mine. In the last year, I've gotten 4 separate
discount coupons in the mail. One got me a deal on my
Nokia digital cell phone. Another on the HTX-242......

Stuff that I was going to buy anyway!

Mike
N1DVJ

3656. Re: Batteries for BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <35E2DBCB.1152@fnal.gov>
Source record: 146333

Jason Low wrote:
>
> I've managed to utterly destroy one of my BC235 batteries through carelessness,
> and the second one is well on its way to oblivion as well. Going on the
> assumption that since the Pro-90 is basically a BC235 in RS's clothing, I walked
> into a store and asked if they had any batteries for the Pro-90.
>
> "Um.. no."
>

The little plug on the end went bad on mine and RS doesn't sell them,
but the salesperson cut one off an old/dead battery and gave it to me.
Now my other battery connector is going bad, so I'm going back and see
if I can get another one (hope the same guy is there :-).
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--> Rick Colombo@fnal.gov

3657. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35e2de0b.315050418@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 146334
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 16:03:40 GMT, wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:

>Well, for starters....
>1) S-meter
>2) Center Tune Meter
>3) Extended Delay
>4) Auto Tape Record Switch
>5) Extended memory
>6) Data-Tone Squelch
>7) SCA Decoder
> Basic mods from internet and the book "THE ULTIMATE SCANNER"
>8) Computer interfacing
> Optoelectronics OS535
> http://www.optoelectronics.com/
> PROgramit Interface
> http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/
> Boondog Automation ISA card interface
> http://www.boondog.com/
>9) Remote Control (see PROgramit's page)
>There are others that can add a few features, but they don't readily
>come to mind.

Thanks very much. I probably need to brush up on my dejanews
abilities (perhaps I could have found this using some feature in
"power search"). Does the book you refer to include info on things
like the S-meter and center tune meter? Those are the two most
interesting things to me right now.

Thanks again,

3658. WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: thom285@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082516382000.MAA16527@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146335

I am looking for a remote speaker/collar mic for Motorola P110 radio. Please e mail me at Thom285@aol.com also I have for sale or trade. a remote speaker/collar mic for Motorola Sabre portable radio

3659. PRO-25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net>
Message-ID: <35E2E938.2119AA40@nac.net>
Source record: 146336

Does anyone know the mods for the RS PRO-25 scanner? I tried the 2+9+LO mod and it did nothing. Please help. Thanks-

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+---
Greg Rizos-
E-mail: conquistador1@geocities.com
Home Page: Http://www.geocities.com/MotorCity/9714
ICQ UIN: 10023399
You can get more with a kind word..... and a gun, Than just a kind word alone.
-Al Capone
If it doesn't fit, dont force it, just get a bigger hammer.
I love animals- They're delicious!

3660. WTB: Yaesu FRG-9600..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Thomerson <mthomerson@br-inc.com>
Message-ID: <35E2EBC2.C04BE3CE@br-inc.com>
Source record: 146337

Hello and thanks for reading this post. I am looking to buy a Yaesu FRG-9600. The rig must be complete and in excellent electrical and cosmetic condition. Thanks, markus.

3661. Opto's Micro-Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Waits <swaits@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35E2EE37.DF7261F9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146338
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: swaits/popd.ix.netcom.com.vcf

I'd like to know if anybody has used the new "Micro-Counter" frequency counter housed in a Pager case from Optoelectronics?

Positive? Negative?

I'm looking for a relatively inexpensive counter for snagging frequencies from rent-a-cops, at large events, etc. Would this counter do it for me?

Thanks,

Steve

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3662. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17741-35E2E21C-28@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146339

If that is your only way of comunication I think you can get away with it ,but dont get caught I think they could still cite you

I was in search and rescue for a while I heard f a ham who had a modifiede radio and was transmitting on it the fcc came into base camp and gave him a ticket
Dave...

born to be wild (thats my theam)

3663. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17740-35E2E4E9-43@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146340

Dosn't that mean that you can transmite on the police radio ,and not
your modified ham radio ???

born to be wild (thats my theam)

3664. ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hells Angle <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6ruriu$128@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146341

Then Why is it that the Law also states that the Air Waves are free air wave. It isn't illegal to listen just to Rebroadcast the Transmission with out written consent. And if you think it is Illegal to Rebroadcast then why can you listen to NYPD, LAPD and others VIA broadcast.com? I know one thing and That is I have been pulled over by Police and Even Had one with me in my car while my Scanner was running and They said Nothing. As long as You don't rebroadcast. And the Law You All Refer to is as flexible as Rubber. Because if that applied then a Police officer OFF duty in his own Private veh. can't have a Scanner but they do. So the law varies, And if you get pulled over for it and ticketed then you have a cop with nothing better to do. Shoot I even had a Cop standing by my car while at a Restaurant listen to my scanner so he could hear what he sounded like over the radio. So just Don't worry about it.

Thanks
Hells Angel

richard flores wrote in message
<6rtgtt$a0ci$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>Down here in Soflo alot of people do it anyways, and I bet 99% of Metro or
>the city knows about that.
>
>Anyways, I just turned mines (Uniden BC350A) on after about a year and a
>half of non use and can't get anything.
>
>Did everything go to 800mhz? Mines reads from bands 29 to 512.
>Is this thing obsolete or broken?
>
>Thanks:
>Rick
>
>
>

3665. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6rus2m$31a$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is all very true. In an emergency, all bets are off. You nay use whatever means are at hand and necessary to send a distress or emergency message.

There are a few wrinkles in this concept though... I am thinking of a case in CA a few years back... QST printed notice of this and I think a couple of updates. It seems that a ham had his HT programmed for a couple of local law enforcement channels, and got into some jam off in the bush... Maybe it was a broken leg, I don't remember. Anyway, I guess he called on a ham freq. or two, and then tried a police freq.. Well, a bunch of people got their noses out of joint over this, and I will not take sides on whether he was right or wrong to do this, but the feds messed with this guy rather badly, and it was touch and go on whether he would have to pay some bucks and maybe lose his license. The position of the FCC seems to have been that programming his rig for police frequencies in the first place constituted intent to use those freqs at a later date. I think they did take his HT. Maybe somebody remembers that article better than I do and can refresh our memories. Anyway, I think the assumption should be that you will get hassled badly for operating on public safety systems without authorization, emergency or not, and if the emergency warrants you accepting the fact that you will get hassled, then of course you will use those freqs. If your emergency involves life and death, obviously a fine and losing your license are pretty small potatoes, and you will use the freq. since it is the lesser of two evils. If the emergency is something like you ran out of gas on the highway, consider the gravity of the situation you are in versus the gravity of the situation you might be in if you use an unauthorized freq.. Weigh one against the other. Because whether you consider it an emergency or not, somebody else might not, and especially if Uncle Charley points out that you had privileges on other usable freqs, you COULD INDEED find yourself in a bad situation. So, assume the worst will come out of your emergency transmission, weigh it against the emergency, and do what you gotta do knowing and anticipating the possible consequences both to yourself and to legal users of the system and the people who depend on them.

"That's all I got to say about THAT."

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*******PLEASE REMOVE ANTI-SPAM TO REPLY VIA EMAIL*******

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73 DE AB5VH (Robinson) in San Benito, Texas
A nice little town in the beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border, By the Sea

New or wannabe Hams...
check out my site for info and programs:

http://members.aol.com/rcrusoe/ab5vh.html
OR new site currently building:
http://home1.gte.net/rmcrusoe
OR COMING SOON....
http://crusoe.org

dit diddy dit dit

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>> **CopBusters**
>
>
>

3666. I need help with a bearcat scanner!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: miliman9@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ruuqejdd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146343

I recently boughtfrom a friend a used Bearcat 210e scanner.
When i turn it on it only goes to the channel 10.275
i need to know how to save channels, and to manually
goto a channel that is not saved. Please Help!!!!

-robert
p.s.- if you have any spec's on it please post them for me

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3667. scanner mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ntmncer4463@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rv170$n8p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146344

I was wondering if anyone knowsa scanner mod for the BC120XLT
would apreciate a reply?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3668. Attention Video Shooters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Signer <nashent34@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35E28217.7DB1@earthlink.net>
Source record: 146345

Hi. I work for Nas Entertainment in Los ANgeles and would like to talk to any video shooters about some of the shows we are producing.

Please email me with a phone number, or call me at 213-993-7384 and we'll talk. (Don't post here, since I probably won't see it.)

Thanks,

Dan Signer
Nash Entertainment

3669. Attention Video Shooters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Signer <nashent34@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35E28304.33A0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 146346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.video.production,rec.video.marketplace,rec.video,alt.radio.scanner

Hi. I work for Nash Entertainment in Los Angeles and would like to talk to video shooters (news/reality) about some of the shows we are producing.

Please email me with a phone number, or call me at 213-993-7384 and we'll talk. (Don't post here, since I probably won't see it.)

Thanks,

Dan Signer
Nash Entertainment

3670. Re: Opto's Micro-Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric F. Richards" <efricha@flatland.dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3OCE1.186$ZY4.7196256@wormhole.dimensional.com>
Source record: 146347

Stephen Waits <swaits@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> I'd like to know if anybody has used the new "Micro-Counter" frequency
> counter housed in a Pager case from Optoelectronics?

> Positive? Negative?

Negative. I bought one, with the antenna they recommend (but isn't in
the ads) and it couldn't lock on a 2 meter rig 5 ft. from the antenna
or a 49MHz phone just inches away. I returned it. Unfortunately,
the name "TechToyz" says it all. A shame...

> I'm looking for a relatively inexpensive counter for snagging
> frequencies from rent-a-cops, at large events, etc. Would this counter
> do it for me?

I got the Scout instead, which is very, very good. It's 3 times the
price but a lot more than 3 times the performance. Get it if you can.

Eric
--
Eric F. Richards
efricha@alumni.cs.colorado.edu
"The weird part is that I can feel productive even when I'm doomed."
- Dilbert

3671. Re: WTB: Yaesu FRG-9600..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082518114600.OAA13587@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146348

>From: Markus Thomerson <mthomerson@br-inc.com>
>
>Hello and thanks for reading this post. I am looking to buy a Yaesu
>FRG-9600. The rig must be complete and in excellent electrical and
>cosmetic condition. Thanks, markus.

You would increase your chances of finding one if you posted in the
rec.radio.shortware newgroup. There are at least two being offered for sale
when I last looked (hours ago).

3672. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <ZmDE1.514$026.418654@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35E2C870.35FD@gte.no.spam.com>, lemar@gte.no.spam.com wrote:
>Just Cause wrote:
>>
>> In article <ezfQi$8z9GA.125@upnetnews05>, "Ivan Ivanovich"
> <iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:
>
>> >Let's face it Chiefs and Sheriffs are Politicians only the people can get
>> >them votes or poltical power get this privilege. How many worthless politcal
>> >party supporters are Special Poilceman or Deputies?
>
>
>> From what I am reading here in this news group I now know why most public
>> agencies are going to digital encripted transmissions. It is to keep people
>> who do not belong on their radio systems.
>
>
>BZZZZTT!! Wrong answer, but you're invited to come back later and play
>"I'm An Idiot!"
>
Excuse me!! You need to read a little better. Did you flunk English comp.
No where did it say anything about trunking. I will say it again "agencies
are going digital encripted transmissions" to keep no nothings like yourself
off of these systems.

Think you need to go back to basic English class and get a life.

>The trunking systems were built and designed for EFFICIENCY. Many
>repeaters are required for the systems to work properly, and many have
>been disasters!
>
>Another fantastic feature is the ability to monitor and track those
>officers who enjoy sitting in donut shops all night, or taking naps.
>They can see if your car is moving.

This may be a "fantastic feature" but none of the "trunk" systems I operate
on have this "feature". What CB channel do you operate on??????
>
>But, try again!
>
>
But, try again with some more idiot responses!
> D. Lemar

Just Cause

3673. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <5rDE1.515$026.418654@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

In article <35E2C9DA.1C50@ix.netcom.com>, pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>Edward Tabor wrote:
>>
>> I am a volunteer fire department member as well as an EMT and a fire
> policeman. In
>> my training, both as an EMT and fire police, I have always been told that, IN
> AN
>> EMERGENCY, any means of communication is acceptable, whether it be a ham
> radio, a
>> police handheld or otherwise. (No, I am not a licensed ham.)
>
>
>Edward,
>
>I have now asked *three* different HAM operators and they all agree
>that, according to the Communications Act of 1934, you may use ANY MEANS
>possible to save life or property.

Unfortunately hams think they can do anything just because they have a
"ham" license. Now ask the FCC and they will tell you that it does not mean
that you can transmit on a communications system that you do not have
authority or a license. Re-read part 97.403 and ask an FCC field engineer.
>
>The Communications Act of 1934 overides *any* local or state law.
>
>The original poster asked if he could legally use a police radio
>(personal) if he witnessed a rape, attempted murder, or robbery.
>
>According to my sources the answer is "yes."
>
>(ken)
>
>

3674. Bearcat BC200 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35E3065B.7F7D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146351

Scanning is new to me so sorry if I seem somewhat stupid. Is the 200 XLT capable of receiving cel or cordless transmissions? If yes, what freq. do you set? Thank you, Bob

3675. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6rv30j$q68$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146352
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35E1FD47.51C9@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> Zombie Wolf wrote:
> > It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks.
> > You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell
>
> Perhaps your energies would be better suited sending complaints to the
> Cheek-a-likes who are still causing troubles.
>

And maybe you need to take your own advice .

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3676. Re: finding security freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35E3055E.2854@home.here>
Source record: 146353

The HT 1000's we used to have operated in the 460 Mhz range. Separate transmit & receive freqs as a repeater was used.

Mina Naguib wrote:
>
> Question :
>
> This weekend I was involved in a big convention, and the
> security staff were given Motorola HT1000 walkie-talkies. I don't
> know any other specs for the walkie talkies, but it covered
> crisp-clear over 5 kilometers.
>
> Anyways, I got my scanner, removed the antenna, got close to
> one of the talkies, transmit, and scanned for the frequencies.
>
> My scanner would find the frequency, yet if the scanner moved
> over 2 meters away from the transmitting talkie, the signal would grow
> too weak. I guessed this was an image and kept searching, again, I
> find another frequncy but is only received within 2 meters (yes, I do
> put the antenna back before moving the scanner away)... All the
> frequencies I found were around the 30Mhz range, give or take.. I got
> around 8 to 10 of them...
>
> So, my question is.. in a situation like that, what is the
> best way to find the right frequency ? should I have kept searching ?
> should I search the whole 32-1000 range ? any tips ???
>
> Any response would be greatly appreciated. :) thx a lot in
> advance.
>
> "To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
> then realize that the prisoner was you."
> --
> Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
> home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
> ICQ UIN #6181556
> --
> To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
> email address

3677. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35e2bb28.1006055721@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

PCH

It's obvious we agree on the problem. Like you, I don't advocate violence. There is no way that violence will counter the forces of those with an intertest to keep the status quo. I advocate education. I have the feeling you've been aware of the problems of this counrty for years and in the past there were very few who would even want to see what you saw. You also didn't have the medium to express the problem at any length. I believe you gave up hope.

I feel the time is right for enlightening those that can be beyond what they get in the corporate owned mass media. The internet..and yes this news group can serve as a vehicle if the issue is right (government control of scanners etc..).

The one thing we have to get through our heads is that this is a global problem...not just limited to the US. SInce the problem is global in nature, the answer has to be global in nature. This means we have to put aside petty differences and prejudices if we are to overcome this eventual oppression.

We have to quit resenting mexicans because OUR corporations move to Mexico using OUR tax dollars for the move. They then polute Mexico and under pay their workers. We have to quit resenting Asians who are being brought into our country in droves to compete for high tech jobs. It's out corporations who have bent the laws so they can achieve these ends and get cheaper labor and even greater profits.
Putting aside prejudices is hard...I'm very prejudiced, but I'm also smart enough to know that most of these prejudices are bullshit and were created in fear. In the long run they will never accomplish anything. I challenege them. That's the best I can do...just take that one instant and not act on them..not repeat them. That takes tremendous effort somedays. I'm definately no saint.

As far as the alternatives, I have a survival guide, bought specifically for this purpose. I've contemplated getting a permit to own a weapon. I am not for gun control...I'll give up my right to own one when the government/corporations give up theirs.

By the way, the security forces in the US..Wells Fargo, Pinkerton etc.. are the largest armed forces in the world. They work for corporations. If there were civil unrest, which side of the line do you think the majority of those guards would be today... how about if they were educated? Big difference...that's why I advocate being out in the open with this. It's the only way peole will get to see and

hear something other than Seinfeld, football, Jenny Jones or the NY
Times.

Peace

Roy

.On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 00:27:05 -0400, "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
wrote:

>
>Roy Harrison wrote in message <35e0cef1.138532290@froot.cc.bellcore.com>...
>>>
>>>Finally; Roy; you nor any other American have enjoyed "rights" for at
>least
>>>20 years.
>>
>>Let's start this by pointing out that we agree wholeheartedly on this
>>point.
>>We haven't had representation since the form of government went from a
>>democracy to a republic in the very beginning of this counrty.
>>I have only recently become aware what you stated...lets just say I
>>was in hibernation. I don't like it...do you?
>
>
>(Major Snip) Sorry
>
>No Roy; I don't like it, but unlike the whiners in this NG, I've taken
>measures to protect myself against a loss of rights, loss of property
>etc...Unfortunately I can not and will not elaborate further on this except
>to say this as I crawl upon my soapbox:
>Many years ago in this country, there was a little thing called the Boston
>Tea Party. Essentially as we all know this was due to many being fed up with
>"paying to be free and yet not truly being represented." Wow! An act of
>violence. Though I DO NOT advocate violence, the writing is indeed on the
>wall. Look around you. Terrorism, bombings, crime rates soaring contrary to
>"government reports", and the most dangerous of all...APATHY!
>It seems we are all far too content as long as our stomachs are full and we
>have 2 cars in our garage.
>80% of our Senatorial seats are held by millionaires. They know how to
>represent us? Please! They know what it is to balance a checkbook? Please!
>They know what it is to make a household budget? Please!
>
>Ever hear about the frog in the pot?...If you throw him in at full boil,
>he'll jump out....BUT; place him in cold water and slooooowwwly turn up the
>heat, he'll die and never know how it happened. Need I elaborate on that
>one?
>
>There is and has been a "Tea Party" boiling in this country for a long time.
>Soon, someone will say "Hey; they're killing us!" How?...By slooowly eroding
>moral fiber, passing laws at 2am when no one is watching C-Span, requlating

>EVERYTHING from Internet to Gun Control. The list is VERY long. The violent
>incidents we have seen in the past 5 years are simply a few sneaking on the
>boat and throwing a few bags of tea into the drink. BTW; writing your
>congressman is a complete and total waste of time. I am so tired of hearing
>"if you don't vote, don't complain." A grass roots revival? Can't happen
>now. In order to have grass roots, you need fertile soil. That soil doesn't
>exist because "they" also requlate what is taught in the schools. Nor do we
>have the soil for the roots.."they" own that too!
>
>The Soviet Union for many years feared such an uprising amoungst the people.
>What did they do? The found party members who would blend in with the common
>folk and incite a few to riot. Why? The reason: Several small fires are
>easier to control than a major burn. So now the people feel happy and
>content, they had their small fire, and will have more...all carefully
>controlled and orchestrated by the government. Hmmmm? Could that be
>happening in the U.S? Hmmmm?
>
>Well, I suppose I'll get off my soapbox now and offer only this advice as a
>starting point.
>
>Scanners: Buy all you can get. Buy transmitters too. You're right. They WILL
>be outlawed someday soon.
>Get a GPS navigation instrument...maps too..topo are best.
>Decide where you want to carve out your existance....nice climate if
>possible.
>Read all you can on survival...do it now as books will disappear soon..some
>already have..ever seen "HTTP URL not found"?
>Start investigating how to make yourself disappear...No SS, no DL #, no
>nothing...It's really not that difficult once you learn.
>Stop bitching. Get real quiet real fast.
>Got a secret?..Keep it to yourself.
>LEARN FROM THE PROS: What does the CIA do primarily? The collect
>information. Tons of it.
>Knowledge is power.
>
>These are only the basics...you want more..ask me, but I won't post here nor
>will I answer email without encryption....I love PGP..so far.
>
>Remember: It is far easier to ask for forgiveness than it is to ask for
>permission.
>
>PCH
>
>
>

3678. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <3XDE1.531$026.442843@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146355

I have bought from Scanner World in the past with no problems. I would use them again.

Mike

--
Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
Wm. Scott Cranston wrote in message <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com>...
>Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm looking
>to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best prices.
>Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC number.
>
>Thanks in advance,
> Scott in MA
>
>
>

3679. Re: Singal amps for handheld units....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6rv2ob$8eo@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 146356
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"marcs_ms" <marcs_ms@email.msn.com> writes:
>Just wondering if anyone out there uses the inline signal amps for handheld
>units. Radio Shack has one for $65.00 and I have seen a few on the web
>ranging from 40 to 100 bucks..

Power amplifiers work. If your problem is that you don't have enough
power to reach a distant repeater, a power amplifier can make the
difference. But the extra power alone won't turn a handheld into
a mobile radio.

To get a rough equivalent of a mobile rig, a handheld needs to be
supplemented with power amplifier, better input filtering (to reject
intermod when you connect it to a more efficient antenna), and an
external audio amplifier and speaker. You probably want to add an
external mike as well. You *can* do all this, and then it will work
quite well - but you've just filled up a lot of space with boxes
and wires connecting them. And you've spent more than a mobile
radio would have cost in the first place.

I guess what I'm saying is, if all you really need is more power,
nothing else, just add the amplifier. But if you think you need
some of the other features of a mobile radio, it's probably better
to save your dollars towards buying that instead.

Dave

3680. Discriminator tap on PRO-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-pnLTdjdOfV2W@localhost>
Source record: 146357
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I've found the proper pin on the IC for NFM baseband audio but understand the center pin on the CTCSS card mount on the three pin side has a buffered output that will work. My question is whether or not the cap and resistor are required as would be if directly tapping the pin on the IC?

Anyone know for sure?

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

3681. How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com>
Message-ID: <35e310d0.1793498@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Hi,

Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
radio.

What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?

thanks

Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address

3682. Re: finding security freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rv2he$76n@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146359

I may be wrong, but I doubt that those talkies transmit in the 30 MHz range.
Both of my older scanners receive MANY images in this range, esp. of police
in the 46x band.

Try the 151-153, and/or the 461 to 465 ranges.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

Mina Naguib wrote in message <35e30838.2649856@n3.idirect.com>...
>
>Question :
>
> This weekend I was involved in a big convention, and the
>security staff were given Motorola HT1000 walkie-talkies. I don't
>know any other specs for the walkie talkies, but it covered
>crisp-clear over 5 kilometers.
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> Anyways, I got my scanner, removed the antenna, got close to
>one of the talkies, transmit, and scanned for the frequencies.
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>over 2 meters away from the transmitting talkie, the signal would grow
>too weak. I guessed this was an image and kept searching, again, I
>find another frequncy but is only received within 2 meters (yes, I do
>put the antenna back before moving the scanner away)... All the
>frequencies I found were around the 30Mhz range, give or take.. I got
>around 8 to 10 of them...
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> So, my question is.. in a situation like that, what is the
>best way to find the right frequency ? should I have kept searching ?
>should I search the whole 32-1000 range ? any tips ???
>
> Any response would be greatly appreciated. :) thx a lot in
>advance.
>
>"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
> then realize that the prisoner was you."
>--
> Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
> home : http://dafrog.cjb.net

> ICQ UIN #6181556
>--
>To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
>email address

3683. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiohag@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6rv2i3$qsf@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Regarding using Ham radio to call on police freqs:
I recall a case in Ct maybe 15 years ago when a ham, also a radio news broacaster found someone in distress (drowning I believe) and placed an emergency call on the police freq. I believe as a result the person was saved (I may be wrong about) but then the feds prosecuted him for illegal transmission.

DOn't recall if he was convicted.

Bob Hagen

3684. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rv2t9$8kq@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146361

Are *you* capable of telling us (or anyone) how to do business --- do you
have your own national store chain?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

Bud wrote in message <35e2d441.2158741@news-server>...
>On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 15:33:37 GMT, dre@gte.net (doug) wrote:
>
>>I agree 100%. Those RS idiots haven't figured out that in business to
>>make money you must spend money ie. catalogs.
>
>When YOU start a business and develop it into several thousand stores
>across the U.S. and thew world, THEN you'll be capable of talling us how
>not to do business. Until then, you're about as believable as the Easter
>Bunny.
>
>

3685. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rv2om$7uj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146362

... and, so what's your point? Why should we pay for THEIR advertisements?

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

RjMIERRN wrote in message
<19980824214136000.RAA20905@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>But others charge for theirs, ie JC PENNY, Bass Pro to name a couple.

3686. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiohag@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6rv3bk$64o@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146363

In <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com> "Wm. Scott Cranston"
<cranston@cadence.com> writes:
>
>Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm
looking
>to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best
prices.
>Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC
number.
>
>Thanks in advance,
> Scott in MA
>
>
>I"ve used them often -- excellent service and prices.
bob hagen

3687. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e30dae.87778@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146364

On 25 Aug 1998 04:28:13 GMT, r1c1w@aol.com (R1C1W) wrote:

>The freq you guys are listening to is 940.2250 MHz. Honest. Its Skytel's 50 kHz
>wide nationwide Narrowband PCS (NPCS) channel paired with 901.2250 MHz.
>They got the license on a "Pioneer's Preference" back in '93 for free and now
>the FCC is billing them $33 million because the Federal District Court in D.C.
>upheld subsequent changes Congress made to the Communications Act that took
>away the free ride. Not surprising.
>If you look at the signal on a spectrum analyzer you can see 4 distinct
>subcarriers which accounts for the confusing responses from a typical scanner.
>
>Bob

Thanks for the info!

FWIW: it is REFLEX and could be decoded with pocflex if you were so
inclined.

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3688. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hells Angle <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6rv4ao$kcb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble. It is not illegal to listen but it is to transmit on the freq... that is not registered to you. Sorry but that is life

Torres wrote in message <35e310d0.1793498@news.earthlink.net>...
>Hi,
>
>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>radio.
>
>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>
>
>thanks
>
>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
>
>

3689. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rv5kf$fhl6$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Torres wrote...

>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address

Troll.

http://sckb.ucssc.indiana.edu/kb/data/afhc.html

3690. Re: modify yourself?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <u39Z4#F09GA.179@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 146367

"Inspecktah" <x_9-13-96_x@rocketmail.com> asked:
> ... what are the cell phone freq.? i.e. 800mhz-???mhz?

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Cellular Telephone [22.902]

Chs Freqs (base) System Use

991-1023 869.040 - 870.000 A - RCC voice
1-312 870.030 - 879.360 A - RCC voice
313-333 879.390 - 879.990 A - RCC data
334-354 880.020 - 880.620 B - Telco data
355-666 880.650 - 889.980 B - Telco voice
667-716 890.010 - 891.480 A - RCC voice
717-799 891.510 - 893.970 B - Telco voice

Transmissions are FM (some systems are adding digital).
Channels are 30 kHz apart. Mobiles transmit 45 MHz below the
base (824.040-848.970) and are usually repeated by the base.
Channels 991-1023 are also identified as Chs 800-832.

3691. Re: modify yourself?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hells Angle <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6rv4f2$nd1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146368

Cell Phone Freq..

901.0125-902.000
930.000-931.000
935.0125-939.9875
940.0125-940.9875
Inspecktah wrote in message ...
>I was wondering how people modify their scanners to get cell phone
>conversations? how do they do it?!
>And--anyone have a desktop scanner they are selling? Preferably uniden...
>Thanks!
>Please get back to me at:
>
>x_9-13-96_x@rocketmail.com
>
>Zak
>
>Also, what are the cell phone freq.? i.e. 800mhz-???mhz?
>
>

3692. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35E307F4.420B@home.here>
Source record: 146369

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Regardless of their age, they're MUCH more widely used than 900-mhz models.

Very true, a friend who works at Best Buy tells me that 900 Mhz phones account for only 10% of cordless phone sales. The other 90% are the 10 and 25 channel cheapies.

3693. Cops, Hams and History... [was nonsense thread]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rv59j$6frg$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146370

Art wrote...

>I sorta doubt that hams were using radios "30 years" before
>police were -

Art, believe it or not, Amateur Radio predates most Public Safety and
Commercial Broadcasters by several decades. There have been some excellent
(and well annotated) articles on this subject in Public Safety
communications magazines.

Stay Safe!

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

3694. opinions:pro 51-pro62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd064$240423c0$4ef11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 146371

im looking for opinions.mods etc on the radio shack pro-51 and pro - 62
scanners
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

3695. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4nti@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rvcon$88l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146372
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35E2EDF3.BD0A2842@dol.net>,
edward.tabor@dol.net wrote:
> I am a volunteer fire department member as well as an EMT and a fire
policeman. In
> my training, both as an EMT and fire police, I have always been told that, IN
AN
> EMERGENCY, any means of communication is acceptable, whether it be a ham
radio, a
> police handheld or otherwise. (No, I am not a licensed ham.)
>
> Cop Busters wrote:
>
> > HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST wrote:
> >
> > >
> > > As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
> > > officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They
run
> > > around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
> > > Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
> > > killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
> > > situation.
> >
> > I'm not a HAM but I can tell that you are full of shit. The amateur
> > radio leagues in my state are well organized and well regulated. In any
> > type of emergency or disaster situation they are (more than) prepared to
> > take control and provide essential communications - even when your
> > police radios fail.
> >
> >
> > > If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access
to a
> > > Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have
a
> > > cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to
call
> > > 911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
> > > type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the
Police
> > > radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.
> >
> > Excuse me? If I use a two-way radio to save someone's life, how could I
> > "cost someone their life?" Are you referring to a "startle reaction"

> > when the officer hears my pleas for help, and is awakened from his nap,
> > or he spills some Dunkin' Donut coffee on himself?
> >
> >
> > > If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the
Chief
> > > or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!
> > >
> > > COP
> >
> > Good idea! If I witness a robbery, rape, or shooting I'll call the
> > police chief at home and ask if I can use their repeater for 10 seconds.
> >
> > Great Idea!
> >
> > You're Busted!!!!!
> >
> > **CopBusters**
>
>
This certainly was a "strange" exchange of mis-information. Item one,
the police/commercial user's will ALL be using a PL (private line), tone
guard, CTCSS or whatever you want to call it. That mean's unless you
know the subaudible tone, you can't be heard through the system.

In any real emergency any agency/citizen can use whatever means is
at their disposal to summon help. That in itself does not give joe
or jane ham authorization to use a police radio frequency. I think a
good case of common sense would rule the day here.

73

Dan/W4NTI

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3696. RS DX-390

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6rvebmalr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146373

I have a Radio Shack DX-390 in excellent condition with manual. Very little use Will sell for $100 including shipping to CONUS. Sells new for $200+.

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3697. Outdoor Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Morgret <jmorgret@iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <6rv83f$f0e$1@news.iconnect.net>
Source record: 146374

I have a BC235 and was wondering if I should get an outdoor antenna. I would like to be able to pick up my brother's police department which is a little farther away then my local police. Would this help? Where can I find a decent one?

3698. ~WTB: GRE 9001 converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: katkey007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082521304500.RAA21842@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146375

Hello - I am looking for a GRE 9001 Super Converter.
No other models, please. I am only interested in the 9001 which will become part of a test bench.
Thank you,
Bob

3699. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35e2c8dc.1504066@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 146426

Don't know about Hong Kong, but I believe these frequencies are
standard in North America... although some new wireless phones use
900+mhz , the majority you will be able to hunt by setting your
scanner's lower limit to 46.0mhz and highest to 47mhz and let it
search.

Now, the key is LPU (Low Power Unit) which means you won't be able to
get anything fancy if you're not around the block or closer.

Also, although sometimes stronger, you can get 1 side of the
conversation by scanning between 49.mhz and 50mhz

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 16:44:51 GMT, brad@netvigator.com (louis) wrote:

>i'm a newbie in radio scanner, can anybody tell me the frequency
>
>used for home cordless phone in hongkong? Also, does the frequency
>
>apply all over the world? Thanks for your attn!!
>

"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
then realize that the prisoner was you."

Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
ICQ UIN #6181556

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
email address

3700. finding security freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35e30838.2649856@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 146427

Question :

This weekend I was involved in a big convention, and the
security staff were given Motorola HT1000 walkie-talkies. I don't
know any other specs for the walkie talkies, but it covered
crisp-clear over 5 kilometers.

Anyways, I got my scanner, removed the antenna, got close to
one of the talkies, transmit, and scanned for the frequencies.

My scanner would find the frequency, yet if the scanner moved
over 2 meters away from the transmitting talkie, the signal would grow
too weak. I guessed this was an image and kept searching, again, I
find another frequncy but is only received within 2 meters (yes, I do
put the antenna back before moving the scanner away)... All the
frequencies I found were around the 30Mhz range, give or take.. I got
around 8 to 10 of them...

So, my question is.. in a situation like that, what is the
best way to find the right frequency ? should I have kept searching ?
should I search the whole 32-1000 range ? any tips ???

Any response would be greatly appreciated. :) thx a lot in
advance.

"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
then realize that the prisoner was you."

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3701. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Larkin <footman@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <6rsucm$o1s4@kirk.tinet.ie>
Source record: 146428
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

The URL you quote does not work!!

Error message 404 comes up.

Anthony
a_alpha1 wrote in message <35E0470A.A65AFFD@pacbell.net>...
> Hello All ,
>
> Deti , the maker of this softeware has seen fit to change his mind
> about making it freeware. He gave this program away for a long
> time stating that it was freeware , without any reservations.
> Then "WITHOUT WARNING" he published a new version that 1.
> was no longer 'FREEWARE " (the current version) and 2. killed
> the freeware versions that you already had. So instead of getting an
> upgrade , you got ripped instead. If you install this software where
> you already have the "pay " version , it wont work . "AND" if you try
> out the pay version and decide thats its not worth the extra ,
> you can't go back to your old " so called " freeware.
> I , for one do not like this type of business practice. I consider it
> " offensive " to be given something then have the same person
> " steal " it back. To make the freeware version work once again,
> just remove ALL references to poc32 in the registry with REGEDIT.
> Then reinstall the "FREEWARE " . Like the pay version better ..???
> Then go to http://warezslutz.com/crckspage/new/wpcrackz.htm
> and get the " crack " for the current version .. " fairs fair " and
> " what goes around comes around "
>
> a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAIR
>
>
>davie wrote:
>
>> freeware poc32
>>
>> --
-
>>
>> Name: poc32.zip
>> poc32.zip Type: Zip Compressed Data
(application/x-zip-compressed)
>> Encoding: base64
>
>
>

3702. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: usc95@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082500312800.UAA28331@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146429

I downloaded it and there were no listings. It is a frequency database or a program that merely catalogs the frequencies you already have?

What did I do wrong?

3703. for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrpooch@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rt4fj$da2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146430

I am selling several items:

ICOM 24AT dual band Handheld. Fully modified. Comes with full original manuals. crossband full duplex/repeater mode. has two battery packs, antenna and everything else that comes with it from the factory. Also have a VOX headset from Radioshack that can be used for hands free. $200.00 firm. This radio is in excellent condition. I am the only owner.

Also selling the radio shack hanheld trunking scanner. Have everything that comes with it from the store. $100.00.

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3704. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6rt1io$h8s$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146431
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Er...you probably don't realise that this is a guy who has to work for a living, and when he spends so much time developing an application that lets YOU intercept other people's pager messages, then I think asking for some reward after a while is not out of order.
I have written an application for downloading data from a Scout or Xplorer, and it's freeware. Sometime soon, I will release a 'pay' version, but simply to cover my costs, and to reward my time.
I have put a LOT of hours into the freeware version, and I have payed $300 for some custom controls so as to make the program much better, and you expect me to just give it to you for free?
You are lucky so many people write freeware in good will...
I will continue, however, to make the freeware version available, it's just that the 'pro' version will have extra features.

Just so that you know, Visual Basic or Visual C++ costs around $500 (the cheapest and most basic version, it can go up to $1200 for the Enterprise version). I would have to 'sell' 10 copies of the software at $50 each just to cover the cost of the compiler!!!

Regards, and please don't complain so much about what you know so little...

Mike

a_alpha1 escribi&#65533; en mensaje <35E0470A.A65AFFD@pacbell.net>...
> Hello All ,
>
> Deti , the maker of this softeware has seen fit to change his mind
> about making it freeware. He gave this program away for a long
> time stating that it was freeware , without any reservations.
> Then "WITHOUT WARNING" he published a new version that 1.
> was no longer 'FREEWARE " (the current version) and 2. killed
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> you already have the "pay " version , it wont work . "AND" if you try
> out the pay version and decide thats its not worth the extra ,
> you can't go back to your old " so called " freeware.
> I , for one do not like this type of business practice. I consider it
> " offensive " to be given something then have the same person
> " steal " it back.

3705. Re: Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: vigilante@wrrsw.honet.com
Message-ID: <8F9EAAE8A427233F.B8EED526C0ABC9DD.276109080B18AD87@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146432
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In rec.radio.shortwave on Sat, 15 Aug 1998 07:09:29 GMT,
druding@nospamrs.straw.com wrote:

>
>Dave,
>
>Interesting review, thanks.
>
>I just wanted to add a note re. something you mention on your review
>page re. the Saitek Charger (I have one from Real Goods, which is
>called ECO Charger, but it's the Saitek - it says so on the bottom).

If you disassemble the Radio Shack unit, you can see the Saitek name and logo
on the circuit cards.

mdr

3706. Re: Anybody use Opto Scout with ICOM R-7100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6rt2c1hra1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146433

James,

At present, the Scout can tune an AR8000 scanner, as it sends a standard command string using the AOR's protocol. This has nothing to do with CI-V. As you may know, you can change the mode of your Scout by moving the third button up or down during the display self-test.
The modes are AR8000, for reaction tuning an AOR scanner, or CI-V, which is used to connect and download frequencies to a PC. It is confusing, as CI-V is the protocol used for PC download, but it's not used for reaction tuning. I am working on a program which will take the reaction tune from the Scout via one PC serial port, and send the modified tuning string to any receiver on the second serial port.

Best regards,

Mike Puchol

Visit http://www.eurohubner.com/mike/soft_otto.html to find out about Otto, the Windows 32-bit data management utility for your Xplorer or Scout.

James D. Cronin escribi&#65533; en mensaje <6rpukv$iev@bmerhc5e.bnr.ca>...
>
>I'd like to use an Optoelectronics Scout with an ICOM R-7100.
>Has anybody had any luck with this combination?
>
>Is the cable just a straight through cable?
>
>What CI-V settings does the R-7100 want? Any strange Scout
>settings other than to use CI-V?
>
>Thanks and 73,
>Jim N2VNO
>
>--
>James D. Cronin, Sr. Software Engineer
>NIS, Northern Telecom
>jdcronin@nortel.com
>Don't use my old address, jdc@nortel.com It was reassigned to someone
else.

3707. PRICE REDUCTION ON TRIDENT2400/ AOR100XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082501054900.VAA03854@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146434

TRIDENT2400 1000CH 100KHZ-2060MHZ EX- CONDITI0N $275.00.AOR100XLT 1000CH
.8-1300MHZ. VG CONDITION $175.00.pdoddy@aol.com

3708. FS: AOR 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjheller-nospam-@west.net
Message-ID: <pjheller-nospam--2408981842570001@pm1-48.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 146435

AOR 1000 full coverage scanner (includes cell) for sale. Includes antenna, case, nicads, original box and instruction sheet and Bornstein book, Guide to the AR1000. $260 plus shipping.

Reply to pjheller@west.net (or remove -nospam- from address if auto replying)

Thanks.

3709. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082502000000.WAA12168@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146436

>The truth of the matter is it would be VERY unusual for a person to NOT be
>able to hit a Ham repeater, but be able to hit a Police repeater. Even
>MORE suspicious would be someone claiming to NOT know the tones for the
>local Ham repeater, but knowing the Police tone.

Technical problems aside, I would still buy the man a new radio and the best dinner in town. My loved ones' safety is more important than a legal beef.
James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

3710. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6rt6d5$9e9@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146437

Regardless of their age, they're MUCH more widely used than 900-mhz models.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Contrary to popular belief, Unix is user friendly.
It's just very particular about who it makes friends with.

Bud wrote in message <35e1d377.1956535@news-server>...
>On 24 Aug 1998 15:16:48 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
>wrote:
>
>>Mina:
>>
>>You've got a couple things incorrect and I would like to correct them.
>>
>>Cordless phones operate at about 6.5 meters, and the frequencies are from
>>43.72 to 46.97 MHz. The one-sided conversation (listening to only the
>>handset) frequencies are in the 48 to 49.99 range.
>>
>>Also, cordless phones can sometimes be picked up for several blocks as
long
>>as you've got an outdoor antenna.
>
>Ryan, OLD cordles phones are in that band (well, almost, 46.61-46.97, and
>49.61-49.97), new ones are between 902 and 928mhz.
>
>Even OLDER cordless had the base-handset freqs near 1600khz.
>
>
>

3711. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Wertz <artwertz@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <35E1FEE8.F22D3C0D@world-net.net>
Source record: 146438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I sorta doubt that hams were using radios "30 years" before
police were -
Were hams also using radios 30 years before the military - or
was SSB a
ham invention???
or FM??

--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@world-net.net
http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz

3712. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e21d7a.666970@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 00:27:05 -0400, "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
wrote:

>Scanners: Buy all you can get. Buy transmitters too. You're right. They WILL
>be outlawed someday soon.
>Get a GPS navigation instrument...maps too..topo are best.
>Decide where you want to carve out your existance....nice climate if
>possible.
>Read all you can on survival...do it now as books will disappear soon..some
>already have..ever seen "HTTP URL not found"?
>Start investigating how to make yourself disappear...No SS, no DL #, no
>nothing...It's really not that difficult once you learn.
>Stop bitching. Get real quiet real fast.
>Got a secret?..Keep it to yourself.
>LEARN FROM THE PROS: What does the CIA do primarily? The collect
>information. Tons of it.
>Knowledge is power.

I LOVE IT!!! LOL

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3713. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsprine@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980825021319 00.WAA01099@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146440

>As a cop, you should know that interpretation of the law belongs to
>those duly constituted authorities with the judicial power to
>interpret, and not to street cops.

Street cops interpret laws every day. True, street cops don't have 'judicial power', as you posted, but we damned sure have to interpret the law before we can apply it in everyday situations.

>Go do some legal research before spouting your own personal
>interpretations of the law. I would hope that your on-duty
>enforcement of your jurisdiction's penal codes is somewhat better
>informed.

Spend some time on the street instead of a classroom, and your opinions might change. And that last part was uncalled for.

James S. Prine
http://www.prinebooks.com

3714. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
Message-ID: <35e21de0.265856020@wlbr.iipo.gtegsc.com>
Source record: 146441

On 24 Aug 1998 22:27:12 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com
>
>>Yes, that's nice, I got 20 hits from dejanews when I entered "pro
>>2042". A few of the posts talked about the computer interface, and
>>that was it.
>
>Gee, I don't understand it. This is a subject that has come up several times
>and has been talked to death. Wiggie has posted a comprehensive overview on a
>number of occasions.
>
>Try www.optoelectronics.com and www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html to start. Those
>are two oft-mentioned URLs.

Thanks for the info. But with regards to the Dejanews search, I don't
know what to tell you. I see no messages from "Wiggy" in the results
of my search.

Messages 1-20 of exactly 20 matches for search pro 2042:

Date Scr Subject Newsgroup Author

1. 98/08/18 036 Re: Pro 2042 - what's it wor alt.radio.scanner.uk Stevie Macdonal
2. 98/08/15 035 Pro 2042 - what's it worth? alt.radio.scanner.uk Stevie Macdonal
3. 98/07/13 035 Pro 2042 rec.radio.scanner Michael
4. 98/08/01 034 pro 2042 mods dejanews.members.misc dx394
5. 98/08/24 033 Re: pro-2042 rec.radio.scanner Jeff Adams
6. 98/07/17 033 monitor channels on pro 2042 alt.radio.scanner.uk barf
7. 98/08/22 032 uhf air alt.radio.scanner robert mcclure
8. 98/08/22 032 Re: uhf air alt.radio.scanner John Habbinga
9. 98/07/17 031 Question: Pro 2042 Blocked C rec.radio.scanner gaross
10. 98/07/12 029 Re: PRO-2042 computer interf alt.radio.scanner MAlexder
11. 98/08/01 028 pro-2042-mods - dx394's Misc dejanews.members.anno dx394
12. 98/07/20 027 Squelch Help! alt.radio.scanner choad98
13. 98/07/19 027 Re: HELP: POCSAG alt.radio.scanner choad98
14. 98/07/19 027 Computer Noise... alt.radio.scanner choad98
15. 98/07/13 027 Re: PRO-2042 computer interf alt.radio.scanner Jack
16. 98/07/15 026 Re: PRO-2042 computer interf alt.radio.scanner a_alpha1 - TIgE
17. 98/07/12 026 Re: PRO-2042 computer interf alt.radio.scanner Jack
18. 98/07/15 025 Re: PRO-2042 computer interf alt.radio.scanner a_alpha1 - TIgE
19. 98/08/06 024 Re: Looking for Estes 'K#6/7 rec.models.rockets James Winget
20. 98/07/19 024 Re: PRO-2042 computer interf alt.radio.scanner Jack

I re-ran the search another way and found one post from "Wiggy".

Anyway, the point is, Dejanews isn't perfect and if Wiggy could please re-post his summary of mods for the 2042, I'd appreciate it (and probably some other people too).

Thanks,

3715. Re: Auction ending today! New Trunktracker scanner!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian3147@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082502310800.WAA16851@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146442

I will give $10 .00

3716. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e328d8.3577576@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146443
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 21:56:28 +0100, "peter hawkes"
<peter.hawkes@virgin.net> wrote:

>What a gaff you are not knowing what POC32 is.
>Peter H.

Bahaha
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3717. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e428f5.3606334@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146444
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 19:53:52 +0100, "Tim Wood" <timfy@csi.com> wrote:

>POC32 is a fantastic piece of software that can decode pager signals.
>
>It is worth every penny of the meagre registration asked, and no, I'm
>nothing to do with the author (other than a user of his software)

Pocflex is a much better program!

and it's free!

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3718. >>> PRO-2041 & PRO-2040 ON SALE @ RS <<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jklein1050@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980825024621 00.WAA06019@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146445

Just Returned From The Local Radio Shack

F.Y.I. @ Houston, Texas

PRO-2041 CLOSEOUT FOR $119.95 (299)

PRO-2040 CLOSEOUT FOR $99.95 (229)
Jklein1050@aol.com

3719. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35e229a7.2629412@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 146446

I have found that the best way to do a DEJANEWS search is:

power search
complete archive
result format-threaded
sort by-date
results per page-100

Just a suggestion. I have noticed that the same questions are asked
and answered over and over on the newsgroups. There is a wealth of
information on about every subject....just have to work at finding it
usually.

CATHY

3720. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: beavis9775@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rt9vojqd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146447

In article <Ey5Koo.791@world.std.com>,
chesler@post.harvard.edu wrote:
> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
> that's not credited to future sales.
--
> David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)

I picked up one today for no charge. I know the manager pretty well
and he told me that one of the reasons that they are supposed
to charge for the catalogs is to prevent kids (who presumably
don't spend much if anything) from grabbing 6 or 8 of them
from the box and leaving.

Dave in Omaha

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3721. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e7363e.7008616@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146448

On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 01:33:24 GMT, erhu@pacbell.net wrote:

Went to the shack today and bought some stuff and they gave me a
catalog for free, very disappointing selection of scanners in
there..I'm surprised the sportcat wasn't included with that other
junk!

>O.K. Don't shoot me over this but I think the way they see it is that
>if it was free everylittle kid and non buyer would take one and they
>cost something to produce so they charge the 2.95 to keep the flakes
>from walking off with them then having to cover the losses thru higher
>product prices. So, to satisfy the purchasing public, they place
>coupons in the catalog that well offsets the purchase price. I don't
>work there but that's how it's worked out for me this past five years
>PLUS they send me a coupon that can be used during the month of
>my birthday that is good for 10% off ANY purchase. So quit your
>whinning and buy the damn catalog and use the coupons and you can
>actually save way more than the 2.95 you spent. If you don't buy
>anything from them then maybe GIVING you a nice bound color catalog
>would cost the rest of us higher prices when WE buy something, think
>about it.......
>Neal
>Anaheim, Ca
>P.S. I don't work there or own stock.
>
>
>On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 17:31:30 GMT, chesler@world.std.com (David S
>Chesler) wrote:
>
>> The 1999 Radio Shack catalogs are out. They cost $2.95. And
>>that's not credited to future sales.
>> Radio Shack tends to have clueless salespeople, but the fellow
>>who explained the new policy to me yesterday was a real winner.
>> "Lots of people want the catalog, but they don't want to pay
>> for them."
>> "Yup. And when you start charging admission, I won't want
>> to come into the store, either."
>> "The catalogs cost money -- if they didn't charge for them,
>> they'd have to make up the cost elsewhere, perhaps by raising
>> prices."
>> [Sotto vocce] "Well, they sure couldn't cut your minimum wage
>> salary. I wonder how much they pay for the database that has
>> a record of every AA battery I ever bought from them, and where.
>> I wonder if they ever heard of 'Promotional Material'?"
>>--

>>David Chesler (chesler@post.harvard.edu, etc.)
>>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/2955 (/riverbay.html or /paddleball.html)
>>"The problem isn't easy access to guns, but easy access to oxygen.
>>Certain people shouldn't be breathing." Don Feder, Bos Herald, 3/30/98

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3722. Re: Texas county will be first to trace cell phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: monkey@nospam.net
Message-ID: <35E23778.A37E24B@nospam.net>
Source record: 146449

John Habbinga wrote:
>
> A directional antenna wouldn't throw off a triangulation process in most
> situations.

True enough for a triangulation where the "hunters" use two directional antennas spread far apart, aim them back and forth looking for the strongest beampaths, and plot it on a map, X marks the spot. This does indeed work well regardless of wheter the "prey's" antenna is directional.

However, cell site antennas aren't directional. The method here is to just take signal strength readings from 2 or preferably 3 cell sites. This works because of the assumption that the phones antenna is putting out signal equally in all directions (more or less), allowing them (actually the software in their computer) to estimate the phones location based on the signal strength data alone. Hence, a narrow beam antenna aimed at a particular site makes it appear as if you are using the phone right under their antenna :)

Bad Monkey

3723. Re: Anyone can ID these FREQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082504281300.AAA19321@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146450

The freq you guys are listening to is 940.2250 MHz. Honest. Its Skytel's 50 kHz wide nationwide Narrowband PCS (NPCS) channel paired with 901.2250 MHz.
They got the license on a "Pioneer's Preference" back in '93 for free and now the FCC is billing them $33 million because the Federal District Court in D.C. upheld subsequent changes Congress made to the Communications Act that took away the free ride. Not surprising.
If you look at the signal on a spectrum analyzer you can see 4 distinct subcarriers which accounts for the confusing responses from a typical scanner.

Bob

3724. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35e23268.25879800@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 146451

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

3725. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rtgtt$a0ci$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146452

Down here in Soflo alot of people do it anyways, and I bet 99% of Metro or the city knows about that.

Anyways, I just turned mines (Uniden BC350A) on after about a year and a half of non use and can't get anything.

Did everything go to 800mhz? Mines reads from bands 29 to 512.
Is this thing obsolete or broken?

Thanks:
Rick

3726. Uniden BC350A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6rth19$4p6u$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146453

I turned on my unit today after two years of non use and can't get anything.
It has no 800mhz. Bands read from 29 to 512.

All I can get is weather.

Is it obsolete or broken experts?

thanks
rick

3727. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4aus1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082505390400.BAA25975@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146454

Several People have posted some really good points:

1. The Personal Judgement of What An "EMERGECY" really is is a biggie.
Examples: A "MINOR" Traffic Crash, SEVERE Weather
People wanna call the weather service when its raining hard in my area!!

2. What are the chances of being able to contact help via a Government Radio System (of which you have NO immediate Authorization to use), where there are no others available?? Very Very Small

3. And if you do decide to summon help on a Goverment System on which you have to authorization, Be aware: YOUR ON YOUR OWN!!
DONT EXPECT the FCC, ARRL, etc, etc, etc, etc, to stand up for you..
(AS SEEN IN PAST INCIDENTS, the FCC's not gonna back you!!!)

Dont flash one of those police badges stamped "HAM OPERATOR"
And be forgiven on site!! (Dont laugh, ive seen them...)

Staying in your licensed band limits is the best answer...

Just my 2 cents

Comments Welcomed

Jason

3728. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: davie <burtak@easynet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6rtk55$s11$1@apple.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 146455
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

works 100%
sam wrote in message <6rt2qd$2pl$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>
>peter hawkes wrote in message
><6rsjkslbi1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>...
>|It is pager decoding software.
>|
>does it really work? and how does it work? have anyone tried? just want to
>know.
>
>sam
>
>

3729. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: otalk2meo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082506281800.CAA29351@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146456

I went to 2 radio shacks today(the first was out of stock of what I needed). In the first place they said that after a week, they will be giving them away for free. The second place just gave it to me for free. So, at least 2 places here on Long Island are not charging.

Jeff

3730. Sequioa Nat. Park Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmandgr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082506294400.CAA12772@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146457

Any tips for frequencies in the Sequoia National Park?
thanks.
/GR
nobloodyspamLMandGR@aol.com

3731. Re: Trunk Tracker BC-235XLT Programming Question ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: catz@netrox.net
Message-ID: <35e459ff.103358533@news.netrox.net>
Source record: 146458

lightmanjk@aol.com (LightManJK) wrote:

>Ok, here is my my problem, thank you in advance for all that reply.
>
>I live near Philadelphia, PA, and PHL PD are assigned a trunk. The problem is
>that they have over 30 freqs. How do I program the trunk into the scanner if
>there are only 30 spaces. Is there a way to find the data channels and seperate
>them?
>
>Any help is appreciated.

From my understanding, only 30 can be active, even though more may be
licensed by the user. I had this same question, too and was told to
program 'em in conventional scanning mode to find the control and
"live" (used) channels. Then take those freqs and program them in
trunk tracking mode.

Hope this helps.

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"As nightfall does not come all at once, neither does
oppression. In both instances, there is a twilight.
And it is in such twilight that we all must be aware
of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
become unwitting victims of the darkness."

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas
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http://www.netrox.net/~catz

The Y2K Problem
An Introduction for the Layperson
http://www.miamionthenet.com/y2k.htm

3732. want mod.for IC-Q7E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS <pelamare@her.forthnet.gr>
Message-ID: <6rtlp6$lt2$1@sharon.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 146459

Looking for mods for ic-q7e(is possible to transmit outside of amateurs bands;)i will appreciate any information.
tnx de sv9anj

3733. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@uia.net>
Message-ID: <6rtoc9$7q3$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146460

In may I was arrested for having radios capable of transmitting on public safety Trunked system.

When I was arrested he(the Detective) charged me with 200 FELONY counts of Alt. A ELECTRONIC SERIAL #. and 200 counts of FELONY POSSESSION OF CLONING DEVICES.
Where he got the numbers I have no clue but this is what he told me
I had about 14 different Trunked systems programmed in my CONVERTED MTS2000(I'll get back to the converted part) and that the county system has around 200 Freq.. on all the systems.He thinks that I had all 200 Freq. programmed in it.Let me think, any one that programs with RSS knows that there is only 4 freq max that are put into each trunked system for the control channels.So he needs to learn to add.
Now the story of 200 felony counts of altering electronic serial # who knows.I think that he was tring to make it harder to BAIL out of jail.

I had a mtx8000 that the controler board failed so i took a mts2000 controler and placed it onto the mtx8000 so that is how i had a converted mts2000.

So the serial number did match when they read the radio with the serial number on the back of the radio.

Then the kicker is when they went to my house and took.
2 computers
5 spectra's (800)mhz
bc895xlt
bc235xlt
ht-600
GE rangr low-band with extender
my glock-17 my bullet proof vest
My RIB and cables(and if I had a RIB and CABLES you know what else i had,lets say that i didnt have to pay yo get my trunked radios programmed.
Well i would say over $12,000 worth of stuff.

So I posted a $15,000 bail and was out that night. I Was set a court date went to it and the keep telling me to come back that the DA hasn't filled any charges yet.So I called up the DET. and asked what is going on with my case and he says that he is waiting for MOTOROLA(that's what really SCARES me)
We'll see what happens.

You might ask "How did they get the radio to begin with?" I was walking buy a police officer and he heard the radio and the watch commander said to take the radio.I asked him what law did I break and he said I violated a FCC law. Well what was is it there is no California Law that I broke.Under what

authority do they have to enforce C.F.R title 47. NONE
Do they enforce C.F.R title 12 NO,can they NO. So what makes them so special
to be able to enforce 47.Well FCC says that they cant.
>

3734. Re: Sequioa Nat. Park Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mikke Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35E2757E.EB6EAF52@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 146461

Try 164.750, it gets heavy use. There are several other freqs but I can only confirm this one. Good luck

Mike

LMandGR wrote:

> Any tips for frequencies in the Sequoia National Park?
> thanks.
> /GR
> nobloodyspamLMandGR@aol.com

3735. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mikke Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35E277C7.4613BD02@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 146462

I feel I must offer a different opinion. Bill was not the problem, John Mackey was. Since Bill is not posting now, John doesn't have anybody to fight with. Strange how quiet it is since John can't flame Bill anymore.

Mike

RCL1 wrote:

> >"Zombie Wolf" wrote
>
> >It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks
>
> NO NO NO NO!!!
> How do you spell BLACK PLAGUE or VIRUS?
> Things have been much better on the NG since Bill hasn't posted.
> Bill was the problem and things are back to scanning now.
>
> I think I'll get the radio Slack catalog now to check on a new TT scanner.
> Rick

3736. Re: Descrambling/Scrambling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nymnutz@anon.efga.org
Message-ID: <35e27242.7477592@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146463

On 24 Aug 1998 13:13:16 GMT, ctpds49@aol.com (CTPDS49) wrote:

>We are interested in knowing if standard speech inversion is still
>used in your geographical area, or if digital encryption is used exclusively.
>
><A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
>Meters/ Service Manuals</A>
>http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

Rolling code inversion is used by the commercial fishing fleet here.

3737. Augusta Co. Va. vs NRAO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082511321400.HAA21657@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146464

Perhaps some others on this NG can add to this....Augusta County Va has invested $2 million in a new UHF conventional radio system with new equipment at three sites. Now that it has all been built, they have asked FCC for permission
to test. The National Radio Astronomy Observatory in neighbouring Green Bank, W.Va., has filed an objection with the commission claiming that testing or any use
of the system will harm the National Radio Quiet Zone, established in 1958 to protect the activities of the NRAO, which is apparently to listen in case any moon men wish to contact us. One Virginia congressman is threatening to amend the 1958 legislation to prohibit the NRQZ from affecting "needed public safety systems." Any other info out there?

3738. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082511344600.HAA21775@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146465

>From: "Miguel Puchol"

>Er...you probably don't realise that this is a guy who has to work for a
>living, and when he spends so much time developing an application that lets
>YOU intercept other people's pager messages, then I think asking for some
>reward after a while is not out of order.

Go back and read his original post. You apparently missed the entire point. The progam was offered as freeware. The newest version, which is shareware, trashes the existing freeware program. It's a lame attempt to take back the free version that you gave been using and forces you to buy the updated version. You may consider that ethical, but I sure as hell don't.

>I have put a LOT of hours into the freeware version, and I have payed $300
>for some custom controls so as to make the program much better, and you
>expect me to just give it to you for free?

No one expects you to do anything. You made the decision to develop and release this program as freeware/shareware (whatever you intend). That's entirely your business.
>
>Regards, and please don't complain so much about what you know so little...
>
One would have to say the same to you.

3739. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082511363800.HAA08571@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146466

>From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>

>Perhaps your energies would be better suited sending complaints to the
>Cheek-a-likes who are still causing troubles.

While you're at it, complain to the ISPs of Mackey and his flunkies Petri and
Digital Personna who are still causing trouble.

3740. Re: New Scanner Database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082511381300.HAA21944@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146467

>From: usc95@aol.com (USC95)

>I downloaded it and there were no listings. It is a frequency database or a
>program that merely catalogs the frequencies you already have?
>
>

As it so clearly states in the help file, enter the freqs that you have
collected (those stored in your scanner, for example).

Personally, after downloading the 6-plus megs, I found that it was not worth
the trouble.

3741. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082511443300.HAA22266@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146468

>From: jeff.adams@gscxyz.gte.com (Jeff Adams)

> I see no messages from "Wiggy" in the results
>of my search.

Perhaps it is because he spells it Wiggie. Take my word for it: The info is there for people who are willing to look. Here is only one comment of many piece that Wiggie and others have posted on computer-controlled scanning quite recently:

On 2 Aug 1998 06:25:03 GMT, chuckiex@ibm.net (Charles McCallister) wrote:

>Somewhat begs the question: Can the Opto program the scanner?
>
>Charles

Charles-
No the OS535 cannot program the scanner. The scanner's CPU and memory chips reside on the CPU/Logic PCB. Their interlink between them is on the pcb. Therefore to program the channels into the scanner, you either have to go through the CPU or be able to tap between the CPU and the memory chips.
The OS535 goes between the CPU/Logic PCB and the RF/Linear PCB. Its placement only deals with data connections between the CPU and the RF/Linear board such as the codes to control the PLL, switching of the BPFs, squelch detect, keypad beep, mute control, zeromatic, sound squelch, scan stop, and various 5V and 8V supplies for the ICs.
If you wanted to tap the traces between the CPU and memory chips...you could, but I count 24 pins on the CPU allocated for memory I/Os. With this model, and similar models, that is when it is best to go with a PROgramit interface. It has 12 connections on the Pro-2035/2042 models to the keyboard PCB. This way the data is entered into the memory chips via the CPU.
I hope this helps more than it confuses.

Wiggie

3742. Re: Uniden BC350A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc Stanton (USA)" <marcs_ms@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OAKGWBC09GA.227@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146469
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Marc Stanton (USA).vcf

Obsolete is a relative term, however it is not broke. That is the normal
range for that unit..

richard flores wrote in message
<6rth19$4p6u$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>I turned on my unit today after two years of non use and can't get
anything.
>It has no 800mhz. Bands read from 29 to 512.
>
>All I can get is weather.
>
>Is it obsolete or broken experts?
>
>thanks
>rick
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>
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>

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Marc Stanton (USA).vcf]

3743. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <myyE1.259$026.254338@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <4skE1.120$W22.581355@news2.randori.com>, "dbryce" <dbryce@eaze.net> wrote:
>Some Police Trunk Radios have an ID that comes across a screen. When an
>officer keys up and lets go with out saying anything, they know who it is.
>Each radio in the trunk network has an assigned id.
>
>This infformation is based on the Motorola trunk system TypeII
>
>
Also TYPE I systems have IDs that are received at the dispatch console.

Just Cause

3744. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <GCyE1.261$026.254338@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146471

In article <19980825021319 00.WAA01099@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jsprine@aol.com (JSPRINE) wrote:
>>As a cop, you should know that interpretation of the law belongs to
>>those duly constituted authorities with the judicial power to
>>interpret, and not to street cops.
>
>Street cops interpret laws every day. True, street cops don't have 'judicial
>power', as you posted, but we damned sure have to interpret the law before we
>can apply it in everyday situations.
>
>>Go do some legal research before spouting your own personal
>>interpretations of the law. I would hope that your on-duty
>>enforcement of your jurisdiction's penal codes is somewhat better
>>informed.
>
>Spend some time on the street instead of a classroom, and your opinions might
>change. And that last part was uncalled for.
>
>
As a reserve cop I agree with James. Get out there on the street with a police officer and see what they have to do before spouting off. Most departments have ride along programs. Sheck with your local PD and get out there and see what it is all about. The outside world is much different than you think.

>James S. Prine
>http://www.prinebooks.com

Just Cause
>
>

3745. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <rxyE1.257$026.254338@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35df95da.4979500@news.mia.bellsouth.net>, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:
>On Fri, 21 Aug 1998 16:43:30 GMT, COP@net.com (HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST)
>wrote:
>
>>>They must be jealous of the ham, who should have received an award,
>>>rather than a threat from authorities.
>
>Agreed!
>
>>As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police

I totally agree on this one!

>>officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
>>around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
>>Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>>killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>>situation.
>
>I think you are confusing captain scanner with an amateur operator!
>

I must agree that from what I see most hams are wannabees with no training and
only get in the way.

>>If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access to a
>
>>Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
>>cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to call
>>911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
>>type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the Police
>>radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.
>
>
>You are quite ignorant of federal laws involving emergency
>communication! Not making the transmission in a TRUE life or death
>situation might violate the good samaritan laws!
>
Talk about ignorance, I think "you" need to look into the samaritan laws old
boy. You can render aid and not worry about being sued. It does not give you
the right to use a communications system you are not authorized to be on.

>>If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the Chief
>>or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!
>

>In a true emergency situation, I don't think you would have time to
>check with the chief before reporting the catastrophe!
>
And why on this earth would you have a radio in your possession that is
capable of transmitting on a public service frequency unless you want to be a
wannabee. I think HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST said it right.
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

Just Cause

3746. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <xFyE1.262$026.254338@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <ezfQi$8z9GA.125@upnetnews05>, "Ivan Ivanovich" <iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:
>
>>
>>As a Police Officer and a Ham I can honestly let you know that no Police
>>officers are jealous of any Ham. Most Hams are Police wannabees. They run
>>around with their radios blaring noise and think they are Police Officers.
>>Actually Hams just get in the way and could cause someone to get hurt or
>>killed. They know nothing of how to act reasonably in a life or death
>>situation.
>
>
>I left Law Enforcement because most cops I worked with fit the same this
>description. One who still works as a Deputy Sheriff almost shot me on a
>trespasser call, when there was no justifable reason to use deadly force at
>all. This same individual two years ago left a suspect lock in his Police
>Car with the heat on full during a 95 degree day until the man passed out.
>
>>
>>If you are near a phone, use it. 911 is a free call. If you have access
>to a
>>Ham repeater call on it or if equiped with autopatch use it. If you have a
>>cell phone use it. If you have to ask someone that has a cell phone to
>call
>>911 do so. But if you have a modified amateur HT, which as modified is not
>>type accepted to use on commercial frequencies, don't trnasmit on the
>Police
>>radio frequencies. Your doing so could cost someone their life.
>
>
>When the chips are down and someone's ass is on the line, who cares how help
>is summoned. My best friend was shot by a dirt ball while trying to figure
>out all that justifable use of deadly force guidelines. Like the old LA Cop
>said many years ago "It is better to be judged by 12 than carried by 6"
>
>>
>>If you want to transmit on Police radio systems get permission from the
>Chief
>>or Sheriff of that system before doing so. Otherwise STAY OFF!
>
>
>Let's face it Chiefs and Sheriffs are Politicians only the people can get
>them votes or poltical power get this privilege. How many worthless politcal
>party supporters are Special Poilceman or Deputies?

>>
>>
>>
>>COP
>
>Ivan Ivanovich

From what I am reading here in this news group I now know why most public agencies are going to digital encripted transmissions. It is to keep people who do not belong on their radio systems.

What did you all do before you owned that radio capable of getting on the public service frequencies? Do the same.

Just Cause
>
>
>

3747. Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Wm. Scott Cranston" <cranston@cadence.com>
Message-ID: <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com>
Source record: 146474

Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm looking to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best prices. Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC number.

Thanks in advance,
Scott in MA

3748. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "trash.com" <sreitter@robinsonsrents.com.ignorethis>
Message-ID: <6s283a$2aa$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 146126
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I would agree with you that the ﷺfreeﷺ headphones sounds like a money maker for them. Elsewhere someone else expressed the opinion that the leather case was decent.

With regards to your complaint about the company charging more for US Postal Mail, which is the only option when using a PO Box, versus UPS, Emery, FedEx or any other shipper. UPS et al can offer discounts to shippers which USPS does not. Additionally, when an operation is ﷺset upﷺ to ship via UPS or one of the others, doing parcel post is less efficient, more time consuming and may even require an individual trip to the post office. That is why they charge more for Parcel Post. It is not greed or profit making, it is practicality and efficiency.

I have no interest in CEI, I just wanted to set the record straight. I felt your response was far to critical of them without giving thought to the reasons behind their modus operandi

drdeleon@pcsrock.com wrote in message ...
>Yes CEI is without a doubt the most economical way to acquire scanners on
>the internet and probably the cheapest anywhere. They ship promptly, they
>have a nice website(professional grade if you ask me) and they carry high
>demand items...They advertise that if you buy an Uniden
>BC235XLT you will get free, a nice leather carrying case and a set of
>large headphones(I guess by Uniden also) free. Then in the small print
>they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of
>each items.

>Do not have the order shipped to a POBOX the shipping will be doubled, yes doubled. If you have
>it shipped to a POBOX

3749. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6s272b$66v$0@207.18.224.126>
Source record: 146127

On 26 Aug 1998 22:06:51 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>power. Gel cells for HT's last several hours (some for days), and these
>radios CAN be run on solar cells.
>
As long as there is sun...

>Second, telephone lines DO NOT have a backup power source. The only possible
>thing you could use is a satellite uplink, and that requires [a lot of]
>power, also.
>
Beg pardon? Telephone systems operate off battery, and most telephone
companies have trailer generators just in case.

>Cellular towers (like I said) require a telephone line, also. If telephone
>service is out, so are the cellular towers.
>
Most Cellular towers do not depend on a phone line at that site. They
use microwave between towers, back to a MTSO. That is where the
phone lines come in.

3750. Re: GMRS/Private Radio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <schlemba@botbait.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6s286v$ie4@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.family

Todd,
Brought this thread over to ALT.RADIO.FAMILY, the GMRS/FRS
newsgroup.

Steve

Todd L. Sherman wrote:
>
> On Wed, 26 Aug 1998, Jesse wrote:
>
> > Dear Todd and Jim:
> > I've been searching and searching for a list of licensed GMRS
> > users in Alachua County, but the fla.lst on the BBS is way out of date,
> > and I can't seem to get access to an FCC CD-Rom. All I want is a list of
> > licensed GMRS/Family/Private Radio users in Alachua County. The top two
> > that I want the most are the SFCC Police frequency, and the Campus Club
> > Apartments frequency (where I live). I could scan for the frequencies but
> > I wouldn't know where to start. I don't want to scan 15?.* and 45?.* for
> > these things if we can get info on their actual frequencies. Please let
> > me know if you can find these for me; I'd really appreciate it (I like to
> > know what's going on where I am).
>
> Hmm. I can't remember the freqs, either. I think they were somewhere in
> the 160-170 MHz band. HOWEVER....I DO remember many times those very
> frequencies being repeated over the rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner
> newsgroups. So you could also try asking in there. (Or I could if you
> don't have access to the newsgroups.)
>
> No. Wait. Come to think of it...lemme forward this reply to both groups.
> Watch this, Jesse...Prepare for all the replies. 8-) VERY helpful
> newsgroups, they are. :)
>
> Todd
>
> /--\
> | Todd L. Sherman/KB4MHH, Storm Evader - E-mail: afn09444@afn.org |
> | -//- http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/ -\\- |
> | Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida |
> | Member: Alachua County SKYWARN (http://www.afn.org/~skywarn/) |
> \--/

3751. Re: HELP!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6s2amt$58ho$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146129

In a message labeled: HELP!!!!!

Ryan Whittleton wrote...

>I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it?

Ryan:

The subject heading of "HELP" implies that you are in distress or dire need of immediate assistance. It causes most people to take time to read your message, of which they may have no particular interest or knowledge.

Might I suggest that you would receive far better input if your subject header was more germane to your needs and read something along the lines of:

"Seeking info on BC3000xlt"

...or the like?

You can also see many post on the BC3000 by visiting the Newsgroup archives at:

http://www.dejanews.com

Just my $0.02

-brian-

3752. Re: Pager help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon & Glenn M <klein@cyburban.com>
Message-ID: <35E4B3A9.E4B3C5FA@cyburban.com>
Source record: 146130

There are a few places here in the states that you can purchase from try
www.pagenet.com as soon as i can find the other ones i will let you know

Kay-Uwe wrote:

> Hello from Germany
>
> I search a Motorola Memo Express Pocsag Pager !!!
>
> but !!!
>
> frequency band : VHF 135.000 - 174.000
>
> please help me to find where can I buy it
> regrettably not in germany
> Motorola producing this only for usmarket
>
> thanks for help
> Kay-Uwe

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"Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new"
--Albert Einstein

3753. Re: Crystals for Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sharon & Glenn M <klein@cyburban.com>
Message-ID: <35E4B43A.D74D5B0E@cyburban.com>
Source record: 146131

Try your local radio shack store

Timothy E. Starr wrote:

> Does anyone have a good source for scanner crystals for an old radio
> shack scanner. I need several vhf crystals. Tnx in advance. Tim

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"Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new"
--Albert Einstein

3754. Re: frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@amexmail.com>
Message-ID: <35E4B8BB.403A@amexmail.com>
Source record: 146132

Greg Renner wrote:
>
> Mina Naguib wrote:
> >
> >
> > As per a suggestion from the newsgroup, I am now interested in
> > buying a frequency counter..
> >
> > What should I be looking for ? what should I avoid ? should I
> > go for new or old ? what is a good price range to expect ?
> >
> > Also, I'm in Mississauga/Toronto Canada.. if anyone in the GTA
> > has one for sale also contact me !
> >
>
> In reality a frequency counter is a test instrument and typically does a
> poor job as sniffing out frequencies for scanner use. Optoelectronics
> did a great job of turning the test instrument into a valuable scanner
> too. The Scout which sells in the $300-350 range depending if it is
> sale or not is a great choice. It holds frequencies in memory and can
> even reaction tune certain scanners. Opto makes a TechToyz version of a
> frequency counter with I believe 3 memory slots and it can perform ok
> with a good antenna. The one Opoto sells for extra $ is crap.
>
> Greg Renner

Just to get a idea of what a Opto Cub can do go to this link.
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp/opto.htm

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http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub and CPT De-scrambler.
Humor on "how to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.
Top 100 ham sites:
http://www.webfringe.com/host/w5www/?kd4lyp

3755. Re: AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaaap <zaaap@NOSpaM.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35E4136A.331552A@NOSpaM.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146133

I take it you mean the discriminator tap? If so, check this URL:
http://www.optoelectronics.com/3/catalog/dc/dc_fd.htm

The mod info is on the bottom of this page. If all you want is the discriminator, you do not need to perform the connection for the "squelch detect"... only the gnd and disc. One other note, you should use a coupling capacitor on the discriminator connection.

Zaaap

ADL wrote:

> Has anyone tried to tap the disc. in the aor 8000? Any comments?
> thanks,
> ADL.

3756. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nopals@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <nopals-ya023680002608981843270001@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

In article <6s22us$j04$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>,
smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com wrote:

> Direct communications with a trained public safety telecommunicator/
> dispatcher at a PSAP - ONLY for the purposes of reporting an emergency
> - is a much better way to go. I believe it would be a tremendous
> increase in the value of amateur radio on the whole (and may save a
> few lives). Maybe something to try on an evaluation basis?!

> de KA2AYR

FYI. Los Angeles Sheriff has maintained a repeater system on 2 meters, 220 and I think 440 for a number of years staffed with a ham to relay highway traffic and other emergency calls to the sheriffs radio room next door. It is all part of the RACES effort in LA County. Nest best thing to a PSAP.

My local club maintains a 220, 440, 1296 phone patch with dial up access to the local PSAP but yes, you do need to know what freq, tone and procedure.

My personal preferrence is my unactivated cell phone. Got it for free when a buddy went digital and by Calif. state law all cell phones, active or not, must dial 911 for free. All it costs me is the juice to keep it charged. <G>

'73 and support QCWA

3757. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35E4C344.4AB0@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146135

Blake Bowers wrote:
>
> On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 10:13:20 -0400, "Wm. Scott Cranston"
> <cranston@cadence.com> wrote:
>
> >Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm looking
> >to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best prices.
> >Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC number.
> >
> I used to work there in Albany, and ScannerWorld gave a discount to
> local public safety personnel. I always appreciated that.
>
> Since moving, I have purchased some items from them, and always been
> happy.
>
> I have heard reports that from time to time, a lady is rude on the
> phone, but never had that happen to me.
>
> Best of all, they do not artifically inflate their shipping and
> handling charges, like some other national vendors, nor do
> they make claims that they cannot backup about their
> company.
>
> Overall, I will order again from them.

Ordered lots of " stuff " from scanner world , NEVER a problem !

3758. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: merlin willis <merlinw@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E4C95B.C97A063B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146136

I went to my local radshack today, and the guy wanted to charge me 2.95 for it,
Market and 5th, in san francisco.
He told no way could he just give me one, even though I bought somethings

merlin, kb6tnp

CBRambo wrote:

> In article <35E22FF0.2F97@prodigy.net>, HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net> writes:
>
> >monkey@nospam.net wrote:
> >>
> >> Why give them your name and address when you can give them
> >> a fictitious one? Make up something outrageous, and get
> >> offended if they don't believe you :)
> >How about one of the following:
> >Dick Burns
> >Mike Hunt
> >I.P. Freeley
>
> That distinguished French gentleman Jacque Meov was always my favorite!
>
> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
>

3759. Just a test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <DolphIII@aol.coms>
Message-ID: <6s2hoq$lb5$1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146137

have not been able to post

3760. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: merlin willis <merlinw@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E4CB5D.94F248CC@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

If you don't have permission, and you can't figure out how, leave it
alone,
even if you had the info, you don't key up on a pd freq. to test it!
you could interfering with a life or death situation.

merlin,kb6tnp

Torres wrote:

> Hi,
>
> Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
> Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
> According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
> their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
> radio.
>
> What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>
> thanks
>
> Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
>

3761. Free Buy / Sell / Trade page.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: netminder <ford56@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35E4C74E.6B238356@earthlink.net>
Source record: 146139

Free Buy / Sell / Trade page.
http://www.lakeisabella.net/amateur/

3762. YUPI-MVT-9000 Discriminator Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <chyzy@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <35E4D04B.AACA9142@megsinet.net>
Source record: 146140
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have any mod info for a discriminator output jack on a yupiteru mvt-9000?.....thanks

3763. Re: Help With PRO34 - PLEASE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa010@detroit.freenet.org
Message-ID: <aa010-2608982323220001@max4-217.pontiac.usabestnet.net>
Source record: 146141

In article <35E4831E.BCABC8D1@rnet.com>, kallen@rnet.com wrote:

>I own a PRO-34 and had always received cell phones in the 854 to 868 mhz
>range (though I Never listened to them). I know these are images or
>something but I did receive them UNTIL I had to replace the AC power
>jack. After taking the scanner apart and replacing the jack I no longer
>receive anything in the 800mhz range.
>
>Can anyone tell me what might have happened or what could be wrong with
>the scanner?
>
>I appreciate any info you might have!
>
>Please email me at:
>kallen@rnet.com
>
>Thanks!

The signals are not images. The Pro34 was made and sold prior
to the current restrictions on coverage. The 800-900MHz scan channels
are not all in line with assigned cell channels so some are never
"on frequency".
I sure hope you mean the _DC_ power jack. Pumping 9V AC into
the 34 would certainly have an adverse effect on all of its
operational features. There is both a DC power input jack and below
it a DC charging power input jack for charging internal NiCDs
if used.

Sounds like something got pulled off, pulled out or broken off
in the process.

>>though I Never listened to them

and I Never inhaled, either :-)

==
Chuck Reti WV8A Detroit,MI
aa010@detroit.freenet.org

3764. Buy and sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billy <bhoward@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <6s208hqlc1@earth.superlink.net>
Source record: 146142

Hello to the scanner group:

I have found the greatest place to sell your older scanner and at the same time pick up other great scanner and scanner products.. E-mail me and I will give you the info..

All the best
Bill

3765. Re: Batteries for BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <35E453D5.4691@fnal.gov>
Source record: 146176

Andy Ulrich wrote:
>
> Actually, they do sell them -- you have to special order them for about $35
> or $40. Better to order them through Uniden (go to their website at
> http://www.uniden.com), for about $10 or so.

Yep, it's $16 and some change.

> >
> >The little plug on the end went bad on mine and RS doesn't sell them,
> >but the salesperson cut one off an old/dead battery and gave it to me.
> >Now my other battery connector is going bad, so I'm going back and see
> >if I can get another one (hope the same guy is there :-).
> >--

Yep, same guy was there (at RS), he gave me three this time :-) :-) :-)
--

--> Rick Colombo@fnal.gov

3766. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1m5d$ohd@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146177
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

First of all, if we're seeing someone getting shot, raped, or robbed, we are most likely near a phone. BTW: Other people constitute one of the means of normal communication, so if there was someone else around when you transmitted on a public safety frequency, you can be fined and jailed.

I also *didn't* say we shouldn't, I only said it will probably get us into a lot of trouble. Even though we WERE saving a life, being fined and jailed (and having equipment confiscated) is not as worthy to my cause of helping as finding a real telephone or someone who can get to one.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Ken M. wrote in message <35E4478E.5166@ix.netcom.com>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>>
>> pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote in message
>> >I just got off the phone with a licensed HAM operator who's had his
>> >ticket for 30 years, and he told me if there *was* a life or death
>> >situation, the FCC rules state that anyone can use *any* frequency to
>> >summon help. Once again, we are talking about a severe "life & death"
>> >situation.
>
>
>> No, I believe he meant any AMATEUR frequency. From what I've read of the
>> rules, it is not good at all to transmit on non-amateur bands, REGARDLESS
of
>> whether or not it is illegal.
>>
>> --
>> 73 de Ryan Faricy
>> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>> SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>
>OK, then, if you see someone being shot, raped or robbed, then DON'T use
>that HT, just look the other way and say, "too bad!"
>
>(ken)

3767. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davie <burtak@easynet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6s1kt4$i8p$1@apple.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 146178
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

works ok for me
what is message track??
sam wrote in message <6rvllr$dv5$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>does it work better than message tracker? i want your feedback.
>
>

3768. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>
Source record: 146179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem necessary.

Can you point to the rules that state this ??

If you are referring to PART 97, this has been restated by the FCC to only apply to hams and the transmission has to be in the ham bands. It is not a blanket statement ment for anyone and on any frequency other than the ham bands and for hams.

3769. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1lfk$kj4@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146180

Does it do it *before* you lose touch, or after?

Of the phones I've seen, it may beep, but since the base is out of range
with the handset, the base hangs up the call (even if unintentional)!
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Mr. Clem wrote in message <35E43A20.372@home.here>...
>My AT&T 9100 emits an audible beep when it loses touch with the base.

3770. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Shaw <a0005868@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <925576F7F541CD05.87E488A8EF6315B2.801EDD8B4326CE51@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Roy.
I think PCH just wants to whine about us whiners.
TS

Roy Harrison wrote:
>
> PCH
>
> It's obvious we agree on the problem. Like you, I don't advocate
> violence. snip the lost cause section

3771. Danielle NASA 817's Problem Tomorrow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082618491100.OAA11546@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146182

Moments ago NASA 806 (ER-2) and NASA 817 (DC-8) landed at Patrick.
Neither were heard on 378.8 by me. NASA 806 arrived and landed using Patrick
Approach 358.3 and Patrick Tower 348.4. NASA 817 arrived using Patrick
Approach 132.65 and 134.95, as well as Patrick Tower 133.75.
Upon landing, NASA 817 chatted with the Tower and told the operator they
had penetrated Hurrican Bonnie. When the operator asked about Hurricane
Danielle, NASA 817 said "That's tomorrow's problem."

AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

 Patrick AFB NASA-KSC Cape Canaveral Air Station

3772. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1m5j$ohd@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146183

Umm, 97.4 is decoded by my HTX-202 and Yaesu FT-470.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Andy Moss wrote in message <35E41471.29CE@ibm.net>...
>There are a number of "non-standard" CTCSS tones that I'm aware of.
>Very few radios will decode them. The ones that I know of are:
>
> F in Hz
>
> 69.4
> 97.4
> 159.8
> 165.5
> 171.3
> 177.3
> 183.5
> 189.9
> 196.6
> 199.5
> 206.5
> 229.1
> 254.1

3773. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e65325.73719142@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146184
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

On 26 Aug 1998 02:46:13 GMT, "abboud" <ahbood@beepme.com> wrote:

>And where can i get pocflex

You can find it, a link to the creators home page and my additions to
the circuit on my page, url is at the bottom.

>Jack <kryppy_X@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
><35e428f5.3606334@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
>> On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 19:53:52 +0100, "Tim Wood" <timfy@csi.com> wrote:
>>
>> >POC32 is a fantastic piece of software that can decode pager signals.
>> >
>> >It is worth every penny of the meagre registration asked, and no, I'm
>> >nothing to do with the author (other than a user of his software)
>>
>>
>> Pocflex is a much better program!
>>
>>
>>
>> and it's free!
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>> http://broward.home.ml.org
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3774. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e7538a.73820289@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146185
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 20:46:15 -0400, "sam" <being@earthlink.net> wrote:

>does it work better than message tracker? i want your feedback.
>

Does message tracker do golay as well as pocsag and flex? Do you have
a url for info on message tracker? Thanks

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Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3775. Re: frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1mu4$rac@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146186

I recommend the Opto Scout, about $300, and don't get the TechToyz version
(seen bad reviews).

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Mina Naguib wrote in message <35e4266d.6819378@n3.idirect.com>...
>
> As per a suggestion from the newsgroup, I am now interested in
>buying a frequency counter..
>
> What should I be looking for ? what should I avoid ? should I
>go for new or old ? what is a good price range to expect ?
>
> Also, I'm in Mississauga/Toronto Canada.. if anyone in the GTA
>has one for sale also contact me !
>
> Thx a lot in advance :)
>
>"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
> then realize that the prisoner was you."
>--
> Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
> home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
> ICQ UIN #6181556
>--
>To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
>email address

3776. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <35E463E5.14536563@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 146187

According to http://www-islip-ares.mecnet.com/pl.htm, 97.4 -is- a standard EIA tone.

Andy Moss wrote:

> There are a number of "non-standard" CTCSS tones that I'm aware of.
> Very few radios will decode them. The ones that I know of are:
>
> F in Hz
>
> <snip>

> 97.4

<snip>
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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3777. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35eb5765.74807655@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146188
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 01:16:11 -0500, drdeleon@pcsrock.com
(drdeleon@pcsrock.com) wrote:

>Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD
>experience!! Beware or get burned.

I got my refurbished 235 and 895 from the online Uniden store and
couldn't be happier, lower price and only $5 for shipping.

I remember a big long winded post from that CEI guy defending his
company's shipping policy and making the Uniden online store sound
like it is selling beatup junk. Oh well I guess the buyer must beware!

>Yes CEI is without a doubt the most economical way to acquire scanners on
>the internet and probably the cheapest anywhere. They ship promptly, they
>have a nice website(professional grade if you ask me) and they carry high
>demand items. However they have a couple of business practices that make
>them look like greedy scoundrels. They advertise that if you buy an Uniden
>BC235XLT you will get free, a nice leather carrying case and a set of
>large headphones(I guess by Uniden also) free. Then in the small print
>they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of
>each items. If you buy the BC235XLT(like I did) please beware because they
>will screw you and then tell you it was written somewhere on their
>website. Shipping for the scanner is going to be $18 plus the price of the
>scanner plus $24 for the headphones and the case. The worse part is that
>these additional ï¿½freeï¿½ items are of the lowest quality. The headphones
>wont stay on your head for more than a minute without sliding down and the
>case is not worth two cents. Please, if you buy the BC235XLT from them DO
>NOT get the ï¿½freeï¿½ items. You will be disappointed. Do not have the order
>shipped to a POBOX the shipping will be doubled, yes doubled. If you have
>it shipped to a POBOX you will pay $36 for the BC235XLT and $48 for the
>two free items. I think this is bad BAD Bad business practice. Come right
>out and say itï¿½s not free and donï¿½t hide behind shipping to get people to
>buy your products. I must say that if you buy a scanner and have it
>shipped to a street address you will save money over other dealers. Now,
>if you dare to get any of their ï¿½freeï¿½ stuff or ship to a POBOX you will
>be screwed. Another thing that bothers me is that shipping for the
>BC235XLT is $18 using UPS ground service which is about $5 according to
>UPS. They charge you an additional $12 for a box, tape and closing the
>box. Is that the right way to do business? I donï¿½t know but I sure donï¿½t
>like it a bit. Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you
>can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you donï¿½t watch out they
>will burn you. As far as the scanners and CBï¿½s, they sell a good product.

>I just wish they would change their business practice to a less insulting
>method.

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3778. Crystal Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <Jefft@jnlk.com>
Message-ID: <35E46DCC.82D39276@jnlk.com>
Source record: 146189
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have an 8 channel Pro-7a VHF (148-174mhz) scanning reciever. It used to work fine but now only channels 1-4 will work. I checked the crystal sockets and power comes in from the one common side. About 10 volts is coming across all 8 sockets, so I guess the problem is beyond the sockets. I checked the power and sockets 5-8 act as if they are just turned off. Does it sound like bad swithces? Also, this scanner a has a light for each channel and lights 5-8 are out. At no point does it seem that the 8 sockets are split into two groups, so I find it odd that 5-8 all dont work (I could understand if it was jsut one that didn't). I recently used a 12 V dc power supply for the first time, instead of the 120V it has attached. Any one have suggestions on how I can fix this? Can you shine some light on this?

3779. Re: GMRS/Private Radio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1t4o$hpn@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

He he.

I can't be specific, but it's in the 462-462.9975 (channels 1 to 7) and
467-467.9975 (channels 8 to 14) ranges.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Todd L. Sherman wrote in message ...
> Hmm. I can't remember the freqs, either. I think they were somewhere in
>the 160-170 MHz band. HOWEVER....I DO remember many times those very
>frequencies being repeated over the rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner
>newsgroups. So you could also try asking in there. (Or I could if you
>don't have access to the newsgroups.)
>
> No. Wait. Come to think of it...lemme forward this reply to both
groups.
>Watch this, Jesse...Prepare for all the replies. 8-) VERY helpful
>newsgroups, they are. :)

3780. Re: GMRS/Private Radio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Todd L. Sherman" <afn09444@afn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.95.980826160236.19621B-100000@freenet2.afn.org>
Source record: 146191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998, Jesse wrote:

> Dear Todd and Jim:
> I've been searching and searching for a list of licensed GMRS
> users in Alachua County, but the fla.lst on the BBS is way out of date,
> and I can't seem to get access to an FCC CD-Rom. All I want is a list of
> licensed GMRS/Family/Private Radio users in Alachua County. The top two
> that I want the most are the SFCC Police frequency, and the Campus Club
> Apartments frequency (where I live). I could scan for the frequencies but
> I wouldn't know where to start. I don't want to scan 15?.* and 45?.* for
> these things if we can get info on their actual frequencies. Please let
> me know if you can find these for me; I'd really appreciate it (I like to
> know what's going on where I am).

Hmm. I can't remember the freqs, either. I think they were somewhere in
the 160-170 MHz band. HOWEVER....I DO remember many times those very
frequencies being repeated over the rec.radio.scanner and alt.radio.scanner
newsgroups. So you could also try asking in there. (Or I could if you
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Todd

/--\
| Todd L. Sherman/KB4MHH, Storm Evader - E-mail: afn09444@afn.org |
| -//- http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/ -\\- |
| Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida |
| Member: Alachua County SKYWARN (http://www.afn.org/~skywarn/) |
\--/

3781. Re: frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: gameye@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980826212240000.RAA13509@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146192

opto scout...nothing beats it!

3782. Re: Crystal Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6s1v5v$icl@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 146193
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35E46DCC.82D39276@jnlk.com>, Jeff <Jefft@jnlk.com> wrote:

>I have an 8 channel Pro-7a VHF (148-174mhz) scanning reciever.
> It used to work fine but now only channels 1-4 will work.
>... I checked the power and sockets 5-8 act as if they are just
>turned off. Does it sound like bad swithces?

No.

> Also, this scanner a has
>a light for each channel and lights 5-8 are out....

In your PRO-7A, test/replace these ICs:

IC6, type 7408A

IC4, type 7400A
IC5, type 7400A

They are older TTL technology, though inexpensive.

If you find a bad one and decide to replace it, I'd add
an IC socket so you won't have to desolder it again should it's
replacement fail.
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

3783. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ivor D. Jones" <ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Ip5JOCAIDI51EwGq@europa1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6s1jl8$nvv@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>, Ted van Beek
<tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net> writes
>Actually Hell is wrong.
>
>The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
>a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
>means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem necessary.

Maybe in the USA - the FCC regulations hardly apply elsewhere!

In any case, with the sheer number of mobile phones around nowadays, how
many people would NEED to use police frequencies directly?! Come on now,
be realistic!
--

73 de Ivor G6URP
Email: ivor.g6urp@europa1.demon.co.uk
Packet: g6urp@gb7sol.#29.gbr.eu

3784. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <904168110snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6s1jl8$nvv@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net "Ted van Beek" writes:

> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem necessary.

No they don't. Please quote what you have in mind. BTW Sec. 97.403
doesn't say that, but maybe you've something else in mind.

Excessive power, yes. Out of sub-band for your mode, yes. Out of
sub-band for your class, yes. Impropers signal purity, yes.
Unauthorized external RF Amplifier, yes. But out of the amateur
bands for your ITU region, no.

> As a secondary consideration, many states prohibit mobile
> instalations of equipment capable of receiving police/ps
> frequencies, let alone transmitting on them. I'm not sure of the
> legality of these laws, but I would play it safe.

Yes, those local laws are legal and enforceable and the fact that the
alleged offender holds an FCC amateur radio license will be no
defense. The license is only a defense against a Commission action
for breach of the Part 97 rules, as is stated in 97.403.

The fact that life or property were truly saved, or at least that a
good faith attempt to save them was made, can be offered in
mitigation of penalties, but not as a defense against the offense.
It's very much the same situation as when a motorist claims that an
emergency requires him to break a motor vehicle traffic law such as
speeding, running a red light or driving without license or insurance.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

3785. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1vep$rar@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It's that, or Just Cause has made it so.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Hawke wrote in message <35e47f51.91154865@news.uswest.net>...
>Is it me, or has this debate degenerated into an arguement based
>purely on semantics?

3786. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1vh1$rjm@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hmm, you didn't think that earlier. You said hams were stupid (or ignorant?).

Ohh, what a hypocrite.

<cackling uncontrollably>
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>Is this true? For a 15 year old kid you sure seem to know it all. Must be
>that ham mentality. I got my ticket so I not know it all and don't you forget
>that.

3787. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Sweeney <msweeney@nospam.lr.net>
Message-ID: <35E47F12.94385355@lr.net>
Source record: 146198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Just Cause wrote in message ...
> >I didn't say spelling class. If you would have noticed the response that
> this
> >message was to then you would have noticed that the original message had
> the
> >word spelled incorrectly.
>
> Hmm, in all my years of grade school, we had spelling tests every week in
> English class. Never did we have a "Spelling Class". Spelling is CERTAINLY
> basic English.
>
> BTW: You spelled it incorrectly at least THREE TIMES.
>
> >And I guess that when you cannot say anything usefull critique the
> spelling.

Ok. While useful means literally "full of uses," there is only one "l."

M

3788. Help With PRO34 - PLEASE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kallen@rnet.com
Message-ID: <35E4831E.BCABC8D1@rnet.com>
Source record: 146199

I own a PRO-34 and had always received cell phones in the 854 to 868 mhz range (though I Never listened to them). I know these are images or something but I did receive them UNTIL I had to replace the AC power jack. After taking the scanner apart and replacing the jack I no longer receive anything in the 800mhz range.

Can anyone tell me what might have happened or what could be wrong with the scanner?

I appreciate any info you might have!

Please email me at:
kallen@rnet.com

Thanks!

3789. Chicago area PD freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: shawng2221@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082621503900.RAA17313@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146200

Does anyone have a good list of chicago area PD freqs. I am new to the area and have not found many good sources for the info.

Please send info to ShawnG2221@AOL.com

Thanx,
Shawn

3790. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s20tr$5r0@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146201

(This is all hypothetical, and you don't need to INSULT people. It is only a newsgroup.)

>You are a fool spouting off your mouth where you obviously know
>nothing! Every system that you mention has a backup power source in
>case of an emergency, the only susceptible part on each system is the
>antenna and I'm sure your little radioshack antenna system grounded
>with there aluminum wire and 4ft ground rod are not going to compare
>with any commercial radio systems setup!

First, yes, but those power systems last only as long as the battery does, or as long as there is fuel. These systems usually cannot be run on solar power. Gel cells for HT's last several hours (some for days), and these radios CAN be run on solar cells.

Second, telephone lines DO NOT have a backup power source. The only possible thing you could use is a satellite uplink, and that requires [a lot of] power, also.

** Lastly, I DO NOT have a Radio Shack antenna - I have a homebuilt 2 meter Yagi with rotor, and a homebuilt scanner antenna.

>Most any system with it's own power source can still be used, what is
>your point?

Cellular phones can't, and with solar powered power sources, HT's can be powered indefenitely.

Cellular towers (like I said) require a telephone line, also. If telephone service is out, so are the cellular towers.

>Most likely your little antenna will be out of commission and the cell
>towers will all be up! The police will all be talking and most hams
>with any sense will still be talking..I hope you have a HT so you
>might join in!

How could the cell towers be up when there is NO PHONE LINE? Cellular towers require a telephone line to make and take cellular calls.

Sheesh.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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3791. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s208n$238@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I fail to see the relevance. I am speaking of the word "encrypted", which JC loves to spell as "encripted", which, in turn, is incorrect.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Mike Sweeney wrote in message <35E47F12.94385355@lr.net>...
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>> spelling.
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>Ok. While useful means literally "full of uses," there is only one "l."
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>M
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>

3792. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted van Beek <tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s216s$7he@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ralph:
Ref:
97.403

This section has been in force since 1934.
You should have known about this provision.
73, Ted

Ralph Mowery wrote in message <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>...
>> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
>> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
>> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem
necessary.
>
>Can you point to the rules that state this ??
>
>If you are referring to PART 97, this has been restated by the FCC to only
>apply to hams and the transmission has to be in the ham bands. It is not a
>blanket statement ment for anyone and on any frequency other than the ham
bands
>and for hams.
>
>

3793. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted van Beek <tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s21c2$897@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Tony:
This is the way it has been interpretted for 64 years.
But like I said, you better have a good excuse.
Ted
(PS) The ITU, much newer org, has a similar clause.

"Anthony R. Gold" wrote in message <904168110snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>...
>In article <6s1jl8$nvv@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
> tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net "Ted van Beek" writes:
>
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>> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
>> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem
necessary.
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>doesn't say that, but maybe you've something else in mind.
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>Excessive power, yes. Out of sub-band for your mode, yes. Out of
>sub-band for your class, yes. Impropers signal purity, yes.
>Unauthorized external RF Amplifier, yes. But out of the amateur
>bands for your ITU region, no.
>
>> As a secondary consideration, many states prohibit mobile
>> instalations of equipment capable of receiving police/ps
>> frequencies, let alone transmitting on them. I'm not sure of the
>> legality of these laws, but I would play it safe.
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>alleged offender holds an FCC amateur radio license will be no
>defense. The license is only a defense against a Commission action
>for breach of the Part 97 rules, as is stated in 97.403.
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>The fact that life or property were truly saved, or at least that a
>good faith attempt to save them was made, can be offered in
>mitigation of penalties, but not as a defense against the offense.
>It's very much the same situation as when a motorist claims that an
>emergency requires him to break a motor vehicle traffic law such as
>speeding, running a red light or driving without license or insurance.
>
>Regards,
>--
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

>

3794. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s213l$6rl@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>You seem like a little fool! I bet you go around with your radioshack
>scanner set on police frequencies just to act like a police! I also
>bet you got a pa speaker on your bike and family car with a siren!

Whew! I am glad that I AM not a little fool - I only *seem* like one (which
is untrue)!

And nope, wrong. I don't take my Radio Shack scanner with me. I use a Yaesu
if I want to receive public safety.

I also do not have a bike, or a siren.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

3795. Re: Chicago area PD freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s20el$32s@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146206

Try http://www.neousa.com/jdopke/cpdzone.html
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

ShawnG2221 wrote in message
<19980826215039900.RAA17313@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Does anyone have a good list of chicago area PD freqs. I am new to the
area
>and have not found many good sources for the info.
>
>Please send info to ShawnG2221@AOL.com
>
>Thanx,
>Shawn
>
>

3796. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s2172$7ia@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>This ryan kid is proof that the nocode licenses was a mistake, I'll
>bet that he is arrested in the next year for transmitting on police
>channels.

I pretty much have got 13wpm code down, and am studying for my Advanced
written.

Lastly, I am not able to transmit on police channels.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

3797. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s2193$7rd@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I see "FOOL" is the best you can do.

Doesn't phase me.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Hans Gruber wrote in message <35ea79a3.83578369@news.ai.ac.th>...
>YOU ARE A FOOL!

3798. Re: frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35E496EC.323B@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 146209

Mina Naguib wrote:
>
>
> As per a suggestion from the newsgroup, I am now interested in
> buying a frequency counter..
>
> What should I be looking for ? what should I avoid ? should I
> go for new or old ? what is a good price range to expect ?
>
> Also, I'm in Mississauga/Toronto Canada.. if anyone in the GTA
> has one for sale also contact me !
>

In reality a frequency counter is a test instrument and typically does a poor job as sniffing out frequencies for scanner use. Optoelectronics did a great job of turning the test instrument into a valuable scanner too. The Scout which sells in the $300-350 range depending if it is sale or not is a great choice. It holds frequencies in memory and can even reaction tune certain scanners. Opto makes a TechToyz version of a frequency counter with I believe 3 memory slots and it can perform ok with a good antenna. The one Opoto sells for extra $ is crap.

Greg Renner

3799. Minnesota State Fair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35E49787.58B@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 146210

The Minnesota State Fair starts tomorrow 8/27 and runs through Labor Day. The MN State Fair has it's own self dispatched police department during the fair time. They use 153.965 for a frequency. If you are visiting the Twin Cities area or live around here and did not realize that it is fun to listen to. Being a VHF frequency you can pick it up pretty much through out the metro area.

Greg Renner

3800. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6s22us$j04$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

"D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>How would you ensure 24/7 staffing? Eventually, someone would have to
>be paid to cover certain slots.

The proposal is valid for certain types of PSAPs which already ARE staffed 24/7 with thoroughly trained communications personnel. This is not a proposal to put a radio on the corner of a desk in a police station and letting whoever is near it answer, like many departments did with CBs in the '70s.

Most communities now have a communications center like this. Please see http://www.apcointl.org or http://www.nena.org for information about public safety communications. After 17 years as an EMT, then Paramedic and firefighter, my profession now is public safety communications and the field has evolved into a very elaborate mesh of training, equipment and technology. You may be surprised to see what's happening in it.

>Why not just have the ham club put up
>a repeater with an autopatch on it?

Because I, or any other ham, as an itenerant user would not have normal access to the patch. We go back to depending on a select few to bring up the patch or act as intermediaries in gathering info. This is grossly inefficient - and - what if no one's around (that happened to me while I was trying to report an MVA last Sunday on the Garden State Pwy!)???

Next, the patch may time out before the public safety dispatcher has an opportunity to receive complete information or while the dispatcher is instructing the amateur caller on lifesaving procedures (emergency medical dispatch pre-arrival instructions).

We now can make the caller the FIRST RESPONDER if they are physically able and willing to follow simple instructions even if they don't know CPR or first aid. More people are surviving as a result of this where they would have died without intervention.

Direct communications with a trained public safety telecommunicator/ dispatcher at a PSAP - ONLY for the purposes of reporting an emergency - is a much better way to go. I believe it would be a tremendous increase in the value of amateur radio on the whole (and may save a few lives). Maybe something to try on an evaluation basis?!

I have submitted a draft PRM for such possible operation to the League for criticism/ comments. If you'd like to see it, I'll email it to you. Should be interesting. I admit this idea is not a conventional solution as we have seen in the past. It requires a little thinking outside of the box to see the potential.

CUL,

de KA2AYR

3801. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frequr <Monitor@kdsi.net>
Message-ID: <6s24ge$608$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146212
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I called these folks with a couple questions when I was about 10 minutes
away from ordering an Icom r10 with all the accessories. After the rude
remarks I received from the person at CEI I promptly called another dealer
and ordered the whole setup from them. (CEI doesn't seem to understand the
concept of computer controlled scanners!)
Just my 2 cents worth.

drdeleon@pcsrock.com wrote in message ...
>Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD
>experience!! Beware or get burned.
>
>>>>> Clip <<<<<

3802. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: al <al145@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6s20k1$n78@news3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146213

D Stark wrote in message <6s1htd$kc8$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>...
>I spent 5 years as a police dispatcher in a metropolitan area.

Still not a police officer.

>I have ridden with many officers as part of the required inservice training.

Still not a police officer

>I also walk a citizen-police patrol beat in my neighborhood from time
>to time.

Still not a police officer.

>My comments are informed by both education and experience,
>and my criticism of police officers who think they know everything
>stands as written.

However, you need to walk in an officer's shoes, get the education, do the time, pay the dues, then maybe you can talk about police officers. Most hams, can't be counted on to volunteer their time for "training," but want to rush in like fools during an emergency. And with no training in police issues. Besides, the average "ham" or person won't see a rape, shooting, or murder happen. And the best way to summon help ins through the telephone. And let the real police handle the emergency as they are trained for it.
Al

3803. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082622561300.SAA25482@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146214

In article <1998082421413600.RAA20905@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rjmierrn@aol.com (RjMIERRN) writes:

>But others charge for theirs, ie JC PENNY, Bass Pro to name a couple.

Yes, but they give you a certificate equal to or greater than the price of the catalog which you can apply to your next purchase.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3804. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082622561400.SAA25483@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146215

In article <MPG.104b97d742f59a14989735@news.earthlink.net>,
dcisive@earthlink.net (Lee Rothman) writes:

>
>Tandy is of course the master of nobody and nothing. After all, they
>can't even seem to keep a electronics store in business. They recently
>sold out their Computer City chain to their arch competitor CompUSA. What
>does that say.

Their highly-touted "Incredible Universe" stores were also a miserable failure
in most markets.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3805. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082622561500.SAA25484@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146216

In article <35e0bf61.1713879@news.pacbell.net>, erhu@pacbell.net writes:

>O.K. Don't shoot me over this but I think the way they see it is that
>if it was free everylittle kid and non buyer would take one and they
>cost something to produce so they charge the 2.95 to keep the flakes
>from walking off with them then having to cover the losses thru higher
>product prices. So, to satisfy the purchasing public, they place
>coupons in the catalog that well offsets the purchase price.

Not this year. The head honchos in Fort Worth must have needed the extra money
for new hairpieces this year.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3806. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082622561600.SAA25485@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146217

In article <35E22FF0.2F97@prodigy.net>, HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net> writes:

>monkey@nospam.net wrote:
>>
>> Why give them your name and address when you can give them
>> a fictitious one? Make up something outrageous, and get
>> offended if they don't believe you :)
>How about one of the following:
>Dick Burns
>Mike Hunt
>I.P. Freeley

That distinguished French gentleman Jacque Meov was always my favorite!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3807. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082622561700.SAA25486@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146218

In article <6rvj0l$vv6$1@camel21.mindspring.com>, mm505@mindspring.com (505) writes:

>Dade, BSO, WPBH, all of them went 800, as well as FHP!
>
>Gotta get you a Trunk Tracker!

Won't help for FHP. They went digital.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3808. Re: CHP freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: clarkm@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <clarkm-2608981552090001@129.0.0.222>
Source record: 146219

In article <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>, Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.net>
wrote:

>does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?
>
>
> thanks craig

I picked this up from someone here on the list. What I don't have handy
is the list of mobile extenders. It's a radio relay that lets officers
use a handheld in the 150MHz range to talk to the base through the cars
radio.

CHP DISPATCH CENTERS

Including Division, Radio Numbers & Radio Colors

HUMBOLDT DISPATCH CENTER (Northern)

Humboldt-16-Green

Garberville-105-Green

Crescent City-95-Green

REDDING DISPATCH CENTER (Northern)

Redding-37-Red

Red Bluff-36-Red

Trinity River-90-Red

SUSANVILLE DISPATCH CENTER (Northern)

Susanville-38-Amber

Quincy-20-Amber

Alturas-60-Blue

YREKA DISPATCH CENTER (Northern)

Yreka-41-Purple

Mt. Shasta-52-Purple

Dunsmuir Grade Inspection Facility-84-Purple

UKIAH DISPATCH CENTER (Northern)

Ukiah-18-White

Clearlake-7-White

SACRAMENTO COMMUNICATIONS CENTER (Valley)

Auburn-45-Green

Grass Valley-42-Green

Placerville-44-Green

North Sacramento-46-Gold

South Sacramento-112-Black

Woodland-Black

TRUCKEE DISPATCH CENTER (Valley)

Truckee-80-Gray

South Lake Tahoe-13-Gray

Gold Run-70-Gray

Donner Pass Inspection Facility-109-Gray

CHICO DISPATCH CENTER (Valley)

Chico-104-Brown

Oroville-35-Brown

Yuba-Sutter-43-Brown

Willows-93-Brown

Williams-39-Brown

STOCKTON DISPATCH CENTER (Valley)

San Andreas-49-White

Stockton-62-White

Amador-94-White

Tracy-103-Yellow

Sonora-61-Yellow

GOLDEN GATE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER (Golden Gate)

Contra Costa-19-Maroon

Napa-21-Orange

San Francisco-32-Pink

Redwood City-91-Amber

Solano-22-Turquoise

Marin-34-Violet

Hayward-25-Aqua

San Jose-24-Ruby

Santa Rosa-17-Orange

Dublin-118-Aqua

Oakland-96-Bronze

Cordelia Inspection Facility-127-Turquoise

Nimitz Inspection Facility-126-Aqua

Mission Grade Inspection Facility-128-Aqua

BAKERSFIELD DISPATCH CENTER (Central)

Bakersfield-69-Brown

Buttonwillow-117-Turquoise

Tejon-102-Turquoise

Grapevine Inspection Facility-129-Turquoise

FRESNO DISPATCH CENTER (Central)

Fresno-65-Silver

Hanford-68-Pink

Visalia-67-Pink

Coalinga-88-Pink

Porterville-40-Pink

Chowchilla River Inspection Facility-Silver

MERCED DISPATCH CENTER (Central)

Merced-64-Orange

Madera-66-Orange

Los Banos-30-Orange

Mariposa-63-Orange

Modesto-64-Yellow

LOS ANGELES COMMUNICATIONS CENTER (Southern)

Baldwin Park-81-Orange

South Los Angeles-77-White

East Los Angeles-82-Yellow

Newhall-78-Tan

Antelope Valley-89-Tan

Santa Fe Springs-83-Gold

West Los Angeles-79-Pink

West Valley-56-Brown

Altadena-98-Brown

Central Los Angeles-15-Black

Castaic Inspection Facility-130-Tan

EL CENTRO DISPATCH CENTER (Border)

El Centro-85-Maroon

Winterhaven-116-Maroon

Calexico Inspection Facility-133-Maroon

BORDER COMMUNICATIONS CENTER (Border)

San Diego-87-Orange1

Oceanside-92-Tan1

El Cajon-108-Gold1

Temecula-115-Tan1

Rainbow Inspection Facility-134-Gold1

San Onofre Inspection Facility-132-Gold1

INDIO DISPATCH CENTER (Border)

Indio-76-Red

San Gorgonio Pass-97-Red

Blythe-6-Red

Desert Hills Inspection Facility-131-Red

ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS CENTER (Border)

Santa Ana-86-Purple

Capistrano-113-Gray

Westminster-55-Graay

MONTEREY DISPATCH CENTER (Coastal)

Monterey-27-Black

King City-8-Black

Santa Cruz-26-Green

Hollister-Gilroy-23-Green

Gilron Inspection Facility-135-Green

SAN LUIS OBISPO DISPATCH CENTER (Coastal)

San Luis Obispo-28-White

Buellton-3-White

Templeton-9-White

Santa Maria-14-White

VENTURA DISPATCH CENTER (Coastal)

Ventura-31-Purple

Santa Barbara-29-Green

Conejo Inspection Facility-137-Purple

INLAND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER (Inland)

Arrowhead-101-Copper

San Bernardino-75-Copper

Riverside-74-Green

Rancho Cucamonga-123-Green

BISHOP DISPATCH CENTER (Inland)

Bishop-72-Blue

Bridgeport-71-Blue

BARSTOW DISPATCH CENTER (Inland)

Barstow-73-White

Mojave-59-White

Needles-114-White

Victorville-12-White

Morongo Basin-106-White

Mojave Inspection Facility-White

CHP FREQUENCIES BY COLOR

INCLUDING P.L. TONES BY DIVISION

COLOR BASE CAR COLOR BASE CAR

Amber 42.08 42.82 Ivory 45.02 45.02

Aqua 42.62 42.84 Maroon 42.92 42.74

Black 42.46 42.70 Maroon-1 42.92 42.64

Blue 42.34 42.18 Orange 42.88 42.66

Blue-1 39.14 42.18 Orange-1 39.40 42.66

Brass 42.92 42.62 Pink 42.44 42.76

Bronze 42.12 42.40 Purple 42.40 42.16

Brown 42.50 42.82 Red 42.44 42.28

Copper 42.60 42.74 Ruby 42.50 42.28

Emerald 42.88 42.20 Silver 42.08 42.28

Gold 42.12 42.20 Tan 42.42 42.84

Gold-1 39.60 42.20 Tan-1 39.80 42.84

Grape 42.42 42.66 Turquoise 42.60 42.02

Gray 42.48 42.68 Violet 42.16 42.64

Green 42.54 42.24 White 42.56 42.72

Iron 42.08 42.76 Yellow 42.52 42.30

P.L. TONES BY DIVISION

Northern 107.2

Valley 179.9

Golden Gate 131.8

Central 146.2

Southern 192.8

Border 162.2

Coastal 167.9

Inland 118.8

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"I'm a designated driver on the Information Super Highway"

3809. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.104e349c6e87433e9896ab@news.pon.net>
Source record: 146220

In article <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com>, cranston@cadence.com says...
> Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm looking
> to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best prices.
> Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC number.
>
> Thanks in advance,
> Scott in MA

When I was searching to buy a scanner, I called Scanner World to ask some questions about a scanner. I reached the rudest sales person I have ever dealt with in my life. I was extremely pissed off when I hung up. I wrote an email to Scanner World, telling them when I called and a "transcript" (pretty much word-for-word) of the call. I would have expected some form of an apology for their saleswoman, but I never heard from them. I personally have decided to boycott them because of this. I'm not saying that anyone else should, but there is no talking me into dealing with them again.

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

3810. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <bcarty1@csi.com>
Message-ID: <35E49108.435864FE@csi.com>
Source record: 146221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Single side band was invented? developed? by an army major who's name
escapes me at the moment a few years before world war 2.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> Hams have used radios since the late 1800's . . . ! (Yes, it was CW,
> but
> that is still a full-blown radio.)
>
> I believe FM came into wider use in the mid-50's, but I can't be sure.
> AM
> was mainly used back then for public safety, radio, etc, however [W]FM
> was
> used for television audio.
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
> SkyWarn 2212-98
>
> "Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
> kill them."
>
> Arthur Wertz wrote in message <35E1FEE8.F22D3C0D@world-net.net>...
> >I sorta doubt that hams were using radios "30 years" before
> >police were -
> >Were hams also using radios 30 years before the military - or
> >was SSB a
> >ham invention???
> >or FM??
> >
> >--
> > Art Wertz N5AEN
> > artwertz@world-net.net
> > http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz
> >
> >

3811. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6s23vd$87I$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

"D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>I believe that this is part of the
>reason for the proliferation of new "spectrum efficient" radio
>systems - too many people have radio transmitters, and they don't all
>need them. Now we're just making more room for them, instead of
>limiting access to the radio spectrum to licensed individuals and
>agencies.

Well, that's not entirely the root of the issue. First, we have very old technology that is intact and, since it produces revenue, will not be replaced with more spectrum efficient technology. Instead of making way for the new by compulsory elimination of inefficient technology (like IMTS telephone or analog air-to-ground telephone), we glom more spectrum space.

Next, we don't regionalize well. Every kingdom wants its own system and we use 135 discrete frequencies when we could put in a county-wide trunking system with 20 channels to efficiently provide many many more virtual channels and enhanced features for each user. Again, we go grabbing more space instead of commonly solving radio issues.

Then, I remember (you probably do, too) when radio spectrum was considered a natural resource, not the solution to the general budget deficit. Now, high rollers are seeking exclusive use of radio spectrum for their speculative ventures and they'll pay the bucks for it, giving us (public safety and ARS) the elbow. Some of the things the ARS has lost frequencies to have NEVER made it near profitability. Listen to 220 - 222 MHz! Instead of regrouping to handle crowding, the spectrum is still assigned to ACSB trunking and conventional technology and is a graveyard in most parts of the country.

It has become the primary mandate of the FCC to administer auctions and not perform enforcement on nearly the scale it should be! (that answers another comment above about the FCC, too). At an emergency management conference two years ago in Missouri, an employee of the Commission toyed with the concept that Congress may elect to "sell" public safety frequencies to a private concern and users would have to pay their radio bill to stay on the air!!! Imagine that!!!

Personally, I won't go into a fire without: 1) an SCBA & turnout gear, 2) a flashlight, 3) a "Halligan" or an axe and 4) my OWN radio. I don't have to talk on it, but It's a safety thing with me.

Steve

3812. HELP!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35E497C8.17FA5C9C@sunshine.net>
Source record: 146223

I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it? or
how it works for you?
thank you too all that respond
Ryan
ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

3813. Re: Minnesota State Fair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s25vu$2oj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146224

Yep, being a Twin City guy myself, I like to listen to it every now and
then.

Especially later at night when the drunks come out <evil grin>.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Greg Renner wrote in message <35E49787.58B@mail.idt.net>...
>The Minnesota State Fair starts tomorrow 8/27 and runs through Labor
>Day. The MN State Fair has it's own self dispatched police department
>during the fair time. They use 153.965 for a frequency. If you are
>visiting the Twin Cities area or live around here and did not realize
>that it is fun to listen to. Being a VHF frequency you can pick it up
>pretty much through out the metro area.
>
>Greg Renner

3814. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s263m$3a0@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

::sigh::

97.403
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Hans Gruber wrote in message <35ec7b0b.83937664@news.ai.ac.th>...
>>Been there, done it.
>
>You are a bold faced liar! If you had truly been there or done that
>you would know how wrong you are, there have been many precedents set
>that prove that you are full of shit!

3815. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s11m3$9qj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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that is still a full-blown radio.)

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73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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>Were hams also using radios 30 years before the military - or
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>
>

3816. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s11vt$atk@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Did you read this? It says "No provision of these rules prevents the use ...
" -- it does not PREVENT an amateur radio operator from making an emergency
transmission.

To be "at one's disposal" means something that can be readily accessed by
someone. In this case, it is an amateur operator with a radio capable of
transmitting on a public safety frequency. To be "at one's disposal" does
NOT mean a person must be licensed to use something.

What it is saying is that when normal communication is not available, other
methods may be used.

Do some research.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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kill them."

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>In article <zeno-2108982248130001@pm58-43.magicnet.net>, zeno@magicnet.net
wrote:
>>In article <35DD5D8B.778F@no.spam.com>, scanners@no.spam.com wrote:
>>
>>> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>>> solicit your opinions.
>>>
>>> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>>> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>>> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>>> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>>> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>>>
>>> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>>>
>>>
>>> Dave McGuire
>>If you have a HAM license it would probably be legal, but only if you do
>>not have immediate access to a phone at the time. If you had a wireless
>>phone at the time, you would be obligated to call 911 on that.
>>
>
>Even if you are a HAM you would be illegal.

>
>Please read part 27.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>
> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
>means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
communication
>needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life and immediate
>protection of property when normal communication systems are not available.
>
>I do not see anything where a ham can operate on a police frequency. They
are
>stating "at his disposal". If you are not licensed for that frequency then
>you do not have that at you disposal. I talked to an FCC engineer to
explain
>this part to me and he said that if you are not licensed to operate legally
on
>those frequencies then you cannot transmit on them. This only pertains to
>amateur frequencies and different types of transmissions.
>
>
>Just Cause

3817. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s124u$bhq@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Bahahahahaha! Trunked, digital, and other systems were CERTAINLY not created
to keep people from listening or transmitting! That is the stupidest thing
I've heard (and to those who know me, that's gotta be bad <grin>).

These systems (trunked) were created to handle traffic efficiently, and
digital systems were created to reduce interference, while at the same
time - and most importantly, to provide secure communications.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>From what I am reading here in this news group I now know why most public
>agencies are going to digital encripted transmissions. It is to keep
people
>who do not belong on their radio systems.
>
>What did you all do before you owned that radio capable of getting on the
>public service frequencies? Do the same.
>
>
>Just Cause

3818. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s12b4$cau@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>Excuse me!! You need to read a little better. Did you flunk English
comp.
>No where did it say anything about trunking. I will say it again "agencies
>are going digital encripted transmissions" to keep no nothings like
yourself
>off of these systems.

You're excused, but you're still wrong. Like he said, those systems were created for efficiency, and are encrypted for SECURITY (not to keep people from transmitting).

... and what the heck are "no nothings"?

>Think you need to go back to basic English class and get a life.

And the same goes for you. (You can't even spell "encrypted" correctly...)

>But, try again with some more idiot responses!

Why? You're providing all we need.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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3819. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s12i2$dbc@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>Who said anything about "spurious interference" by modified ham rigs.
Mike did.

> I sure didn't. Think you need to take a "chill pill" OM.
I feel the same.

>Also could you
>please show some evidence about your theory as to why agencies are going
>encription. I can provide for my reasons. How about yours.

Where did you "provide for your reasons" ?

It's *encryption* (with a "Y"). PS agencies are using encryption for secure
operations -- so that no one can LISTEN to them. Transmitting and listening
are two VERY different, if not opposite, actions.

Digital systems ARE subject to interference by non-digital transmissions.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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kill them."

3820. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s12rt$egp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

As I say later, "One question: Why would you want to be a wannabe AROUND POLICE with a radio that will transmit on their frequency when they know that you're not licensed?"

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>I must agree that from what I see most hams are wannabees with no training and
>only get in the way.

You'll agree with any idiot. Can you prove your statement? You're obviously NOT an amateur operator, because there is MUCH more to it than doing emergency services.

How can someone on HF tote their $2000 rig around and act like a cop?

>Talk about ignorance, I think "you" need to look into the samaritan laws old
>boy. You can render aid and not worry about being sued. It does not give you
>the right to use a communications system you are not authorized to be on.

Yes ... if it is NOT an emergency, and if there is no other communications available.

>And why on this earth would you have a radio in your possession that is
>capable of transmitting on a public service frequency unless you want to be a
>wannabee. I think HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST said it right.

It is to be used in an EMERGENCY (you know, an property- or life-endangering position).

One question: Why would you want to be a wannabe AROUND POLICE with a radio that will transmit on their frequency when they know that you're not licensed?

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73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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3821. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6s15tl$8r9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

> Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?

Visit your local police department's dispatch center. Take your equipment with you. Tell them what you'd like to do. You will be given the best available information.

- Clint Bradford

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3822. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigassed@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s176l$ab8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> >> > As a Police Officer and a Ham I can .. Most Hams are Police wannabees.
> >> > Actually Hams just get in the way ...
> >> > They know nothing of how to act ..in a life or death situation.

> >> > If you are near a phone, use it. .. If you have access to a
> >> > Ham repeater call on it ... If you have a
> >> > cell phone use it.

Not me! Not outside my home counties where I know enough LEOs to make reporting a crime safe. I reported a couple gang bangers hiding behind a Dumpster to LA cops obviously looking for somebody. Got a trumped-up traffic ticket as thanks. Was later told this was SOP to assure they could ID me! I'd be afraid they'd frame some worse crime on me!

Emergency? Away from home, I'd call 911 from a pay phone once I was far enough away to avoid responding police units.

Attacked by criminals? I grew up So. of LA (Compton), got straight "A"s in my LE courses, weigh 240, NRA firearms (pistol)instructor, martial arts, etc. With all due respect to the real pro's out there, what's the average donut dunker gonna do for me except get himself hurt? Better off calling a HAM. (S)he won't shoot me by mistake! Or arrest me for defending myself. {:o)

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3823. Re: Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: vigilante@wrrsw.honet.com
Message-ID: <016778A929815162.04C04B6601004D1F.34F090975B3ADDE3@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146234
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In rec.radio.shortwave on Tue, 25 Aug 1998 17:14:57 -0500,
"davez" <davez@ticon.net> wrote:

>Intresting finding, I think that the circuit is not the same ??? I would
>NEVER attempt to recharge reg alkaline batteries,as Saitek does in their
>unit..unless you like leaky batteries.... Thanks for letting all know about
>this..
>davez

This is a different product from the one normally seen with the Saitek label.
For one thing, the battery connectors in the RS unit are connected in
parallel, whereas the adverts for the Saitek mention that each cell is
independently monitored.

"Recharging" single-use alkaline cells is a tricky business at best. I would
certainly not attempt this with the Radio Shack device.

mdr
--
"Honest folk do not wear masks when they enter a bank."
-- Unspiek, Baron Bodissey

3824. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1356$fgs@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

>Of course, there is no "radio police" so the only problem is when the
>equipment is taken by someone who believes they are. Generally, the
>*only* reason to confiscate such a radio is based on not being type
>accepted.

Hmm, I always thought that we have something called the "FCC".

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

3825. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35E41471.29CE@ibm.net>
Source record: 146236

Tracker wrote:
>
> I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I
> can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the
> tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures?
> Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the
> correct address.

There are a number of "non-standard" CTCSS tones that I'm aware of.
Very few radios will decode them. The ones that I know of are:

F in Hz

69.4
97.4
159.8
165.5
171.3
177.3
183.5
189.9
196.6
199.5
206.5
229.1
254.1

I suspect these were used on RCCs that had used up all the regular tone
set. This was probably before the advent of DCS (Digitally Coded
Squelch).

DCS could be another reason why you can't decode the tone. There are a
number of DCS codes. These are similar to CTCSS except instead of a
steady tone they send out a steady 132bps data stream. There are 83
DCS codes. There are many different DCS codes, more than 83, but any
one code can be decoded as three different types.

I find it remarkable that scanners aren't available with DCS decode as
well as CTCSS decode nowadays.

--
Andy Moss

3826. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s13gp$h43@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146237

Yep. I dunno why 900 MHz phones aren't catching on. They are better (or at least have farther range) and they've gotten much cheaper than they used to be.

The only problem I can see with digital 900 phones is that once you get too far from the base, you have no idea that your call is going to either be there, or not. There is no "static warning". If you go too far, it just drops.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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kill them."

Mr. Clem wrote in message <35E307F4.420B@home.here>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> Regardless of their age, they're MUCH more widely used than 900-mhz models.
>
>Very true, a friend who works at Best Buy tells me that 900 Mhz phones
>account for only 10% of cordless phone sales. The other 90% are the 10
>and 25 channel cheapies.

3827. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s13jr$ho8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146238

No "singled out" feeling here. What you said is true, but it is interesting
to see what products Tandy has stolen from other companies every year.

That's what they do best, right? <grin>

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

K patterson wrote in message <6rvs69glm1@supernews.com>...
>Thats a good point. If you don't want to pay for it, DON'T!
>
>If the 3 bucks or the "principle of it" bothers anyone.....don't buy one.
>
>I , however, have no problem with it. I went into my RS ready to
>ay(without a gripe), but got it for free.
>
>(Didn't mean to single you out Ryan, just seemed like a good spot to jump
>in.)
>
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
><6rv2om$7uj@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>>... and, so what's your point? Why should we pay for THEIR advertisements?
>>
>>--
>>73 de Ryan Faricy
>> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>>SkyWarn 2212-98
>>
>>"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
>>kill them."
>>
>>RjMIERRN wrote in message
>><1998082421413600.RAA20905@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>>But others charge for theirs, ie JC PENNY, Bass Pro to name a couple.
>>
>>
>
>

3828. Re: Interesting trick I found-new to me tho some might know it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35E41546.6FE1@ibm.net>
Source record: 146239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

rsk wrote:
>
> After scouring the net for HOURS trying to find a decent free DTMF
> decoder and coming up with crap that was crashing my system or didn't
> work I ran across the following simple idea. Take your pager...dial
> your pager's number on a regular phone...play the file into the
> phone...Presto..in 30 seconds the tones are decoded with a high degree
> of accuracy. I was amazed and also pissed I did't think of it myself.
> Hope someone has some use for this info. Works great for
> ex-girlfriends!!! <evil grin>

At my old work you could dial the after-hours line and when it asked for your "extension" you played back your DTMF tones. It would then repeat them (up to 32 digits) back to you before it told you that the extension was invalid.

FWIW, I downloaded a DTMF decoder that uses the soundcard and it works like a champ. Sure you weren't doing something wrong?

--
Andy Moss

3829. Re: Radio Shack idiots

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Mercier <pmercier@recorder.ca>
Message-ID: <35E414C4.9C813895@recorder.ca>
Source record: 146240

I expected that kind of a response from someone sooner or later.
Obviously I was just being sarcastic
in my original message. It is obvious that a good number of stores on
either side of the border are
doing this.

I must add that I did specify that it was the RS store I dealt with. One
ones I do not deal with
charge for the catalogues.

Joe Nicholson wrote:

> -=> Quoting Pierre Mercier to All <=-
>
> PM> The RS store I deal with here in Canada has come up with a
> PM> new, innovative, unheard of idea to control the distribution
> PM> of catalogues. They keep them behind the counter and you
> PM> have to ask the salesperson if you want one.
>
> Hell, they've been doing that for decades in the U.S. of A.
> Those stores in Canada are just now catching on to an old
> American way of doing business.
>

Maybe we could get away from that practise.

> ___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
> --
> |WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
> |Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3830. Re: Does BC235XLT Have RS232 Interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35e44524.482812@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146241

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 01:24:48 -0500, kallen@nospam.com wrote:

>Does the BC235XLT have an RS232 interface?
>I read one spec sheet that said it does but no others say it does.
>
>Please help me clear this up. Email me at:
>
>kallen@rnet.com

No it does not. The BC895 has a serial interface.

Greg Knox

3831. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hells Angle <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6s17e3$3b1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Dont Listen To Ryan He Doesn't Know What He is talking about. he is a 15
year old asshole with a Problem.
Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
<6s114j$7lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>The original poster is wanting to transmit on the 450-470 band, which DOES
>have a 5 MHz offset, be it positive or negative.
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
>kill them."
>
>pat@nospam.com wrote in message <35e36c4e.9345858@news.ncal.verio.com>...
>>
>>Police input frequencies (repeaters) is only 3.00mhz higher here in
>>L.A. So... don't acuse of anyone of being stupid if you don't know
>>the correct answer!
>>
>
>

3832. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35E42199.FEE52F36@mindspring.com>
Source record: 146243

I saw this and immediately went and read the "Florida Scanner Law" as posted at http://www.swl.net/cflg/flscnlaw.txt because I had never seen this particular interpretation of the law. I'm wondering whether the definition of installed is from the writer or from the state. In the case of FAA documents whenever a term like this is used and is not clarified in the immediately preceding or following text, it is defined at some other point in the document. Does Florida have their own definition of "installed" or do they leave that to the discretion of the officers/judges?

> In Florida it is legal to use a scanner in a car as long as it is not
> "installed," the definition being connected to both an external antenna and the
> vehicle's electrical system. Running a portable with a rubber ducky off the
> cigar lighter is just fine.
>

3833. frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35e4266d.6819378@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 146244

As per a suggestion from the newsgroup, I am now interested in
buying a frequency counter..

What should I be looking for ? what should I avoid ? should I
go for new or old ? what is a good price range to expect ?

Also, I'm in Mississauga/Toronto Canada.. if anyone in the GTA
has one for sale also contact me !

Thx a lot in advance :)

"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
then realize that the prisoner was you."

Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
ICQ UIN #6181556

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
email address

3834. Re: San diego Police freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: robdon33@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082615281000.LAA02826@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146245

SAN DIEGO POLICE FREQUENCIES
ARE THE FOLLOWING:

856.0250, 856.0500, 857.0000, 857.0250, 857.0500, 858.0000,
858.0250, 858.0500, 859.0000, 859.0250, 859.0500, 860.0000, 860.0250,
860.050, 862.0500, 862.1000, 863.0500.

Let me know if you have a TrunkTracker and
I'll send you the talk IDs.

ROB

3835. Cellular Scanner Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6s1cochdb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146246

For sale:
Cellular Capable logic board for the BC700A $75.00
Cellular Capable RS Pro-2042 (European CPU Installed)
Excellent Condition 1000 channels 25-1300mhz with or with-out the
Bill Cheek Data/Tone squelch modification 44B (improved version)
$ 475.00 (I did all the electronic work myself and everything works perfect)
I am posting the 2042 for a friend but reply to me.
Eddie Kosloski
scanist@acmenet.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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3836. Re: Cops, Hams and History... [was nonsense thread]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd107$fa381e80$8801010a@mikey>
Source record: 146247

I read somewhere a long time ago that the first use of 'police radio'
was to request local radio stations to add announcements to their
broadcast for police to pick up. Don't know the year though.

I also recall there were some states and/or localities that, for a while,
tried to severely restrict what civilian motorist could put in their cars,
Including radios.

I think it was either the state of Illinois or the city of Chicago that
prohibited mirrors! (They could be used to spot police!)

Mike
N1DVJ

Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net> wrote in article
<6rv59j$6frg$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
> Art wrote...
>
> >I sorta doubt that hams were using radios "30 years" before
> >police were -
>
> Art, believe it or not, Amateur Radio predates most Public Safety and
> Commercial Broadcasters by several decades. There have been some
excellent
> (and well annotated) articles on this subject in Public Safety
> communications magazines.
>
> Stay Safe!
>
> Brian Humphrey
> Firefighter/Paramedic
> Public Information Officer
> Los Angeles Fire Department
>
> LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org
>
>
>
>

3837. Re: Value of Scanners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd109$4b17be40$8801010a@mikey>
Source record: 146248

The smoking question may actually be relevant to the value of the
equipment as well.

Mike
N1DVJ

> Just curious; how old is the deceased? What did he pass away from? Did
> he smoke? Don't get me wrong, I don't intend to be callous; I'm sorry
> for your loss. I'm just curious about the life expectancy of a scanner
> hobbiest.

3838. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <TAWE1.297$eW6.360353@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6s12b4$cau@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>Excuse me!! You need to read a little better. Did you flunk English
>comp.
>>No where did it say anything about trunking. I will say it again "agencies
>>are going digital encripted transmissions" to keep no nothings like
>yourself
>>off of these systems.
>
>You're excused, but you're still wrong. Like he said, those systems were
>created for efficiency, and are encrypted for SECURITY (not to keep people
>from transmitting).
>
>.... and what the heck are "no nothings"?
>
>>Think you need to go back to basic English class and get a life.
>
>
>And the same goes for you. (You can't even spell "encrypted" correctly...)

I didn't say spelling class. If you would have noticed the response that this
message was to then you would have noticed that the original message had the
word spelled incorrectly.

And I guess that when you cannot say anything usefull critique the spelling.
>
>>But, try again with some more idiot responses!
>
>
>Why? You're providing all we need.
>

Just Cause.

3839. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: what@fukin.joke.com
Message-ID: <FGWE1.298$eW6.369759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6s176l$ab8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, bigassed@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>> >> > As a Police Officer and a Ham I can .. Most Hams are Police wannabees.
>> >> > Actually Hams just get in the way ...
>> >> > They know nothing of how to act ..in a life or death situation.
>
>> >> > If you are near a phone, use it. .. If you have access to a
>> >> > Ham repeater call on it ... If you have a
>> >> > cell phone use it.
>
>Not me! Not outside my home counties where I know enough LEOs to make
>reporting a crime safe. I reported a couple gang bangers hiding behind a
>Dumpster to LA cops obviously looking for somebody. Got a trumped-up traffic
>ticket as thanks. Was later told this was SOP to assure they could ID me!
>I'd be afraid they'd frame some worse crime on me!
>
>Emergency? Away from home, I'd call 911 from a pay phone once I was far
>enough away to avoid responding police units.
>
>Attacked by criminals? I grew up So. of LA (Compton), got straight "A"s in my
>LE courses, weigh 240, NRA firearms (pistol)instructor, martial arts, etc.
>With all due respect to the real pro's out there, what's the average donut
>dunker gonna do for me except get himself hurt? Better off calling a HAM.
>(S)he won't shoot me by mistake! Or arrest me for defending myself. {:o)

Your a fuckin joke!!!!!!!!
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3840. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <bLWE1.299$eW6.369759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <6s11vt$atk@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Did you read this? It says "No provision of these rules prevents the use ...
>" -- it does not PREVENT an amateur radio operator from making an emergency
>transmission.
>
>To be "at one's disposal" means something that can be readily accessed by
>someone. In this case, it is an amateur operator with a radio capable of
>transmitting on a public safety frequency. To be "at one's disposal" does
>NOT mean a person must be licensed to use something.

Your reading too much into the reg. Call the FCC and get their explaination.
>
>What it is saying is that when normal communication is not available, other
>methods may be used.
>
>Do some research.

Just Cause

3841. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6s1g3fldt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146252

I live about 15 miles from Scanner World and buy quite a few pieces from them.
They are everything they say they are !
scanist@acmenet.net

In article <6rvj7e$g0m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <6rv3bk$64o@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>,
> radiohag@ix.netcom.com(Robert Hagen) wrote:
> > In <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com> "Wm. Scott Cranston"
> > <cranston@cadence.com> writes:
> > >
> > >Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm
> > looking
> > >to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best
> > prices.
> > >Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC
> > number.
> > >
> > >Thanks in advance,
> > > Scott in MA
> > >
> > >
> > >I"ve used them often -- excellent service and prices.
> > bob hagen
> >
> >
> I have also used them never had any problems,and they have cheep prices
> that is always a plus ;.}
> Tiny W9ZRO
>
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3842. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1dti$50f@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

No, I am 100% correct, and YOU are ignorant.

LOOK AT THIS:
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From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu/pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Paired Frequencies

Base/Rptr mobile i/p offset

152-152 MHz 157-158 MHz +5.26 MHz (Taxi)
+5.26/+6.46 (Mobile Phone)
160-162 156-157 -4.6 (Marine VHF)
217-218 219-220 +2 (Marine AMTS)
220-221 221-222 +1
422-425 427-430 +5 (Great Lakes border)
450-465 455-470 +5 (10 MHz segments)
470-509 473-512 +3 (6 MHz segments)
851-896 806-851 -45
935-940 896-901 -39
==========
Los Angeles uses TV channels 14 - 17 for their repeaters, and the ch14-17
range has 3.0 MHz offsets.

BTW: It's "Hells AngEL".

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Hells Angle wrote in message <6s17e3$3b1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
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>>>the correct answer!
>>>
>>
>>
>
>

3843. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <wTWE1.302$eW6.369759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <6s12rt$egp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>As I say later, "One question: Why would you want to be a wannabe AROUND
>POLICE with a radio that will transmit on their frequency when they know
>that you're not licensed?"

You must be a real shit head to add things that someone didn't say. Seems
like you are one of the no-code know it alls that wannabee a COP with your HT
hung from your belt and your stupid looking caps and badges. Wouldn't want to
be a ham if it was the last thing in the world. You all are nothing but a
bunch of geeks and loosers. Just read these responses from the hams and you
will agree.
>
>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>I must agree that from what I see most hams are wannabees with no training
>and
>>only get in the way.
>
>You'll agree with any idiot. Can you prove your statement? You're obviously
>NOT an amateur operator, because there is MUCH more to it than doing
>emergency services.
>
Read what started the thread and quite acting like a wannabee ham.

>How can someone on HF tote their $2000 rig around and act like a cop?
>
>>Talk about ignorance, I think "you" need to look into the samaritan laws
>old
>>boy. You can render aid and not worry about being sued. It does not give
>you
>>the right to use a communications system you are not authorized to be on.
>
>Yes ... if it is NOT an emergency, and if there is no other communications
>available.
>
>
>>And why on this earth would you have a radio in your possession that is
>>capable of transmitting on a public service frequency unless you want to be
>a
>>wannabee. I think HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST said it right.
>
>It is to be used in an EMERGENCY (you know, an property- or life-endangering
>position).
>

>One question: Why would you want to be a wannabe AROUND POLICE with a radio
>that will transmit on their frequency when they know that you're not
>licensed?
>
Your statement, not mine. You answer that one. What a stupid remark.

Just Cause

3844. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1edm$cnj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>I didn't say spelling class. If you would have noticed the response that
this
>message was to then you would have noticed that the original message had
the
>word spelled incorrectly.

Hmm, in all my years of grade school, we had spelling tests every week in English class. Never did we have a "Spelling Class". Spelling is CERTAINLY basic English.

BTW: You spelled it incorrectly at least THREE TIMES.

>And I guess that when you cannot say anything usefull critique the
spelling.

No, I did say something useful -- I am letting you know that it was created for efficiency and security, NOT so others' radios are disabled from transmitting on digital frequencies (with which non-digital radios CAN interfere).

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

3845. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1e5i$8pn@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Been there, done it.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>Your reading too much into the reg. Call the FCC and get their explaination.

3846. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1ffo$giu@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146257
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,misc

pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote in message <35DFC73D.689C@ix.netcom.com>...
>You keep telling us about the department "rules" and some people here
>are referring to bona-fide emergencies, that_are a matter of life and
>death.

So? If the FCC says it's illegal, it is.

>At one time I owned an Icom handheld that could be programmed on any
>frequency from 440-512 mhz. I never talked on police frequencies because
>I have a cell phone in my car.
>
>I just got off the phone with a licensed HAM operator who's had his
>ticket for 30 years, and he told me if there *was* a life or death
>situation, the FCC rules state that anyone can use *any* frequency to
>summon help. Once again, we are talking about a severe "life & death"
>situation.

No, I believe he meant any AMATEUR frequency. From what I've read of the
rules, it is not good at all to transmit on non-amateur bands, REGARDLESS of
whether or not it is illegal.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

3847. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1em8$dqj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>You must be a real shit head to add things that someone didn't say. Seems
>like you are one of the no-code know it alls that wannabee a COP with your
HT
>hung from your belt and your stupid looking caps and badges. Wouldn't want
to
>be a ham if it was the last thing in the world. You all are nothing but a
>bunch of geeks and loosers. Just read these responses from the hams and you
>will agree.

I don't wear (nor like) caps and badges. I don't walk around with an HT on
my belt -- I use it mainly at home and in the car.

>Read what started the thread and quite acting like a wannabee ham.

How can I act LIKE a wannabe ham when I already AM an amateur radio
operator?

Ham = amateur operator. ::knock knock::

>Your statement, not mine. You answer that one. What a stupid remark.

Nope (you're wrong and ignorant as usual), you said that we hams always want
to be like cops, when that certainly isn't true.

Have you ever seen a cop physically get into a street flooded by torrential
rains and push a car out of 12 inches of water? No. But hams do.

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73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

3848. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <r9XE1.345$eW6.369759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <6s1e5i$8pn@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Been there, done it.

Insert from another message:
>Dont Listen To Ryan He Doesn't Know What He is talking about. he is a 15
>year old asshole with a Problem.
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
><6s114j$7lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...

For a 15 year old you shure seem to know it all. Get a life and quite
thinking just because you have a ham license you know it all.

Just Cause

3849. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <JbXE1.351$eW6.369759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6s1edm$cnj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>I didn't say spelling class. If you would have noticed the response that
>this
>>message was to then you would have noticed that the original message had
>the
>>word spelled incorrectly.
>
>Hmm, in all my years of grade school, we had spelling tests every week in
>English class. Never did we have a "Spelling Class". Spelling is CERTAINLY
>basic English.
>
>BTW: You spelled it incorrectly at least THREE TIMES.
>
>>And I guess that when you cannot say anything usefull critique the
>spelling.
>
>No, I did say something useful -- I am letting you know that it was created
>for efficiency and security, NOT so others' radios are disabled from
>transmitting on digital frequencies (with which non-digital radios CAN
>interfere).

Insert from another message:
>Dont Listen To Ryan He Doesn't Know What He is talking about. he is a 15
>year old asshole with a Problem.
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
><6s114j$7lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>

Is this true? For a 15 year old kid you sure seem to know it all. Must be
that ham mentality. I got my ticket so I not know it all and don't you forget
that.

Just Cause

3850. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1f6l$flj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146261

Why bone up on trunked radio systems, cell phones, and radio systems? They all go out when the power does.

Amateur radio can still be used, EVEN if all the power in the world was lost.

Now, why (and how) would I use a cellphone in an emergency when phone lines are dead (or the electricity to the tower), and why would I use a trunked system if the repeaters are out?

You've also denounced HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST several times, as you seem to depise hams, and I believe he is a ham himself.

>Sorry but in my community we don't need no stinking hams to do our commun
>ication. You really need to bone up on the new trunk systems, cell phones
and
>intercity radio systems before you say a statement like you did. Just like
>hams trying to think you are the only ones that have a comm system that is
>reliable. I think that HAM RADIO @ ITS BEST did a good job in describing
ham
>wannabees. You my "friend" must think that your radio is the ends of the
>earth. Sorry but stay home and keep you HT rapped around you waist and
keep
>out of my way.......

3851. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <YdXE1.356$eW6.369759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <6s1em8$dqj@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>You must be a real shit head to add things that someone didn't say. Seems
>>like you are one of the no-code know it alls that wannabee a COP with your
>HT
>>hung from your belt and your stupid looking caps and badges. Wouldn't want
>to
>>be a ham if it was the last thing in the world. You all are nothing but a
>>bunch of geeks and loosers. Just read these responses from the hams and you
>>will agree.
>
>I don't wear (nor like) caps and badges. I don't walk around with an HT on
>my belt -- I use it mainly at home and in the car.
>
>>Read what started the thread and quite acting like a wannabee ham.
>
>
>How can I act LIKE a wannabe ham when I already AM an amateur radio
>operator?
>
>Ham = amateur operator. ::knock knock::
>
>>Your statement, not mine. You answer that one. What a stupid remark.
>
>Nope (you're wrong and ignorant as usual), you said that we hams always want
>to be like cops, when that certainly isn't true.
>
>Have you ever seen a cop physically get into a street flooded by torrential
>rains and push a car out of 12 inches of water? No. But hams do.
>
>
>Dont Listen To Ryan He Doesn't Know What He is talking about. he is a 15
>year old asshole with a Problem.
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
><6s114j$7lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...

Is this true? Only shows you the stupidity of hams. Anyone with half a
brain would not do what hams do. Talk about really stupid people.

PS: I hear your mama calling. Better get going.....

Just Cause.

3852. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35e64190.5085481@news.erols.com>
Source record: 146263

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 22:27:36 -0400, Tracker <tracker557@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I
>can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the
>tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures?
>Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the
>correct address.

It's probably DPL --sort of spread spectrum for PL tones. DPL uses a
slow digital pattern which repeats. Find a DPL decoder and you'll
probably find the pattern.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

3853. Re: Cops, Hams and History...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgewald@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e44570.19822003@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146264

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 13:02:35 -0700, "Brian Humphrey"
<brian.humphrey@prodigy.net> wrote:

>Art wrote...
>
>>I sorta doubt that hams were using radios "30 years" before
>>police were -
>
>Art, believe it or not, Amateur Radio predates most Public Safety and
>Commercial Broadcasters by several decades.

The earliest hams only interfered with Navy ships and shore
stations, which led to the regulation of amateur radio. A good book to
read about the history is "200 Meters and Down", which is published by
the ARRL..

3854. Re: Cleveland State University Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35E436EF.7625@home.here>
Source record: 146265

Stephen T. Housley wrote:
>
> I'm trying to find the frequency for Clevland State University Police.
> If anyone knows what this is please let me know. Thank you.

Don't know if it's still valid, but I have a listing for 151.745

3855. Re: home cordless phone, pls hlp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35E43A20.372@home.here>
Source record: 146266

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> Yep. I dunno why 900 MHz phones aren't catching on. They are better (or at
> least have farther range) and they've gotten much cheaper than they used to
> be.
>
The analog 900's still go for $50 or more while the 46-49 average around
$25.

> The only problem I can see with digital 900 phones is that once you get too
> far from the base, you have no idea that your call is going to either be
> there, or not. There is no "static warning". If you go too far, it just
> drops.
> --

My AT&T 9100 emits an audible beep when it loses touch with the base.

3856. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1htl$kc8$7@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

505 wrote in message <6rvj8o$vv6$2@camel21.mindspring.com>...
>Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com> wrote:
>
>>Hi,
>
>>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police
frequencies?

>What is this guy, stupid or something? You've got to be kidding,

Can you say, "Troll"?

3857. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1htd$kc8$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146268

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>In article <19980825021319000.WAA01099@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
jsprine@aol.com (JSPRINE) wrote:
>>>As a cop, you should know that interpretation of the law belongs to
>>>those duly constituted authorities with the judicial power to
>>>interpret, and not to street cops.
>>
>>Street cops interpret laws every day. True, street cops don't have
'judicial
>>power', as you posted, but we damned sure have to interpret the law
before we
>>can apply it in everyday situations.
>>
>>>Go do some legal research before spouting your own personal
>>>interpretations of the law. I would hope that your on-duty
>>>enforcement of your jurisdiction's penal codes is somewhat better
>>>informed.
>>
>>Spend some time on the street instead of a classroom, and your
opinions might
>>change. And that last part was uncalled for.
>>
>>
>As a reserve cop I agree with James. Get out there on the street
with a
>police officer and see what they have to do before spouting off.
Most
>departments have ride along programs. Sheck with your local PD and
get out
>there and see what it is all about. The outside world is much
different than
>you think.

I spent 5 years as a police dispatcher in a metropolitan area. I have ridden with many officers as part of the required inservice training. I also walk a citizen-police patrol beat in my neighborhood from time to time. My comments are informed by both education and experience, and my criticism of police officers who think they know everything stands as written.

de Dave, NF2G

3858. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1hte$kc8$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

The Cb Guy wrote in message <35e32e62.11520994@news.prodigy.net>...
>Well, instead of calling 911, try 0 for the operator, inform her what
>city you're in, and you'll be connected to the appropriate city.

You're pretty lucky if that happens. My local telco owns other telcos in other counties and other states. Dialing 0 MAY get you a local Rochester operator. It may also get you an operator down in Orange County, NY, where there is a Village of Rochester. A dispatcher over 200 miles away is NOT going to know where to send my call for assistance.

I'm sure this isn't the only place in the country where operators are not necessarily local.

73 de Dave, NF2G

3859. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1htg$kc8$3@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

Steve & Susan wrote in message
<6rvf1vlsf1@camel25.mindspring.com>...

>BTW: What do you all think about a system where a VHF or UHF ham
radio
>can be placed in a PSAP, be the responsibility of a licensed amateur
>and is normally muted and disabled but opens up and allows a
>dispatcher to communicate if someone dials 9-1-1 on their keypad?
Such
>thing could be sponsored by the local amateur club and this SHOULD
>allow direct access to emergency communications without ever making
an
>issue of coming up on unauthorized frequencies???

How would you ensure 24/7 staffing? Eventually, someone would have to be paid to cover certain slots. Why not just have the ham club put up a repeater with an autopatch on it?

73 de Dave, NF2G

3860. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1hth$kc8$4@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

Mike-M wrote in message <35E3679A.1C0D@companet.net>...
>Steve & Susan wrote:
>
>> The charges you'd face are those of posessing equipment that has
been
>> illegally modified to transmit out of band (by the Commission)...
>
>You will have a hard time providing a citation of the law or
regulation
>under which you could be charged for merely POSSESSING such
equipment.
>There is no such law in the USA, and legal problems could only occur
if
>possession of such equipment was supporting evidence in a case
charging
>illegal usage.

Incorrect. The FCC considers possession of a linear amplifier in anything other than a ham station to be PRESUMPTIVE EVIDENCE of intent to use it. They can confiscate it and file pertinent charges on that basis alone.

I don't think there are any such presumptions for other types of radio equipment that might be "unauthorized", but it would only take a tiny rewrite of relevant rules or laws to make it so. Then it WOULD BE illegal to POSSESS an unlicensed transmitter (or more accurately, a transmitter for which you have no license to operate it).

73 de Dave, NF2G

3861. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1hti$kc8$5@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

Just Cause wrote in message ...

>>OTOH, a poll of equipment used by MANY MANY public safety volunteer
>>organizations (fire departments, rescue squads, etc.) would reveal a
>>large amount of ham equipment modified for use on public safety
>>channels.
>
>At this point I was agreeing with you but the above statement is
totally wrong
>and there is a law against using ham radio equipment on the public
safety
>frequencies. If the equipment is not type accepted or approved by
the FCC
>then it is illegal to use it on those frequencies.

I'm confused as to what statement you disagree with. It is quite true that many volunteer ambulance personnel and firefighters in my own area are carrying modified Icom IC-02ATs and similar radios that are modified to transmit on the local fire and EMS channels. It's cheaper to do that than it is to get the agencies to issue type accepted portable radios to all members.

I have two problems with the above situation. 1) The agencies probably don't have a clue as to the regulations governing radio. The technicians that are modifying the ham rigs are hams themselves and usually get compensated (paid) for doing the mods by the individual member who owns the radio. If the agencies would prohibit the use of such radios by their members, it MIGHT put a dent in the practice. But, 2) Not every vollie must have his/her own personal transceiver to carry when off-duty. First, we have to convince these volunteer agencies of that basic truth. I believe that this is part of the reason for the proliferation of new "spectrum efficient" radio systems - too many people have radio transmitters, and they don't all need them. Now we're just making more room for them, instead of limiting access to the radio spectrum to licensed individuals and agencies.

73 de Dave, NF2G

3862. EMERGENCY Transmission - apologia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s1htk$kc8$6@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146273

Look, we've had the usual rec.radio.scanner overlength debate on this topic, and probably shed more heat than light on the topic, as usual.

I for one apologize to Ham Radio @ its best, Just Cause, and others to whom I sent insulting messages.

The basic point of the whole discussion, I think, is that everyone has a strongly held opinion about what they may or may not do in an emergency, and about what an "Emergency" really means. To me, it's like civil disobedience. If the situation is important enough to you to risk confiscation of your equipment (an extremely high probability, regardless of jurisdiction or authority to do so) and fines (also quite likely) and jail time (it's happened), then it's up to you to decide to take those consequences in exchange for your decision to act in a particular manner.

As for conflicts between cops and hams, I have the highest respect for police officers in general. As in any profession or group, there are some jerks who shouldn't have badges or guns. But we can't disrespect all officers because of the few. The same goes for hams. Yes, sure, there are cop wannabees out there, and people who put too much stock in their ham ticket and "training" for emergencies. But there are many more who are regularly engaged in life-saving activities in full cooperation with (and with the full respect of) their local public safety agencies. Just read "QST", or if your personal biases won't allow you to put stock in a ham magazine, read the "APCO Journal". This is all well documented.

As has probably been said here in rec.radio.scanner hundreds of times already in connection with various topics, let's get back to scanning.

73 de Dave, NF2G
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A.S. Criminal Justice '98 Phi Theta Kappa
"He who has not endured the stress of study
will not taste the joy of knowledge."
'Abd Al-Latif (1162-1231)
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3863. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s1oj2$vi3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146274
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

>drdeleon@pcsrock.com (drdeleon@pcsrock.com) wrote:
>Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD
>experience!! Beware or get burned.

That is why I shop WWW.SCANNERWORLD.COM $199.95 +$8.00 shipping
No hidden costs and no BS!!!!! they back their products!!!!!
Furthermore they have been around a while
just my 2 Cents
Tiny W9ZRO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3864. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted van Beek <tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s1jl8$nvv@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Actually Hell is wrong.

The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem necessary.

Now having said that,
if you do something like this, you better have a darn good reason
to explain your actions (and you WILL have to), including proving a lack of
other available means of communication.

As a secondary consideration, many states prohibit mobile
instalations of equipment capable of receiving police/ps
frequencies, let alone transmitting on them. I'm not sure of the
legality of these laws, but I would play it safe.

73, Ted

Hells Angle wrote in message <6rv4ao$kcb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not
>allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble.
It
>is not illegal to listen but it is to transmit on the freq... that is not
>registered to you. Sorry but that is life
>
>Torres wrote in message <35e310d0.1793498@news.earthlink.net>...
>>Hi,
>>
>>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>>radio.
>>
>>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>>
>>
>>thanks
>>
>>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
>>
>>
>
>

3865. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6rvj7e$g0m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146314

In article <6rv3bk$64o@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>,
radiohag@ix.netcom.com(Robert Hagen) wrote:
> In <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com> "Wm. Scott Cranston"
> <cranston@cadence.com> writes:
> >
> >Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm
> looking
> >to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best
> prices.
> >Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC
> number.
> >
> >Thanks in advance,
> > Scott in MA
> >
> >
> >I"ve used them often -- excellent service and prices.
> bob hagen
>
>
I have also used them never had any problems,and they have cheep prices
that is always a plus ;.}
Tiny W9ZRO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3866. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6rvga1$5ob$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146315

>Go back and read his original post. You apparently missed the entire point.
The
>progam was offered as freeware. The newest version, which is shareware,
trashes
>the existing freeware program. It's a lame attempt to take back the free
>version that you gave been using and forces you to buy the updated version.
You
>may consider that ethical, but I sure as hell don't.

I don't think that is ethical, but I think that you can only criticise that the program won't allow the previous, freeware version to be installed again. I don't think you can criticise anyone for wanting to make a bit extra cash out of his skill.
If you are all so upset, why don't you go out and learn C so you can write your own programs?
And also, why don't you go and criticise Microsoft for making billions of dollars? Are you not using ANY of their software right now? I bet you didn't pay for that either...

>No one expects you to do anything. You made the decision to develop and
release
>this program as freeware/shareware (whatever you intend). That's entirely
your
>business.

I am not Deti, I am just another software writer that knows him and knows he puts a lot of his spare time into this project.
What I was saying is that most of you don't realise that freeware is costing the developer money, sometimes a LOT of money...
Besides, if nobody is expecting Deti to do anything, then why bitch so much about him when he does? Come on...

>>Regards, and please don't complain so much about what you know so
little...
>One would have to say the same to you.

I think you are not in the bussiness of developing software, so you know NOTHING about it at all. If you were, you wouldn't have these opinions.

Mike

3867. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6rvj8o$vv6$2@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com> wrote:

>Hi,

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>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>radio.

>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?

>thanks

>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address

What is this guy, stupid or something? You've got to be kidding,
right? Hey, the transmit would be 465.2325 and you would have to have
either the CTCSS or DS tone. I would love to give it to you if I had
it so I could read about you in the next few days being arrested for
being an asshole!

/\/\|k.e

3868. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6rvj0l$vv6$1@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146317

"richard flores" <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> wrote:

>Down here in Soflo alot of people do it anyways, and I bet 99% of Metro or
>the city knows about that.

>Anyways, I just turned mines (Uniden BC350A) on after about a year and a
>half of non use and can't get anything.

>Did everything go to 800mhz? Mines reads from bands 29 to 512.
>Is this thing obsolete or broken?

>Thanks:
>Rick

Dade, BSO, WPBH, all of them went 800, as well as FHP!

Gotta get you a Trunk Tracker!

/\/\|k.e

3869. Re: Batteries for BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Ulrich <ulrich@null.net>
Message-ID: <6rvk0b$kdm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146318

Actually, they do sell them -- you have to special order them for about $35
or $40. Better to order them through Uniden (go to their website at
http://www.uniden.com), for about $10 or so.

Andy Ulrich

Rick Colombo wrote in message <35E2DBCB.1152@fnal.gov>...
>Jason Low wrote:
>>
>> I've managed to utterly destroy one of my BC235 batteries through
carelessness,
>> and the second one is well on its way to oblivion as well. Going on the
>> assumption that since the Pro-90 is basically a BC235 in RS's clothing, I
walked
>> into a store and asked if they had any batteries for the Pro-90.
>>
>> "Um.. no."
>>
>
>The little plug on the end went bad on mine and RS doesn't sell them,
>but the salesperson cut one off an old/dead battery and gave it to me.
>Now my other battery connector is going bad, so I'm going back and see
>if I can get another one (hope the same guy is there :-).
>--
>
>--> Rick Colombo@fnal.gov

3870. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6rvkot$3uk$0@207.18.224.138>
Source record: 146319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 13:00:15 GMT, need@help.com (Just Cause) wrote:

>In article <4skE1.120$W22.581355@news2.randori.com>, "dbryce" <dbryce@eaze.net> wrote:
>>Some Police Trunk Radios have an ID that comes across a screen. When an
>>officer keys up and lets go with out saying anything, they know who it is.
>>Each radio in the trunk network has an assigned id.
>>
>>This infformation is based on the Motorola trunk system TypeII
>>
>>
>Also TYPE I systems have IDs that are received at the dispatch console.
>
>Just Cause
>

Conventional, ie non-trunking can have this also.

3871. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35E35AA5.25ECA8CE@home.com>
Source record: 146320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

How about giving more info; like what Police Force, where
(city...state...) etc.?

Torres wrote:

> Hi,
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> According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
> their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
> radio.
>
> What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>
> thanks
>
> Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address

--
Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

3872. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35E35B71.B126D830@home.com>
Source record: 146321

Not always. It's often 5.0125 MHz higner OR lower as well.

Intermod58 wrote:

> The input frequency should be 465.2325. The repeater input on UHF is always 5
> Mhz higher than the output.

--
Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

3873. Re: Texas county will be first to trace cell phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <35e55c3a.15258480@wingate>
Source record: 146322

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 00:03:04 -0400, monkey@nospam.net wrote:

>John Habbinga wrote:
>>
>> A directional antenna wouldn't throw off a triangulation process in most
>> situations.

>However, cell site antennas aren't directional. The method
>here is to just take signal strength readings from 2 or preferably
>3 cell sites. This works because of the assumption that the phones
>antenna is putting out signal equally in all directions (more or
>less), allowing them (actually the software in their computer) to
>estimate the phones location based on the signal strength data
>alone. Hence, a narrow beam antenna aimed at a particular site
>makes it appear as if you are using the phone right under their
>antenna :)
>
>Bad Monkey

BUT this depends on the system used,
because triangulation in a GSM system is based on the measured
time-delay between the tower and the phone. Thus signal strength does
not matter. Both values are easily avalible in the system, the signal
strength reading is used so the base can tell the phone to in/decrease
transmission power, and the time-delay to limit the maximum distance
to app 30 kilometers. That limit is necessary to keep the 8 timeslots
on a frequency from beeing messed up. Some extra-long-range cells are
used up to 60 kilometers, with increased guard slots between
transmission, reducing the capacity.

On my modified Ericsson 337 I can see the distance to my current base
tower in increments of 500 meters, as soon as I have a call up. (Plus
channel, output power, incoming signal strength, allocated timeslot
and error-rate)

/Marcus

3874. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35e3622f.1405702@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146323

On 24 Aug 1998 13:39:16 GMT, hh357@aol.com (HH357) wrote:

>In article <35e0c99e.0@news.ctlnet.com>, "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com> writes:
>
>>
>>Hmmm?...seen any black helicopters lately Roy?
>
>Showing your ignorance?
>
>It's been documented that there are black helo's. They belong to Delta Force
>out of Fort Bragg. They run around all over the country, staging mock
>rescues etc.
>
>They are famous for their money men who payoff owners of the property they have
>damaged. (they use live ammo and explosives).
>
>PS They are exempt from Posse Comitatus, by presidential directive, and that
>alone should scare you paranoid types.
>
> H Higgins
>
>---
>| The price of freedom is eternal vigilance. |
>---

Any body know what frequencies these suckers communicate on? The
timing of that question was wonderfully humorous, but the context is
seriouos...I'll bet some scanner freak some where has hacked their
frequencies.

Thanks for the info

Roy

See...this thread is NOW definitely scanner related. and not a total
abuse of bandpass.

3875. Re: >>> PRO-2041 & PRO-2040 ON SALE @ RS <<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sro@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <sro-2508981821540001@ali-ca2-28.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146324

How is this scanner? What sort of mods can you do with it?
--Scott
sro@ix.netcom.com

In article <19980825024621 00.WAA06019@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
jklein1050@aol.com (JKLEIN1050) wrote:

> Just Returned From The Local Radio Shack
>
> F.Y.I. @ Houston, Texas
>
> PRO-2041 CLOSEOUT FOR $119.95 (299)
>
> PRO-2040 CLOSEOUT FOR $99.95 (229)
> Jklein1050@aol.com

3876. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com>
Message-ID: <35e46549.1229157@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I got it! It was +5.0125 for the input...

Thanks for the info.

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 00:45:39 GMT, Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
wrote:

>How about giving more info; like what Police Force, where
>(city...state...) etc.?
>
>Torres wrote:
>
>> Hi,
>>
>> Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>> Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>> According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>> their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>> radio.
>>
>> What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>>
>> thanks
>>
>> Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address

3877. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat@nospam.com
Message-ID: <35e36c4e.9345858@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 146376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 00:06:15 GMT, mm505@mindspring.com (505) wrote:

>Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com> wrote:
>
>>Hi,
>
>>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>>radio.
>
>>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>
>
>>thanks
>
>>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
>
>
>What is this guy, stupid or something? You've got to be kidding,
>right? Hey, the transmit would be 465.2325 and you would have to have
>either the CTCSS or DS tone. I would love to give it to you if I had
>it so I could read about you in the next few days being arrested for
>being an asshole!
>
>/\/\|k.e
>

Police input frequencies (repeaters) is only 3.00mhz higher here in
L.A. So... don't acuse of anyone of being stupid if you don't know
the correct answer!

3878. How to make replacement antenna for Techtoyz Microcounter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale <jbseale@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <35E36A5D.EB43729D@iglou.com>
Source record: 146377

I lost the antenna on my Techtoyz microcounter and I'd like to know how to make a new one. I tried copper wire and a 1/8 inch plug but that didn't work. Am I missing something?

3879. Re: Who owns a Universal M-450 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdd092$c4da85e0$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146378
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>I like to know who owns one and if the have it hooked up to a computer,
>how you hooked it up to the computer? Where do you plug it from the >back
>of the computer?

It plugs into an LPT Port. And there is a program called CI-400 to log
all the pages to the screen and a file.

> Also, can you only look for certin numbes that you decode from the pager
mode?

I'm not sure what pager modes the M-450 gets. I have the M-400, that gets
everything except FLEX. You could use POCFLEX for FLEX. You can look for
any numbers you like.

Reuben

3880. Multi-Band Car Antenna??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickm@mounet.com
Message-ID: <35e47261.493470@news.mounet.com>
Source record: 146379
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am wanting to replace my stock fender mounted Am/Fm antenna with a multi-band antenna that I can use with my scanner, and maybe even cell phone too.

Is there such an animal?

Where could I look?

3881. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: abboud <ahbood@beepme.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd09a$ab0f75a0$233d61ce@Ahbood.pageme.beepme.com>
Source record: 146380
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

And where can i get pocflex

Jack <kryppy_X@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<35e428f5.3606334@news.mia.bellsouth.net>...
> On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 19:53:52 +0100, "Tim Wood" <timfy@csi.com> wrote:
>
> >POC32 is a fantastic piece of software that can decode pager signals.
> >
> >It is worth every penny of the meagre registration asked, and no, I'm
> >nothing to do with the author (other than a user of his software)
>
>
> Pocflex is a much better program!
>
>
>
> and it's free!
>
>
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>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

3882. Re: 4-Level FSK and more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdd093$26df9a00$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146381
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Tim Weaver <weavert@primenet.com> wrote in article
<6rvcss$7j0$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>...
> What does FSK mean and what do these do?
>
> Jack <kryppy_X@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> : Just updated my website with the 2 & 4 Level FSK demodulators that
> : I've been having outstanding performance with and some more common
> : digital .WAV samples. Check it out.

They are used to connect ham radios or scanners to the serial port on
computers. Then you can use software to decode protocols that are
transmited over the air, ei, pagers,FAX,trunk systems, etc......

3883. Outdoor Antenna for a MVT 9000? (actually bunch a questions)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35e3739d.4755978@news.albany.net>
Source record: 146382

Is it a good idea, and if so, any recommendations?

Also, do antennas go bad? I have had the RS extendable, but seem to get a lot of interference on it, and in most bands. Often the static stops if I put my hand on or near the antenna. I know my computer interferes on some, but it still continues on others when the computer's off. Right now I went back to the stock antenna, which is great at the 800, but listening to cell isn't what I want to do, and the police and fire around here is 46, 155, 460, ranges, and the static is there on some of these ranges. Will an outdoor antenna help?

Next question: Is there a web site or book I can get my hands on the have the correct step sizes and receive modes for ham bands? I did an hour search the other night, and only came across a morse code conversation.

3884. Re: Bearcat BC200 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35e373e4.16223614@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 146383

Images 896-920
There is a mod available, but the images are just as good.
You will get tired of it shortly. Most folks lives are as boring as
yours ;-)

CATHY

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 11:45:48 -0700, Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Scanning is new to me so sorry if I seem somewhat stupid. Is the 200 XLT
>capable of receiving cel or cordless transmissions? If yes, what freq.
>do you set? Thank you, Bob

3885. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <35e47b83.17956421@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 19:30:36 GMT, Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com>
wrote:

>Hi,
>
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>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>radio.
>
>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>
>
>thanks
>
>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
>
I hope you get caught you little dweeb.

3886. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <35e67c24.18117312@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 01:32:27 GMT, Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com>
wrote:

>I got it! It was +5.0125 for the input...
>
>Thanks for the info.
>
I hope you get busted.

3887. Re: Scanners bought from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickm@mounet.com
Message-ID: <35e6790c.2200109@news.mounet.com>
Source record: 146386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I bought mine from CEI online at http://www.usascan.com.

You have to look hard to make sure you get all the available specials like case and headphones, but I was very pleased with the service and impressed by the availability of these great scanners at the lowest ever prices. This is a great site.

By the way, the headphones suck. They won't stay on my head because the ear piece slides down. Guess that's why their free ($12)! But I didn't have time to order a new set online before the Bristol race, so I had to go to Circuit Shitty and buy a set of Koss phones for $60. Oh well, you lost that sale!

The case is nice though.

3888. FS: ICOM R-7100 in good condition + JIM75 pre-amp $850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: danwee@cyberway.com.sg
Message-ID: <35e37c40.0@news.cyberway.com.sg>
Source record: 146387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

HI,

I have a good condition ICOM R-7100 for sale. This
covers 25MHz to 2GHz with no breaks or blockages. Does all
modes, AM, AMW, FMN, FMW, USB, LSB. I added a buffer for the
discriminator and the output is available at the back of the
radio.

The JIM75 pre-amp is very new. Has band pass settings
and works very well.

Looking for about $850. E-mail me if interested.

Daniel

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Daniel Wee	daniel@pandora.lugs.org.sg
9V1ZV	http://www.cyberway.com.sg/~danwee
QRP-L #667	9V1ZV@amsat.org
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3889. Re: CINCINNATI,OH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bluness@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35ec87f3.4849583@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 146388

On Fri, 17 Jul 1998 18:23:20 -0400, adl
<"eastsidezen@fuse.net"@fuse.net> wrote:

>Wondering if anyone has any mdt or commercial trunking
>frequencies/information for the Cincinnati Ohio area.
>thanks.
>ADL

Have you looked in Police Call available at Radio Shack?

----
bluness
PGP Public Key available
bluness@juno.com
bluness@hotmail.com

3890. Scan Japan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian <matakana@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd0a7$28703500$a48a4fd1@imalways.tig.com.au>
Source record: 146389

Hiya,
Does anyone have any scan freq's for Japan ?
Is it legal to use a scanner in Japan ?
Thanks,
Ian

3891. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6s03h9$6k3$1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net> wrote:

>Steve & Susan wrote:

>> The charges you'd face are those of posessing equipment that has been
>> illegally modified to transmit out of band (by the Commission)...

>You will have a hard time providing a citation of the law or regulation
>under which you could be charged for merely POSSESSING such equipment.
>There is no such law in the USA, and legal problems could only occur if
>possession of such equipment was supporting evidence in a case charging
>illegal usage.

That's why you don't use it if you expect to stay out of trouble. Know
what I mean?

>Why did you make this claim???

Because I might have stopped some "buff" from ending up in tomorrow's
paper. That's all.

>> The premise is that you SHOULD NOT have equipment capable of
>> transmitting on these frequencies...

>Whose premise, since there is no law prohibiting this??

It only becomes illegal if you use the equipment outside of the range
it was type accepted for. It's a POTENTIAL problem. Adding that diode
doesn't make you a criminal. Once you use it out of band, you still
aren't a criminal, per se (unless you jam something) but you have
something that is not allowed to have made that transmission.

Of course, there is no "radio police" so the only problem is when the
equipment is taken by someone who believes they are. Generally, the
only reason to confiscate such a radio is based on not being type
accepted.

>The capabilities that I choose to enable or add on to my personal-use
>radio equipment is my concern alone.
>However, I agree it would be gross
>stupidity to ever, ever use such equipment on frequencies where it is
>not welcome. I think it is evident that the ham who did so in San Diego
>County, CA, did so needlessly, almost as if he were waiting for an
>excuse to try it out. And public safety frequencies are not the place
>for over-enthusiatic radio operators to crowd and confuse with their
>"emergency" reports of highway fenderbenders et al.

Maybe we need to do something about making amateur radio more accessible to PSAPs? This could be bad, too, because there would be people cruising up & down reporting all of the disabled on the shoulder over it.

>OTOH, a poll of equipment used by MANY MANY public safety volunteer >organizations (fire departments, rescue squads, etc.) would reveal a >large amount of ham equipment modified for use on public safety >channels.

That's their perogative, although it says something about the price and availability of "commercial" equipment.

>Let's hope no one starts a self-righteous crusade against this until it >is shown that a problem is actually resulting from such "gray-area" >usage.

Generally, there is no problem in the gray zone. As a ham, myself, I think the biggest problem is with illicit 10 meter operation and in some metropolitan areas (like NYC) various radio dealers sell two meter radios to taxi fleets and other enterprises.

As a public safety provider, I would be understanding to a point, especially if this resulted in a save- but I couldn't vouch for my non-ham colleagues! I have zero-tolerance for abuse.

Every once in a while this issue pops up and there are a lot of "What if"s and a lot of misinformation about what can and can't happen - especially with the R&Rs. And, like now, it's discussed into the ground. I really don't care how an individual uses their equipment - that's up to them! It would be a shame if people who didn't think twice about any consequences of their actions get into trouble, even if it was because of overzealous enforcement thinking the R&Rs are within the scope of local authority.

Take care Mike,

Steve

3892. Maine Radio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: toasty@spam.vipmail.com
Message-ID: <35e3931a.4702870@news.ime.net>
Source record: 146391

I am looking for frequencies for any business's or anything in Maine, preferbly the coast near Rockland/Camden/Rockport, if you have any please respond - thank you.

3893. modifing scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: toasty@spam.vipmail.com
Message-ID: <35e3963b.5504224@news.ime.net>
Source record: 146392

i'm looking for any known modifications for the ICOM IC-R10 or the IC-PCR1000 to pickup celluar frequencies.

these are the available frequencies for the different IC-R10 distributions to different countries, so there must be a way to modify one distributed in the US to work as one distributed in Europe.

Frequency Range
U.S.A.
0.5000-823.9999
849.0001-868.9999
894.0001-1300.0000
Europe
0.5000-1300.0000
France
0.5000-87.50000
108.0000-1300.0000

-toasty

3894. Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: drdeleon@pcsrock.com
Message-ID: <drdeleon-2608980116110001@ppp-208-138-218-16.coqui.net>
Source record: 146393
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Yes CEI is without a doubt the most economical way to acquire scanners on the internet and probably the cheapest anywhere. They ship promptly, they have a nice website(professional grade if you ask me) and they carry high demand items. However they have a couple of business practices that make them look like greedy scoundrels. They advertise that if you buy an Uniden BC235XLT you will get free, a nice leather carrying case and a set of large headphones(I guess by Uniden also) free. Then in the small print they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of each items. If you buy the BC235XLT(like I did) please beware because they will screw you and then tell you it was written somewhere on their website. Shipping for the scanner is going to be $18 plus the price of the scanner plus $24 for the headphones and the case. The worse part is that these additional "free" items are of the lowest quality. The headphones wont stay on your head for more than a minute without sliding down and the case is not worth two cents. Please, if you buy the BC235XLT from them DO NOT get the "free" items. You will be disappointed. Do not have the order shipped to a POBOX the shipping will be doubled, yes doubled. If you have it shipped to a POBOX you will pay $36 for the BC235XLT and $48 for the two free items. I think this is bad BAD Bad business practice. Come right out and say it's not free and don't hide behind shipping to get people to buy your products. I must say that if you buy a scanner and have it shipped to a street address you will save money over other dealers. Now, if you dare to get any of their "free" stuff or ship to a POBOX you will be screwed. Another thing that bothers me is that shipping for the BC235XLT is $18 using UPS ground service which is about $5 according to UPS. They charge you an additional $12 for a box, tape and closing the box. Is that the right way to do business? I don't know but I sure don't like it a bit. Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you don't watch out they will burn you. As far as the scanners and CB's, they sell a good product. I just wish they would change their business practice to a less insulting method.

3895. Casino Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kallen@nospam.com
Message-ID: <35E3A015.C0709CBD@nospam.com>
Source record: 146394

Does anyone have or know the frequencies that casinos (including gambling boats) use? (Security, slot techs, shuttles and so on).

I would appreciate any frequencies or advice on what bands to search in.

Please email me at:

kallen@rnet.com

Thanks!

3896. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: PDWK66A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <6s075j$1j1c$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146395

Let's skip to Step #2 - Posting Bail.

73 de JOHN, KC6NWJ

>On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 19:30:36 GMT, Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com>
>wrote:
>
>>Hi,
>>
>>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>>radio.
>>
>>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>>
>>
>>thanks

3897. Does BC235XLT Have RS232 Interface?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kallen@nospam.com
Message-ID: <35E3AA30.875A4404@nospam.com>
Source record: 146396

Does the BC235XLT have an RS232 interface?
I read one spec sheet that said it does but no others say it does.

Please help me clear this up. Email me at:

kallen@rnet.com

3898. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980826070120000.DAA01178@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146397

In Florida it is legal to use a scanner in a car as long as it is not "installed," the definition being connected to both an external antenna and the vehicle's electrical system. Running a portable with a rubber ducky off the cigar lighter is just fine.

There are exemptions from the law. Licenses amateur radio operators, reporters, burglar alarm and security services, etc., may all install scanners in a vehicle.

John Ward
Tampa, Florida

3899. Re: Bearcat BC200 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35E45DDB.2F250DD5@nightowl.net>
Source record: 146398

Bob the modification for the 200xlt is on my webpage if you are
interested.
--
Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

Bob Esacove wrote:
>
> Scanning is new to me so sorry if I seem somewhat stupid. Is the 200 XLT
> capable of receiving cel or cordless transmissions? If yes, what freq.
> do you set? Thank you, Bob

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3900. Re: Cordless phones...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bluness@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35e4b41f.8054251@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 146399

On 17 Aug 1998 17:02:32 GMT, teenham@aol.com (Teen Ham) wrote:

>>I'm looking for a cheap recieve the listen in to the 40-50Mhz range.
>>Does anyone know what is the least I can spend for that freq.?
>
>Well, the *CHEAPEST* way is to simply use your cordless phone and put it into
>"Test Mode," which will act as a reciever on all the cordless phone freqs
>(channels.) I can't find the exact document, but if someone out there has
>CompuServe, go to the HamNet forum and it's there.
>
>73
>

You might be able to unplug the base unit while the handset is off the
hook, then change try to change channels on the handset if there is
nothing but static, maybe run a long wire off the base antenna across
the room...

>

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bluness
PGP Public Key available
bluness@juno.com
bluness@hotmail.com

3901. Scanner and CB Radio Mods Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35E45EFD.617EA742@nightowl.net>
Source record: 146400

Just updated my site, thought you all would like to check it out.

Todd
--
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http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

3902. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OIEWM9L09GA.230@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 146401

pat@nospam.com wrote:
> Police input frequencies (repeaters) is only 3.00mhz higher here in L.A.

intermod58@aol.com (Intermod58) wrote:
> The repeater input on UHF is always 5 Mhz higher than the output.

Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com> wrote:
> Not always. It's often 5.0125 MHz higner OR lower as well.

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Paired Frequencies

Base/Rptr mobile i/p offset

152-152 MHz 157-158 MHz +5.26 MHz (Taxi)
+5.26/+6.46 (Mobile Phone)
160-162 156-157 -4.6 (Marine VHF)
217-218 219-220 +2 (Marine AMTS)
220-221 221-222 +1
422-425 427-430 +5 (Great Lakes border)
450-465 455-470 +5 (10 MHz segments)
470-509 473-512 +3 (6 MHz segments)
851-896 806-851 -45
935-940 896-901 -39

3903. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Storm <dontthrowspam@me.com>
Message-ID: <6s0d8i$ch9$1@newman.pcisys.net>
Source record: 146402

Some radios have a "dial up a tone" feature for PLs (Kenwood TK-240), or maybe they are using Digital PL if your decoder does not have that feature...no decode...

Hope
that helps!

Mike

Tracker wrote in message <35E37297.1C57@1earthlink.net>...
>I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I
>can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the
>tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures?
>Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the
>correct address.

3904. Re: test, do not read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bluness@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35e5bbca.10017874@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 146403

On Tue, 18 Aug 1998 22:40:03 -0400, "Jacques Bussieres"
<mbnet@sprint.ca> wrote:

>Just testing
>

I always read what people tell me not to

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bluness
PGP Public Key available
bluness@juno.com
bluness@hotmail.com

3905. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35E3C167.8A0D39C8@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 146404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In LA the police and sheriff and county fire do not use standard 450mhz uhf frequencies. They use TV channels 14-17, which when used for public service have only 3mhz for repeater input. Standard 450-470mhz systems use 5mhz offsets.

Mike

pat@nospam.com wrote:

> On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 00:06:15 GMT, mm505@mindspring.com (505) wrote:
>
> >Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com> wrote:
> >
> >>Hi,
> >
> >>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
> >>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
> >>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
> >>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
> >>radio.
> >
> >>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
> >
> >
> >>thanks
> >
> >>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
> >
> >
> >What is this guy, stupid or something? You've got to be kidding,
> >right? Hey, the transmit would be 465.2325 and you would have to have
> >either the CTCSS or DS tone. I would love to give it to you if I had
> >it so I could read about you in the next few days being arrested for
> >being an asshole!
> >
> >/\/\|k.e
> >
>
> Police input frequencies (repeaters) is only 3.00mhz higher here in
> L.A. So... don't acuse of anyone of being stupid if you don't know
> the correct answer!

3906. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35E3C1E1.CC73356@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 146405

It could be a digital tone which your amatuar radio will not pick up.

Mike

Tracker wrote:

> I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I
> can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the
> tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures?
> Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the
> correct address.

3907. Does SONY portable do Alpha Display?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tede911@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082608130200.EAA20804@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146406

Hi all,

Does the new SONY portable have the capability of programming alpha characters for the channel display (ala Relm MS-200 and BC-9000 base units)????

WHY won't manufacturers give us what the 2-way manufacturers do??

Am I missing something?

---Ted

3908. BC3000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35E3C4B3.D06AB2B7@sunshine.net>
Source record: 146407

I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it? or
how it works for you?
thank you too all that respond
Ryan
ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

3909. SWAP SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <jim@techno1.com>
Message-ID: <35E3C9D2.DFBA0BE@techno1.com>
Source record: 146408

Swap pro-63, frequency scanner for good soundblaster
Scanner is in good condition but does not have box or manual, want good
soundcard to use as decoder. value of radio is ï¿½90 i am in
bedfordshire.....Jim

3910. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082610495100.GAA08924@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146409

>From: "Miguel Puchol"

>I don't think that is ethical, but I think that you can only criticise that
>the program won't allow the previous, freeware version to be installed
>again. I don't think you can criticise anyone for wanting to make a bit
>extra cash out of his skill.

Again, you have missed the point. It trashes the program that has been installed on the hard disk. The guy might as well send a virus along with his new version if he's going to pull a stunt like that.

>If you are all so upset, why don't you go out and learn C so you can write
>your own programs?

I can think of a lot better things to do with my time than write programs to give away. The fact that you want to do it is entirely your own business and you should stop complaining that people aren't more appreciative.

>And also, why don't you go and criticise Microsoft for making billions of
>dollars? Are you not using ANY of their software right now? I bet you didn't
>pay for that either...

What Microsoft has to do with this, I have no idea. But if you ever get around to creating something like Explorer or Outlook and then give it away like Microsoft does, let me know. Then I could take you seriously.

>Besides, if nobody is expecting Deti to do anything, then why bitch so much
>about him when he does?

Again, you have missed the point. You should devote as much time to developing your reading skills as you do your coding.

>I think you are not in the bussiness of developing software, so you know
>NOTHING about it at all. If you were, you wouldn't have these opinions.

You're right, I'm not in the software development business. That does not mean I don't know anything about it. I don't suppose you are in the TV business (whatever) but you must have some familiarity with how it works.

Sorry, Mike, you want to develop freeware, that's your business. Stop complaining about the economics or find something else to do.

3911. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6s0p08$idl@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146410

In <6rvj7e$g0m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> tiny2nz@my-dejanews.com writes:
>
>In article <6rv3bk$64o@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>,
> radiohag@ix.netcom.com(Robert Hagen) wrote:
>> In <6rugnn$fe1$1@news.cadence.com> "Wm. Scott Cranston"
>> <cranston@cadence.com> writes:
>> >
>> >Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World?
I'm
>> looking
>> >to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best
>> prices.
>> >Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC
>> number.
>> >
>> >Thanks in advance,

Good company. Prices are ok.

Grove Enterprises can beat their prices.
ACE can beat their prices also

Give Grove a call ... an 800 number also.

Also highly recommended is Ham Station
ask for JEFf....an 800 number
go to 800 information operator and
ask or go to their web site and explore....

h/w.hamstation
forget Groves'
forget ACes's

i do business with ham station now...

Also a place Star...they have low prices

Star Electronics...low prices...800 number
maybe....

With Ham station you get "yes" or "no" right
away as to if they got them.

Grove and Scanner world .. same

ACE...? have not done much with them.

They don't advertise or send catalogues
and that tends to cause forgetfulness...

the others do. so they get first pick.

bill conduit
e etc.

3912. Re: Auction ending today! New Trunktracker scanner!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6s0pb6$4b9@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146411

In <19980825023108800.WAA16851@ladder03.news.aol.com> brian3147@aol.com (Brian3147) writes:
>
>I will give $10 .00

I call you and raise that to

10.95

bill

3913. Re: Posting Statistics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35e3f4f2.2332203@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 146412

On 25 Aug 98 19:02:51 , Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
(Joe Nicholson) wrote:

> You have a problem in your life, jackass?
>
> Maybe your wife walked out for a better man?
>
> Complain to John Mackey, who brought on the
> reign of terror in these newsgroups.
>
> Until then, just shut your fat mouth!
>
>
>___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

Wow Joe, I can see your Big Brass Cahones from here.
But I'm sure all this will end next week, when the kids go back to
school.
Really Joe, what's your malfunction?
A guy asks why you spam?....and you come back with that?.
Right on my list you go, with MACKY, and the CHUCK from CHucks2way
Another newsgroup Rambo...eh Joe?
Whoopee.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

3914. Scanner Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net>
Message-ID: <35E3F7FF.439957A3@nac.net>
Source record: 146413

Hi everybody-
I was wondering if anyone out there knew anything about antennas and grounding them.
If so, could you please help me with a little problem? Here it is: I love making things, and when i found outdoor discone scanner antennas were 60 bucks at radio shack, i decided to make my own. All went well, i brazed the elements (rod that was lying around my garage) into the base (a piece of 1 1/2 inch galvanized pipe that i drilled holes in) then i started to hook it up to the coax, and suddenly, all was not good. Grounding is a major concern because its going on my roof, and so I cant figure out whether to connect the shielding from the coax to the actual antenna itself or to the insulated mast. As i said, if it were hit by lightning, i'd want it o be grounded properly. I have the piece for the side of my house that accepts coax and grounds it, so i just need to know if the shielding should be connected to the antenna or the mast thats insulated from the antenna. Thank you very much o anyone that could help me.

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Greg Rizos-
E-mail: conquistador1@geocities.com
Home Page: Http://www.geocities.com/MotorCity/9714
ICQ UIN: 10023399
You can get more with a kind word..... and a gun, Than just a kind word alone.
-Al Capone
If it doesn't fit, dont force it, just get a bigger hammer.
I love animals- They're delicious!

3915. Keyboard codes comtel 203

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab <ardan@auvicomREMOVE.nl>
Message-ID: <6s0tqm$f79$1@sun4000.casema.net>
Source record: 146414

Hello

Does somebody know some keyboard codes for the comtel 203 scanner?

grtz ab

Visit Scanner Page Breda
http://surf.to/ssb

3916. Kenwood ubz-lf68

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab <ardan@auvicomREMOVE.nl>
Message-ID: <6s0u9vjeu1@sun4000.casema.net>
Source record: 146415

Hello,

Does any one knows a modification for the Kenwood UBZ-LF68 UHF porto.For instance the increase the power output?

grtz ab

visit Scanner Page Breda

http://surf.to/ssb

3917. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s0udo$2sa@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

A very fine job trolling....

3918. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <w7TE1.220$eW6.245325@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

In article <35E3679A.1C0D@companet.net>, Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net> wrote:
>Steve & Susan wrote:
>
>> The charges you'd face are those of posessing equipment that has been
>> illegally modified to transmit out of band (by the Commission)...
>
>You will have a hard time providing a citation of the law or regulation
>under which you could be charged for merely POSSESSING such equipment.
>There is no such law in the USA, and legal problems could only occur if
>possession of such equipment was supporting evidence in a case charging
>illegal usage.
>
>Every ham rig that can be modified for MARS/CAP is capable of illegally
>transmitting on non-ARS, -MARS, or -CAP frequencies. Can the Radio
>Posse round up all the hams with MARS/CAP mods and claim they own an
>illegally modified radio?? Can a mis-guided ham who, using a radio
>legally modified for MARS, transmits on a public safety frequency then
>be charged under some law for simple possession of an illegally modified
>radio? NO, because there are NO such laws, save against those engaged
>in the MANUFACTURE of such equipment under certain circumstances.
>
>Why did you make this claim???
>
>
>
>> The premise is that you SHOULD NOT have equipment capable of
>> transmitting on these frequencies...
>
>Whose premise, since there is no law prohibiting this??
>
>The capabilities that I choose to enable or add on to my personal-use
>radio equipment is my concern alone. However, I agree it would be gross
>stupidity to ever, ever use such equipment on frequencies where it is
>not welcome. I think it is evident that the ham who did so in San Diego
>County, CA, did so needlessly, almost as if he were waiting for an
>excuse to try it out. And public safety frequencies are not the place
>for over-enthusiatic radio operators to crowd and confuse with their
>"emergency" reports of highway fenderbenders et al.
>
>OTOH, a poll of equipment used by MANY MANY public safety volunteer
>organizations (fire departments, rescue squads, etc.) would reveal a
>large amount of ham equipment modified for use on public safety
>channels.

At this point I was agreeing with you but the above statement is totally wrong and there is a law against using ham radio equipment on the public safety frequencies. If the equipment is not type accepted or approved by the FCC then it is illegal to use it on those frequencies.

>Let's hope no one starts a self-righteous crusade against this until it
>is shown that a problem is actually resulting from such "gray-area"
>usage.
>
>Regards,
> Mike-M

Just Cause

3919. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <%fTE1.227$eW6.245325@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <35E37C89.5A4B608B@mci2000.com>, ibhsffo <ibhsffo@mci2000.com> wrote:
>w4nti@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>
>> In article <35E2EDF3.BD0A2842@dol.net>,
>> edward.tabor@dol.net wrote:
>(snip)
>
>> This certainly was a "strange" exchange of mis-information. Item one,
>> the police/commercial user's will ALL be using a PL (private line), tone
>> guard, CTCSS or whatever you want to call it. That mean's unless you
>> know the subaudible tone, you can't be heard through the system.
>>
>> In any real emergency any agency/citizen can use whatever means is
>> at their disposal to summon help. That in itself does not give joe
>> or jane ham authorization to use a police radio frequency. I think a
>> good case of common sense would rule the day here.
>>
>> 73
>>
>> Dan/W4NTI
>>
>
>Maybe they will listen to you Dan, I said the same thing and was told
>that the information was "dribble".
>
>HMG

HMG and Dan. Most new systems are going trunk and do not use CTCSS or PL.
They now use a system number and a connect tone. To be able to program an 800
trunked radio you need both to be able to follow the trunking and also to talk
back. To have the system key you need to get it from the system administrator
and I doubt that any ham would get that key from them. Also ham HTs will not
go on trunk so the only way for someone to have a radio for trunking is to but
one from Motorola or GE/Ericsson or used. Many of our local systems are
trunked and unless you get these keys you will not have access to them. It is
not like the old days where you can figure out what PL tone they are using and
program it into your ham ht and be able to access their system.

Just Cause

3920. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35e40762.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 146419
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

>shipped to a street address you will save money over other dealers. Now,
>if you dare to get any of their ﷽free﷽ stuff or ship to a POBOX you will
>be screwed. Another thing that bothers me is that shipping for the
>BC235XLT is $18 using UPS ground service which is about $5 according to
>UPS. They charge you an additional $12 for a box

Your info I am sure is quite appreciated.
"BUYER BEWARE" is paramount on the Internet.

ALWAYS ask for the total charges before sending any money.
I generally do only COD via Internet orders. I'll gladly pay the 5 bucks
additional charge and make Mr. UPS stand there while I check my order.
You may want to contact the BBB and see if there practices might be
considered "deceptive"?

PCH

3921. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <alTE1.231$eW6.245325@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35E380D1.31A8@b.a.cop.oyeah>, Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net> wrote:
>Just Cause wrote:
>
>>
>> From what I am reading here in this news group I now know why most public
>> agencies are going to digital encripted transmissions. It is to keep people
>> who do not belong on their radio systems.
>>
>> What did you all do before you owned that radio capable of getting on the
>> public service frequencies? Do the same.
>>
>> Just Cause
>
>Oh, my yes. You read and hear about it all the time. The PS
>frequencies are really under siege by SOMEBOBY transmitting illegally on
>their frequencies at every hour of the day. It's a real public
>nuisance! We need a Federal task force to stamp this out. We need to
>allow random searches for such equipment. You can't listen to a scanner
>for more than a couple of minutes ANYWHERE without noticing how commonly
>this explosive threat to democratic representative government occurs.
>
>NOT.
>
>If all one has to worry about is whether or not some vile "unauthorized"
>vermin is lurking with, God help us, the POTENTIAL to key up on the
>local PD frequencies, I'd say life is pretty sweet.
>
>Actually, the reasons SOME agencies have gone to encryption are:
>(1) Too much money in their budget for non-essential techno-gimmicks,
> AND
>(2) [This is IT!] the natural desire of people everywhere not to have
>anyone monitoring their actions.
>
>Anyone claiming "spurious interference" by modified ham rigs as a reason
>for encryption would be, er, uninformed or deceptive in every
>conceivable way.

Who said anything about "spurious interference" by modified ham rigs. I
sure didn't. Think you need to take a "chill pill" OM. Also could you
please show some evidence about your theory as to why agencies are going
encription. I can provide for my reasons. How about yours.

Just Cause

3922. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <ZmTE1.234$eW6.245325@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 146421

In article <35E37297.1C57@1earthlink.net>, tracker557@earthlink.net wrote:
>I have been trying to scan for a PL tone on a commercial UHF freq. and I
>can't seem to pin point it on my amature radio. Is it possible that the
>tone is an "odd" one?...not a CTCSS tone used commonly by amatures?
>Please reply by e-mail. Remove the 1 after the @ character for the
>correct address.

Some systems use DPL which are different from the PL tones that you are
familiar with.

Just Cause

3923. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s110f$77s@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Go ahead and transmit ... see what happens. Make sure you gather about
$10,000 and clear your calendar for a few years.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

Torres wrote in message <35e310d0.1793498@news.earthlink.net>...
>Hi,
>
>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
>radio.
>
>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
>
>
>thanks
>
>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
>
>

3924. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s114j$7lr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

The original poster is wanting to transmit on the 450-470 band, which DOES
have a 5 MHz offset, be it positive or negative.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

pat@nospam.com wrote in message <35e36c4e.9345858@news.ncal.verio.com>...
>
>Police input frequencies (repeaters) is only 3.00mhz higher here in
>L.A. So... don't acuse of anyone of being stupid if you don't know
>the correct answer!
>

3925. Re: How to make replacement antenna for Techtoyz Microcounter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s11cq$8p7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146424

I wouldn't have bought anything from TechToyz in the first place -- from the reviews I've seen, it stinks.

I would certainly pay more for a Scout.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them."

jbseale wrote in message <35E36A5D.EB43729D@iglou.com>...
>I lost the antenna on my Techtoyz microcounter and I'd like to know how
>to make a new one. I tried copper wire and a 1/8 inch plug but that
>didn't work. Am I missing something?
>

3926. HELP NEEDED FROM RADIOLAN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <1c9_9808271700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 146026

-=> Quoting Bob Esacove to All <=-

BE> Item 2.Is there a simple way to explain to me the correct (best) way
BE> in which to program the freq (s)? Do you enter all like channels ie PD,
BE> Fire in a blank 1,2,3, moving downward?

It's best to put all PD in one or more banks,
all FD in one or more banks, all SO in one or
more banks.....etc.

Then if a major incident goes down which you
want to follow exclusively, you can lock out
the bank(s) of the other agencies.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

3927. Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jfel@pr.net
Message-ID: <jfel-2708982102410001@ppp-208-138-218-54.coqui.net>
Source record: 146027
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006

Must be in excellent shape, 100% working as new. Email me with offers. If you mention in your email that it is in any way modified I will not buy it. So don't mention it.

3928. 2 GHz RF ANALYZER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmarie <stmarie@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <CznF1.490$Ua4.1091898@news.axxsys.net>
Source record: 146028

http://torfino.com/p201.htm

3929. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net>
Message-ID: <35E60FBD.1F18@companet.net>
Source record: 146029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

After I wrote:

> >OTOH, a poll of equipment used by MANY MANY public safety volunteer
> >organizations (fire departments, rescue squads, etc.) would reveal a
> >large amount of ham equipment modified for use on public safety
> >channels.

Just Cause wrote:

> At this point I was agreeing with you but the above statement is totally wrong
> and there is a law against using ham radio equipment on the public safety
> frequencies. If the equipment is not type accepted or approved by the FCC
> then it is illegal to use it on those frequencies.

Actually, my statement is TOTALLY TRUE. I think what you mean is that the usage described is improper, and technically, I agree. It is NOT legal to use equipment on the PS frequencies that is not FCC approved or accepted for that use. The legal issues notwithstanding, modified ham equipment IS in very common use within MANY volunteer public service agencies. I was describing fact, not law.

Regards,
Mike-M

3930. Re: CINCINNATI,OH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <OmtV3hi09GA.224@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146030

Mr. Scanner Scanner Radio Listings -- Ohio available at R&L Electronics in Hamilton OH 800-221-7735 includes SMR listing by city. Costs $12.95 as of the last edition I bought.

Ivan Ivanovich

jbseale wrote in message <35E4A88B.702C5067@iglou.com>...
>If you're talking about SMRs, your best bet would be one of the
>frequency listings on CD ROM such as Spectrum or Mr. Scanner. More than
>likely, Nextel will be the big kahuna and there are usually 3 or 4 "mom
>& pop" SMRs in cities that size. Good luck trying to find out who uses
>what talkgroup on these SMRs, to date there is no Police Call-like
>directory that lists trunked SMR users. Trunked SMR monitoring is a real
>challenge and it's kinda' fun.

3931. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy B <andyb@qni.com>
Message-ID: <35E617B8.2AB7@qni.com>
Source record: 146031

tyler wrote:
>
> I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One
> of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting?
> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
> know?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Tyler
>
> tyler@cyberia.com

I think the frequency is 2. Of course, they would need a PAIR of
radios.
If they are not licensed on that freq, they could get BUSTed. BTW, do
they
sell BRAtwursts at Hooters? I asked one of the waitresses one day, but
she said she couldn't remember...she apparently was having mammary
problems.
What a boob. Their employees should try to keep aBREAST of what they
sell, don't you think?

Andy "seeing double"

3932. cellular info - bc200 site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOT <why@nowere.com>
Message-ID: <6s573q$q6h$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146032
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

here is a cellular infomation site with some help with the bc200 check it out.

http://www.inetone.net/Fsmith/index.html

3933. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6s54gs$vj3$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146033

There are some new PCS antennas that look like that. They can be put up just about anywhere.

tyler wrote in message <6s4tuh$93v$1@news3.microserve.net>...
>I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One
>of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting?
> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
>know?

3934. Re: Freq. for Seattle Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6s549hvia1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146034

http://www.wolfenet.com/~daydream/html/freq.html

G.Nelson wrote in message <35E5F08A.2BC7CC8D@foxinternet.net>...
>I was just wondering if anyone had some kind of list for the Seattle (S.
>King County) area????

3935. Re: QUESTION ABOUT R.S. DESCRAMBLER PLANS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6s554uvsk1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146035

It's amazing, but about two or three people a week come to my store looking for the parts. The only part that RadioShack doesn't have is a variable capacitor. I have been told the thing works, but I have never tried it myself. You must tune it for the particular channel you are wanting to descramble. If you want to change channels, then you have to spend several minutes tuning it again.

EntrtaenU wrote in message
<1998082714263300.KAA18936@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>HAS ANYONE EVER TRIED THE DESCRAMBLER PLANS FOR CABLE TV THAT EVERYONE SELLS
>AND CLAIMS YOU CAN BUY THE PARTS AT RADIO SHACK...IF SO PLEASE EMAIL ME OR
>RESPOND AND LET ME KNOW IF THESE PLANS ACTUALLY DO WORK...THANKS

3936. Re: Buy and sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35E61F8A.59DA@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146036

billy wrote:
>
> Hello to the scanner group:
>
> I have found the greatest place to sell your older scanner and at the
> same time pick up other great scanner and scanner products.. E-mail me
> and I will give you the info..
>
> All the best
> Bill
Why don't you just post it here??????????????????????????????

3937. 1960's Bearcat FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sebring@zebra.net
Message-ID: <35E620F9.603E@zebra.net>
Source record: 146037

Old Bearcat Scanner for sale. View at
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=26838231

3938. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35E62016.65DC@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146038

tyler wrote:
>
> I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One
> of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting?
> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
> know?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Tyler
>
> tyler@cyberia.com
You went to Hooters and you were busy looking at the antenna on the
roof?

3939. Re: mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6s58ao$1lg$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 146039

Either one should work fine. Placing the magmount on the trunk is fine. In fact all of the sheriff's cars here use that antenna on the trunk. Running the cable into the trunk right next to the antenna base keeps it from flying off when they SPEED down the highway.

3940. Re: Freq. for Seattle Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BJ <billjoh1@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6s5joq$dj6@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 146040

G.Nelson wrote in message <35E5F08A.2BC7CC8D@foxinternet.net>...
>I was just wondering if anyone had some kind of list for the Seattle (S.
>King County) area????
>
>Thanks
>George Nelson
>

A great site with extensive info on Seattle and King County freqs and trunk system is a site called Intercept. It is a Seattle based organization dedicated to the Seattle local monitoring community. Click on the pointer below to go to Intercept.

http://www.wolfenet.com/~daydream/index.html

Enjoy / Regards

Bill Johnston

3941. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry <singer@henge.com>
Message-ID: <35E608A6.18C5B0AB@henge.com>
Source record: 146041

As a senior engineer involved in the cellular and PCS industry I may have the ability to clear up this thread. No, cellular nor PCS phones do not have the ability to bypass the switched landline network. If the entire network is down all cellular phones are down as well, however we extensivly utilize methods other than copper wire to get the signal from the cell site to the landline switch. As mentioned point to point microwave is one of the methods, we also utilize fiber optics. In the event of a landline system crash we can redirect the cellular calls connection to the switched network through other areas through the NOC or Network Operations Center. We are also looking at utilizing the new iridium system of satellites as a backup system, however if it would become necessary to use this very expensive means of redirecting calls through the NOC we would limit the use of the system to authorized emergency personnel only, this is done utilizing a bit programmed into your phone at the time of purchase. Hope this clears up some of the possible misinformation or misunderstandings that have occured within this thread.

D Stark wrote:

> Hans Gruber wrote in message <35ed2991.29629070@news.ai.ac.th>...
>
> >>Cellular towers (like I said) require a telephone line, also. If
> telephone
> >>service is out, so are the cellular towers.
> >
> >You have no idea about what you are talking about! Find out what a
> >Point to Point microwave system is!
> >
> >>How could the cell towers be up when there is NO PHONE LINE?
> Cellular towers
> >>require a telephone line to make and take cellular calls.
> >
> >FOOL, you are full of shit! You don't have a clue!
>
> Nope, sorry, YOU are the one without a clue. What do you think those
> people on cellphones are talking to? Yup, other folks on regular
> landline telephones. Without a connection to the Public Switched
> Telephone Network, cellphones are useless. That's the way it is, by
> technology and by law (cellphones cannot be used in a "dispatch" or
> "two-way" operation - all connections have to include the landline
> system).
>
> And don't confuse cellphones with NexTel. Even when used as a phone,
> the other party must have a working phone line or the call won't go

> through.
>
> ===
>
> Nevermind. I just looked over the other 20 or so messages that you
> posted and can plainly see that you are an asshole and the facts won't
> matter. Welcome to my killfile

3942. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6s62ltcvg1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 146042
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

dmi853@juno.com wrote in message <6rv30j$q68$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <35E1FD47.51C9@parg.org>,
> John -I -wanna -be -Bill wrote:
>> Zombie Wolf wrote:
>> > It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
Cheeks.
>> > You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and
tell
>>
>> Perhaps your energies would be better suited sending complaints to the
>> Cheek-a-likes who are still causing troubles.
>>
>
>And maybe you need to take your own advice .

Maybe you need to learn to mind your own business, twit. Before someone starts complaining to YOUR isp. Have you at least got the money up for plastic surgery, so you can at least LOOK like Bill Cheek, wart - lip ? Because you sure ain`t delivering to this news group what Bill did. If you have to be a social outcast and malicious malcontent, then at least learn to do it quietly. Malodorous trolls like you should stay under the porch. You`ve got nothing going for you, and you know it, and I know it. So don`t waste my time. You contribute nothing to this group but varous and sundry idiocy, and a few well - known smells. Take a bath. Take a hike. Get a life. Get a brain, while you`re there. Take up a hobby - ditch - digging comes to mind. It would suit your mentality and social standing. I got things living under rocks and logs in the back yard that are college professors compared to you. You are a whale dropping. In case you don`t get that, there is nothing lower than that on the planet - whale droppings are on the bottom of the ocean. ..... Now, if you can just find that "mirror" macro.....
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

3943. Re: CHP freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: PDWK66A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <6s2q5q$1ue2$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146076

The CHP mobile "extender" frequency is:

154.905 MHz

When I'm on the road, I scan all the relevant CHP frequencies, but the
one that gets my attention is this one. It means a unit is nearby.

73 de JOHN, KC6NWJ

clarkm@pacbell.net (Clark Martin) wrote:
>
>In article <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>, Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.
net>
>wrote:
>
>>does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?
>>
>>
>> thanks craig
>
>I picked this up from someone here on the list. What I don't have
handy
>is the list of mobile extenders. It's a radio relay that lets officers
>use a handheld in the 150MHz range to talk to the base through the cars
>radio.
>

3944. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35E4F08D.863BCF4C@home.com>
Source record: 146077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

D Stark wrote:

> 505 wrote in message <6rvj8o$vv6$2@camel21.mindspring.com>...
> >Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com> wrote:
> >
> >>Hi,
> >
> >>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
> >>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police
> frequencies?
>
> >What is this guy, stupid or something? You've got to be kidding,
>
> Can you say, "Troll"?

Do you know anyone who can't say that word?

--
Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

3945. Antenna Questions...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35e6efa8.47575469@news.albany.net>
Source record: 146078

Outdoor Antenna for a MVT 9000? (actually bunch a questions)

Is it a good idea, and if so, any recommendations?

Also, do antennas go bad? I have had the RS extendable, but seem to get a lot of interference on it, and in most bands. Often the static stops if I put my hand on or near the antenna. I know my computer interferes on some, but it still continues on others when the computer's off. Right now I went back to the stock antenna, which is great at the 800, but listening to cell isn't what I want to do, and the police and fire around here is 46, 155, 460, ranges, and the static is there on some of these ranges. Will an outdoor antenna help?

Next question: Is there a web site or book I can get my hands on the have the correct step sizes and receive modes for ham bands? I did an hour search the other night, and only came across a morse code conversation.

3946. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: oh_no <oh_no@nospam_smartt.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd178$ed6f0a80$b00234d1@SmarttNet.smartt.com>
Source record: 146079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Torres
Although your question is not unlawful and you do note that saving lives is more important, I wish to stress that the American security situation is on high alert in every county in America and every country that is on friendly terms with America.

Amateur radio operators take great pride in radio operations within the law and to its every letter and phrase. Amateur radio operators will be there every time for disasters and civil defense. We hope that whatever you plan to do with this information, that you will do the right thing.

People matter. Your safety matters.
Enjoy the hobby; electronic freedom is not universal.

3947. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <VA6F1.7895$df3.1761773@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146080

Awww FHP is the most Anti-scanner agency in florida
you cant even have the radio programmed for recieve only with a news matrix

wonder what they are trying to hide

CBRambo wrote in message
<19980826225617 00.SAA25486@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>In article <6rvj0l$vv6$1@camel21.mindspring.com>, mm505@mindspring.com
(505)
>writes:
>
>>Dade, BSO, WPBH, all of them went 800, as well as FHP!
>>
>>Gotta get you a Trunk Tracker!
>
>
>Won't help for FHP. They went digital.
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

3948. Re: Help with Orlando frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Webb <orlscan@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <PK6F1.7897$df3.1765600@news2.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146081

Robert,

Orlando Police/Fire and all the agencies around here
(Orange,Seminole,Osceola)
are Trunked

If you have a Trunktracker (and I suggest if not - get one)

go to my web Page - http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

this should help you out - also there is a mailing list for discussing the
Orlando area which you can join thru my page.

Hope this Helps

Jason Webb
Jason Webb EMT/EMD
The Orlando TrunkTracking Page
http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Confidence is high Repeat Confidence is high
Commander Insert your key

Robert V <123robertv@massed.net> wrote in message
<35e4d361.15762654@news.massed.net>...
>Can someone give me some Orlando and area frequencies for police and
>fire?

3949. Uniden BC895XLT Trunk Tracker available at ebay *new*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: daydream@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <35e5f8b3.23184206@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 146082

Uniden BC895XLT available at ebay:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=27502746

3950. Re: BC-200 Owners !!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35E4FAF8.991E86AF@alaska.net>
Source record: 146083

Sorry .....price is $55
shipped !!!!!!!!!!!!!

Gina McBride & John Miller wrote:

> I have some NEW UNUSED Stuff for sale.
>
> AA Battery Pak
> 1350ma NiMd batt pak insert.
>
> Plus I'll throw in a NEW auto cord.
>
> ALL ARE NEW UNUSED !!!!!!
>
> John
> Anchorage, Alaska

3951. Re: Cleveland State University Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mregis007@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082706341600.CAA19077@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146084

>Subject: Re: Cleveland State University Police
>From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
>Date: 8/26/1998 12:25 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35E436EF.7625@home.here>
>
>Stephen T. Housley wrote:
>>
>> I'm trying to find the frequency for Clevland State University Police.
>> If anyone knows what this is please let me know. Thank you.
>
>Don't know if it's still valid, but I have a listing for 151.745
>
>
>
>
>
>

actually it's an 800mhz freq. i'll have to look it up again...

3952. Re: Wanted mod R.S.2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35E5C487.4E7FC767@nightowl.net>
Source record: 146085

I have the cell mod for that radio on my webpage if you want it.
Todd
--
Scanner,CB,and Ham Mods!
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

KB8SOJ wrote:
>
> Please, can anyone post any mods for the Radio Shack 2030 scanner? Are there
> any? Thanks ahead of time. Dennis . Remove "no junk" from E-Mail to reply
> direct.

3953. Hand heald s for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: emssales
Message-ID: <6s361elve1@dbtsvr2.dbtech.net>
Source record: 146086

FROM ONE TO 99 CHANNELS VHF AND UHF NEW WITH WARRANTY
VHF 329.00 UHF 340.00 E-MAIL ME YOUR ADDRESS AND I;LL MAIL YOU MORE
INFO AND A BROCHEURE

3954. Re: scanner advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35E53B65.86D1BFF7@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 146087

arizzo@ameritech.net wrote:
> I am looking for a continuous coverage handheld. does anyone have any
> recommendations?

Consider everything on the market:
Alinco DJ-X10
AOR AR8000, AR8200
iCOM IC-R10
Sony ICF-SC1 (no HF coverage)
Welz WS1000, WS2000
Yupiteru MVT-7100, MVT-7200, MVT-9000

I have reviews for most of these on my site listed below.

> I have been looking at the Icom IC R10. What's the story on
> this one and is $419 a good price new.

Solid radio with very good performance. Quirky to use and
very slow scan/search. That price is very good and should
be taken advantage of ASAP since iCOM's updated pricing
after the currently available rebate will be about $100
more.

Good luck!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

3955. Scanner World - followup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Wm. Scott Cranston" <cranston@cadence.com>
Message-ID: <6s3f8j$f2l$1@news.cadence.com>
Source record: 146088

Just wanted to thank everyone who responded to my request for feedback on Scanner World, both via e-mail and the group.

I will be putting in my order in the next day or so.

Scott in MA

3956. MDC-1200 software decoder wanted..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Weis <kb2ear@orn.com>
Message-ID: <aZbF1.1580$_c3.7270780@news.rdc1.nj.home.com>
Source record: 146089
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone know of any software for the PC or Mac which can decode the MDC-1200 bursts that can be heard before or after some transmissions?

Thanks,
Scott

3957. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philip J. Smith" <psmith@appliedsystems.com>
Message-ID: <6s3n78apu1@supernews.com>
Source record: 146090
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

>Then in the small print
>they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of
>each items.
I overlooked the small print at first, but after you mentioned it, I was able to find it. That's sneaky!

>Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you
>can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you don't watch out they
>will burn you.

I've returned three scanners to them over the years. I had less trouble with CEI than any other company, and they don't charge a restocking fee... At least not *yet*. I'm sure they'll start doing like all the other mail-order vendors pretty soon though.

(now, on my soapbox)

Scanner World, on the other hand, just plain SUCKS. My brand new Uniden TrunkTracker scanner was dead. Oh well, that can happen; no big deal, I'll just return it for one that works. I phoned Scammer World in good spirits, but the person I talked to got "attitude" the moment I said the word "return." He wanted to charge me a 25% restocking fee to return a NON-FUNCTIONAL SCANNER! Think about it... A restocking fee on a *dead* scanner? What the HELL is that for? So they can add it back to their stock, then turn around screw the next poor sucker that orders it?

I still can hardly believe it... I ended up sending a brand new dead scanner to Uniden to be repaired, and of course paid the shipping to send it there. But, unlike what CEI and Scammer World charge for S&H, it only cost me about $5. Go figure.

3958. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35E54F29.FA39FA99@ibm.net>
Source record: 146091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

> Ref:
> 97.403
>
> This section has been in force since 1934.
> You should have known about this provision.
> 73, Ted
>
> Ralph Mowery wrote in message <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>...
> >> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
> >> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
> >> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem
> necessary.
> >
> >Can you point to the rules that state this ??
> >
> >If you are referring to PART 97, this has been restated by the FCC to only
> >apply to hams and the transmission has to be in the ham bands. It is not a
> >blanket statement ment for anyone and on any frequency other than the ham
> bands
> >and for hams.
> >

I know about the part in PART 97. As I stated this has been redefined by the FCC to pertain ONLY to the ham bands. I was asking about a Blanket ruling that pertains to other frequencies. I don't think there will be one to be found. The FCC seems to have tried to make it clear that people are NOT to use just any radio to transmitt even under emergency conditions.

3959. How to expand post 1994 Pro-2026 scanner ?.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daryl Hovey <dhovey@worldchat.com>
Message-ID: <35E5877F.37A3@worldchat.com>
Source record: 146092

Is there any way to expand the frequencies available
on a Pro-2026 built in May of 1995.

If so please advise at dhovey@worldchat.com

3960. Satellite TV Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: caesar1000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082713255000.JAA28793@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146093

I have a scanner that picks up wide FM (TV stations). Can I pick up Satellite TV station? Anyone know the frequencies?

Thanks

Jesse

3961. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6s3nln$7om$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 146094
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

What about buying from National Electronics any problems from them???....I'm looking to buy an 895xlt....

Philip J. Smith wrote in message <6s3n78apu1@supernews.com>...
>>Then in the small print
>>they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of
>>each items.
>I overlooked the small print at first, but after you mentioned it, I was
>able to find it. That's sneaky!
>
>>Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you
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>>will burn you.
>
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>least not *yet*. I'm sure they'll start doing like all the other mail-order
>vendors pretty soon though.
>
>(now, on my soapbox)
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>TrunkTracker scanner was dead. Oh well, that can happen; no big deal, I'll
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>but the person I talked to got "attitude" the moment I said the word
>"return." He wanted to charge me a 25% restocking fee to return a
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>scanner to Uniden to be repaired, and of course paid the shipping to send
it
>there. But, unlike what CEI and Scammer World charge for S&H, it only cost
>me about $5. Go figure.
>
>

3962. Re: 1st IF Freqs.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6s3o8l$ptk@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 146095
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35e54de4.2396262@enews.newsguy.com>,
E. Morris <words1@well.com> wrote:

>Would anyone happen to know the first IF frequencies
>of the following scanners?
>
>pro-51 bc230xlt pro64 bc895xlt
>Thanks.

From my FAQ article SCANNER RADIO REVIEW BRIEFS:

PRO-51 and BC230XLT IFs are 10.8 and 0.45 MHz.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden) IFs are
380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz.

PRO-64 IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz.

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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

3963. Re: frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmikkelsen@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <35e567e2.3258411@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 146096

On 26 Aug 1998 21:22:40 GMT, gameye@aol.com (GAM EYE) wrote:

>opto scout...nothing beats it!

Except an opto Xplorer ! They are *the* scanner for finding near field frequencies. Can highly recommend it as the be all and end all, although the battery drain seems to be a little highish ... and of course there's the price ...

Dion M.

3964. QUESTION ABOUT R.S. DESCRAMBLER PLANS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: entrtaenu@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082714263300.KAA18936@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146097

HAS ANYONE EVER TRIED THE DESCRAMBLER PLANS FOR CABLE TV THAT EVERYONE SELLS AND CLAIMS YOU CAN BUY THE PARTS AT RADIO SHACK...IF SO PLEASE EMAIL ME OR RESPOND AND LET ME KNOW IF THESE PLANS ACTUALLY DO WORK...THANKS

3965. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36727508.1302052201@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 27 Aug 1998 00:31:32 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On 26 Aug 1998 22:14:26 GMT, "Ted van Beek"
><tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Tony:
>>This is the way it has been interpretted for 64 years.
>
>This is not the way that the FCC interpets it now.

Nor is it the way that they have ever interpreted it. 97.403
only waives Part 97 rules, not the rules of any other radio
service. When operating in another radio service, which
you would be if you operated on a police frequency, you
are subject to the rules for that radio service, amateur
rules, including 97.403, don't apply.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3966. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s3se1$41p@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Hey Hell, I don't appreciate that mail bomb.

I know it is from you - said so right in the header. Geez, when you send a mail bomb, at least make it ANONYMOUS!
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Hells Angle wrote in message <6rv4ao$kcb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not
>allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble.
It
>is not illegal to listen but it is to transmit on the freq... that is not
>registered to you. Sorry but that is life

3967. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s3rqn$1uq@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146100

I don't appreciate that mail bomb.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Hans Gruber wrote in message <35e57510.82406493@news.ai.ac.th>...

3968. FS: Pro 34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen J Pavlidis <PAVL@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6s3shf$89bm$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146101

For sale: a Realistic Pro 34 Scanner, Model 20-135, 200 channel, with ac charger. Works great, it's just the display is screwed up. Make an offer. Email to PAVL@prodigy.net

Steve Pavlidis
N4UJP

3969. MILFORD CONNECTICUT POLICE??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Kerkes <jdkerkes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd1cf$863b2360$6507440c@hp-customer>
Source record: 146102
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just wondering if anyone knows if they went digital?

3970. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Beckman <csle87@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd1cf$d84ea4b0$c2012791@csle87pc>
Source record: 146103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

TED:
If you will READ completely the single rule 97.403 you quoted, it says:
"No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential communications needs in connection with ... when normal communication systems are not available." Be sure you have a current version of Part 97, as the wording of this one changed in recent years. I just grabbed this one from the FCC web page.
Note the fourth and fifth words, "these rules". They refer to Part 97 Subpart E, which is entitled "Providing Emergency Communications", not to all of 47CFR. Other US Governmental rules, such as 47CFR2, which includes a requirement for radio type acceptance, and 47CFR90, which establishes eligibility requirements for public safety and other license applicants STILL DO APPLY! So does the remainder of Part 97, including the amateur frequency band definitions. Also note the last phrase of your quoted section, then read 97.401a and b which define the specific conditions under which such operations may be undertaken. It does NOT alow for the "I'm too far away from a pay-phone" or "My cellular phone was out of range" excuses.
--
Karl Beckman, PE Motorola LMPS - Eastern Div

A.D. 1999 - The LAST year of the 1900's.
A.D. 2000 - The LAST year of the 20th Century.

Windows 95 (win-DOH-z), n. A thirty-two bit extension and graphical shell to a sixteen bit patch to an eight bit operating system originally coded for a four bit microprocessor which was written by a two bit company that can't stand one bit of competition.

Ted van Beek <tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net> wrote in article
<6s216s$7he@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>...
> Ralph:
> Ref:
> 97.403
>
> This section has been in force since 1934.
> You should have known about this provision.
> 73, Ted
>
> Ralph Mowery wrote in message <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>...
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> bands
> >and for hams.
> >
> >
>
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>

3971. MINITOR 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: RIC MARSHALL <cfpa418@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6s3vd4$h3f@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 146104

I have a used motorola minitor 2 and need to have it recrystaled, anyone know where i can have it done? and a price range.

cfpa418@concentric.net

3972. Re: Police Radar beacons??freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: service@gfreport.com
Message-ID: <6s40qafph3@service3.uky.edu>
Source record: 146105

In article <19980818205324 00.QAA01259@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
radioman27@aol.com says...
>
>Does anyone know what frequencies the police transmit to the new radar
>detectors that receive public safety messages ?Like when my radar
detector says
>acident ahead....
>Please mail me ,thanks
>Radioman27@aol.com
Common misconception...there is no sepereate beacon.
The radar "Beam" itself is modulated.
Even if you could modify a "radar detector" to recieve radar freqs
(X=10.525 K=24.150[at least I think so..it hase been awhile])
You would still have trouble decoding it.
With an older bel Micro-eye, you can get at the 1200MHz "if" and
actually receive the signal. Of course you have to defeat the
LO sweeper (scans the radar bands about 50 time a sec) and rig a manual
tunning (73 magazine had a artical on converting a bel micro-eye for ham
x-band use). I used a ratshack scanner and a rice burner sw to
"listen" in to x-band door openers from several MILES away.
But it was very touchy tunning. not real pratical.

3973. Re: Satellite TV Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: service@gfreport.com
Message-ID: <6s41lofph4@service3.uky.edu>
Source record: 146106

In article <19980827132550000.JAA28793@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
caesar1000@aol.com says...
>
>I have a scanner that picks up wide FM (TV stations). Can I pick up
Satellite
>TV station? Anyone know the frequencies?
>
>Thanks
>
>Jesse
C-band runs from about 3600MHz to 4200MHz, Ku starts at about 11,000MHz
to 12,800MHz.(these are close but not exact freqs, I do not have the
refference books at hand).
Most modern equipments downcoversts both c and ku to 940-1450(again
close but maybe not exact).
So no, it is not likely that you can recieve sat-tv on your scanner.
Now try tunning to 137.5 and you should bea able to hear one of the
NOAA polar orbiter weather sats. As they go over they give a nice loud
signal.

3974. HELP NEEDED FROM RADIOLAND! RE: BEARCAT BC200XLT. PLEASE READ.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35E58C28.3A29@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146107

I recently found two BC 200xlt's that I placed in storage almost two years ago. To my amazement, the batteries held enough power to turn the units on any held the original freq. imputes.

Here is where it gets tricky.

(Item 1) I can not find the Uniden ac adapters/chargers(model AD-140U). Like most people, I had some unidentified transformers.I tried one that in fact charges the batteries. Uniden makes it sound like my scanner will go Postal or self distruct if I use anything other that their approved unit.

The charger I am using is marked " Direct plug, Class 2 transformer, I/P 120V, AC60HZ-10W, O/P9V DC600MA, model41-9-600D, EIR 172-944450D. Assuming that Uniden has gotten enough of my money, can I use this charger safely? Does someone have a couple (or one) AD-140U for sale? I also want to buy PS-001 car battery accessory.

Item 2.Is there a simple way to explain to me the correct (best) way in which to program the freq (s)? Do you enter all like channels ie PD, Fire in a blank 1,2,3, moving downward? Or do you enter like freq. (s) into seperate banks moving from 1, 21,41 etc? How do you allow space for additional freqs?

I know all this must sound a bit silly to you pros. Remember when you were first getting started.

Thank you in advance for any help.
Bob

(Thanks Cathy for your help yesterday).

3975. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Casey Ray <clray@bcf.usc.edu>
Message-ID: <35E59558.1B32FE5@bcf.usc.edu>
Source record: 146108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Easy, become a police officer or dispatcher.

Torres wrote:

> Hi,
>
> Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?

l8er,

Caseman

3976. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: davie <burtak@easynet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6s46q5$o1g$1@apple.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 146109
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

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any ideas where i can download it
thanks
abboud wrote in message
<01bdd171$24c2d5a0$233d61ce@Ahbood.pageme.beepme.com>...
>Message tracker is like poc32
>
>davie <burtak@easynet.co.uk> wrote in article
><6s1kt4$i8p$1@apple.news.easynet.net>...
>> works ok for me
>> what is message track??
>> sam wrote in message <6rvllr$dv5$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>> >does it work better than message tracker? i want your feedback.
>> >
>> >
>>
>>
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3977. pro2023 modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: parassat@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35e9ac98.1534191@news.destination.ca>
Source record: 146110

Someone can help me where i can found
something to unlock my pro2023?? Tks
Parassat

3978. Re: Discriminator tap on PRO-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35e5a6d0.78758865@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 146111
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>I've found the proper pin on the IC for NFM baseband audio but
>understand the center pin on the CTCSS card mount on the three pin
>side has a buffered output that will work. My question is whether or
>not the cap and resistor are required as would be if directly tapping
>the pin on the IC?
>
>Anyone know for sure?

I have used the CTCSS center pin for a discriminator tap and have not
used any capacitors or resisitors inside the scanner. I have not
experienced any problems and have been able to properly decode control
channels for ETRUNK and TRUNKER.

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
--oOO--(_)---OOo---
The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

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3979. Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jfel@pr.net
Message-ID: <jfel-2708981651100001@ppp-208-138-216-201.coqui.net>
Source record: 146112
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006

Must be in excellent shape, 100% working as new. Email me with offers. If you mention in your email that it is in any way modified, I will not buy it. I do not want stolen equipment. Just an used scanner(Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006). I don't want risk getting in trouble with the law.

3980. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis McGrath <dennismcgrath@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6s4gtr$50d$2@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

O.K., this can be argued for eternity. Question is how can you legally test to see if the mod works and is receivable by others? You can't do it unless there is a life threatening situation and you are unable contact anyone on any other freq.

Dennis
KF6NBF

3981. Need AOR 8200 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ss@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <35e5ca14.8436999@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 146114

Just returned from Japan with a new AR 8200 in hand, but am in desperate need of English language manuals. Any help or recommendations out there? Thanks, Tony Gargano

3982. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082721532700.RAA11531@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146115

By the way I picked mine up yesterday from the RS i usually go to the punched it up and guess what, no charge.

RjMIERRN>Subject: Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

3983. Re: CHP freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: 207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6s4mla$1d0$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 146116

>The CHP mobile "extender" frequency is:
>
>154.905 MHz
>
>
Except in the Susanville dispatch area, where it has been changed to
another.... don't have that freq handy, though.

Ed

3984. RS PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35E5E018.9B866CC2@erols.com>
Source record: 146117

How much is a PRO-43 in good shape going for these days?

3985. Re: Help With PRO34 - PLEASE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e5df6b.10655016@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146118

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 23:23:21 -0400, aa010@detroit.freenet.org (Chuck
Reti) wrote:

>In article <35E4831E.BCABC8D1@rnet.com>, kallen@rnet.com wrote:
>
>>I own a PRO-34 and had always received cell phones in the 854 to 868 mhz
>>range (though I Never listened to them). I know these are images or
>>something but I did receive them UNTIL I had to replace the AC power
>>jack. After taking the scanner apart and replacing the jack I no longer
>>receive anything in the 800mhz range.
>>
>>Can anyone tell me what might have happened or what could be wrong with
>>the scanner?
>>
>>I appreciate any info you might have!
>>
>>Please email me at:
>>kallen@rnet.com
>>
>>Thanks!
>
>The signals are not images. The Pro34 was made and sold prior
>to the current restrictions on coverage. The 800-900MHz scan channels
>are not all in line with assigned cell channels so some are never
>"on frequency".
>I sure hope you mean the _DC_ power jack. Pumping 9V AC into
>the 34 would certainly have an adverse effect on all of its
>operational features. There is both a DC power input jack and below
>it a DC charging power input jack for charging internal NiCDs
>if used.

This is not true! I have a pro-34 I had to disassemble to restore full
800mhz! It searches in the proper 30khz steps and receives tons of
images everywhere, police on cell phones...cell phones on
police...still, all in all its a great unit!

>Sounds like something got pulled off, pulled out or broken off
>in the process.
>
>>>though I Never listened to them
>
> and I Never inhaled, either :-)
>
>==
>Chuck Reti WV8A Detroit,MI

>aa010@detroit.freenet.org

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

3986. Re: Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6s4os9$79g$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146119
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

jfel@pr.net wrote:
>
> Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006
>
> Must be in excellent shape, 100% working as new. Email me with offers. If
> you mention in your email that it is in any way modified, I will not buy
> it. I do not want stolen equipment. Just an used scanner(Pro
> 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006). I don't want risk getting in trouble with the
> law.

IT'S pretty hard to find any of those scanners that aren't modified.

I have most of them and they are all modified.....

3987. Re: Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e7e7bc.12783846@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146120
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On Thu, 27 Aug 1998 16:51:09 -0500, jfel@pr.net (jfel@pr.net) wrote:

>Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006
>
>Must be in excellent shape, 100% working as new. Email me with offers. If
>you mention in your email that it is in any way modified, I will not buy
>it. I do not want stolen equipment. Just an used scanner(Pro
>34,37,46,2004,2005 or 2006). I don't want risk getting in trouble with the
>law.

What...are you too good for a PRO-43? :)

You should check your local pawnshops! Many a fine deal can be had at
them!

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http://broward.home.ml.org

3988. Icom 7000 user info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbj@cableinet.co.uk
Message-ID: <35E652D9.5E32@cableinet.co.uk>
Source record: 146121

Can anybody please help me with users manual / operating instructions
for Icom 7000,any help apreciated,
thanks. Snark.

3989. Re: RS PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6s4p6t$79g$2@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146122

Pathagarus wrote:
>
> How much is a PRO-43 in good shape going for these days?

Kinda high, nobody wants to part with them, they are great units.
if you can buy one around $250

3990. Re: RS PRO-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082723313500.TAA24287@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146123

It also depends on modifiability??

3991. Re: Satellite TV Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris <cseNOSPAM@jps.net>
Message-ID: <35e5ef8c.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 146124

Caesar1000 wrote in message
<1998082713255000.JAA28793@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>I have a scanner that picks up wide FM (TV stations). Can I pick up
Satellite
>TV station? Anyone know the frequencies?

If you have a C band system - you can run a split from the LNB (make sure u
use a splitter that will handle 900-1450 MHz and BLOCKS DC) - you can then
tune from 950-1450 MHz and get some SCPC stations that way in wide FM mode

3992. Freq. for Seattle Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.Nelson" <Gknelson@foxinternet.net>
Message-ID: <35E5F08A.2BC7CC8D@foxinternet.net>
Source record: 146125

I was just wondering if anyone had some kind of list for the Seattle (S. King County) area????

Thanks
George Nelson

3993. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6s2795$9ob$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146143

>>I don't think that is ethical, but I think that you can only criticise
that
>>the program won't allow the previous, freeware version to be installed
>>again. I don't think you can criticise anyone for wanting to make a bit
>>extra cash out of his skill.
>Again, you have missed the point. It trashes the program that has been
>installed on the hard disk. The guy might as well send a virus along with
his
>new version if he's going to pull a stunt like that.

READ MY LIPS: I HAVE UNDERSTOOD THE POINT AND AGREE WITH WHAT YOU SAY. I said: you can only criticise that the program won't allow the freeware version to be installed again, but nothing more. Not that he decides to make money from it. That is his decision entirely.

>I can think of a lot better things to do with my time than write programs
to
>give away. The fact that you want to do it is entirely your own business
and
>you should stop complaining that people aren't more appreciative.

In that case, you have nothing to say about those who do, so that you may entertain yourself illegaly intercepting pager calls. You may aswell complain that they just came out with a new money-forging machine that killed your old one, and hey, that's not ethical...
Besides, I think that with your attitude, freeware will not exist in the end, and then what will you do? Will you honestly pay $150 for Poc32? Gimme a break. You should be as appreciative as you can, so that we keep writing freeware.
Otherwise you will have to find another hobby, or another job that gives you more money.

>What Microsoft has to do with this, I have no idea. But if you ever get
around
>to creating something like Explorer or Outlook and then give it away like
>Microsoft does, let me know. Then I could take you seriously.

You just wait until they have bought EVERYBODY out, and they start charging top dollar for all these 'free' items. I bet that you are using the Unix version, right? (Opps, Unix is a free OS, so there is no Unix version of any MS software).
Otherwise, to use Outlook or IE, you need Windows, and that is a PAY program. I think you need Windoze for ALL of MS 'free' items...so there is a point here.

>Again, you have missed the point. You should devote as much time to developing
>your reading skills as you do your coding.

Read above. You should devote some time to coding, and then come back and tell me why we are so crazy as to not charge anything for so many hours work.

>You're right, I'm not in the software development business. That does not mean
>I don't know anything about it. I don't suppose you are in the TV business
>(whatever) but you must have some familiarity with how it works.

No, but if you are in the TV bussiness, you know how much, how long, and how many people it takes to build one. And you appreciate a lot more.

>Sorry, Mike, you want to develop freeware, that's your business. Stop
>complaining about the economics or find something else to do.

Well, and if you want to use, stop complaining too. Nobody is forcing you to download freeware or shareware. You could spend $10000 on a commercial pager monitoring system.

Mike

3994. Re: frequency counter !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6s27d8$9sh$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146144

You can also use my program to download and manage frequencies from a Scout to your PC, all in Windows.

See http://www.eurohubner.com/mike/soft_otto.html

Mike

3995. Re: Scanner World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6s29ab$9oh$1@207.18.224.99>
Source record: 146145

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 10:13:20 -0400, "Wm. Scott Cranston"
<cranston@cadence.com> wrote:

>Hi. Anybody have experiences with ordering from Scanner World? I'm looking
>to get a mobile and base antenna and they appear to have the best prices.
>Looking for any pro/con recommendations before I give them my CC number.
>
I used to work there in Albany, and ScannerWorld gave a discount to
local public safety personnel. I always appreciated that.

Since moving, I have purchased some items from them, and always been
happy.

I have heard reports that from time to time, a lady is rude on the
phone, but never had that happen to me.

Best of all, they do not artifically inflate their shipping and
handling charges, like some other national vendors, nor do
they make claims that they cannot backup about their
company.

Overall, I will order again from them.

3996. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6s29d4$9oh$2@207.18.224.99>
Source record: 146146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 26 Aug 1998 22:14:26 GMT, "Ted van Beek"
<tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Tony:
>This is the way it has been interpretted for 64 years.

This is not the way that the FCC interpets it now.

3997. BC-200 Owners !!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35E4A6DF.EE9855B8@alaska.net>
Source record: 146147

I have some NEW UNUSED Stuff for sale.

AA Battery Pak
1350ma NiMd batt pak insert.

Plus I'll throw in a NEW auto cord.

ALL ARE NEW UNUSED !!!!!!

John
Anchorage, Alaska

3998. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6s2913$9oh$0@207.18.224.99>
Source record: 146148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On 26 Aug 1998 13:18:53 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>To be "at one's disposal" means something that can be readily accessed by
>someone. In this case, it is an amateur operator with a radio capable of
>transmitting on a public safety frequency. To be "at one's disposal" does
>NOT mean a person must be licensed to use something.
>
>What it is saying is that when normal communication is not available, other
>methods may be used.
>
>Do some research.

Ryan,

I have done the research. I have checked with the FCC.
I have asked the communications law attorney that I use.

The interpetation that they use, and the one you use, are
completely different.

At one's disposal, in reference to the part 97 use, refers to any
HAM frequency. Not to any frequency.

3999. WTB Shinwa SR-001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35E4A565.D519BE6F@alaska.net>
Source record: 146149

Posted for a friend. SHINWA SR-001 scanner wanted.
Advise on condition and accessories.

John
Anchorage, Alaska

4000. Re: FS: Relm HS200 Portable Scanner $160

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vance LaSalle <lasalle@ican.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd14f$72747be0$055d9a8e@lasalle>
Source record: 146150

> Does this scanner show you what the PL tones are, or do you have to know
them
> and program them in yourself. I saw where the BC895XLT can read the
tones,
> but you've got to have a pretty long transmission to give the scanner
enough
> time to cycle through all the tones. I was hoping that this radio, or
another
> model, may be able to read the tones without having to cycle through them
all.
>
>
> You have to know the tones, it's a pain, I have one. You'll have to
program in all the tones and the frequency to find it out.

4001. Re: GMRS/Private Radio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd154$83b3d220$a71e31d1@default>
Source record: 146151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

For GMRS info, contact the Personal Radio Steering Group in Anne Arbor
Mich.
-
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

Todd L. Sherman <afn09444@afn.org> wrote in article
<Pine.A32.3.95.980826160236.19621B-100000@freenet2.afn.org>...
> On Wed, 26 Aug 1998, Jesse wrote:
>
> > Dear Todd and Jim:
> > I've been searching and searching for a list of licensed GMRS
> > users in Alachua County, but the fla.lst on the BBS is way out of date,
> > and I can't seem to get access to an FCC CD-Rom. All I want is a list
of
> > licensed GMRS/Family/Private Radio users in Alachua County. The top
two
> > that I want the most are the SFCC Police frequency, and the Campus Club
> > Apartments frequency (where I live). I could scan for the frequencies
but
> > I wouldn't know where to start. I don't want to scan 15?.* and 45?.*
for
> > these things if we can get info on their actual frequencies. Please
let
> > me know if you can find these for me; I'd really appreciate it (I like
to
> > know what's going on where I am).
>
> Hmm. I can't remember the freqs, either. I think they were somewhere
in
> the 160-170 MHz band. HOWEVER....I DO remember many times those very
> frequencies being repeated over the rec.radio.scanner and
alt.radio.scanner
> newsgroups. So you could also try asking in there. (Or I could if you
> don't have access to the newsgroups.)
>
> No. Wait. Come to think of it...lemme forward this reply to both
groups.
> Watch this, Jesse...Prepare for all the replies. 8-) VERY helpful
> newsgroups, they are. :)

>
> Todd
>
> /--\
> | Todd L. Sherman/KB4MHH, Storm Evader - E-mail: afn09444@afn.org |
> | -//- http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/ -\\- |
> | Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida |
> | Member: Alachua County SKYWARN (http://www.afn.org/~skywarn/) |
> \--/
>
>
>

4002. Re: For Sale - Pro-31 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd154$4bda55e0$a71e31d1@default>
Source record: 146152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well!!!!!!

1) You do not need to use profanity on here!!!!
2) I said Asking. If someone makes me an offer "I can't refuse" I will take it. Maybe for those have low IQs (the ones that insist on using 3, 4 and 5 letter explicitives) I should lead them by the hand and also say " PRICE IS NEGOTIABLE!!!!!!!"

--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net> wrote in article
<6rvqf4aqc1@supernews.com>...
>
>
> Price dictates sales. If the price is too high, no one will buy. If some
> one deems it fair, they will buy or make an offer.
> If you want one, and can find one cheeper somewhere else . Do it! More
> power to you. But why be a jerk about it?
>
> erics wrote in message <01bdd037$716eafe0$f2f7c3d0@default>...
> >WWWWHHHAAATTT??????you must be fucking drunk, $50 my ass,,,,,for 10 chans,
> >i can get that thing for $5.00 $50puffffffffffftth!!!!!
> >
> >Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net> wrote in article
> ><01bdcee3$82ba7e00$191e31d1@default>...
> >> Radio Shack Pro-31 Hand Held 10 channel scanner.
> >> Very Clean in and out; "A 10!" .... Used very little.
> >>
> >> Asking $50.00
> >>
> >> --
> >> Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
> >> Owner
> >> DAT2 Communications
> >> dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
> >> (410) 360-2260 Ext *3

> >>
>
>
>

4003. Re: CINCINNATI,OH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale <jbseale@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <35E4A88B.702C5067@iglou.com>
Source record: 146153

If you're talking about SMRs, your best bet would be one of the frequency listings on CD ROM such as Spectrum or Mr. Scanner. More than likely, Nextel will be the big kahuna and there are usually 3 or 4 "mom & pop" SMRs in cities that size. Good luck trying to find out who uses what talkgroup on these SMRs, to date there is no Police Call-like directory that lists trunked SMR users. Trunked SMR monitoring is a real challenge and it's kinda' fun.

bluness wrote:

> On Fri, 17 Jul 1998 18:23:20 -0400, adl
> <"eastsidezen@fuse.net"@fuse.net> wrote:
>
> >Wondering if anyone has any mdt or commercial trunking
> >frequencies/information for the Cincinnati Ohio area.
> >thanks.
> >ADL
>
> Have you looked in Police Call available at Radio Shack?
>
> --------
> bluness
> PGP Public Key available
> bluness@juno.com
> bluness@hotmail.com
> --------

4004. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s2bik$pqh@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146154

>Beg pardon? Telephone systems operate off battery, and most telephone
>companies have trailer generators just in case.

Sorry - you didn't get what I meant. What I meant was that if telephone
service is down (even if the power is active), there is no "backup"
telephone service.

>Most Cellular towers do not depend on a phone line at that site. They
>use microwave between towers, back to a MTSO. That is where the
>phone lines come in.

Exactly, and if those lines are not usable, phone calls cannot be made.

All of the scenarios I am presenting could very well happen in 2000, as many
power companies' computers use 2-digit date systems, and if it is "00" and
the billing date was "98" (IOW, the bill wasn't even sent out yet), it will
get confused, and their power would be shut off, usually automatically.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

4005. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s2bl5$q9h@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Yep, I know. I've said this in another thread.

OVer 75% of those who participated in this nasty thread said "any amateur
frequency", and I've accepted that.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

"Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food
groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar, and fat." -- Alex Levine

Blake Bowers wrote in message <6s2913$9oh$0@207.18.224.99>...
>Ryan,
>
>I have done the research. I have checked with the FCC.
>I have asked the communications law attorney that I use.
>
>The interpetation that they use, and the one you use, are
>completely different.
>
>At one's disposal, in reference to the part 97 use, refers to any
>HAM frequency. Not to any frequency.
>

4006. Oakland County Freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <bt2F1.299$ej4.7169226@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 146156

Not too long ago, someone requested frequencies for Oakland County, particularly Rochester Hills, Michigan. I prepared an extensive list for that person, but I lost their email. If you're still out there, please let me know, I'll send you the list!

Thanks,
Bill Crocker

4007. Re: Does SONY portable do Alpha Display?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <4F2F1.300$ej4.7173881@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 146157

It does in it's Windows software, on line, but not on the scanner itself.

Bill Crocker

TedE911 wrote in message
<19980826081302000.EAA20804@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Hi all,
>
>Does the new SONY portable have the capability of programming alpha
characters
>for the channel display (ala Relm MS-200 and BC-9000 base units)????
>
>WHY won't manufacturers give us what the 2-way manufacturers do??
>
>Am I missing something?
>
>---Ted

4008. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6s2cu4$81f@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Torres <jerry@noreply4anitspam.com> wrote:
>Hi,
>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police
>requencies?

Masa, is that you?

4009. Military stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8ppz73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082701480700.VAA02811@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146159

Anybody know a good website for Military aircraft callsigns that is current, and good sites for freqencies.

Thanks,

Grego

4010. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082701572700.VAA17433@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146160

I Have a great question that should End All of this...
Who of all that is reading these post "Would refuse to use an out of band or any radio for that matter to save a dying persons life when there is absolutely no alternative means of communication."

That's it in a nut shell. Isn't a human life worth a little potential aggravation...

Tell me, Who would leave the person to die?

Chris

4011. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <35e4c2d3.2892867@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 146161

97.4 may be a "Standard PL", but on many radios this tone is missing.
It is not present on many older Icoms (like the H16/U16 portables) for
example.

I suspect that it was a late addition to the list many years ago....

On 26 Aug 1998 19:36:32 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
<jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net> wrote:

>According to http://www-islip-ares.mecnet.com/pl.htm, 97.4 -is- a standard EIA
>tone.
>
>Andy Moss wrote:
>
>> There are a number of "non-standard" CTCSS tones that I'm aware of.
>> Very few radios will decode them. The ones that I know of are:
>>
>> F in Hz
>>
>> <snip>
>
>> 97.4
>
><snip>

4012. Re: Chicago area PD freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <35e6c3ba.3123548@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 146162

On 26 Aug 1998 21:50:39 GMT, shawng2221@aol.com (ShawnG2221) wrote:

>Does anyone have a good list of chicago area PD freqs. I am new to the area
>and have not found many good sources for the info.
>
>Please send info to ShawnG2221@AOL.com
>
>Thanx,
>Shawn
>

Try the CARMA web page at http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

4013. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Peck <steven.peck1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <4L3F1.1129$lg.4931315@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 146163

MAlexder wrote in message
<1998082610495100.GAA08924@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>From: "Miguel Puchol"
>
>Again, you have missed the point. It trashes the program that has been
>installed on the hard disk. The guy might as well send a virus along with
his
>new version if he's going to pull a stunt like that.

Try again, I still have my freeware version running after evaluating the newer shareware version. Sometimes a little PC experience can prevent such events from happening. Alas most problems are user problems. Even so, I dont blame the developer, it is a quality piece of software, the new routines seem to work much better. As far as a virus, if you are not isolating programs you download from the internet to protect your system, then that is your problem. Even with Microsoft releases one has to be wary.

>What Microsoft has to do with this, I have no idea. But if you ever get
around
>to creating something like Explorer or Outlook and then give it away like
>Microsoft does, let me know. Then I could take you seriously.
>
Microsoft has been doing this type of practice for many years. What do you think IE4 is? The only difference is that Microsoft hasnt been able to convert the "free" software over as fast as they would like. Win98 in many ways is an attempt to charge for IE4 and beyond.

4014. Re: Chicago area PD freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jckastak@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082703030500.XAA14251@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146164

The Police Call book is pretty good for the Chicago area. It's available from Radio Shack. There are a few quirky things like the suburban police networks, but browsing through the book you will be able to figure them out.

4015. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Wertz <artwertz@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <35E4D339.9C33ADC4@world-net.net>
Source record: 146165
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does the name COLLINS ring a bell???

--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@world-net.net
http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz

4016. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Wertz <artwertz@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <35E4D35F.DCF9677A@world-net.net>
Source record: 146166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Major Armstrong invented FM -

--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@world-net.net
http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz

4017. scanner advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: arizzo@ameritech.net
Message-ID: <6s2k6u$2n2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146167

I am looking for a continuous coverage handheld. does anyone have any recommendations? I have been looking at the Icom IC R10. What's the story on this one and is $419 a good price new. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4018. Help with Orlando frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: 123robertv@massed.net
Message-ID: <35e4d361.15762654@news.massed.net>
Source record: 146168

Can someone give me some Orlando and area frequencies for police and fire?

4019. Re: Help With PRO34 - PLEASE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: XXXmatt223@mailbag.com
Message-ID: <6s2lj0lav1@grandprime.binc.net>
Source record: 146169

>The signals are not images. The Pro34 was made and sold prior
>to the current restrictions on coverage.

The cell bands are locked out of a stock 34 via a diode.

>Sounds like something got pulled off, pulled out or broken off
>in the process.

As good a guess as any with the limited information.

Mark

The truth as I perceive it to be.
Your perception may be different.

check the address

4020. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: abboud <ahbood@beepme.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd171$24c2d5a0$233d61ce@Ahbood.pageme.beepme.com>
Source record: 146170
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,tnn.comm.pager

Message tracker is like poc32

davie <burtak@easynet.co.uk> wrote in article
<6s1kt4$i8p$1@apple.news.easynet.net>...
> works ok for me
> what is message track??
> sam wrote in message <6rvllr$dv5$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
> >does it work better than message tracker? i want your feedback.
> >
> >
>
>

4021. Re: Help With PRO34 - PLEASE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e4dde6.105646202@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146171

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 16:50:22 -0500, kallen@rnet.com wrote:

>I own a PRO-34 and had always received cell phones in the 854 to 868 mhz
>range (though I Never listened to them). I know these are images or
>something but I did receive them UNTIL I had to replace the AC power
>jack. After taking the scanner apart and replacing the jack I no longer
>receive anything in the 800mhz range.
>
>Can anyone tell me what might have happened or what could be wrong with
>the scanner?
>
>I appreciate any info you might have!
>

You did check your re-solder job on the bnc.....right?

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4022. Re: modifing scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35e5e047.106255486@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146172

On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 05:04:06 GMT, toasty@spam.vipmail.com wrote:

>i'm looking for any known modifications for the ICOM IC-R10 or the
>IC-PCR1000 to pickup celluar frequencies.
>
>these are the available frequencies for the different IC-R10
>distributions to different countries, so there must be a way to modify
>one distributed in the US to work as one distributed in Europe.
>
>
> Frequency Range
> U.S.A.
> 0.5000-823.9999
> 849.0001-868.9999
> 894.0001-1300.0000
> Europe
> 0.5000-1300.0000
> France
> 0.5000-87.50000
> 108.0000-1300.0000

Anyone know what they do in France on these blocked freq's?
A USA car stereo might be a banned item there....?

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4023. Re: PRO-25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: divrdwn627@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082704533100.AAA27901@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146173

2+9+LO opened 66-88 range on mine. Channel 14 should be 66.450MHz and then you scan up. Good Luck and happy scanning

4024. Re: GMRS/Private Radio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#7FBhgX09GA.299@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 146174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

FRS - Family Radio Service [95.627]

Ch Freq Ch Freq

1 462.5625 8 467.5625
2 462.5875 9 467.5875
3 462.6125 10 467.6125
4 462.6375 11 467.6375
5 462.6625 12 467.6625
6 462.6875 13 467.6875
7 462.7125 14 467.7125

The FRS was authorized on 06 June 96. It uses FM with a peak
deviation of +/- 2.5 kHz. Maximum power is 0.5w ERP.
Channels 1 - 7 are shared with GMRS.

GMRS - General Mobile Radio Service [95.29]
[95.621]
Base/mobile repeater I/P

462.5500 467.5500
462.5625
462.5750 467.5750
462.5875
462.6000 467.6000
462.6125
462.6250 467.6250
462.6375
462.6500 467.6500
462.6625
462.6750 467.6750
462.6875
462.7000 467.7000
462.7125
462.7250 467.7250

In addition to the station's licensed channel, 462.675 may
be used for emergency and traveler's aid by all stations.
Interstitial channels (462.xxx5) may be used only in simplex
mode with voice transmissions of no more than 5 watts. They are
shared with the Family Radio Service.

4025. World of Outlaws Sprint Car Race Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryj@user2.teleport.com
Message-ID: <6s2q3q$6bs$1@user2.teleport.com>
Source record: 146175

After attending several World of Outlaws Sprint Car Races recently, we noticed that some of the travelling Outlaws' cars had UHF antennas just below the big top "wing" airfoil. These are hooked to a UHF handie-talkie (a separate antenna is used when they're broadcasting in-car live video on TNN, ESPN, etc.) and used to communicate with their pit crews.

Anyone have any frequencies that the teams might be using?

Thanks,

Larry
larryj@teleport.com

4026. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len <len1276@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6s885bobs1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145876
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Language police alert. Just as the word "gay" today has a different meaning than when I was growing up, so to does the word "CW". Yes it is a "word" the way we use it today in ham jargon. If I was "happy" today I certainly wouldn't say I was "gay"!! Today saying "I work CW" or "I send CW" means I send or am sending Morse code. (Even though that might not have been correct 50 or a 100 years ago.) Everyone understands this so this is it's present meaning. I don't hear many guys on the bands saying "calling any ham....calling any ham...". That's because we all understand what the word "CQ" means and use it.

Robinson, AB5VH wrote
>There was no CW in the mid 1800's... not even science fiction yet. There was
>Morse Code landline telegraphy, but no radio and certainly no CW.

4027. pro-29 mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: me_fitz@iname.com
Message-ID: <35e7a497.0@news.ultranet.ca>
Source record: 145877

Anyone know where I can get info. on mods. for my pro-29?

fitz

4028. Re: fcc, outdoor antennas & condos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35E74407.B56@erols.com>
Source record: 145878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

rob wrote:
>
> Radio Shack 1999 catalog pq 151 states that property owners have a right
> to install outdoor antennas and also satellite dishes < 39 inches dia by
> FCC ruling that overrules for example condo association limitations
> except for safety and historical sites. I doubt that my condo assoc will
> accept a RS catalog as the final word. Anyone have any more info or
> links to details?
If memory serves, the ruling to which the catalog refers only applies
to satellite dishes; I don't think that scanner antennas are included in
the ruling. We hams have been looking for a way around those kind of
restrictions for years; we had high hopes this would be the one, but
alas it fell short. Of course, a little disguise antenna is better than
none at all....Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

4029. PLEASE opinion AR8200 vs AR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcallin@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s6u1c$23m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145926

Hi,
I've read some good and also very bad news about the new AOR scanner
ar8200 (it should be worst then ar8k?). However this is confusing
and therefore any opinion and suggestion would be very appreciated.
There is also Icom IC R10 ? If I missed something please let me know.
Thank you very much for the help and any information.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4030. BC895 Disc. Tap Point (it's not IC3 P9)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35e710a1.648860@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I've seen numerous complaints from those who have had trouble getting applications working that need unfiltered base-band audio from the BC895 discriminator.

Most people are tapping the discriminator at pin 9 of IC3 and this seems to be the problem. IC3 P9 is NOT the right place to get at the discriminator signal. The signal at that point is actually the 3rd IF output with the base-band audio impressed on it (i.e. AM). What you actually have is the desired signal, but translated to the 3rd IF frequency (~450 KHz).

This is not going to work well with most applications that require the discriminator output.

The actual base-band discriminator tap point is found on the bottom of the circuit board and is MUCH easier to get at and solder to than IC3 P9 anyway.

The signal is ~1.5V P-P riding on a 2V DC bias.

To get at it, remove the bottom cover of the radio. Orient the radio so that the rectangular silver shielded box is at the top of the radio and the rotary VFO knob is at the lower right hand corner.

The tap point is a solder pad at the lower terminus of a vertical trace about an inch long. The pad is located at a point 3.6" from the top edge of the circuit board and 2.6" to the left of the right edge of the circuit board.

I use this tap point with TrunkTrac and it works very well. Hope this is useful. If you still have trouble locating the tap point I have some jpegs I could upload if anyone has a place to put them.

Greg Knox

4031. Re: What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35E7028E.FD3E1D17@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145928

why wrote:
>
> Why are you polluting the newsgroup with this crap? You think you're
> funny, but you're not.

Hmmmm? What's wrong with that post? I'm looking for answers for a scanner project I'm working on. Specifically, there's three questions at the end that I'd appreciate help with. Would you happen to have any input on those three questions? Here's the post again. I'm pretty sure this is the right place to post it. (This *is* a radio scanner newsgroup, isn't it?)

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I'm working off this article posted by Bill Cheek posted here:

>From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
>Subject: Scanner Discriminator Data
>Date: Sunday, May 17, 1998 4:31 AM
>
>This article/file is for the benefit of all hobbyists.
>
>(c) 1995-98 <All Rights Reserved> by
>Bill Cheek and COMMtronics Engineering
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>If you want to decode trunk control, MDT, pager, fax or other
>digital signals, you will need a special Interface between
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> Computer
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> ==== ===
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> >------]|+-----o----|2 \ | | |
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> >--o--/\/\/----o |741 6 >----------o-----|--> 5 CTS 8
>GND | | / | |
> o--/\/\/--o------|3 4/ | |
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I mean, I really needed some help with this one. I built a few power supplies for different devices I have and do a little hardware work on my PC. But just because I gotta soldering iron, doesnt mean I know *exactly* what I'm soldering. I'm just following instructions.

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3) Anything else I should know before I build this device?

4032. SPAM: from Bill's 2-Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
Message-ID: <35E6F66E.24251D92@bills2way.com>
Source record: 145929

Due to the falling currency of the pacific rim nations
the price of Scanners on the wholesale market is down.

Come visit the following site, and see for yourself
the latest prices from our retail outlet.

http://www.bills2way.com/equip/scanners.html

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Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
http://www.bills2way.com
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4033. Lots of Trunk tracking questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35E6F8F5.A86E6A2D@geocities.com>
Source record: 145930

Hello,

I don't have a trunk tracking scanner yet, but have a few questions before I get one.. I am familiar with the fact that scanners with the ability to track trunked systems can only work with certain motorola systems.

Lately I have been monitoring some locally trunked systems to "hear" the difference and compare what I heard with what radios I saw the businesses using. I would appreciate if someone could verify my list below:

1. Each transmission is preceeded by beeps with different tones (similar to that of an old voice paging system,but faster). As the person talks, a high pitched ring is heard and remains until the user lets go of the PTT.
Is this an EF Johnson system? I didn't hear a data signal (I got all the freq's from the new Beta FCC database search)

2. Each transmission is preceeded with a low tinny sounding "buzz", and when the party has released the PTT, 4 high pitched rings beep out. If I were to compare those rings to morse code, it would be T E E T.
Would this be a GE system? (Data signal was present.. sounds like a generator through a tin can)

3. Each transmission is preceeded with a 'honk-beep' (beep is very fast high pitched), and sometimes the radios make three quick beeps just after the honk-beep. Data signal sounds like a loud generator, with noticeable change when someone presses the PTT.
I suspect this is a Motorola system, right?

Also, can Motorola radios be used on a system such as GE or Johnson (or other)? I've seen a few local businesses using MTX2000's from Motorola, and would like to hear these.

What's better.. the latest Radio Shack Trunk Tracker or the Uniden BC235XLT? I heard from a salesperson at the Shack that all their scanners are made by Uniden, so what's the difference? BTW, I have a BC2500XLT, and really hate the NiCd that comes with it. Which of these radios can use AA's? Which do you recommend more?

Finally, will there be a new model from either the Shack or Uniden Bearcat coming out anytime soon that is worth waiting for? I'd hate to throw out money on something if a new tracker comes out that can do other systems as well.

Thanks to anyone who can help me with these questions! I really appreciate it!!

-Michael

4034. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Kahl <kkahl@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6s6ukp$r2n@news.microsoft.com>
Source record: 145931
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I just bought a new 235 from National Electronics. They were courteous on the phone and sent it promptly. It arrived in a large box with "popcorn" protecting it.

Good experience:
The sales rep said it would ship same day. When he inadvertently missed the UPS drop, he actually called me back and said, "oops, it'll be an additional day. sorry."

-- Kevin
Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us> wrote in message
6s3nln$7om$1@news.wintek.com...
>What about buying from National Electronics any problems from
them???....I'm
>looking to buy an 895xlt....
>
>
>Philip J. Smith wrote in message <6s3n78apu1@supernews.com>...
>>>Then in the small print
>>>they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of
>>>each items.
>>I overlooked the small print at first, but after you mentioned it, I was
>>able to find it. That's sneaky!
>>
>>>Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you
>>>can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you don't watch out they
>>>will burn you.
>>
>>I've returned three scanners to them over the years. I had less trouble
>with
>>CEI than any other company, and they don't charge a restocking fee... At
>>least not *yet*. I'm sure they'll start doing like all the other
mail-order
>>vendors pretty soon though.
>>
>>(now, on my soapbox)
>>
>>Scanner World, on the other hand, just plain SUCKS. My brand new Uniden
>>TrunkTracker scanner was dead. Oh well, that can happen; no big deal, I'll
>>just return it for one that works. I phoned Scammer World in good spirits,
>>but the person I talked to got "attitude" the moment I said the word
>>"return." He wanted to charge me a 25% restocking fee to return a
>>NON-FUNCTIONAL SCANNER! Think about it... A restocking fee on a *dead*

>>scanner? What the HELL is that for? So they can add it back to their
stock,
>>then turn around screw the next poor sucker that orders it?
>>
>>I still can hardly believe it... I ended up sending a brand new dead
>>scanner to Uniden to be repaired, and of course paid the shipping to send
>it
>>there. But, unlike what CEI and Scammer World charge for S&H, it only cost
>>me about $5. Go figure.
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>

4035. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <6s6vh7$77r@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 145932
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I had never heard of National when I ran across their deal on the BC895 ($212 delivered). I picked up the phone, confirmed they had the item in stock, and placed the order. It went very smoothly. I will buy from them again.

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Brett - N7OLQ
96 - XR400, 90 - DR350
http://www.grundlesoftware.com/xr400
brett(dot)miller(at)intel(dot)com

Brian wrote in message <6s3nln$7om$1@news.wintek.com>...
>What about buying from National Electronics any problems from them???....I'm
>looking to buy an 895xlt....
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>

4036. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kgowen@jps.net
Message-ID: <35e6ffbd.1268612748@news.jps.net>
Source record: 145933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 12:15:46 GMT, need@help.com (Just Cause) wrote:

>In article <35DD77F6.A3B4CAA8@att.net>, jtonsa@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>>I cannot cite exactly where this rule is, but ham transceivers are easily
>>modified to transmit out-of-band, and the books I used to study say that it
>>is allowed to transmit anywhere (on any band) if it is an immediate
>>emergency.
>
>It is against the LAW to modify any amateur transceiver to operate out of band
>unless you are a MARS or CAP member. Otherwise the radio is not FCC type
>accepted or approved to operate on the public service frequencies. You can
>only use the radio for amateur and MARS or CAP if licensed.
>
>Also in a number of other posts you have agreed that operating out of band is
>against the LAW and you can be punished for that. Even in an emergency.
>Why now change your mind. That talk to the FCC engineer didn't get through
>you 15 year skull?
>>
>>I'll let someone else do the citing, but yes, I really did read this in
>>those books.
>>
>>ScannerMan wrote:
>>
>>> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>>> solicit your opinions.
>>>
>>> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>>> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>>> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>>> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>>> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>>>
>>> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>>>
>>> Dave McGuire
>>>
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>>
Well, i agree its illegal.. But if I am being chased or shot at by
some gangter doing a drive by or something like that, and a radio is

available that can transmit out of band.. You bet your butt I am going to yell for help. I can face the consequence of probation, etc rather than being shot with no trace of suspect. theres my 4 cents,

Kevin

4037. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35E70A65.1B228C30@mindspring.com>
Source record: 145934

Theoretically I'm sure its possible, the military does it all the time. But what sort of power requirements would be needed for an effective jammer? And do any of the current "jammers" available function as anything but eyecandy for teens with deep pockets? I have trouble beleiving that a plastic box with LED's blinking away while plugged into the cigarette lighter is going to be effective in jamming police radar. If anybody can find any published article stating that they work past the end of your hood, I would love to read it, but in the meantime I will remain skeptical.

dave archer wrote:

> I don't think so I was watching the WSP
> run a speed trap in my local area and he asked me what I was doing and
> if I had any radar jamming gear
> Dave...
>
> born to be wild (thats my theam)

4038. Re: RDLAP 9.6 MDT Protocol

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35eb0c6d.87715060@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 01:54:44 GMT, kleptein@hotmail.com wrote:

>I have been told by one of the radio techs in the area that the new
>system they just installed uses the RDLAP 9.6 protocol with Motorola
>MDT-9100T terminals.
>
>It sounds like MDC4800 to me, but I've never heard RDLAP before to
>compare. I would appreciate it if someone could send me some samples
>of both MDC4800 and RDLAP.
>
>And... Are there any decoders available for RDLAP anywhere?
>
>Thanks.

I have samples of mdc-4800 on my webpage.

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4039. Re: BC895 Disc. Tap Point (it's not IC3 P9)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <nospampoustie@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <6s72pp$f48@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 145936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Thanks for the info. Please post the pictures to
alt.binaries.pictures.radio.

Tim

Greg Knox wrote in message <35e710a1.648860@news.mindspring.com>...
>I've seen numerous complaints from those who have had trouble getting
>applications working that need unfiltered base-band audio from the
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4040. Re: POCFLEX / MFJ-1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ed0ffa.88623830@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145937
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 12:15:10 GMT, orlscan(I_no_spam)@bellsouth.net
(Jason Webb) wrote:

>In article <01bdd234$57728fe0$0700000a@586magic>, "Reuben M" <magic@dorsai.org> wrote:
>>Has anyone had any luck getting POCFLEX to work with the MFJ-1213
>>interface?
>>Thanks.
>>
>>magic@dorsai.org
>Yes Definately but a 4 level fsk is best for flex

Agreed..but your sig was a little long...:)

>Jason
>
> --
> README for Microsoft Outlook(TM) Express
> November 1997
> --
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4041. BUY SELL TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: news <webmaster@lakeisabella.net>
Message-ID: <6s713f$j7h$2@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145938

Buy/Sell/Trade page back on-line
http://www.lakeisabella.net/amateur/

4042. Re: What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f014bc.89842055@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145939

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 15:18:38 -0400, allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
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You might want to check out the 2level device diagram I have on my
website, it works very well for what you want and uses a few less
parts...it's also a bit easier to look at a .gif then ascii
art..anyway poc32 is the only prog that works under win95
pocflex and pd-204 are dos only programs.

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4043. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082820452500.QAA19789@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145940

>ubject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
>From: need@help.com (Just Cause)
>Date: 8/28/98 8:30 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <voxF1.366$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>
>
>In article <6s4gtr$50d$2@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dennis McGrath"
><dennismcgrath@sprintmail.com> wrote:
>> O.K., this can be argued for eternity. Question is how can you legally
>>test to see if the mod works and is receivable by others? You can't do it
>>unless there is a life threatening situation and you are unable contact
>>anyone on any other freq.
>
>You would be breaking the LAW if you did so. There is no LAW that says you
>can transmit on a Police frequency during an emergency. Please stop
>spreading
>this lie.
>>
>>Dennis
>>KF6NBF
>>
Exactly! For you fanatics who think that you are someday going to come
across an emergecny and somehow magically trasnmit on a police
frequency.....forget it and get a life. use a phone and call 911.

4044. Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34, 37,46, 2022, 2026 (200-148A)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w00dhead@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35E71D7B.74B0@yahoo.com>
Source record: 145941
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2022,2026(200-148A)
Must be in V.Good shape, 100% working as new. You can email me with your offers, well i'm actually hoping to pay $100 or less. If it is motified, all the best, because i will just be doing it myself.

email me at " w00dhead@yahoo.com 00 are Zeros, not large O's.

4045. Re: Danielle NASA 817's Problem Tomorrow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanstern@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082821193100.RAA10565@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145942

>>What about the C-130's from Keesler AFB in Mississippi? Anyone hear
>from them yet?

Yes; they have been flying under the TEAL callsign, which they use when on
Hurricane Hunter missions.

AL STERN Satellite Beach FL

4046. Dumb Antenna Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Kahl <kkahl@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6s78as$3s3@news.microsoft.com>
Source record: 145943

Okay, this must be a FAQ. If so, please refer me to the right spot.

I want to listen to 800MHz trunked system using my new BC235XLT at work.

The trouble is, as soon as I step into my building, there's too much static on the active data channel and the scanner won't recognize it.

Well, this building is really modern and sealed up, so there's no way I can run a cable from outside to my office, but I do have a window in my office (and I'm on the ground floor).

The first thought that occurred to me was to get a glass mount antenna. Then I noticed that the glass appears to be double-paned (with an air gap in the middle).

Questions:

1. Will I be able to use a glass mount antenna through double paned glass?
2. If so, I could use a recommendation. ScammerWorld has a glass mount scanner antenna that has Mot connector (I'd need BNC adapter). They also have a cell (800MHz) glass mount, but it has a TNC connector (and they don't sell a TNC->BNC converter). Any ideas or recommendations?

-- Kevin

4047. Problem repairing AR-8000; I screwed up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colleen Cirullo <ccirullo@home.com>
Message-ID: <uNFF1.1882$_c3.8193438@news.rdc1.nj.home.com>
Source record: 145944

I was trying to repair my AR-8000 and I screwed up. I have a couple of questions that I hope someone can answer.
I was trying to tighten the BNC connector which had come loose. I took the thing apart and was able to tighten the nut that holds it on; no problem yet.
As I was taking it apart, I broke the two connections to the BNC connector. I was able to resolder the connection to the shield but the connection to the center lead of the BNC is sheared apparently beyond repair. Soldered right onto the center connector is a small white tubular element that I thought was a capacitor. It is a small white tubular thing that connects the BNC to the input stage of the scanner. The lead coming from this is broken right at the element itself and there is nothing to resolder this to.
What is this element? I assumed it was a capacitor or inductor, but my DMM gives me no value for inductance, capacitance or resistance from this. Can I replace this with a bare wire? And if I do, how will reception suffer? Can I replace this with anoth capacitor/inductor/resistor? With what values?

Thanks,

PC

4048. Re: Dumb Antenna Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6s79ic$13o@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145945

Kevin,

I currently use a glass mount cellular antenna (actually Radio Shack's scanner
antenna with a cellular whip) in my trunk and it works very well. However I suspect that if there is too much of a gap there may not be enough coupling between the antenna and the pickup on the other side of the glass. The good thing about using RS's antenna is that I can put the original whip back on for
listening to other bands.

For using the trunk-tracker around the house I made an 800Mhz ground plane that
fits on the scanner. You might try this or just getting a better antenna. I found
that the antenna that came with the scanner does not work very well for 800Mhz.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
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>sell a TNC->BNC converter). Any ideas or recommendations?
>
>-- Kevin

4049. Manual for AR-880 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daryl Hovey <dhovey@worldchat.com>
Message-ID: <35E75ACC.30E7@worldchat.com>
Source record: 145946

Would anyone out their have a manual for an
AR-880 hand held scanner for copying.
Please Email me at dhovey@worldchat.com
thanks.

4050. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6s7bco$956$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

"D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org>
>I worked at a PSAP that served over a million people and for five
>years was the ONLY licensed ham operator on staff. Again, how do you
>make sure that your PSAP has licensed ham operators on duty 24/7?

You can't! But they'd have to endure all sorts of "other" traffic just
to pick up one emergency.

>I've been involved in public safety communications for about 20 years,
>and was a member of APCO for a time. I do know what's going on out
>there, but relating stuff that happens in progressive locations like
>California to my own community is quite a stretch.

Ah, yes. I'm a chapter officer of APCO. Fine organization :o) Check
out the chapter web-page: http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/8767/

>Or we can mandate, through appropriate regulatory changes, that
>repeaters with 9-1-1 autopatches be available 24/7, carrier squelched,
>with no special access code beyond the numbers 9-1-1. This does not
>mean that we require all repeaters to have them, just that any club or
>individual who wants to put up a 9-1-1 connection make it available to
>all.

That could be a solution, too.

>Now YOU may be the one who is surprised to know what is available out
>there. The autopatches with which I am familiar (RC-850) allow
>programming of variable timeouts for different types of phone patches.
>This technology was implemented in my area at least 10 years ago.

No, not really surpirsed. My repeater has an RC-96 on it and has
several patch configurations. Another controller I have will autodial
a preset number if it gets 5 clicks of PTT.

>I understand EMD, but don't think it really applies to the typical
>passing motorist situation. You'd be crazy to give prearrival
>instructions to someone at the scene of an MVA (or a shooting) who may
>not have the equipment or capabilities to deal with the larger
>situation safely. And EMD can be done through a ham autopatch if
>appropriate.

A passing motorist wouldn't be offered PAIs because he/ she is no
longer on the scene. If the scene is safe, why not? (Of course, the
determination would have to be made about scene safety)
.
>We had that years ago here in Monroe County, when there was a box on

>the console at Radio Center and when several of their personnel were
>hams. Then the City and County merged their dispatch operations, and
>the box went away. The radio club upgraded to an emergency autopatch
>on the repeater.

>I would be interested in the proposal. I'm sure it can be explained
>better in that format. I know how difficult it is to formulate and
>explain complex ideas and fully develop an argument in a newsgroup,
>and on that basis apologize if my response to your suggestion is
>overly critical.

I've been on these newsgroups only for a short time, but the first thing I've learned is not to get too upset about criticism. If we can come up with some concensus, we may have some workable solutions.

We've been cross-posting from "firefighters", "law enforcement" and "scanners." I am subscribed to the "firefighters" group and I'm sure we're boring the heck out of a lot of the group with this topic. I'll have to subscribe to amateur radio and just continue it there.

>73 de Dave, NF2G

4051. Re: Lots of Trunk tracking questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <abuse@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <6s7bns$b4q$1@newshost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 145948

Michael wrote in message <35E6F8F5.A86E6A2D@geocities.com>...
>1. Each transmission is preceeded by beeps with different tones (similar
>to that of an old voice paging system,but faster). As the person talks,
>a high pitched ring is heard and remains until the user lets go of the
>PTT.
> Is this an EF Johnson system? I didn't hear a data signal (I got all
>the freq's from the new Beta FCC database search)

that is a General Electric MARC V system. there is no control channel.
all the logic functions are in the radios and they scan for available
channels and select an empty voice channel by themselves. the high pitch
tone is a connect tone (like SAT tone on cellular systems or PL tone)

>2. Each transmission is preceeded with a low tinny sounding "buzz", and
>when the party has released the PTT, 4 high pitched rings beep out. If I
>were to compare those rings to morse code, it would be T E E T.
> Would this be a GE system? (Data signal was present.. sounds like a
>generator through a tin can)

that is a Ericsson/GE EDACS system.

>3. Each transmission is preceeded with a 'honk-beep' (beep is very fast
>high pitched), and sometimes the radios make three quick beeps just
>after the honk-beep. Data signal sounds like a loud generator, with
>noticeable change when someone presses the PTT.
> I suspect this is a Motorola system, right?

right. the three (or more) beeps are actually picked up from the radio's
speaker. When you press the PTT button the radio beeps until the the
system switches it over to a voice channel.

--
Tom

Email address is faked to kill spam
real address is: tomc (AT) cyberramp (DOT) net

4052. Re: mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark, MT" <fumes@mcn.net>
Message-ID: <35E73233.E2D542EF@mcn.net>
Source record: 145949

> I looked at both of those, but decided against them because I would have to
> remove them before driving into the garage. So I went another direction
> completely.

I picked up a "splitter" from C Crane that uses the vehicle's antenna for both AM/FM and Scanner. Now it cuts down on the FM fringe signals, but the Scanner Performance is OK. The added advantage is being able to drive down the highway without anyone even suspecting that I have a scanner in the vehicle. I can hide my RS mobile scanner in the center console if I have to for security or other purposes.

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"My life is an endless purgatory, interrupted by profound moments of misery."
-- Richard Karinsky, Caroline in the City

4053. Re: Phx PD ch 1?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: in2fyr@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082822514700.SAA05879@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145950

Often times Phx PD will Pull the patch link to the UHF freq if they are working
a major incident. That may be the problem in this case.
I happen to live in a dead area for Chase1 UHF so i can only ever hear them on
the vhf side.

Sometimes it takes a day or so for them to remember to reestablish the patch

hope this helps!

Mike
INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA

4054. Re: OPP Airborne freqs? (Ontario, Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mckie@cs.dal.ca
Message-ID: <6s7d9obek1@News.Dal.Ca>
Source record: 145951
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

serial (no@e.mail) wrote:
: as an aside....the ministry of health lifeflight chopper freqs would be appreciated as well

In eastern Ontario, the MoH helicopters use the provincial common frequency 150.1000. The ministry's dispatch centres are supposedly using 129.2750 and 132.5500 (I think), but I suspect they are mostly for fixed-wing operations, which are not common in eastern Ontario so I couldn't say for sure. In this area helicopters are not frequently used for emergency calls, and as such simply use local tower frequencies to navigate on patient transfer flights.

-Alasdair

4055. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35E73686.56CE@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145952
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Dennis McGrath wrote:

> O.K., this can be argued for eternity. Question is how can you legally
> test to see if the mod works and is receivable by others? You can't do it
> unless there is a life threatening situation and you are unable contact
> anyone on any other freq.

A dummy load and a watt meter? Better yet - a service monitor will simulate the real world quite well for testing power, modulation, etc.

I have two radios set up for "out of band" tx. A modified handheld makes a great piece of test equipment. Beats the heck out of lugging a service monitor around if all I need is a signal source for quick checks.

I think that if I was ever in a situation where I needed urgent assistance and I was not able to reach another amateur station, I would NOT try to find a public safety channel to make a call. While it may only work in coastal regions, my first alternate to amateur freqs would be 156.800 - an internatonal distress frequency for any mobile station. The people monitoring that frequency expect to here from "the public".

I carry my handheld with me on my boat. I don't sped much time "hamming" on the water so it often stays in storage, with my cellphone. But if my "real" marine VHF radio quit, I like knowing I have a backup if I really need help. The kinds of things that might make my regular marine VHF quit are the kind of things that might require a distress call. I don't use it for routine marine communications, I wouldn't hesitate for a second using it to send, or even relay, urgent or distress calls.

I'll also mention my experiences with emergencies... The only times (twice) I have ever been in a places where radio service was scarce and I had to call for help, amateur radio was only thing that DID work... and it was 440MHz that came through both times.

--
Curtis
"Fast Forward"

4056. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35E73F03.5DB252EF@datasync.com>
Source record: 145953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Hi there
this is the "MOST CORRECT ANSWER"
don
kb5fhx

Ted van Beek wrote:
>
> Actually Hell is wrong.
>
> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem necessary.
>
> Now having said that,
> if you do something like this, you better have a darn good reason
> to explain your actions (and you WILL have to), including proving a lack of
> other available means of communication.
>
> As a secondary consideration, many states prohibit mobile
> instalations of equipment capable of receiving police/ps
> frequencies, let alone transmitting on them. I'm not sure of the
> legality of these laws, but I would play it safe.
>
> 73, Ted
>
> Hells Angle wrote in message <6rv4ao$kcb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
> >You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not
> >allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble.
> It
> >is not illegal to listen but it is to transmit on the freq... that is not
> >registered to you. Sorry but that is life
> >
> >Torres wrote in message <35e310d0.1793498@news.earthlink.net>...
> >>Hi,
> >>
> >>Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
> >>Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
> >>According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
> >>their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
> >>radio.
> >>
> >>What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
> >>

> >>
> >>thanks
> >>
> >>Do not reply e-mail. I have an "ani-spam" address
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4057. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35E74029.5F9A86A3@datasync.com>
Source record: 145954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I have done this
underwent a police, state ag, and fcc investigation
there was no cell phone or OTHER phone avail
NO cb avail and was not inrange of a LOCAL REPEATER
and no one else on the hiway when i came upon a wreck
and it was on fire, after i got the people out
i used my ham ht and tuned in to local HIWAY patrol
freq (150 something) and called they answered and told me to clear
the freq until i told them they prob
they then dispathed a unit and a fire unit and a ambulance
took about 3 weeks for all investigations
and they concluded (all agencies) that i did the right thing
DON
kb5fhx

Ralph Mowery wrote:
>
> > Ref:
> > 97.403
> >
> > This section has been in force since 1934.
> > You should have known about this provision.
> > 73, Ted
> >
> > Ralph Mowery wrote in message <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>...
> > >> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
> > >> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
> > >> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem
> > necessary.
> > >
> > >Can you point to the rules that state this ??
> > >
> > >If you are referring to PART 97, this has been restated by the FCC to only
> > >apply to hams and the transmission has to be in the ham bands. It is not a
> > >blanket statement ment for anyone and on any frequency other than the ham
> > bands
> > >and for hams.
> > >
>
> I know about the part in PART 97. As I stated this has been redefined by the
> FCC to pertain ONLY to the ham bands. I was asking about a Blanket ruling that
> pertains to other frequencies. I don't think there will be one to be found.
> The FCC seems to have tried to make it clear that people are NOT to use just any

> radio to transmitt even under emergency conditions.

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4058. Need advise on antenna installation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35E74215.4594@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145955

Just installed an Archer (Radio Shake) cat. no. 20-014 antennia on 40" mast. I am using a BC200XTL w/50' RG-58 coax cable. I worked my butt off and frankly I don't see a difference in the reception except that I am getting a lot more static.

Is this type of antennia directional? Is there a smart way to adjust or rotate for best performance? Will grounding help cut static? I thought an antenna was going to be a real plus but now I have my doughts.

Thank you Bob mebe@ix.netcom.com

4059. Need advise on antenna installation & performance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35E74788.4082@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145956

Just installed an Archer (Radio Shake) cat. no. 20-014 antenna on a 30'mast. I am using BC200XTL w/ 50' RG-58 coax cable. I worked my butt off and frankly I don't see a difference in the receiption except that I am getting a lot more static.

Is this type of antenna directional? Is there a smart way to rotate or adjust for best performance? Will grounding help cut static? How do I test for any improved performance? There most be a good reason to have a larger antenna but damn if right now I know what it is!
Thank you
Bob

4060. R10 Decertifed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <you@cant.find.me>
Message-ID: <6s7hej$16fg$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 145957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10 has been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious since I have one.

4061. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E74EF8.2ABC@swbell.net>
Source record: 145958

Keith wrote:
>
> A radar jammer may work on standard radar, but not the new laser
> radars. In order for the radar detector/jammer to work they need a
> steady signal. Most radar officers are trained to use the radar only
> when they have spotted a speeder. They have to make a speed estimation
> and then they turn the radar on. By the time the radar detector picks
> up the signal you have been clocked.
> As for the new laser radars, they are almost impossible to detect. The
> beam is so fine and it has to be aimed directly at the detector for it
> to work. Again the officers are being trained to aim it at lower
> portions of the car, such as the license plate.
> Your best bet is to learn the common hot spots for speed patrols. Also
> watch the side of the road when you are driving, you may be able to
> see the police car before he sees you.
> Hope this helped.

Yes and no. Most laser detectors have a very limited range and
require the goofy cop to act like a robot as he aims the device
somewhere along the body of your car. They are so dumb looking using
those radar "bread boxes" and "parascopes".
And most police depts cannot catch enough speeders to pay their bills
with these devices so the stick with the tried and true x and K band
microwave devices that give cops cancer!

4062. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E7510E.46E8@swbell.net>
Source record: 145959

service@gfreport.com wrote:
>
> In article <LcoF1.642$p4.1646365@news.sgi.net>, tex@usaor.net says...
> >
> >Forgive me if this is off-topic-
> >
> >Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
> >And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the
> Phazer.
> >
> >Thanks.
> >
> >
> I saw a demo once of a "jammer" that consisted of a surplus "real"
> police radar rf unit. A guy feed white noise into the the voltage
> refference (used a uA723) and tried to stop a cooperative police mans
> radar from working. It just did not work. He then tried using
> different tones (the shift is 3.4Hz/mph{i think} [for x-band/10.525]).
> The goal was to lock the police unit to the louder tone from the x band
> af modulated source. No effect. However when the police turned up
> the audio (some, maybe all radars allow the office to listen to the
> return audio) the white noise and tones simply screamed. There was no
> way for the officer NOT to tell which vehicle was the source.
> No I do not know how much power real radars run, but I suspect that
> the run much more than the "phazer".
> Car and driver ran an article on how to jam a LIDAR. Pretty much the
> same story. All they could do was to reduce the distance at wich they
> were clocked. There best methode invlolved WWII "snipescope" IR filters
> over driving lights. Hardly worth the effort.
> Of course there was that "stealth bra" from some dude out Colorado way
> that "absorbed" radar. Made the news about 6 years ago, but I never
> saw a review of how weel (if at all) it worked. [a "bra" for a sports
> car is a plastic/cloth form fitting gismo that goes over the front of
> the car [with cut outs for headlight/trunsignals text] to protect
> the car from road debris [stones] damage]

Oh, but there are ways! I have several articles on how to jam police
radar, and its not that hard to do since their units are very low
powered (but they still give cops testicular cancer!).
And, if your car is very sleek, the license plate may be the only thing
he will get a hit off of. Think in terms of stealth planes and how they
either absorb radar, or they deflect it back at angles which will not
allow the radar to return to the sender.
First thing you must do is (on a sleek car) put some washers behind the

top screws on your front license plate so that the angle of the plate is no longer flat and pointed straight ahead. The washers will point the plate more towards the ground. Use only a 2 to 4 on each of the two top screws and space the plate out from the car.
Next, look for surfaces on the body of the car that are flat and pointed forward. Those will reflect radar greatly. Do what you can to change those surfaces so that their angles are pointed down or up rather than to the side or forward. Get a great detector and when on the road, always always use at least a hand held cb.

4063. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35E7411B.A23@mc.net>
Source record: 145960
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Brett - N7OLQ wrote:
>
> I had never heard of National when I ran across their deal on the BC895
> ($212 delivered). I picked up the phone, confirmed they had the item in
> stock, and placed the order. It went very smoothly. I will buy from them
> again.
>

Same exact price from from CEI so I wonder whats, what as far as a
deal. with shipping the CEI is 212.95...six of one..half a dozen of the
other...

4064. Re: What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35E75C28.4263285E@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145961

Jack wrote:

> >3) Anything else I should know before I build this device?
>
> You might want to check out the 2level device diagram I have on my
> website, it works very well for what you want and uses a few less
> parts...it's also a bit easier to look at a .gif then ascii
> art..anyway poc32 is the only prog that works under win95
> pocflex and pd-204 are dos only programs.
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org

Thanks Jack. I've been to your website and was hoping you'd see this post.
Thanks for the link. I'm there now.

4065. Re: Opto's Micro-Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd2ff$908d1360$5cdd0ad0@default>
Source record: 145962

Sure Bill, be glad to help,

First, I went to Radio Shack & picked up a 3/32 plug. I then soldered a wire to the center lug & did the math. 234/freq. in Mhz X 12 = length of wire in inches. eg...234/155.000=1.509X12=18.1 inches.

Don`t worry `bout getting too picky on length. Somewhere around 15" to 20" will pick up a TON of different frequency bands. The wire fits great under a belt.

Just one thing, if you get into a frequency "jungle", start snipping the wire shorter to pick up just the close-range freq`s.

Good Luck,
Charlie
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com> wrote in article
<6s6lvg$s0i@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
> Charlie,
> I just ordered the mini counter to take on vacation with me. I was
> disappointed to see the post that it bites but was encouraged about your
> post about the homemade antenna.
>
> Can you please describe your antenna and how you made it? I'd appreciate
it!

4066. Re: mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6s7n6r$q4g$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145963

This is just what I was going to say, If you just want the local
Police/fire/emerg stuff, the glass mount, would be fine (looks nicer too).
I tried them both and the mag did pull in many more week signals than the
glass mount. I put a splitter on my new Lumina, shares the car radios
antenna. Seems to work just as well as the mag mount in the 150 mhz range.

Kevin P

Jeff Kilgore wrote in message <35E6BA0A.9300D404@dev.tivoli.com>...
>I use a glass-mount antenna out of necessity (except for the hood and
>rear quarter panels, the car body is made of composite materials). It
>works pretty decent, but I would bet that a good mag-mount would
>outperform it in weak-signal areas.
>
>Jeff
>
>Andre Konstantinov wrote:
>>
>> I am thinking about buying a mobile antenna and am now trying to decide
>> between two Radio Shack antennas -- one is a glass-mound and the other
has a
>> magnet mount and two coils in the middle, both are $29.95.
>>
>> Two questions:
>>
>> 1. Are the glass-mount antennas any good, or should I go with the one
that
>> has 2 coils?
>>
>> 2. my car roof is vinyl, so I have to put the magnet antenna on the
trunk --
>> would that affect my reception dramatically?
>>
>> Thank you
>> Andre

4067. RF meter~!~?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spectator@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16881-35E75B39-7@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145964

Does any one know how to make and hook up a RF meter to a PRO-2042. I'd like to make this mod. and it could come in handy for me.
E-mail me @ Spectator@webtv.net

4068. BC210XL Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6s7qvd$1o8$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 145965
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are there any mods for this scanner?

Mike

4069. Re: What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd2fb$ecf75ba0$3cdd0ad0@default>
Source record: 145966

Allsafe,

Looks good to me. I guess someone just don`t get the "scanner thing".
Oh well, life goes on.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com> wrote in article
<35E7028E.FD3E1D17@INVALID.com>...
> why wrote:
> >
> > Why are you polluting the newsgroup with this crap? You think you're
> > funny, but you're not.
>
> Hmmmm? What's wrong with that post? I'm looking for answers for a
> scanner project I'm working on. Specifically, there's three questions
> at the end that I'd appreciate help with. Would you happen to have any
> input on those three questions? Here's the post again. I'm pretty sure
> this is the right place to post it. (This *is* a radio scanner
> newsgroup, isn't it?)

<snip>

4070. Re: R10 Decertifed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35E7825D.AC4@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 145967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jeff Miller wrote:
>
> Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10 has
> been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious since I have
> one.

Yes, that the PCR 1000 and a couple of other units. Too easy to modify
for cell.

Greg Renner

4071. Re: Need advise on antenna installation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenne19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <35E78615.47E4@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 145968

Bob Esacove wrote:
>
> Just installed an Archer (Radio Shake) cat. no. 20-014 antennia on 40"
> mast. I am using a BC200XTL w/50' RG-58 coax cable. I worked my butt off
> and frankly I don't see a difference in the reception except that I am
> getting a lot more static.
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> Is this type of antennia directional? Is there a smart way to adjust or
> rotate for best performance? Will grounding help cut static? I thought
> an antenna was going to be a real plus but now I have my doughts.
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The antenna design is essentially a J pole type and I have had good luck with that antenna in the past. I used to bring it on VHF/UHF DXpeditions and used it with my 2006. I found it to be a good performer on VHF Low and was worse the higher in frequency I went.

The antenna is not really directional but if convenient you may try moving it around especially if you are close to a power line.

Although I am not sure about the 200XLT sometimes handheld scanners do not perform as well with a outdoor antenna, in fact they can be overloaded.

Grounding may help although I have none of the antennas in my antenna farm grounded and have no trouble. I have tried grounding with little or no difference in performance.

I have found the most durable and best performing directional antenna to be the Grove Scanner Beam. If you want an omin directional antenna the try the discone style, RS has one. Although the discone style tend to be very fragile. The Scanner beam has made it through 8 Minnesota winters and several nasty thunder storms etc. and has survived well. A discone rarely makes it through a winter without damage.

Greg Renner

4072. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyber357 <cyber357@nwol.net>
Message-ID: <6s7uqvaup1@hornet.fibr.net>
Source record: 145969

Where are them coupons in the RS catalog?

The RS guy was giving me the load down on the local public safety communication system and the sheriff dept. communication system. I have inside info on those systems, so the RS guy did not know what he was talking about.

4073. DISCRIMINATOR TAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyber357 <cyber357@nwol.net>
Message-ID: <6s7v3oavt1@hornet.fibr.net>
Source record: 145970

I need info on discriminator tap for the PRO-2004.

Steve Baker

cyber357@nwol.net

4074. WTB:PRO-2030 OR PRO-2044

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2207-35E76FBE-1@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145971

Please email me if you have one.Thanks!

4075. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <UwLF1.188$o62.88151@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

The CHP picked up the old LA Sheriff 39mhz freqs for use in southern CA
only. The only place the are now used is in the Border Division.

Yes the CHP is now using radar statewide. Look out if flying low down the
highway ...

Mike

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Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
anyone wrote in message <35E67E84.88C72F86@anywhere.com>...
>John Porter wrote:
>>
>> The CHP mobile "extender" frequency is:
>>
>> 154.905 MHz
>>
>> When I'm on the road, I scan all the relevant CHP frequencies, but the
>> one that gets my attention is this one. It means a unit is nearby.
>>
>> 73 de JOHN, KC6NWJ
>>
>> clarkm@pacbell.net (Clark Martin) wrote:
>> >
>> >In article <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>, Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.
>> net>
>> >wrote:
>> >
>> >>does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?
>> >>
>> >>
>> >> thanks craig
>> >
>> >I picked this up from someone here on the list. What I don't have
>> handy
>> >is the list of mobile extenders. It's a radio relay that lets officers
>> >use a handheld in the 150MHz range to talk to the base through the cars
>> >radio.
>> >
>
>Where did the 39 MHz Freqs come from?
>

>Is the CHP now using RADAR?

4076. Re: Need advise on antenna installation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <zFLF1.191$o62.91634@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145973

The main problem with this set-up is the cable being used. 50ft of RG-58 has a large amount of loss. Try using a good quality RG-6. RG-6 is 75ohm versus RG-58 being 50ohm but that is negledgable. Use good quality cable (satellite cable works good) with "F" connectors and the correct adaptors. You will be amazed with the difference.

I just changed out 50ft of RG-8 with 50ft of RG-6 and I now hear things on 800 & 900mhz that I couldn't hear before. It works, give it a try.

Good luck ...

Mike

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michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
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>winters and several nasty thunder storms etc. and has survived well. A
>discone rarely makes it through a winter without damage.
>
>Greg Renner

4077. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len <len1276@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6s882m$o7e$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Language police alert. Just as the word "gay" today has a different meaning than when I was growing up, so to does the word "CW". Yes it is a "word" the way we use it today in ham jargon. If I was "happy" today I certainly wouldn't say I was "gay"!! Today saying "I work CW" or "I send CW" means I send or am sending Morse code. (Even though that might not have been correct 50 or a 100 years ago.) Everyone understands this so this is it's present meaning. I don't hear many guys on the bands saying "calling any ham....calling any ham...". That's because we all understand what the word "CQ" means and use it.

Robinson, AB5VH wrote
>There was no CW in the mid 1800's... not even science fiction yet. There was
>Morse Code landline telegraphy, but no radio and certainly no CW.

4078. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len <len1276@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6s89e5$q0t$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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4079. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: newsilver1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082806261600.CAA18233@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145976

On Fri,28 Aug 1998 02:02:19 GMT, "Jerry <tex@usaor.net>wrote:
>Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?

A couple of years ago a friend of mine brought me a "passive jammer" called a "Spirit". Seems it was supposed to transmit white noise in the radar spectrum to desense the police radar. He wanted me to reverse enginner it so "we"(me) could build some. The first thing I did was to try it out, he swore by it (works great he said). Well, as luck would have it my father is a deputy sheriff, and he was as curious as I to test this "great device". Well, to make a short story long, It didn't work. My Dads handheld Falcon K-band radar locked on to me instantly at various distantences and speeds. Haven't tried the Phazer, but if someone brings one I will. Hope that helps.

Will

4080. FS:AOR 8000, PRO 2006 W/OS456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dolphinride@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6s5e0s$7cp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145977

AR8000 comes with carrying case(not leather) only. $550

2006 w/OS456 is my pride and joy works fine. No box, just the radio and board. $500.

Take both for $900.

I love my radios, this a GREAT combo for computer-controlled scanning.

They gotta go.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4081. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: newsilver1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082806504800.CAA06258@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145978
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

The definition of "installed" seems to be left to the interpretation of the
judge. Some judges consider a handhled plugged into the cig. lighter installed.
Remember though, a police officer can cite you for having scanner, if it makes
it to court is another thing all together. You will still have to fight to get
your scanner back. Normally enforcment of this law is for idiots that show up
tocrime scenes and cause problems, or use the scanner to evade police in the
commision of a crime.>HTML>
Subject: Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a
scanner in a car*****
>From: Jay Stoll
>Date: Wed, Aug 26, 1998 10:54 EDT
>Message-id: <35E42199.FEE52F36@mindspring.com>
>
>I saw this and immediately went and read the "Florida Scanner Law" as posted
>at
>http://www.swl.net/cflg/flscnlaw.txt because I had never seen this particular
>interpretation of the law. I'm wondering whether the definition of installed
>is
>from the writer or from the state. In the case of FAA documents whenever a
>term
>like this is used and is not clarified in the immediately preceding or
>following
>text, it is defined at some other point in the document. Does Florida have
>their
>own definition of "installed" or do they leave that to the discretion of the
>officers/judges?
>
>
>> In Florida it is legal to use a scanner in a car as long as it is not
>> "installed," the definition being connected to both an external antenna and
>the
>> vehicle's electrical system. Running a portable with a rubber ducky off the
>> cigar lighter is just fine.
>>
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>
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>

4082. DIE THREAD DIE [was: EMERGENCY Transmission]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6s5m56$1044$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Rather than have to add "EMERGENCY" to my kill file, I beg you to please let this thread die. If you so desire, you can continue your "paper-sword" battle via e-mail.

4083. Motorola radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Johnston <eldeano@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35E66623.67D2EB32@geocities.com>
Source record: 145980
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Can DJY send me his message on Motorola radios directly?

Does anyone in VIC have a Motorola AP50 for CFA scanning? Do you think
they are good?

--

Dean Johnston

eldeano@geocities.com
Dean_J@start.com.au
johnsde@hotmail.com

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4084. re: Uniden XLT 120- Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Johnston <eldeano@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35E66692.9228F810@geocities.com>
Source record: 145981
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I want to get a Uniden 120XLT and I wonder if they are a good scanner to get. I am new to scanning, and currently have a Motorola AP50.

Can someone give me some advice of what to look for in a scanner?
--

Dean Johnston

eldeano@geocities.com
Dean_J@start.com.au
johnsde@hotmail.com

post:

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4085. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082809164701.FAA11281@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145982

>>> In Florida it is legal to use a scanner in a car as long as it is not
>>> "installed," the definition being connected to both an external antenna
>and
>>the
>>> vehicle's electrical system.

This definition of "installed" was issued by the Florida Attorney General's Office after the Florida Press Association asked for clarification. At the time, the media was not exempt from the statute. That was corrected with an amendment the following year.

JW

4086. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: anyone <anyone@anywhere.com>
Message-ID: <35E67E84.88C72F86@anywhere.com>
Source record: 145983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

John Porter wrote:
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> When I'm on the road, I scan all the relevant CHP frequencies, but the
> one that gets my attention is this one. It means a unit is nearby.
>
> 73 de JOHN, KC6NWJ
>
> clarkm@pacbell.net (Clark Martin) wrote:
> >
> >In article <35DBBEAA.C4B@telcomplus.net>, Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.
> net>
> >wrote:
> >
> >>does any one have freq info on califorina highway patrol?
> >>
> >>
> >> thanks craig
> >
> >I picked this up from someone here on the list. What I don't have
> handy
> >is the list of mobile extenders. It's a radio relay that lets officers
> >use a handheld in the 150MHz range to talk to the base through the cars
> >radio.
> >

Where did the 39 MHz Freqs come from?

Is the CHP now using RADAR?

frequency callsign company name rs city st.
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154.9200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.1000 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
154.9050 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
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42.1800 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
42.1600 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
42.1200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
42.0800 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
42.0200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.4600 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.1400 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.9200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.8800 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.8000 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.7200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.6800 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.6000 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.4400 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.4200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.4000 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.2600 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.2200 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.2000 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
39.3600 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA
42.7800 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA

39.3400 KA4993 CALIFORNIA, STATE OF PP CA

4087. WHERE SIR VALANCE ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: telecommunication <telecom@deal-makerXXX.com>
Message-ID: <35E64BDD.513E@deal-makerXXX.com>
Source record: 145984

Hello,

Where is the PROJECTS PAGE ON GEOCITIES from SIR VALANCE ?????
Its was gone today !

Please let me know where it is.

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NOSPAM PLEASE REMOVE XXX TO SEND REMAIL NOSPAM

Windows 95: A 32-bit graphical shell for a 16-bit patch to an 8-bit
operating system originally encoded for a 4-bit microprocessor
by a 2-bit company who can't stand 1 bit of competition.

4088. SIR VALANCE ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: telecommunication <telecom@deal-makerXXX.com>
Message-ID: <35E64C8E.6550@deal-makerXXX.com>
Source record: 145985

Your page on GEOCITIES is gone.
Where it is now ?
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NOSPAM PLEASE REMOVE XXX TO SEND REMAIL NOSPAM

Windows 95: A 32-bit graphical shell for a 16-bit patch to an 8-bit
operating system originally encoded for a 4-bit microprocessor
by a 2-bit company who can't stand 1 bit of competition.

4089. SSB PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB8SOJ <no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <6s62qbdgt1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 145986

Has anyone tried using Ten-Tecs T-Kit Universal 455 KHz BFO on the 2006 for SSB reception? If so please post and let me know how it worked. It seems like it would and would be much simpler than using a SSB Short Wave receiver inline with the scanner. Just a thought. Please reply here. Thanks ahead of time. Dennis KB8SOJ.

4090. Re: POCFLEX / MFJ-1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <ibxF1.901$ZO4.2494923@news4.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145987
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <01bdd234$57728fe0$0700000a@586magic>, "Reuben M" <magic@dorsai.org> wrote:
>Has anyone had any luck getting POCFLEX to work with the MFJ-1213
>interface?
>Thanks.
>
>magic@dorsai.org
Yes Definately but a 4 level fsk is best for flex

Jason

README for Microsoft Outlook(TM) Express
November 1997

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to supplement the documentation.

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Outlook Express Mail is an Internet standards based e-mail and news
reader.

To read e-mail with Outlook Express, you must be using a mail system that uses SMTP and POP3 or IMAP protocols. At this time, you cannot use Microsoft Outlook Express to access your e-mail account with any of the following services: MS Mail, cc:Mail, CompuServe, America Online (AOL), or Microsoft Exchange Server prior to version 5. If you don't know whether your system uses these services, contact your administrator or your Internet service provider and ask if they support SMTP/POP3 or IMAP mail clients.

You can also use Microsoft Outlook Express News to read bulletin-board discussion groups, such as the Usenet, using NNTP-based news servers. Contact your Internet service provider or network administrator for the name of the news server that you should use. Outlook Express News can also be used to receive support for a variety of Microsoft products on the news server msnews.microsoft.com.

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- When receiving a message using a GeoCities mail account, you might be unable to view any of the original message, or you may see only the following information: Postage Paid by... [graphic].

- You will not be able to see embedded objects or images sent from people using Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Exchange, or Windows Messaging. File attachments work fine, however.

- If you use HTML in your signature, and you send the message before any included images have finished drawing, the text you add to the message may be lost.

- Some mail clients send Cyrillic messages with tags indicating that they are in a western European character set. As a result, Outlook Express uses a western-European font to display the message, which then appears garbled. To work around this problem, click the View menu, click Language, and then choose a Russian character set, such as K0I8. The message should display properly using the Russian font.

- Inbox rules are not available for IMAP accounts.

- If you are using Outlook Express with a SUN Solstice, Netscape, or Innosoft IMAP server, it may cause your server to stop responding. Please contact the 3rd party provider for an update to the IMAP server software to correct this problem.

- Outlook Express S/MIME does not verify the status of digital IDs before sending encrypted or signed messages. This means that a digital ID that is revoked, expired, not trusted or that has an incorrect e-mail address will be used without providing any warning.

- To send signed messages and receive encrypted messages, you must have a digital ID. Currently, the only way to get a digital ID for use with Outlook Express is to use Internet Explorer 4.0 and go to the Verisign Web site, http://digitalid.verisign.com.

- While sending and retrieving messages, closing Outlook Express and restarting it will cause Outlook Express to crash.

- In Outlook Express News, if the option "Get 300 headers at a time" is turned on, the following commands: Get New Headers, Get New Messages, Get All Messages, and Get Marked Messages will retrieve only 300 (or the number that you specify) headers at a time. To prevent this, you should turn off this option.

- To cancel a news message, you must be using the same message encoding options as was used for the original message.

- If no folders are displayed for your IMAP server or if you want to refresh the list of IMAP folders you need to download the folder list from the server. To do this, select the IMAP server. If you connect to the server by using a modem, click the Tools menu, and then select Offline > Dial. If you connect to the IMAP server by using a LAN, you can skip this step. After you have connected to the server, click the File menu, click Folders, and then click Refresh Folder List.

- If you need to change any of the following settings for your IMAP account:

. IMAP server name or port number
. Account type (POP3 or IMAP)
. Any logon information

it is recommended that you delete the IMAP account and create a new account with the updated settings.

- Outlook Express is designed to work only with IMAP4 compliant servers. IMAP2bis servers are not supported in this release.

- If you rename a news server account name and then attempt to perform some action on it, for example copying messages from the server, you may receive an error message. To work around this problem, close OE and restart after the renaming of a server.

- If encrypting a message when there is not a certificate for one of the recipients, an error will display stating that there is not a certificate for that recipient as well as the sender.

- Certificates are now handled on a per account basis. You must reselect which certificate to use for each account from the Accounts menu. Select the account you want to configure for security features and check the box to use a certificate when sending secure messages. You must also click the Certificate button to select which to use.

- If you used Internet News for reading newsgroups, any messages in your "Posted Items" folder will be moved into the "Sent Items folder when you upgrade to Outlook Express.

- Outlook Express only shows subscribed IMAP folders in the folder list. It no longer shows all your folders (subscribed and unsubscribed). If you want to see all your folders in the folder list, you should subscribe to all your folders. Click on the "File" menu, then click "Folder >" and select "Subscribe All Folders" menu. If there are folders that you don't want to displayed in the folder list, you can unsubscribe the folder. Click on the File menu, click on Folder >, and select "Unsubscribe Folder".

- If you send a Rich Text (HTML) message which contains embedded pictures and the option to "Send pictures with message" is turned off, any pictures from a local computer or LAN will not be viewed when receiving and reading the message using Netscape's Messenger.

Note to French users

In order to comply with the French laws on the use of encryption material, S/MIME support in Outlook Express has been disabled when used in France. However, SSL 2.0 and SSL 3.0 support is authorized, and hence left enabled.

TROUBLESHOOTING
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- If you run into a problem, try the troubleshooter in online Help or on the Microsoft Web site at http://www.microsoft.com/support/tshooters.htm. To start the online Help troubleshooters, carry out the following steps:

1. In Outlook Express, click the Help menu, and then click Help Topics.
2. Double-click the "Troubleshooting" topic on the Contents tab.

- Check your connection to your Internet service provider.

- If you are unable to send or receive mail, check the following:

- The TCP/IP protocol is installed on your computer.
- All cables are properly connected to your computer, modem, or LAN.
- You have a PPP or SLIP account with your Internet service provider.
- Your Internet service provider or LAN server supports POP3 or IMAP and SMTP.
- Your modem communication parameters (baud rate and type of protocol) are set correctly.

- Make sure that you use an account name and password for a news server only if it requires them. If you use an account name and password and they are not required, you will not be able to connect to the news server.

- To access the Microsoft peer product support newsgroups, carry out the following steps:

1. Click the Tools menu, and then click Accounts.
2. Click Add, and then click News on the drop-down menu.
3. Follow the directions on your screen.
4. When you are prompted for a server name, type
msnews.microsoft.com

If that name isn't found by your Internet service provider, you
can type 131.107.3.27 instead.

You do not need to log on to this news server.

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- You can change the sound that notifies you that you have received
new mail. To do this, double-click the Sounds icon in Control
Panel, and select New Mail Notification from the events list.

- Use the Check Names command, available on the Tools menu or on
the New Message toolbar, to look up a person's e-mail address
when sending mail. The name will be underlined when the
associated address is found.

- You can move the toolbar to a different edge of your screen by
right-clicking it and then choosing Left, Right, Bottom, or Top
from the Align menu.

- To send a mail message in Plain Text only (no HTML formatting),
click the Format menu, and then click on Plain Text. To make Plain
Text the default setting for new messages, replies, and forwarded
messages, click the Tools menu, click Options, click the Send
tab, and then select Plain Text under Mail sending format.
(News messages are sent in Plain Text by default, but similarly,
this setting can be changed under News sending format.)

- To customize the toolbar, right-click it, and use the menu commands
to perform the desired actions.

- You can resize the preview pane or the message list by dragging the
divider between the preview pane and the message list.

- You can change how the preview pane splits, or turn it off entirely,
by clicking the View menu, clicking Layout and changing the options
in the dialog box.

- You can specify that you want to see only unread news messages. To
do this, click a newsgroup, click the View menu, click Current
View, and then click Unread Messages.

- You can set messages to automatically download to the preview pane
by clicking the Tools menu, clicking Options, clicking the Read
tab, then selecting the Automatically Show Messages in the Preview
Pane check box.

- To view the e-mail address of someone who has sent you a message, double-click the message to open it, then double-click the author's name in the From field. You can also add this person to your Address Book by right-clicking the name, and then clicking Add To Address Book.

- To view responses to a particular message in a newsgroup, click the plus sign (+) next to the message. The responses appear indented below it.

- In mail, you can leave a copy of your messages on the server. To set this option, click the Tools menu, and then click Accounts. Select the mail account you want to modify, and then click Properties. Click the Advanced tab, and then select the Leave A Copy Of Messages On Server check box.

- You can search for newsgroups that contain specific words in their names. To do this:

1. Click the Tools menu, and then click Newsgroups.
2. In the Search box, enter the words separated by a space.

You can also search newsgroup descriptions. If you cannot see the descriptions, click the Tools menu, and then click Accounts. Select the news account you want to modify, click Properties, and then click the Advanced tab. Next, select the Use Newsgroup Descriptions check box.&#65533; Click the Tools menu, and then click Newsgroups.&#65533; In the Newsgroups window, click "Reset List."

- You can have your signature added to all messages, including those that you reply to or forward. To do this, click the Tools menu, and then click Stationery. On the Mail or News tab, select the following check box: Add Signature To The End Of All Outgoing messages.

- It is possible to use HTML files as signatures as well as plain text files.

- To reorder columns, you can drag and drop column headings. Columns can be resized by dragging the right edge of the column header.

- You can view all the headers for a news message. To do this, double-click the message to open it in a separate window, click the View menu, and then click Full Headers.

- If you are running Outlook Express on Windows NT and you need to add support for a different language, double-click the Keyboard icon in Control Panel, and then click Add. Follow the instructions on your screen. This installs the appropriate NLS (National Language Support) files. You do not have to use the associated keyboard layout.

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For the latest information about Outlook Express as well as a list of Frequently Asked Questions, see our Web page at http://www.microsoft.com/ie/ie40/collab/imn. You may find that your questions can be answered here.

A newsgroup is dedicated to the discussion of Microsoft Outlook Express and provides peer support:

- news://msnews.microsoft.com/microsoft.public.inetexplorer.ie4.OutlookExpress

To read it, follow the procedure outlined in the Troubleshooting section above.

This site is the best place to go if you are experiencing a problem, as someone else who experienced the same problem might already have posted the solution.

4091. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <4bxF1.362$lq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35DD77F6.A3B4CAA8@att.net>, jtonsa@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>I cannot cite exactly where this rule is, but ham transceivers are easily
>modified to transmit out-of-band, and the books I used to study say that it
>is allowed to transmit anywhere (on any band) if it is an immediate
>emergency.

It is against the LAW to modify any amateur transceiver to operate out of band unless you are a MARS or CAP member. Otherwise the radio is not FCC type accepted or approved to operate on the public service frequencies. You can only use the radio for amateur and MARS or CAP if licensed.

Also in a number of other posts you have agreed that operating out of band is against the LAW and you can be punished for that. Even in an emergency. Why now change your mind. That talk to the FCC engineer didn't get through you 15 year skull?

>
>I'll let someone else do the citing, but yes, I really did read this in
>those books.
>
>ScannerMan wrote:
>
>> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>> solicit your opinions.
>>
>> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>>
>> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>>
>> Dave McGuire
>>
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>

4092. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <voxF1.366$lq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6s4gtr$50d$2@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dennis McGrath"
<dennismcgrath@sprintmail.com> wrote:
> O.K., this can be argued for eternity. Question is how can you legally
>test to see if the mod works and is receivable by others? You can't do it
>unless there is a life threatening situation and you are unable contact
>anyone on any other freq.

You would be breaking the LAW if you did so. There is no LAW that says you
can transmit on a Police frequency during an emergency. Please stop spreading
this lie.
>
>Dennis
>KF6NBF
>
>
>
>

4093. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <mcxF1.363$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145990

In article <19980822175608O0.NAA25635@ladder03.news.aol.com>, jsprine@aol.com (JSPRINE) wrote:
>>(3) Cops are extremely protective of their radio traffic. They're not
>>fond of you listening (though they know they can't do a damned thing
>>about it)
>
Monitoring is not a problem. It is when people think they can actually
transmit on the police radios in emergencies that are the problem.

>*Most* of the cops I know and work with assume that our conversations are
>monitored, by the news media, our own family members, bored housewives, people
>confined to nursing homes, internal affairs agents, other departments' cops,
>etc., and we couldn't care less.
>
>We might bring a smile every now and then, and occasionally someone monitoring
>us gives us a hand when we need it.
>
>A free society is far better than a secret police state.
>
>
>James S. Prine
>http://www.prinebooks.com
>
>

4094. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <6gxF1.364$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

In article <35E60FBD.1F18@companet.net>, Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net> wrote:
>After I wrote:
>
>> >OTOH, a poll of equipment used by MANY MANY public safety volunteer
>> >organizations (fire departments, rescue squads, etc.) would reveal a
>> >large amount of ham equipment modified for use on public safety
>> >channels.
>
>Just Cause wrote:
>
>> At this point I was agreeing with you but the above statement is totally
> wrong
>> and there is a law against using ham radio equipment on the public safety
>> frequencies. If the equipment is not type accepted or approved by the FCC
>> then it is illegal to use it on those frequencies.
>
>
>Actually, my statement is TOTALLY TRUE. I think what you mean is that
>the usage described is improper, and technically, I agree. It is NOT
>legal to use equipment on the PS frequencies that is not FCC approved or
>accepted for that use. The legal issues notwithstanding, modified ham
>equipment IS in very common use within MANY volunteer public service
>agencies. I was describing fact, not law.
>
It is still against the law to use those modified radios on public service frequencies if they are not type accepted or approved. Why can't you get a commercial radio for those purposes. I have been able to get a Motorola 800 trunk radio for $175 so I can use it on our system. They are not expensive and would make you legal. Also the ones that are using these modified "HAM" radios are authorized to be on those frequencies and what we have been talking about with this thread is someone not authorized to do so....

>Regards,
> Mike-M

4095. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <0IxF1.365$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <slrn6ucdk2.8c6.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>,
mulveyr@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com wrote:
>On 26 Aug 1998 13:13:39 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>>Hams have used radios since the late 1800's . . . ! (Yes, it was CW, but
>>that is still a full-blown radio.)
>>
>
> Ah, no. CW was NOT in general use until the late teens and twenties,
>with the advent of tubes and alternator-based transmitters. Prior
>to that, spark, using damped waves, was the mode used by just about
>everybody.
>
Hey Rich, if they didn't use CW what did they use to communicate. I'm sure it
wasn't voice! CW= ON_OFF_KEYING which was used with the spark transmitter.

>- Rich
>

4096. Re: Buy and sell Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6s6a18$92t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145993

In article <35E61F8A.59DA@prodigy.net>,
HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net wrote:
> billy wrote:
> >
> > Hello to the scanner group:
> >
> > I have found the greatest place to sell your older scanner and at the
> > same time pick up other great scanner and scanner products.. E-mail me
> > and I will give you the info..
> >
> > All the best
> > Bill
> Why don't you just post it here????????????????????????????

Because it is Ebay the junk auction!!!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4097. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@amexmail.com>
Message-ID: <35E6A850.191F@amexmail.com>
Source record: 145994

Jerry wrote:
>
> Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
> Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
> And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.
>
> Thanks.

Don't waste your money...I saw two different programs on TV that showed
that they are a usless piece of junk....they got a police officer to
clock them several times and every time he got a good lock on
them....even far off.

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http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub frequency counter and the CTP De-scrambler.
Humor on "how to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

Top 100 ham sites @
http://www.webfringe.com/host/w5www/?kd4lyp

4098. Re: mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barun Gupta <barun@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35E6B03D.553A87AC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145995

Andre,

I recently went through the same process. I had been using a CB antenna for my scanner and decided to upgrade. I ended up getting a Hustler (magnetic mount) designed for scanners (mobile). I went with the Hustler because someone in this newsgroup recommended it over RS. Its performance is definitelty much better than the CB antenna that I was using. It costs the same $29.95 but the place I bought it charged me about $4-5 for shipping and another $4-5 for handling. If you want their URL let me know and I can look it up. I will tell you that I had a hard time trying to find a place on the internet that sold this antenna. Perhaps if you have access to a radio store it might be easier for you to get this antenna.

Andre Konstantinov wrote:
>
> I am thinking about buying a mobile antenna and am now trying to decide
> between two Radio Shack antennas -- one is a glass-mound and the other has a
> magnet mount and two coils in the middle, both are $29.95.
>
> Two questions:
>
> 1. Are the glass-mount antennas any good, or should I go with the one that
> has 2 coils?
>
> 2. my car roof is vinyl, so I have to put the magnet antenna on the trunk --
> would that affect my reception dramatically?
>
> Thank you
> Andre

4099. Re: mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us>
Message-ID: <6s6c1mnks1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 145996

I have the Magmount and it works good for me over the last 2 years. It's never blown over and because it's a magmount, I can take it and put it in the trunk if I want too. The glass mount is more permanent and I've seen posting here in the past where they aren't as good.

John Habbinga wrote in message <6s58ao$1lg$1@news4.wt.net>...
>Either one should work fine. Placing the magmount on the trunk is fine. In
>fact all of the sheriff's cars here use that antenna on the trunk. Running
>the cable into the trunk right next to the antenna base keeps it from
flying
>off when they SPEED down the highway.
>
>

4100. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6s6dngraj1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

First truly constructive idea on this thread yet. Seems like the ideal situation... emergency autopatch access, no CTSS, etc, no time out, 911 access and only 911 dialing, done automatically, etc.

I think we need some regulatory changes for this to be at it's greatest practicality, though. As it stands now, the repeater owner could be liable for hoaxes. Maybe we need a standard protocol for emergency repeaters, and those complying be held blameless for hoaxes, with sole responsibility resting on the originator of the call.

This would make clubs and individuals less reluctant to set up such a system, and ensure that everyone would know how to get help in a stressful situation in a hurry. When there are lives at stake is no time to be consulting the repeater directory. One or two frequencies per band, a standard shift, etc would enable manufacturers of transcievers to include a "911" button that automatically tries to key up any emergency repeater/autopatch and do whatever must be done under the protocol to connect to a landline 911 dispatcher. Simultaneous pressing of a FN or CTRL key with the 911 key could be a way of preventing accidental use of the system.

Given careful thought on the details, I think a workable universal system could be standardized and implemented that would answer the need for "no matter what" 911 access. Any other thoughts on this?

Hey... beats the hell out of arguing whether or not it is okay to call the sherrif on your HT!

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******PLEASE REMOVE ANTI-SPAM TO REPLY VIA EMAIL*******

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73 DE AB5VH (Robinson) in San Benito, Texas
A nice little town in the beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border, By the Sea

New or Wannabe HAMS... go to my site for info and resources!
Ladies! SEE A HANDSOME HAM!
NEW! Amateur Locksmithing Page!
New shorter URL:

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http://crusoe.org

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dit diddy dit dit

D Stark wrote in message <6s5idc$tl2$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>...
>
>Steve & Susan wrote in message
><6s22us$j04$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>...
>>"D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>>>Why not just have the ham club put up
>>>a repeater with an autopatch on it?
>>
>>Because I, or any other ham, as an itenerant user would not have
>>normal access to the patch. We go back to depending on a select few
>to
>>bring up the patch or act as intermediaries in gathering info. This
>is
>
>Or we can mandate, through appropriate regulatory changes, that
>repeaters with 9-1-1 autopatches be available 24/7, carrier squelched,
>with no special access code beyond the numbers 9-1-1. This does not
>mean that we require all repeaters to have them, just that any club or
>individual who wants to put up a 9-1-1 connection make it available to
>all.
>
>>Next, the patch may time out before the public safety dispatcher has
>>an opportunity to receive complete information or while the
>dispatcher
>>is instructing the amateur caller on lifesaving procedures (emergency
>>medical dispatch pre-arrival instructions).
>
>Now YOU may be the one who is surprised to know what is available out
>there. The autopatches with which I am familiar (RC-850) allow
>programming of variable timeouts for different types of phone patches.
>This technology was implemented in my area at least 10 years ago.
>

(snip snip snip)

4101. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6s6ej8$st5$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sorry... CW is not the same as spark... Spark and CW both normally use Morse Code, but CW does not refer to Morse or any other code,,, CW stands for Continuous Wave, a new-fangled mode that used up much less bandwidth than old fashioned Spark. CW and Spark are modes... Morse is just a code used for those modes. Like the difference between English and SSB, or Spanish and FM.

CW does not equal On-Off Keying. Yes, they are closely associated. No, they are not the same thing.

Wanna build a spark transmitter? hook a battery to a file and a piece of wire. scratch the wire across the file. Listen on a nearby radio. Now build a tank circuit and filtering, match this to an antenna, and listen. Check out how wide the signal is. It will be much wider than CW. That is why CW completely replaced Spark.

By the way, the above experiment is strictly illegal if you exceed part 15 power levels, about 100 mw unless I am mistaken, though I suppose you might use such a scheme for an emergency transmission with a car battery or something. Hope this clears the fog.

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dit diddy dit dit

Just Cause wrote in message <0lxF1.365$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>...
>In article <slrn6ucdk2.8c6.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>,
mulveyr@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com wrote:
>>On 26 Aug 1998 13:13:39 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
wrote:

>>>Hams have used radios since the late 1800's . . . ! (Yes, it was CW, but
>>>that is still a full-blown radio.)
>>>
>>
>> Ah, no. CW was NOT in general use until the late teens and twenties,
>>with the advent of tubes and alternator-based transmitters. Prior
>>to that, spark, using damped waves, was the mode used by just about
>>everybody.
>>
>Hey Rich, if they didn't use CW what did they use to communicate. I'm sure
it
>wasn't voice! CW= ON_OFF_KEYING which was used with the spark transmitter.
>
>>- Rich
>>

4102. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s6g53$2it@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145999

>I hope the wind does not get above 10 knots or you will be off the air
>in seconds!

Hey, my antenna survived 60 MPH winds gracefully.

>Why can't a cell phone battery be charged with a solar panel--or a car
>adapter?

They can be CHARGED, however they CANNOT be used when telephone lines at a mobile telephone switching office are down.

>You have no idea about what you are talking about! Find out what a
>Point to Point microwave system is!

Yes, but when POWER is down (and no, batteries and solar power DO NOT last forever), they are useless.

>>How could the cell towers be up when there is NO PHONE LINE? Cellular
towers
>>require a telephone line to make and take cellular calls.
>
>FOOL, you are full of shit! You don't have a clue!

YOU are the COMPLETE FOOL here. Take a look at D. Stark's message -- he states the same thing I have. FOOL! IMBECILE! IDIOT! (Do you like this?)

HOW THE HELL DO YOU THINK CELLULAR SYSTEMS WORK?

They NEED a TELEPHONE LINE AT THE MTSO to MAKE CALLS!!!!!

--
from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

4103. Orlando frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: 123robertv@massed.net
Message-ID: <35e6be6c.12919170@news.massed.net>
Source record: 146000

Anyone have frequencies for police and fire in the Orlando area?

Remove the 123 before my email address to reply by email.

4104. Re: Danielle NASA 817's Problem Tomorrow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Stillinger <kb6ibb@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6s6ff8$90n@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146001

What about the C-130's from Keesler AFB in Mississippi? Anyone hear from them yet?

In article <1998082618491100.OAA11546@ladder01.news.aol.com>, allanstern@aol.com (AllanStern) wrote:

> Moments ago NASA 806 (ER-2) and NASA 817 (DC-8) landed at Patrick.
>Neither were heard on 378.8 by me. NASA 806 arrived and landed using Patrick
>Approach 358.3 and Patrick Tower 348.4. NASA 817 arrived using Patrick
>Approach 132.65 and 134.95, as well as Patrick Tower 133.75.
> Upon landing, NASA 817 chatted with the Tower and told the operator they
>had penetrated Hurrican Bonnie. When the operator asked about Hurricane
>Danielle, NASA 817 said "That's tomorrow's problem."
>
>
>AL STERN Satellite Beach FL
>☐ Patrick AFB ☐ NASA-KSC ☐ Cape Canaveral Air Station

4105. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s6fnn$n2@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

No, it is a correction to a bad spelling of the word, so as to prevent him
from being ridiculed in the future.

I am not a liar -- I was only stating what is now fiction. I've realized
that I was wrong (said so in another thread -- care to read?).
--
from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

Hans Gruber wrote in message <35ea28b8.29412617@news.ai.ac.th>...
>On 26 Aug 1998 21:55:35 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>I fail to see the relevance. I am speaking of the word "encrypted", which
JC
>>loves to spell as "encripted", which, in turn, is incorrect.
>
>Nitpicking grammatical errors is the last recourse of someone who is A
>BOLD FACED LIAR AND WRONG AS COULD BE!

4106. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s6g7o$2v7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146003

>Now you are making false accusations against me? Just because you are
>wrong! I am on a t-1, if I mail bombed you it would be a week before
>you had time to log on and spout your bullshit in this newsgroup.
>

WRONG, FOOL! My server now does not download mail bombs -- they are deleted
before I even know it.

I'm on a cable modem -- which here, is faster than a T1.

--
from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

4107. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s6ggk$48b@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146004

Please do not post binaries. It would have been better to place it on a
website and make a link to it.

I've learned *my* lesson the hard way, and I think you'll learn yours.

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from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

Woundering wrote in message <6s6gcp$3hm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>I picked it up on 818.7750 in my area. File Attached Sound File..
>
>Thanks
>
>
>

4108. Phx PD ch 1?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dittybop1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082814575000.KAA00605@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146005

I can no longer pick up Phoenix Police channel 1 at 453.1. Did they move or is it my Pro-46? I don't seem to have trouble with any other freqs that have been programmed in for the last 3+ years.

Thanks
Al

4109. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s6gi2$4et@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146006

By the way, that sound is a FLEX paging system.
--
from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

Woundering wrote in message <6s6gcp$3hm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>I picked it up on 818.7750 in my area. File Attached Sound File..
>
>Thanks
>
>
>

4110. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.ackermann@daytonOH.ncr.com
Message-ID: <exKf9Gp09GA.145@rpc1285.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 146007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <0lxF1.365$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>, need@help.com (Just Cause) wrote:
>In article <slrn6ucdk2.8c6.richm@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>,
> mulveyr@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com wrote:
>>On 26 Aug 1998 13:13:39 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>>>Hams have used radios since the late 1800's . . . ! (Yes, it was CW, but
>>>that is still a full-blown radio.)
>>>
>>
>> Ah, no. CW was NOT in general use until the late teens and twenties,
>>with the advent of tubes and alternator-based transmitters. Prior
>>to that, spark, using damped waves, was the mode used by just about
>>everybody.
>>
>Hey Rich, if they didn't use CW what did they use to communicate. I'm sure it
>wasn't voice! CW= ON_OFF_KEYING which was used with the spark transmitter.

CW does not mean morse code. CW *does* mean continuous wave -- a
narrowband, (nearly) sine-wave, carrier, as opposed to the broad hash of RF
generated by a spark set using damped waves.

You can modulate either CW or spark by morse code keying, but an unmodulated
CW carrier is still CW. In common ham usage today, CW is synonymous with
morse code, but common usage is sometimes kinda sloppy.

73,
John N8UR
jra@febo.com

4111. Re: mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com>
Message-ID: <35E6BA0A.9300D404@dev.tivoli.com>
Source record: 146008

I use a glass-mount antenna out of necessity (except for the hood and rear quarter panels, the car body is made of composite materials). It works pretty decent, but I would bet that a good mag-mount would outperform it in weak-signal areas.

Jeff

Andre Konstantinov wrote:
>
> I am thinking about buying a mobile antenna and am now trying to decide
> between two Radio Shack antennas -- one is a glass-mound and the other has a
> magnet mount and two coils in the middle, both are $29.95.
>
> Two questions:
>
> 1. Are the glass-mount antennas any good, or should I go with the one that
> has 2 coils?
>
> 2. my car roof is vinyl, so I have to put the magnet antenna on the trunk --
> would that affect my reception dramatically?
>
> Thank you
> Andre

4112. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woundering <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6s6gro$5rt@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146009

I am sorry I didn't know about not posting binaries on the newsgroup. Thank
you for your help though.
James Tonsager wrote in message <6s6gi2$4et@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>By the way, that sound is a FLEX paging system.
>--
>from The Faricys
>email: jtonsa@att.net
>
>Woundering wrote in message <6s6gcp$3hm@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>>I picked it up on 818.7750 in my area. File Attached Sound File..
>>
>>Thanks
>>
>>
>>
>
>

4113. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Faricys <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s6gva$6an@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146010

Not a problem. ... and glad to be of help.

To everyone else: please don't flame this poster.
--
from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

Woundering wrote in message <6s6gro$5rt@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>I am sorry I didn't know about not posting binaries on the newsgroup. Thank
>you for your help though.
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>>from The Faricys
>>email: jtonsa@att.net
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>>>Thanks
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>

4114. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woundering <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6s6h60$7a1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146011

Also, When you post a Answer it also forwards it to the email address also.
I didn't know if you where aware of that. Also either yours or My date is
wrong, It said you sent me the Mail Tomorrow. Figure that one out. What a
World
The Faricys wrote in message <6s6gva$6an@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Not a problem. ... and glad to be of help.
>
>To everyone else: please don't flame this poster.
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4115. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Faricys <jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <6s6hns$a44@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146012

Hmm, our date is correct (8-28-1998).

I did know that I sent the message to both the group and by email. I like to do it like that. That way, if someone doesn't get it on the group, they got the answer by email, or vice versa.
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from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

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>Also, When you post a Answer it also forwards it to the email address also.
>I didn't know if you where aware of that. Also either yours or My date is
>wrong, It said you sent me the Mail Tomorrow. Figure that one out. What a
>World

4116. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: service@gfreport.com
Message-ID: <6s6hpdfvf1@service3.uky.edu>
Source record: 146013

In article <LcoF1.642$p4.1646365@news.sgi.net>, tex@usaor.net says...
>
>Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
>Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
>And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the
Phazer.
>
>Thanks.
>
>
I saw a demo once of a "jammer" that consisted of a surplus "real"
police radar rf unit. A guy feed white noise into the the voltage
refference (used a uA723) and tried to stop a cooperative police mans
radar from working. It just did not work. He then tried using
different tones (the shift is 3.4Hz/mph{i think} [for x-band/10.525]).
The goal was to lock the police unit to the louder tone from the x band
af modulated source. No effect. However when the police turned up
the audio (some, maybe all radars allow the office to listen to the
return audio) the white noise and tones simply screamed. There was no
way for the officer NOT to tell which vehicle was the source.
No I do not know how much power real radars run, but I suspect that
the run much more than the "phazer".
Car and driver ran an article on how to jam a LIDAR. Pretty much the
same story. All they could do was to reduce the distance at wich they
were clocked. There best methode invlolved WWII "snipescope" IR filters
over driving lights. Hardly worth the effort.
Of course there was that "stealth bra" from some dude out Colorado way
that "absorbed" radar. Made the news about 6 years ago, but I never
saw a review of how weel (if at all) it worked. [a "bra" for a sports
car is a plastic/cloth form fitting gismo that goes over the front of
the car [with cut outs for headlight/trunsignals text] to protect
the car from road debris [stones] damage]

4117. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Faricys <jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <6s6id3$d7r@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Incorrect. CW/Morse code was used as early as the mid-1800's.

Here are some sites to back this statement up:
http://www.cris.com/~gsraven/history.html
http://home.navisoft.com/horn/articles/morse96.htm
http://www.databahn.net/library/inet/history/telegrph/index.htm

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from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

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>with the advent of tubes and alternator-based transmitters. Prior
>to that, spark, using damped waves, was the mode used by just about
>everybody.
>
>- Rich
>
>--
>Rich Mulvey
>My return address is my last name,
> followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
>http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
>Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

4118. Re: Uniden XLT 120- Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35E6D218.1FF498E6@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 146015

Dean Johnston wrote:
> I want to get a Uniden 120XLT and I wonder if they are a good scanner to
> get. I am new to scanning, and currently have a Motorola AP50.
>
> Can someone give me some advice of what to look for in a scanner?

Dean,
Stop by my site below. At the very top is a button you'll want to
access to get up to speed on what you'll need to know to get the
radio that best meets your needs.
Happy surfing!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

4119. Otto for Scout & Xplorer: freeware V1.2 is now available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6s6laa$4nq$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 146016
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,es.rec.radio.amateur

Hi all,

Otto is now in it's version 1.2. There have been bug fixes and other
upgrades, like adding a toolbar and overall improvements.
Take a look at http://www.eurohubner.com/mike/soft_otto.html

Otto is a 32-bit download & data management tool for the Optoelectronics
Xplorer and Scout. And it's freeware.

Cheers,

Mike Puchol

4120. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Faricys <jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <6s6kce$m5v@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<Landline
>telegraphs used a completely different mechanism.>

The URLs to which I referred you to described BOTH landline and broadcast
Morse code, and they also DID MENTION a practical radio system (at least
once).
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from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

Rich wrote in message ...
>On 28 Aug 1998 15:29:39 GMT, The Faricys
<jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net> wrote:
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>>Here are some sites to back this statement up:
>>http://www.cris.com/~gsraven/history.html
>>http://home.navisoft.com/horn/articles/morse96.htm
>>http://www.databahn.net/library/inet/history/telegrph/index.htm
>>
>
> None of those URl's even make mention of CW vs. Spark transmission.
>The assertion that CW was used in the mid 1800's is patently *absurd*.
>Neither tubes nor alternator-based CW generators had even been
>invented yet, much less any practical radio system. Landline
>telegraphs used a completely different mechanism.

4121. Re: Opto's Micro-Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6s6lvg$s0i@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146018

Charlie,
I just ordered the mini counter to take on vacation with me. I was disappointed to see the post that it bites but was encouraged about your post about the homemade antenna.

Can you please describe your antenna and how you made it? I'd appreciate it!

Bill Smith
bs@BSartist.com : http://bsartist.com
n2asa

Charlie Dwenger wrote in message <01bdd090$cc115d40$38dd0ad0@default>...
>Steve,
> If you make your own antenna, it works great. I`m able to pick freq`s
>from passing barges from over 3/8 mile away with no problem. The ant. that
>you buy from opto sucks. Don`t waste your money on it.

4122. Re: What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: not@all.safe
Message-ID: <35e8a1de.16616909@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 146019

Why are you polluting the newsgroup with this crap? You think you're
funny, but you're not.

4123. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ajleary@snet.net
Message-ID: <GoldED.199808280550058702.ajleary@snet.net>
Source record: 146020

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:

AM> I find it remarkable that scanners aren't available with DCS decode as
AM> well as CTCSS decode nowadays.

The RELM HS200 handheld and MS200 mobile/base unit are the only scanners I
am aware of that support DCS decode. Most scanners either don't have CTCSS
at all, or only have it as an extra-cost option.

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Andrew J. Leary SysOp, Bits & Bytes BBS
ajleary@snet.net 1:320/119@fidonet
Data: (860) 535-4284/4815 144:1501/119@safnet

4124. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35E6E0DE.9319DB2B@mindspring.com>
Source record: 146021

I read a similar article about reducing the effectiveness of the Laser systems. If I remember correctly the three things they said were most effective were driving with your high beams on (creates more IR "noise"), attaching a special light green filter on your license plate(s) (absorbed or blocked IR light), and having a sloped composite nose on the car (ie. Firebird).

I had also found an article about radar "jammers". I don't remember the details of the article, but if it had been a positive review I would have bought one by now.

> Car and driver ran an article on how to jam a LIDAR. Pretty much the
> same story. All they could do was to reduce the distance at wich they
> were clocked. There best methode invlolved WWII "snipescope" IR filters
> over driving lights. Hardly worth the effort.

4125. Re: What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Faricys <jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <6s6ocn$867@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146022

What are you talking about?!?

Allsafe posted a legitimate and on-topic post!
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from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

why wrote in message <35e8a1de.16616909@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>...
>Why are you polluting the newsgroup with this crap? You think you're
>funny, but you're not.

4126. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25822-35E6D68F-30@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146023

In the town I live in, Lake Stevens Washington and everett and
lynwood edmonds Seattle and any other town
they really don't gave a damn

LakeStevens PD knows I have a scanner or 2 in my car and they stop me
every now and then just bul shit
Dave...

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4127. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25823-35E6D44A-16@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146024

I don't think so I was watching the WSP
run a speed trap in my local area and he asked me what I was doing and
if I had any radar jamming gear
Dave...

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4128. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Faricys <jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <6s6ovi$aab@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I only stated that amateurs have used radios since the 1800's. It's possible that the statement regarding their use of exclusive CW was incorrect.

HOWEVER, amateurs DID have radios at this time that DID transmit and receive Morse code, be it Spark, CW, or any other mode. This is what I meant, and what I should have said in the first place.
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from The Faricys
email: jtonsa@att.net

Rich wrote in message ...
>On 28 Aug 1998 16:03:26 GMT, The Faricys
<jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net> wrote:
>><Landline
>>>telegraphs used a completely different mechanism.>
>>
>>The URLs to which I referred you to described BOTH landline and broadcast
>>Morse code,
>
> I'll put this into simple sentences, with words containing few
syllables.
>
> You asserted that CW was being used by amateurs in the late 1800's.

4129. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199808272226.AAA08962@replay.com>
Source record: 146043

What happened to the butt-pirate twins?

4130. HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <6s4tuh$93v$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 146044

I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting? What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone know?

Thanks,

Tyler

tyler@cyberia.com

4131. Cool Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevster@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s50o6$s5b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

While surfing I came across this guys website. He has a little of everything on there: shortwave, scanners, real audio, internet tools, and more. I just like his page and thought I would pass it along to the rest of you.

http://ww2.sd.cybernex.net/~scotty

Steve

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4132. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35e7068b.1204905@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 146046

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

4133. Put our scanner banner on your site/Make $5 per sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082801301100.VAA27444@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146047

Here is how it works.

1. You place our banner on your web page. This
will consist of a banner gif Picture of our DS49 Speech Inversion
Descrambler and text advertising it.
Once you place this banner on your
page you are done. There is nothing else to do. You are
given a number that goes after the Descrambler model number
right on the banner.
ie... DS-10. When someone calls us to order
with a credit card or orders through the mail using
your number, you earn a $5.00 royalty for that sale.

2. Royalty checks will be mailed at the end of each quarter.
ie.. end of March/ June/ September/ December.

3. You can email us at any time for an update of your sales.

4. Sales will greatly depend on the amount of traffic your site
gets daily, so increasing your site traffic through search
engine registration and link exchanges will help us both.

5. For each sale where the customer does not remember the model
number, ie... DS-10 we will asign the sale to the next
name on our list of program participants. This way eventualy
you will get credit for a sale even if the customer cant
remember the model number.

That's all there is to it.

If you are interested in participating in the CTP
royalty program Email us with your name, mailing
address and web url and we will email you the banner.

Thanks for your time.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

4134. Scanning in maryland

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikelewisg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082801332500.VAA11601@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146048

best thing to do is go to http://www.policescanner.com, there is a search engine at that site that will tell you frequincies for a particular city

4135. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082801391200.VAA12414@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146049

Try looking around Javiatons web site they have some info on "full coverage" mods for the 2042 they may still be out of stock for the parts though.they allso have a link to optoelectronics site for those interested in computer control. The url is http://www.javiation.co.uk/

Brett

4136. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35e607fb.28990289@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146050

On 28 Aug 1998 00:34:25 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One
>of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting?
> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
>know?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Tyler
>
>tyler@cyberia.com

Ok, you went to a HOOTERS restaraunt, and noticed an antenna on the
roof??????
I do think you're missing the point of that place.......LOL
Myself, I've never been able to get my gaze more than 5 feet off the
floor......Hee hee

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

4137. RDLAP 9.6 MDT Protocol

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kleptein@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35e70dcf.47930056@news.snip.net>
Source record: 146051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have been told by one of the radio techs in the area that the new system they just installed uses the RDLAP 9.6 protocol with Motorola MDT-9100T terminals.

It sounds like MDC4800 to me, but I've never heard RDLAP before to compare. I would appreciate it if someone could send me some samples of both MDC4800 and RDLAP.

And... Are there any decoders available for RDLAP anywhere?

Thanks.

4138. Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry <tex@usaor.net>
Message-ID: <LcoF1.642$p4.1646365@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 146052

Forgive me if this is off-topic-

Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.

Thanks.

4139. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <ABoF1.317$ej4.7785928@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 146053

Jerry:

A special I saw on T.V. awhile back revealed they were useless.

Bill Crocker

Jerry wrote in message ...
>Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
>Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
>And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.
>
>Thanks.
>
>

4140. mobile scanner antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Konstantinov <konstan@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s54td$eed@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146054

I am thinking about buying a mobile antenna and am now trying to decide between two Radio Shack antennas -- one is a glass-mound and the other has a magnet mount and two coils in the middle, both are $29.95.

Two questions:

1. Are the glass-mount antennas any good, or should I go with the one that has 2 coils?

2. my car roof is vinyl, so I have to put the magnet antenna on the trunk -- would that affect my reception dramatically?

Thank you
Andre

4141. BC-3000xlt Mods...anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin404@mailexcite.com
Message-ID: <35e625d4.347290@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 146055

I've looked around and I have not seen any mods, for sale or otherwise. Does any body have a good page with mods for a bc3000xlt, also I assume that a UBC-3000XLTis the same as a bc 3000xlt, I want a mod to recieve the 520-760Mhz range thanks...

4142. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cute@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <35e61f98.12650981@news.total.net>
Source record: 146056
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

De Thu, 27 Aug 1998 19:17:31 -0400, jer <jerr1919@gte.net> a �crit
dans le message:

> DOES EVERYBODY KNOW BY NOW THEY ARE FREE......ENOUGH SAID<<<<<<<

yep. i get those free from several stores even though the catalog is
priced to $2 or so. just buy something and ask for catalog. they
will give you one. one time, they wanted to get my address when I
refused and they told me they would give me a catalog if I gave them
my address...

Cutie Boy (CB) ou Joli Gar�on(�galement connu comme M@S@)
Pilote Avion Priv�
avec la qualification
de vol de nuit: Cessna 152 & Cessna 172
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
�tudient @ m�t�orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit� McGill
Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
C�: cute@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit� McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

Enlevez l' ".PAS_DE_SPAM" pour r�pondre.
ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!
Please remove ".PAS_DE_SPAM" to reply.

4143. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35e62271.94345271@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 146057
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I bought the 895 from national and had an absolutley clean transaction. This was my second internet transaction and I was worried. The first one some would be con artist tried to rip off a whole bunch of people on e-bay for $400 for a cd-rom burner. He shipped an $80 scanner to all of us. We were all lucky since this guys father was a sys admin at the ISP the e-mail was sent from. That and the fact he accepted checks and money orders sent through the post office constituted mail fraud. He was sh-ting that we got him so quick. Half of us made our livings with computer networks. I got my scanner at 8AM and his father was contacted by another guy from our group at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Sorry about the spiel...it's the first I've recanted this experience and it felt good..... we really had the guy scared.

Anyway ..National was a very pleasant experience for me....I can't say much about the speed of UPS or the accuracy of their tracking system, but UPS showed that they recieved my order the evening that I put it in. Their inaccuracy came when they said it was still in a depot 35 miles away (as opposed to the one 2 miles away) and my roomate had already signed for it.

Good luck

Roy

PS. I consider CEI's shipping rates insulting and wouldn't use them even if I could save a few bucks on the transaction. They offer free earphones with some scanners, but charge 12 to ship them. One individual said they were pretty cheap earphones.

On Thu, 27 Aug 1998 08:41:35 -0500, "Brian" <nospambkshoop@county.tippecanoe.in.us> wrote:

>What about buying from National Electronics any problems from them???....I'm
>looking to buy an 895xlt....
>
>
>Philip J. Smith wrote in message <6s3n78apu1@supernews.com>...
>>>Then in the small print
>>>they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of
>>>each items.
>>I overlooked the small print at first, but after you mentioned it, I was
>>able to find it. That's sneaky!
>>

>>>Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you
>>>can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you don't watch out they
>>>will burn you.
>>
>>I've returned three scanners to them over the years. I had less trouble
>with
>>CEI than any other company, and they don't charge a restocking fee... At
>>least not *yet*. I'm sure they'll start doing like all the other mail-order
>>vendors pretty soon though.
>>
>>(now, on my soapbox)
>>
>>Scanner World, on the other hand, just plain SUCKS. My brand new Uniden
>>TrunkTracker scanner was dead. Oh well, that can happen; no big deal, I'll
>>just return it for one that works. I phoned Scammer World in good spirits,
>>but the person I talked to got "attitude" the moment I said the word
>>"return." He wanted to charge me a 25% restocking fee to return a
>>NON-FUNCTIONAL SCANNER! Think about it... A restocking fee on a *dead*
>>scanner? What the HELL is that for? So they can add it back to their stock,
>>then turn around screw the next poor sucker that orders it?
>>
>>I still can hardly believe it... I ended up sending a brand new dead
>>scanner to Uniden to be repaired, and of course paid the shipping to send
>it
>>there. But, unlike what CEI and Scammer World charge for S&H, it only cost
>>me about $5. Go figure.
>>
>>
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>

4144. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hells Angle <estilo43@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6s58ip$a5d@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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Path: wn6+ACE-attworldnet+ACE-newsadm
From: +ACI-Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ+ACI- +ADw-jtonsa+AEA-nospam.att.net+AD4-
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf
Subject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
Date: 26 Aug 1998 13:02:07 GMT
Organization: TCRC
Lines: 29
Message-ID: +ADw-6s110f+ACQ-77s+AEA-bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net+AD4-
References: +ADw-35e310d0.1793498+AEA-news.earthlink.net+AD4-
Reply-To: +ACI-Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ+ACI- +ADw-jtonsa+AEA-worldnet.att.net+AD4-
NNTP-Posting-Host: 12.75.129.223
X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express 4.72.3110.1
X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft MimeOLE V4.72.3110.3
Xref: wn6 rec.radio.amateur.misc:76657 rec.radio.scanner:108188
Go ahead and transmit ... see what happens. Make sure you gather about
+ACQ-10,000 and clear your calendar for a few years.
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73 de Ryan Faricy
http://home.att.net/+AH4-jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98
+ACI-Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
kill them.+ACI-
Torres wrote in message +ADw-35e310d0.1793498+AEA-news.earthlink.net+AD4-...
+AD4-Hi,
+AD4-
+AD4-Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
+AD4-Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
+AD4-According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
+AD4-their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
+AD4-radio.
+AD4-
+AD4-What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
+AD4-
+AD4-
+AD4-thanks
+AD4-
+AD4-Do not reply e-mail. I have an +ACI-ani-spam+ACI- address
+AD4-
+AD4-

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
+ADw-6s110f+ACQ-77s+AEA-bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net+AD4-...
+AD4-Go ahead and transmit ... see what happens. Make sure you gather about
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+AD4AJA-10,000 and clear your calendar for a few years.
+AD4---
+AD4-73 de Ryan Faricy
+AD4- http://home.att.net/+AH4-jtonsa/
+AD4-SkyWarn 2212-98
+AD4-
+AD4AIg-Join the army, see the world, meet interesting people, and
+AD4-kill them.+ACI-
+AD4-
+AD4-Torres wrote in message +ADw-35e310d0.1793498+AEA-news.earthlink.net+AD4-...
+AD4APg-Hi,
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg-Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
+AD4APg-Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
+AD4APg-According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
+AD4APg-their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
+AD4APg-radio.
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg-What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg-thanks
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg-Do not reply e-mail. I have an +ACI-ani-spam+ACI- address
+AD4APg-
+AD4APg-
+AD4-
+AD4-

4145. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghs521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082803362700.XAA00487@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146059

>tyler wrote:
>>
>> I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things.
>One
>> of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they
>transmitting?
>> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
>> know?
>>
>> Thanks,
>>
>> Tyler
>>
>> tyler@cyberia.com
>You went to Hooters and you were busy looking at the antenna on the
>roof?

my freq counter locked up on 36DD

4146. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kibblesnbits@askme.net
Message-ID: <35e635c4.16101379@news.cadvision.com>
Source record: 146060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
familiar with the laws in each? (E.g. if I were to travel down
there.) Would I have to somehow know all the different laws in
every single state? If I didn't, would I be fined for not
knowing them? -- Alleycat

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andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net> wrote:

>Virginia Judge Rules That Radar
>> Detectors Equipped With Safety
>> Warning SystemTM Are Legal
>>
>> On October 30, 1996, The Honorable Robert Phillips, Judge of the Accomack
>> County (Virginia) General District Court, Traffic Division, ruled that
>> radar detectors equipped with the Safety Warning System are not subject
>> to Virginia's long-standing detector ban.
>
>This is a non-precedent court. It is the lowest level court in the
>Commonwealth of Virginia and the judge's ruling has no widespread
>effect.
>
>>
>> The Safety Warning System (SWS) uses technology similar to that found
>> in motion detectors, automatic door openers and radar detectors to alert
>> motorists about to encounter abnormal driving situations.
>>
>> A radar-based transmitter operating on pre-approved radio frequencies
>> sends an audible tone to radar receivers or detectors. New "smart"
>> detectors already on the market also have the capability to display
>> a text message which scrolls across a small screen on a portable,
>> dashboard-mounted unit.
>
>There are devices on the market which allow a motorist to see the Safety
>Warning Messages but DO NOT react to a police radar signal. Under
>Virginia law, these would automatically be allowed.
>> broadcasts. At no time during the course of the hearing did the
>> Commonwealth of Virginia contradict this evidence.
>
>They probably had a prosecutor who was not familiar with the technical
>side of the argument and probably should have had an expert witness on
>the stand to present rebuttal.
>

>> Legislation is pending in the Virginia General Assembly to repeal the
>> state's radar detector ban. If passed, Virginia motorists will join
>>
>Not at this time. There was some legislation pending which banned these
>so called "radar jammers". This legislation was tied to the repeal of
>the radar detector ban. That legislation was withdrawn and apparently
>resubmitted. Radar detectors are still illegal in Virginia and now any
>type of radar jamming device is also.-

4147. POCFLEX / MFJ-1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reuben M <magic@dorsai.org>
Message-ID: <01bdd234$57728fe0$0700000a@586magic>
Source record: 146061
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Has anyone had any luck getting POCFLEX to work with the MFJ-1213
interface?
Thanks.

magic@dorsai.org

4148. What's this? & What can I do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35E63365.D65397E9@INVALID.com>
Source record: 146062

Here's the project thus far:

Gotta Pro-2032 that I'm ready to go in and get the discrimator tap set
for the baseband audio feed. I hear that's a neat thing to do. I dunno
what it is; somethin' to do with "decoding" stuff. I'll figure that out
after I finish this scanner interface thingy I'm building.

I'm working off this article posted by Bill Cheek posted here:

>From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
>Subject: Scanner Discriminator Data
>Date: Sunday, May 17, 1998 4:31 AM
>
>This article/file is for the benefit of all hobbyists.
>
>(c) 1995-98 <All Rights Reserved> by
>Bill Cheek and COMMtronics Engineering
>
>
>If you want to decode trunk control, MDT, pager, fax or other
>digital signals, you will need a special Interface between
>the NFM Discriminator/baseband audio of the scanner to the PC's
>serial port. Following is a tried and true Data Interface circuit
>that is good for everything we've tried, including a wide variety
>of scanners.
>
> SCANNER DATA INTERFACE SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM
>Copyright (c) 1998 Bill Cheek
>
> Computer
> Serial Port
>Scanner |<------circuit----------------->| DB25 DB9
> ==== ===
> o----o--|<-------------->20 DTR 4
> 0.1 to | | 1N4148
>NFM 0.5-uF |\ | o--|<----------o--> 4 RTS 7
> >------]|+-----o----|2 \ | | |
>DSCR | | \ o--+|[--->>> |
> 100k | |LM 7 \ 10-uF |
> >--o--/\/\/----o |741 6 >----------o-----|--> 5 CTS 8
>GND | | / | |
> o--/\/\/--o------|3 4/ | |
> | 3.3k | | / | | |
> | | |/ | | |
> | o-----------|----/\/\/----o |

> | | 100k |
> | | |
> o---------------------|-------------------|--> 7 Gnd 5
> | | |
> | 10-uF | |
> o-------------+|[-----o--------->|---------o
> | | 1N4148
> o--->>>Ground o-------->|------------> 2 TxD 3
>
>
> LEGEND:
> o = soldered connection/junction
> --|-- = crossover (no connection)
> +|[= capacitor, polarized (see +)
> >| = diode (anode->|-cathode)
> |< = diode (cathode-|<-anode)
> -/\/\/- = resistor
> -->>> = ground
>
> NOTES:
> 1. Use tantalum capacitors, +|[polarity as shown>
>
> 2. Radio Shack's LM-741 works fine. Others might not!
>
> 3. Use 1/4 or 1/8 watt resistors to save space
>
> 4. Build circuit on a trimmed and fitted piece of perf
> board inside a DB-25 shell for max efficiency and space
> savings. DB-25 connects to PC's comport and a shielded
> cable from the scanner goes to the inputs, shield is
> ground and center is audio.

So's I go into the Shack with the above schematic and start buying resisters and capaciter thingy's. I got a really cool project box. Beige with dark plastic panels fore and aft. Matches the computer perfectly.

I hear a lot of radio shack criticism, but this lady runs this store near me and I was pretty surprised with her help.

I mean, I really needed some help with this one. I built a few power supplies for different devices I have and do a little hardware work on my PC. But just because I gotta soldering iron, doesnt mean I know *exactly* what I'm soldering. I'm just following instructions.

So, I wasn't going to get very far if I got the young, part-time employee that everyone pictures at this store.

Nope, this lady knew her stuff. But I must be her least favority type of customer. I'm pestering her with "I'm looking for this 36 cent resister and you don't have it on your shelf. Could we order it?" I'm serious. I was there for over an hour and she was working her catalogue

back and forth for every ding dang thingy I couldn't find on the shelf. Some of this stuff she had, but I was too stupid to find it. She had to work. Total sale: $20.37. (That includes the $3.11 for resistors and capacitors that she had to order.) I paid credit for the stuff she had, and paid cash for the stuff on order. She must hate idiots like me. But she handled it well; although I could tell she was pissed.

I got a good handle on the box; RCA jack from the scanner going in, and a 9 pin serial plug going out to my PC. (I might rig up some flashing lights on the front to make it look *cool*!, that way if it doesn't work, I can still keep it and it'll look bitch'in! "Hey, what's that thing there?" "Uh...it's a ...freqmodulator-fibulator...module, yeeeaaah!"

My question is three fold:

1) These polarized capacitors, they're barrel shaped and have one lead close to markings on the barrel that look like dashes (------) in a broad white stripe. Is this really the negative side? The lady at the 'Shack said it was.

2) I want a Win95 recommendation for decoding software. I hear Poc32 and Pocflex are real popular. Is Poc32 what I'm looking for? Is that 32 bit?

3) Anything else I should know before I build this device?

4149. BC210XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6s5aojbrh1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 146063

Any Mods for the BC210XL?

Email me any ideas: dtfh32@raex.com

4150. Re: Uniden BC350A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6s5da2$8clo$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 146064

What's that file your'e sending me?

Rick

4151. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skeeter Abell-Smith <skeeter@skatter.usask.ca>
Message-ID: <35E63E95.EA41F283@skatter.usask.ca>
Source record: 146065
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Greg Knox wrote:
>
> Where do these rumors get started? The BC235 is NOT being
> discontinued. In fact I just finished testing the new squelch mod for
> it not long ago and that improvement hasn't even hit the streets yet,
> never mind being discontinued.

what squelch mod? What's the effect?

--
= = = To send me e-mail you must remove "noSPAM" from the address. = = =
The above opinions may differ from those of others. Take no offence.
Check out the Canadian Firearms Home Page:
http://teapot.usask.ca/cdn-firearms/homepage.html

4152. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35e63be2.1298313@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 146066

A radar jammer may work on standard radar, but not the new laser radars. In order for the radar detector/jammer to work they need a steady signal. Most radar officers are trained to use the radar only when they have spotted a speeder. They have to make a speed estimation and then they turn the radar on. By the time the radar detector picks up the signal you have been clocked.
As for the new laser radars, they are almost impossible to detect. The beam is so fine and it has to be aimed directly at the detector for it to work. Again the officers are being trained to aim it at lower portions of the car, such as the license plate.
Your best bet is to learn the common hot spots for speed patrols. Also watch the side of the road when you are driving, you may be able to see the police car before he sees you.
Hope this helped.
On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 02:02:19 GMT, "Jerry" <tex@usaor.net> wrote:

>Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
>Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
>And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.
>
>Thanks.
>

4153. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35e64883.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 146067
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hans Gruber wrote in message :

>That place sucks shit! I ordered a scanner from them..it arrived dead!
>I had to send it to uniden to get repaired to avoid their outrageous
>shipping and restocking fees! Imagine that! Screw them!
>I called these folks with a couple questions when I was about 10 minutes
>away from ordering an Icom r10 with all the accessories. After the rude
>remarks I received from the person at CEI I promptly called another dealer
>and ordered the whole setup from them...

This is great! Excercising your right to trash a bad company...or what
sounds like a bad co. I've never had dealings with them.
It's great to see pressure brought to bear on these less than honest
companies.
Next time you're on the phone with them (if ever) tell them you will be
posting all over the Internet your experience with them...It's not libelous
as it is YOUR account of what happened.

Good luck....

4154. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: pzman@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35e64093.41403959@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146068

On 28 Aug 1998 00:34:25 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One
>of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting?
> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
>know?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Tyler
>
>tyler@cyberia.com
You only note one thing but say you noticed a few things. Just out
of curiosity, what were the other things you noticed. Whatever they
were, I hope they didn't take your attention off that awesome antenna
for too long. Keith

4155. Re: World of Outlaws Sprint Car Race Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kplotkin@access1.digex.net
Message-ID: <6s5h9e$7mq@access1.digex.net>
Source record: 146069

In article <6s2q3q$6bs$1@user2.teleport.com>,
Larry R. Johnson <larryj@user2.teleport.com> wrote:

>Anyone have any frequencies that the teams might be using?

Hosehead's got the official WoO frequencies and some of the drivers:

http://www.epix.net/~hosehead/pagez.html

If you're not familiar with this page, it's run by Allan Holland, out of Hazelton, PA, and is *the* place for sprint car info and news on the web. Look at the links section near the bottom of the main page for his frequency stuff.

Ken Plotkin

4156. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3air@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082806113300.CAA17288@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 146070

>>Correct me if this is out of date, but.... My understanding is that the
>>store managers are well trained, but work with great autonomy. They
>>operate as if the store were their own. They decide who to hire and how
>>to train them. Too many just go for minimum wage droids. Some look
>>beyond just what their payroll is that week. There's a great RS near me
>>that always has well trained people. They're across the street from a
>>high tech office park, and figure they're dead meat if they can't service
>>those customers.
>
>Not unless it's changed completely from the days I was there (late 80s.) My
>experience was just the opposite: the store manager had NO authority
>whatsoever. All directions, hires, mandates, etc., were by direction of the
>District Manager...who, in turn, received his "marching orders" as they were
>handed down from the Regional Manager...who got his directive from Ft. Worth.
>
>Typical "stuffed suit" corporate "one size fits all" BS.
>
>

Today, at least around here, the store manager can basically run his/her store as they see fit. Training and knowledge levels do vary widely (a few stores I know of that are run by hams do real well in both knowledge and customer satisfaction). For the most part, managers can hire who they want. The real problem is that Tandy is not willing to pay any real money to either the salespeople or the manager - they all work for pitifully little money. The manager has no authority to decide what to pay, and the district managers have no authority to decide what to pay the managers.
Anyone who does well at RS - or knows the electronics business - doesn't stay long because they can make far more money elsewhere. One thing that Tandy definitely never has learned is that in order to get and keep good people, you have to treat them decently and pay them what they're worth.

4157. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: muellera@kenyon.edu
Message-ID: <35e74669.59580412@news.uni-mannheim.de>
Source record: 146071

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 02:02:19 GMT, "Jerry" <tex@usaor.net> wrote:

>Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
>Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
>And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.
>
>Thanks.
>

- Hamster (Andreas Mueller)
muellera@kenyon.edu

4158. California State Fair Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jacy Krogh <tiny@c-zone.net>
Message-ID: <6DtF1.269$r1.200460@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 146072

Does anyone have the frequencies for the California State Fair? I would like to listen to the State Fair Police and other fair radio traffic. If anyone can help please post or e.mail, thanks in advance.

Jacy Krogh
tiny@c-zone.net

4159. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s5idc$tl2$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

Steve & Susan wrote in message
<6s22us$j04$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>...
>"D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:
>
>>How would you ensure 24/7 staffing? Eventually, someone would have
to
>>be paid to cover certain slots.
>
>The proposal is valid for certain types of PSAPs which already ARE
>staffed 24/7 with thoroughly trained communications personnel. This
is
>not a proposal to put a radio on the corner of a desk in a police
>station and letting whoever is near it answer, like many departments
>did with CBs in the '70s.

I worked at a PSAP that served over a million people and for five
years was the ONLY licensed ham operator on staff. Again, how do you
make sure that your PSAP has licensed ham operators on duty 24/7?

>Most communities now have a communications center like this. Please
>see http://www.apcointl.org or http://www.nena.org for information
>about public safety communications. After 17 years as an EMT, then

I've been involved in public safety communications for about 20 years,
and was a member of APCO for a time. I do know what's going on out
there, but relating stuff that happens in progressive locations like
California to my own community is quite a stretch.

>>Why not just have the ham club put up
>>a repeater with an autopatch on it?
>
>Because I, or any other ham, as an itenerant user would not have
>normal access to the patch. We go back to depending on a select few
to
>bring up the patch or act as intermediaries in gathering info. This
is

Or we can mandate, through appropriate regulatory changes, that
repeaters with 9-1-1 autopatches be available 24/7, carrier squelched,
with no special access code beyond the numbers 9-1-1. This does not
mean that we require all repeaters to have them, just that any club or
individual who wants to put up a 9-1-1 connection make it available to
all.

>Next, the patch may time out before the public safety dispatcher has
>an opportunity to receive complete information or while the
dispatcher
>is instructing the amateur caller on lifesaving procedures (emergency
>medical dispatch pre-arrival instructions).

Now YOU may be the one who is surprised to know what is available out there. The autopatches with which I am familiar (RC-850) allow programming of variable timeouts for different types of phone patches. This technology was implemented in my area at least 10 years ago.

>We now can make the caller the FIRST RESPONDER if they are physically
>able and willing to follow simple instructions even if they don't
know
>CPR or first aid. More people are surviving as a result of this where
>they would have died without intervention.

I understand EMD, but don't think it really applies to the typical passing motorist situation. You'd be crazy to give prearrival instructions to someone at the scene of an MVA (or a shooting) who may not have the equipment or capabilities to deal with the larger situation safely. And EMD can be done through a ham autopatch if appropriate.

>Direct communications with a trained public safety telecommunicator/
>dispatcher at a PSAP - ONLY for the purposes of reporting an
emergency
>- is a much better way to go. I believe it would be a tremendous
>increase in the value of amateur radio on the whole (and may save a
>few lives). Maybe something to try on an evaluation basis?!

We had that years ago here in Monroe County, when there was a box on the console at Radio Center and when several of their personnel were hams. Then the City and County merged their dispatch operations, and the box went away. The radio club upgraded to an emergency autopatch on the repeater.

>I have submitted a draft PRM for such possible operation to the
League
>for criticism/ comments. If you'd like to see it, I'll email it to
>you. Should be interesting. I admit this idea is not a conventional
>solution as we have seen in the past. It requires a little thinking
>outside of the box to see the potential.

I would be interested in the proposal. I'm sure it can be explained better in that format. I know how difficult it is to formulate and explain complex ideas and fully develop an argument in a newsgroup, and on that basis apologize if my response to your suggestion is overly critical.

73 de Dave, NF2G

4160. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s5ide$tl2$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146074

Hans Gruber wrote in message <35ed2991.29629070@news.ai.ac.th>...

>>Cellular towers (like I said) require a telephone line, also. If
telephone
>>service is out, so are the cellular towers.
>
>You have no idea about what you are talking about! Find out what a
>Point to Point microwave system is!
>
>>How could the cell towers be up when there is NO PHONE LINE?
Cellular towers
>>require a telephone line to make and take cellular calls.
>
>FOOL, you are full of shit! You don't have a clue!

Nope, sorry, YOU are the one without a clue. What do you think those people on cellphones are talking to? Yup, other folks on regular landline telephones. Without a connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network, cellphones are useless. That's the way it is, by technology and by law (cellphones cannot be used in a "dispatch" or "two-way" operation - all connections have to include the landline system).

And don't confuse cellphones with NexTel. Even when used as a phone, the other party must have a working phone line or the call won't go through.

===

Nevermind. I just looked over the other 20 or so messages that you posted and can plainly see that you are an asshole and the facts won't matter. Welcome to my killfile

4161. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6s5idf$tl2$3@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 146075

I think "a_alpha" whatever lost his account somehow. His email address now has "permanent fatal errors", although it was working early yesterday.

Could it be ... something to do with distributing cracked software? (Picture the Church Lady....g)

4162. Re: Dumb Antenna Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35E80CD5.26A7@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145776

> The first thought that occurred to me was to get a glass mount antenna.
> Then I noticed that the glass appears to be double-paned (with an air gap in
> the middle).
>
> Questions:
>
> 1. Will I be able to use a glass mount antenna through double paned glass?

I doubt that an automotive type glass mount antenna will work on double paned glass. There are glass testers that can be had for about $35 or so specifically to determine whether glass is appropriate for a glass mount antenna. There are designed for automotive type installations where some glass will not work.

Another option you may want to consider. I have seen some low profile, decal type antennas that use stripline type technology that adhere to the inside of the car glass. I have seen these for 2 meter and 440 Mhz ham. I would feel certain there are some that could be had for cell phones. If not, the 440 Mhz decal antenna, might capture enough signal to work.

These things are very low profile and can just barely be seen. I don't know how effective they are. I would imagine there is some signal loss as far as the transmitter is concerned, but in your application, there may be enough capture area to overcome the signal loss you are experiencing in your building.

Andy

4163. Re: Need advise on antenna installation & performance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35E80F4E.197@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145777

Bob Esacove wrote:
>
> Just installed an Archer (Radio Shake) cat. no. 20-014 antenna on a
> 30'mast. I am using BC200XTL w/ 50' RG-58 coax cable. I worked my butt
> off and frankly I don't see a difference in the receiption except that I
> am getting a lot more static.
>
> Is this type of antenna directional? Is there a smart way to rotate or
> adjust for best performance? Will grounding help cut static? How do I
> test for any improved performance? There most be a good reason to have

I think at least some if not all of your problem is your feeline.

You didn't mention what frequency you are listening to, but as a general rule, I don't like using more than 20 feet of RG58. Anything longer than that, I try to go to an RG8 type coax.

To give you an example, if you are listening to the UHF band, RG58 coax has a loss of 10db per 100 feet. You are using 50 feet so that is 5db of loss. 3db is cutting your signal strength in half and 6db is cutting it by 4. If you are trying to listen to signals in the 800Mhz range, your losses will be even worse.....MUCH worse.

RG8 coax on the other hand, has about 4 db of loss per 100 ft at 400 Mhz. That would mean if you changed your present coax to RG8, you would go from 5db loss to 2 db of loss or a gain of 3db....translated, that would mean you would effectively double your sensitivity.

Andy

4164. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35E8122A.7B81@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145778

> with these devices so the stick with the tried and true x and K band
> microwave devices that give cops cancer!

There have been allegations to this, but nothing has ever been proven. A study performed by the Institute of Police Technology and Management a few years ago found that for police radar devices to attain an exposure level that is equal to the maximum permissable exposure level as established by the American National Standards Institute, there needed to be 69 radar units turned on at the same time nearly touching the skin. Bear in mind that the ANSI level of exposure is 1/10th the level deemed to produce potential health effects.

Kustom Signal Inc., a major manufacturer of police radar devices has NEVER lost a radar exposure case and WILL NOT settle these cases, regardless of costs.

I have not heard of any new pending litigation along this line in many years.

4165. Re: Opto Scout Performance Expectations -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@amexmail.com>
Message-ID: <35E7EA54.3DEF@amexmail.com>
Source record: 145779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ray wrote:

> I am evaluating an opto scout Model 40.

> What are the expectations for this unit - realistically?

> When I put the unit onto the the front car dashboard I only get 1 or 2
> hits per trip although I can see truckers talking into their CB and
> people using cell phone nearby in the next car - but no hits. I do
> get hits inside our mall from security guards sometimes. My local
> police transmit on a 75 foot tower nearby and I get some accurate
> frequency captures and other captures that are "off" but somewhat
> close. I went to a fire scene and was unable to pick up the
> firefighters at 200 feet back.

> What kind of results are some of you getting?

> What are the rules for getting acceptable results?

> Does using opto's extra antennas get me better performance ? Have you
> noticed better performance with them? (im using the short 440 antenna
> and other duckies I have around)

> It seems like you may have to get up really close next to someone to
> get a lock with lower power trasmitters and maybe 100 feet with 5 watt
> units. I was 20 feet away from a McDonalds order taker and could not
> get a pickup. The unit seems to work - but certainly not like you
> would like it to.

> Any filters or pre-amps work best for you ?

> Any tricks that work?

> I may try to setup a definitive test with my unit by using several of
> my own transmitters and setup a radius test at different power
> settings.

> Thanks for your Insights and experiences

You need to use the right atennas for the freqs you are trying to
get...another words, that bullet duck (less than two inches) is not
tuned for CB. Hook it to a CB antenna!
I have a CUB and I does one hell of a job....the SCOUT is 2 times better
than mine. I suspect that you are just using the little rubber duck to
try to get all kinds of frequencies. Please go to my page to see the
results I get with my CUB.
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp/opto.htm

Hope this helps.

--
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub frequency counter and the CTP De-scrambler.
Humor on "how to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

Top 100 ham sites @
http://www.webfringe.com/host/w5www/?kd4lyp

4166. Re: REQ: Disneyworld Frequency listings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <x%RF1.7137$_u2.3099008@news3.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145780

In article <35e86ad7.8347975@news.texas.net>, dratomic@phoenix.net (Joe Patrone) wrote:
>
> Greetings!
>
> I'm going to DisneyWorld soon so I'm looking for a good list of
>frequencies to monitor while I'm there at the parks. Your help is
>appreciated!
>
> Joe

Go to My Home Page

Http://www.swl.net/orlandotrunking/

Disney is 800 and 900 trunked so get a trunktracker

my talkgroup listing is not finished for disney but the frequencies are
accurate

also try http://www.swl.net/cflg/

Jason

README for Microsoft Outlook(TM) Express
November l997

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This document provides complementary or late-breaking information
to supplement the documentation.

HOW TO USE THIS DOCUMENT

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MICROSOFT OUTLOOK EXPRESS
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Outlook Express Mail is an Internet standards based e-mail and news reader.

To read e-mail with Outlook Express, you must be using a mail system that uses SMTP and POP3 or IMAP protocols. At this time, you cannot use Microsoft Outlook Express to access your e-mail account with any of the following services: MS Mail, cc:Mail, CompuServe, America Online (AOL), or Microsoft Exchange Server prior to version 5. If you don't know whether your system uses these services, contact your administrator or your Internet service provider and ask if they support SMTP/POP3 or IMAP mail clients.

You can also use Microsoft Outlook Express News to read bulletin-board discussion groups, such as the Usenet, using NNTP-based news servers. Contact your Internet service provider or network administrator for the name of the news server that you should use. Outlook Express News can also be used to receive support for a variety of Microsoft products on the news server msnews.microsoft.com.

KNOWN ISSUES IN THIS RELEASE
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- When receiving a message using a GeoCities mail account, you might be unable to view any of the original message, or you may see only the following information: Postage Paid by... [graphic].

- You will not be able to see embedded objects or images sent from people using Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Exchange, or Windows Messaging. File attachments work fine, however.

- If you use HTML in your signature, and you send the message before any included images have finished drawing, the text you add to the message may be lost.

- Some mail clients send Cyrillic messages with tags indicating that they are in a western European character set. As a result, Outlook Express uses a western-European font to display the message, which then appears garbled. To work around this problem, click the View menu, click Language, and then choose a Russian character set, such as K0I8. The message should display properly using the Russian font.

- Inbox rules are not available for IMAP accounts.

- If you are using Outlook Express with a SUN Solstice, Netscape, or Innosoft IMAP server, it may cause your server to stop responding. Please contact the 3rd party provider for an update to the IMAP

server software to correct this problem.

- Outlook Express S/MIME does not verify the status of digital IDs
before sending encrypted or signed messages. This means that a
digital ID that is revoked, expired, not trusted or that has an
incorrect e-mail address will be used without providing any warning.

- To send signed messages and receive encrypted messages, you must
have a digital ID. Currently, the only way to get a digital ID
for use with Outlook Express is to use Internet Explorer 4.0 and
go to the Verisign Web site, http://digitalid.verisign.com.

- While sending and retrieving messages, closing Outlook Express and
restarting it will cause Outlook Express to crash.

- In Outlook Express News, if the option "Get 300 headers at a time" is
turned on, the following commands: Get New Headers, Get New Messages,
Get All Messages, and Get Marked Messages will retrieve only 300 (or
the number that you specify) headers at a time. To prevent this, you
should turn off this option.

- To cancel a news message, you must be using the same message encoding
options as was used for the original message.

- If no folders are displayed for your IMAP server or if you want
to refresh the list of IMAP folders you need to download the folder
list from the server. To do this, select the IMAP server. If you
connect to the server by using a modem, click the Tools menu, and
then select Offline > Dial. If you connect to the IMAP server by
using a LAN, you can skip this step. After you have connected to
the server, click the File menu, click Folders, and then click
Refresh Folder List.

- If you need to change any of the following settings for your IMAP
account:

. IMAP server name or port number
. Account type (POP3 or IMAP)
. Any logon information

it is recommended that you delete the IMAP account and create a new
account with the updated settings.

- Outlook Express is designed to work only with IMAP4 compliant
servers. IMAP2bis servers are not supported in this release.

- If you rename a news server account name and then attempt to
perform some action on it, for example copying messages from the
server, you may receive an error message. To work around this
problem, close OE and restart after the renaming of a server.

- If encrypting a message when there is not a certificate for one of
the recipients, an error will display stating that there is not
a certificate for that recipient as well as the sender.

- Certificates are now handled on a per account basis. You must reselect which certificate to use for each account from the Accounts menu. Select the account you want to configure for security features and check the box to use a certificate when sending secure messages. You must also click the Certificate button to select which to use.

- If you used Internet News for reading newsgroups, any messages in your "Posted Items" folder will be moved into the "Sent Items folder when you upgrade to Outlook Express.

- Outlook Express only shows subscribed IMAP folders in the folder list. It no longer shows all your folders (subscribed and unsubscribed). If you want to see all your folders in the folder list, you should subscribe to all your folders. Click on the "File" menu, then click "Folder >" and select "Subscribe All Folders" menu. If there are folders that you don't want to displayed in the folder list, you can unsubscribe the folder. Click on the File menu, click on Folder >, and select "Unsubscribe Folder".

- If you send a Rich Text (HTML) message which contains embedded pictures and the option to "Send pictures with message" is turned off, any pictures from a local computer or LAN will not be viewed when receiving and reading the message using Netscape's Messenger.

Note to French users

In order to comply with the French laws on the use of encryption material, S/MIME support in Outlook Express has been disabled when used in France. However, SSL 2.0 and SSL 3.0 support is authorized, and hence left enabled.

TROUBLESHOOTING
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- If you run into a problem, try the troubleshooter in online Help or on the Microsoft Web site at http://www.microsoft.com/support/tshooters.htm. To start the online Help troubleshooters, carry out the following steps:

1. In Outlook Express, click the Help menu, and then click Help Topics.
2. Double-click the "Troubleshooting" topic on the Contents tab.

- Check your connection to your Internet service provider.

- If you are unable to send or receive mail, check the following:

- The TCP/IP protocol is installed on your computer.
- All cables are properly connected to your computer, modem, or LAN.
- You have a PPP or SLIP account with your Internet service provider.
- Your Internet service provider or LAN server supports POP3 or IMAP and SMTP.

- Your modem communication parameters (baud rate and type of protocol) are set correctly.

- Make sure that you use an account name and password for a news server only if it requires them. If you use an account name and password and they are not required, you will not be able to connect to the news server.

- To access the Microsoft peer product support newsgroups, carry out the following steps:

1. Click the Tools menu, and then click Accounts.
2. Click Add, and then click News on the drop-down menu.
3. Follow the directions on your screen.
4. When you are prompted for a server name, type msnews.microsoft.com

If that name isn't found by your Internet service provider, you can type 131.107.3.27 instead.

You do not need to log on to this news server.

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- You can change the sound that notifies you that you have received new mail. To do this, double-click the Sounds icon in Control Panel, and select New Mail Notification from the events list.

- Use the Check Names command, available on the Tools menu or on the New Message toolbar, to look up a person's e-mail address when sending mail. The name will be underlined when the associated address is found.

- You can move the toolbar to a different edge of your screen by right-clicking it and then choosing Left, Right, Bottom, or Top from the Align menu.

- To send a mail message in Plain Text only (no HTML formatting), click the Format menu, and then click on Plain Text. To make Plain Text the default setting for new messages, replies, and forwarded messages, click the Tools menu, click Options, click the Send tab, and then select Plain Text under Mail sending format. (News messages are sent in Plain Text by default, but similarly, this setting can be changed under News sending format.)

- To customize the toolbar, right-click it, and use the menu commands to perform the desired actions.

- You can resize the preview pane or the message list by dragging the divider between the preview pane and the message list.

- You can change how the preview pane splits, or turn it off entirely, by clicking the View menu, clicking Layout and changing the options

in the dialog box.

- You can specify that you want to see only unread news messages. To do this, click a newsgroup, click the View menu, click Current View, and then click Unread Messages.

- You can set messages to automatically download to the preview pane by clicking the Tools menu, clicking Options, clicking the Read tab, then selecting the Automatically Show Messages in the Preview Pane check box.

- To view the e-mail address of someone who has sent you a message, double-click the message to open it, then double-click the author's name in the From field. You can also add this person to your Address Book by right-clicking the name, and then clicking Add To Address Book.

- To view responses to a particular message in a newsgroup, click the plus sign (+) next to the message. The responses appear indented below it.

- In mail, you can leave a copy of your messages on the server. To set this option, click the Tools menu, and then click Accounts. Select the mail account you want to modify, and then click Properties. Click the Advanced tab, and then select the Leave A Copy Of Messages On Server check box.

- You can search for newsgroups that contain specific words in their names. To do this:

1. Click the Tools menu, and then click Newsgroups.
2. In the Search box, enter the words separated by a space.

You can also search newsgroup descriptions. If you cannot see the descriptions, click the Tools menu, and then click Accounts. Select the news account you want to modify, click Properties, and then click the Advanced tab. Next, select the Use Newsgroup Descriptions check box.• Click the Tools menu, and then click Newsgroups.• In the Newsgroups window, click "Reset List."

- You can have your signature added to all messages, including those that you reply to or forward. To do this, click the Tools menu, and then click Stationery. On the Mail or News tab, select the following check box: Add Signature To The End Of All Outgoing messages.

- It is possible to use HTML files as signatures as well as plain text files.

- To reorder columns, you can drag and drop column headings. Columns can be resized by dragging the right edge of the column header.

- You can view all the headers for a news message. To do this, double-click the message to open it in a separate window, click the View menu, and then click Full Headers.

- If you are running Outlook Express on Windows NT and you need to add support for a different language, double-click the Keyboard icon in Control Panel, and then click Add. Follow the instructions on your screen. This installs the appropriate NLS (National Language Support) files. You do not have to use the associated keyboard layout.

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For the latest information about Outlook Express as well as a list of Frequently Asked Questions, see our Web page at http://www.microsoft.com/ie/ie40/collab/imn. You may find that your questions can be answered here.

A newsgroup is dedicated to the discussion of Microsoft Outlook Express and provides peer support:

- news://msnews.microsoft.com/microsoft.public.inetexplorer.ie4.OutlookExpress

To read it, follow the procedure outlined in the Troubleshooting section above.

This site is the best place to go if you are experiencing a problem, as someone else who experienced the same problem might already have posted the solution.

4167. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6s8qk3$oo4$0@207.18.224.126>
Source record: 145781
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 18:45:31 -0500, Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net> wrote:

>Brett - N7OLQ wrote:
>>
>> I had never heard of National when I ran across their deal on the BC895
>> ($212 delivered). I picked up the phone, confirmed they had the item in
>> stock, and placed the order. It went very smoothly. I will buy from them
>> again.
>>
>
>
> Same exact price from from CEI so I wonder whats, what as far as a
>deal. with shipping the CEI is 212.95...six of one..half a dozen of the
>other...
>

Yep it does make one wonder. Wonder why CEI can't just be honest
about their shipping charges!

4168. New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6s8uuf$b9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new catalogs and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will still give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan but I do buy a few things there.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4169. Re: Phx PD ch 1?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7zzt@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s9mgc$7jm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145783

That doesn't happen very often, fortunately. Most of the time when the
crossband patch is down, its usually something wrong with the machine.
Believe it or not, there are places around Phoenix that a police car on vhf
cannot transmit out of.

If anyone wants some of the local frequencies, I can send along a text file...

Eric.

In article <1998082822514700.SAA05879@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
in2fyr@aol.com (IN2FYR) wrote:
> Often times Phx PD will Pull the patch link to the UHF freq if they are
working
> a major incident. That may be the problem in this case.
> I happen to live in a dead area for Chase1 UHF so i can only ever hear them on
> the vhf side.
>
> Sometimes it takes a day or so for them to remember to reestablish the patch
>
> hope this helps!
>
> Mike
> INCIDENT COMMAND PAGE OF ARIZONA
>

--
If Ignorance is bliss, then you must be real happy CBRAMBO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4170. Re: Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dickhollan@AOL.com
Message-ID: <6s9usohgs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I agree! I've done business with Bill for several years and no problems. He has a right to his ideas!

In article <35d85fce.2762265@news.mia.bellsouth.net>, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:
> I would like to ask that Bill Cheek's account be reinstated, and
> that further complaints about his Usenet posts be THOROUGHLY
> investigated before any action is taken. There are some in the
> newsgroup with a vendetta against him!
>
> Thank's for your time kryppy@bellsouth.net
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4171. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: yabyum@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s9vip$i5d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6s8uuf$b9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
kd1my@banet.net wrote:
> NO charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will >
still
> give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> people would take 10 of them if they had a chance.

I think it's a rediculous idea that one has to pay for advertisement at all.
RS is most certainly no charity, it's a business that makes money of their
advertisement. We don't have to have any pity with RS that it costs them
money to print the catalogs, they sure earn it back. If this type of
advertisement would not be cost effective to them then they would not have
catalogs. I guess it's as with many things that we've become to accept these
things and think it's normal. It's like telemarketers who call collect, I
guess one day we'll think that's normal too. If they would use the money to
plant trees that had to come down to make the catalog, then I would be
willing to pay.

> I am not a big RS fan but
> I do buy a few things there.

Same here. I bought a cassete player a couple of weeks ago at RS. The thing
costed $19.95 and this girl tried to sell me a waranty for $19.99. She did not
seem to understand that it was a bad deal and kept trying to sell me the
waranty.

>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4172. Re: R10 Decertifed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6s9fu4$dbb@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If your decent at soldering and have the right equipment, re-moving or
adding resistors is not that difficult.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

Highcove Family wrote in message <35E837A8.2D58@worldnet.att.net>...
>The mods I've seen don't seem so easy. They require finding some
>obscure chip and sautering it in. Have I missed something? Is there an
>easier way?
>
>Greg Renner wrote:
>>
>> Jeff Miller wrote:
>> >
>> > Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10
has
>> > been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious since I
have
>> > one.
>>
>> Yes, that the PCR 1000 and a couple of other units. Too easy to modify
>> for cell.
>>
>> Greg Renner

4173. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35e84c20.23553448@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145787
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Did you ever think maybe he got tired of all the back stabbing and
stuff? He has an account to get in here and read the groups but maybe
has decided not to do so, funny how it took makey so long after Bill
was gone to stop the crap, which has not happened yet, or at least
totally. And yes how many people out here have used his info on
modifying there scanners?
I think everyone on here whether they Like him or not should
start sending e-mail off to ekruse@san.rr.com to give BIll his account
back, he has done the scanner hobby more good than anyone on this
group. What are you going to do when mackey decides he doesn't like
what you are saying on here and starts in on you? SUre no problem
just ignore him? Eventually he will get you mad enough that you will
respond and then it will be him and you and then he will start
complaining to your ISP that you are picking on him, and then before
you know it you have lost your account.

I don't know what mackeys problem is and I don't care but
having sent enough shit to BIlls ISP to have them take away his
account was not right!
I know this war has gone on too long but this is ridiculous.

LETS GET BILL BACK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

On 29 Aug 1998 17:29:00 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:

>In <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net> Tim Thompson <tdt@sccoast.net> writes:
>>
>>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>>>
>>> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
>Cheeks.
>>> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address,
>and tell
>>> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his
>account
>>> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all,
>that I
>>> feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
>>>
>>> ekruse@san.rr.com
>>>
>>> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>>Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in
>their

>>scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk
>>upright and use our thumbs. You ain't gotta like him, but he has
>>contributed more to this hobby than anyone else.
>
>
> did anyone think that maybe he just got
> tired of the NG?
>
> the way it is.
>
> on a continuum
>
> bill conduit
> etc.

4174. Re: space

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6s9j32$gb4$2@supernews.com>
Source record: 145788

In article <01bdd374$9f296840$5fe72ac2@Steven>, "compkid" <compkid@netcomuk.co.uk> wrote:
>what are the frequencys for space craft and when can you hear them..
>
>compkld@netcomuk.co.uk

For the shuttle go here:

http://www.amsat.org/amsat/sarex/shutfreq.html

For amateur radio freqs try:

http://www.mhv.net/~trandall/page7.html

Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
*Changing soon to: http://www.idsi.net/~trandall/index.html
Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

4175. 2004 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cps@access.digex.net
Message-ID: <cps-ya02408000R2908981542530001@newsreader.digex.net>
Source record: 145789

Anyone know of a site that has a copy of the 2004 Service Manual?
Mine's had a problem for about a year where the sensitivity would
occasionally drop to zero, now it's completely insensitive all the time.
(The date code is 11A7, does this batch suffer from the defective wave
solder machine problem?)

Thanks,
Chris

--
Check out my web pages for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac software.
http://www.access.digex.net/~cps

"One if by land, two if by sea" -- Paul Revere, encryption 1775

4176. PRO-90 @ $199.99!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <eRYF1.335$ej4.8795443@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 145790

Radio Shack's current sale price on the PRO-90, @ $199.99 is hard to beat!
Not sure how much longer it's on sale though.

Bill Crocker

4177. Natchez Trace Parkway Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: grandnuk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082920382600.QAA09758@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145791

Looking for what they call channel #4. I have the normal channels.

4178. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s9r3p$5fh@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Len, CW is in NO WAY Morse Code.

As someone else stated, CW is a METHOD of transmitting Morse Code. "Morse Code" is the actual "encoding" of alphanumeric characters into short and long tones.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Len wrote in message <6s885bobs1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>Language police alert. Just as the word "gay" today has a different meaning
>than when I was growing up, so to does the word "CW". Yes it is a "word" the
>way we use it today in ham jargon. If I was "happy" today I certainly
>wouldn't say I was "gay"!! Today saying "I work CW" or "I send CW" means I
>send or am sending Morse code. (Even though that might not have been correct
>50 or a 100 years ago.) Everyone understands this so this is it's present
>meaning. I don't hear many guys on the bands saying "calling any
>ham....calling any ham...". That's because we all understand what the word
>"CQ" means and use it.
>
>Robinson, AB5VH wrote
>>There was no CW in the mid 1800's... not even science fiction yet. There
>was
>>Morse Code landline telegraphy, but no radio and certainly no CW.
>
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4179. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted van Beek <tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s9scd$t5f@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Hi KarL:
This is exactly what I stated:
If, in the circumstance of the "saving" of a human life,
you may operate in any manor consistant with the
"reasonable" and "Operationaly consistant"
considerations of "any" service. No single operator, following
this guideline, has been prosecuted.
HEY!!!!!
We are the good guys!. The FCC recognizes this. Local agencies
recognize this. All they ask, is that we don't get carried away!
(And I don't know of a single case in the last 20+ yrs that this has
happend)
Ted

Karl Beckman wrote in message <01bdd1cf$d84ea4b0$c2012791@csle87pc>...
>TED:
>If you will READ completely the single rule 97.403 you quoted, it says:
>"No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>communications needs in connection with ... when normal communication
>systems are not available." Be sure you have a current version of Part
>97, as the wording of this one changed in recent years. I just grabbed
>this one from the FCC web page.
>Note the fourth and fifth words, "these rules". They refer to Part 97
>Subpart E, which is entitled "Providing Emergency Communications", not
>to all of 47CFR. Other US Governmental rules, such as 47CFR2, which
>includes a requirement for radio type acceptance, and 47CFR90, which
>establishes eligibility requirements for public safety and other
>license applicants STILL DO APPLY! So does the remainder of Part 97,
>including the amateur frequency band definitions. Also note the last
>phrase of your quoted section, then read 97.401a and b which define the
>specific conditions under which such operations may be undertaken. It
>does NOT alow for the "I'm too far away from a pay-phone" or "My
>cellular phone was out of range" excuses.
>--
>Karl Beckman, PE Motorola LMPS - Eastern Div
>
>A.D. 1999 - The LAST year of the 1900's.
>A.D. 2000 - The LAST year of the 20th Century.
>
>Windows 95 (win-DOH-z), n. A thirty-two bit extension and graphical
>shell to a sixteen bit patch to an eight bit operating system
>originally coded for a four bit microprocessor which was written by a

>two bit company that can't stand one bit of competition.
>
>
>Ted van Beek <tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net> wrote in article
><6s216s$7he@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>...
>> Ralph:
>> Ref:
>> 97.403
>>
>> This section has been in force since 1934.
>> You should have known about this provision.
>> 73, Ted
>>
>> Ralph Mowery wrote in message <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>...
>> >> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
>> >> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is
>legal. That
>> >> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem
>> necessary.
>> >
>> >Can you point to the rules that state this ??
>> >
>> >If you are referring to PART 97, this has been restated by the FCC
>to only
>> >apply to hams and the transmission has to be in the ham bands. It
>is not a
>> >blanket statement ment for anyone and on any frequency other than
>the ham
>> bands
>> >and for hams.
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4180. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3690780b.1408940596@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 17:16:13 +0100, "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
>Not even today. There is, after all, MCW, which is another mode used for
>morse code. There is also the case of Morse Code sent over FM as an on-off
>keyed audio tone modulating an FM carrier, such as is used by some club
>stations for code practice. You don't see Morse Code tapes labeled "CW
>tapes", either. If you are claiming that CW is now the common term for all
>Morse Code, I must disagree. It is not CW at all unless it is sent with a CW
>transmitter.

>Even a SSB radio with a Morse keyed audio tone input is not
>considered CW by the FCC, if you believe part 80 and part 97 of 47CFR have
>any validity, even though when properly done this is undistinguishable on
>the air from real CW.

Ok, I was nodding my head in agreement until we got here. A keyed pure
tone into a SSB transmitter *is* CW. The rules specify the characteristics
of the emission, not the circuit configuration of the radio. When configured
as above, you've just got a hetrodyne CW transmitter.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4181. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Stillinger <kb6ibb@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6s9ugm$377@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145795

A good point being to always check before you enter a state. A good source of information is the states entry point. You know the one, it's got all the truck traffic backed up. A state may allow you to carry scanners and radar detectors perminatly mounted in a vehicle. However some counties and cities will not allow it. California for example allows it, however the city of Los Angeles does not. When you go to an airshow at a military base radar detectors are strictly forbiden. Not that they pay any attention, but thats gee wiz info.

The work around is simple. Mount the detector under the hood, dead center. Just behind the grill works great. Run a LED to the dash and label it "Security System". A nice looking switch to turn it off and on can also be installed. My car has a built in LED labeled "Security" just above the speedo. This works great and it would take a cop many hours and a good inspection to find it. I wired the power switch to the crusie control switch.

My ham radio unit works great for covering up the fact that I am scanning. During a "pull over" I simply hit the VFO button and key lock switches. The radio is now locked to a ham frequency. Switching the unit off while the cop walks up to the car helps as well. Draw no attention to the fact you are scanning. The officer really only has one thing on his mind. Is this person going to kill me. Your speeding violation is a secondary thought.

--js

In article <19980828091647 01.FAA11281@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>>>> In Florida it is legal to use a scanner in a car as long as it is not
>>>> "installed," the definition being connected to both an external antenna
>>and
>>>the
>>>> vehicle's electrical system.
>
>This definition of "installed" was issued by the Florida Attorney General's
>Office after the Florida Press Association asked for clarification. At the
>time, the media was not exempt from the statute. That was corrected with an
>amendment the following year.
>
>JW

4182. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ivor D. Jones" <ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ZpoNeGAtTI61Ewca@europa1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>, Ron Ricketts
<rrickets@ix.netcom.com> writes
>On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
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>I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
>down to this:
>
>If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
>disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
>worry about the consequences afterwords.
>
>End of story!

Ok, we'll come and visit you in jail!

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73 de Ivor G6URP
Email: ivor.g6urp@europa1.demon.co.uk
Packet: g6urp@gb7sol.#29.gbr.eu

4183. fcc, outdoor antennas & condos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rob <robby@nospam.nac.net>
Message-ID: <35E876EC.DF928323@nospam.nac.net>
Source record: 145797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Radio Shack 1999 catalog pq 151 states that property owners have a right to install outdoor antennas and also satellite dishes < 39 inches dia by FCC ruling that overrules for example condo association limitations except for safety and historical sites. I doubt that my condo assoc will accept a RS catalog as the final word. Anyone have any more info or links to details?

4184. Re: What is a "SCANNIST"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35e986b7.1755663@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 145798

A "scannist" used to be called a "hobbiest" until people started realizing that it is "hobbyist" and not "hobbiest" which is a descriptive.

Repeat after me: its, not it's and "a lot" not "alot" or "allott".

They're there their.

4185. New stuff..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex Rubenstein <alex@nac.net>
Message-ID: <35E7874C.777BC403@nac.net>
Source record: 145799

I've been out of the llop for a while, and I am looking to pick a new scanner or two.

I already picked up a PRO-2050, which I find ok -- I mean trunk tracking is very cool, but I am not impressed overall (it just doesn't feel as quality as, say, a 2006).

I've been looking at either a BC895 or BC9000; my question is, is there any truth to the claim that they are *unmodifiable* for cell?

TIA.

4186. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35E8890F.E97638A0@datasync.com>
Source record: 145800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

HERE HERE good answer
donkb5fhx

Ron Ricketts wrote:
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> On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
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> worry about the consequences afterwords.
>
> End of story!

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other pages we are involved in
http://hattiesburg.net/columns/index.shtml My Weekly column
http://www.datasync.com/skywarn JOIN THE SKYWARN WEBRING
http://www.qsl.net/kb5zvw Navy mars MS area page

4187. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35e891f5.41433316@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145801

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

4188. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JKirby@antispam.co.uk
Message-ID: <35e8971e.0@mercury.nildram.co.uk>
Source record: 145802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>The only difference is that when using an amateur rig, anyone with a scanner
>or another rig can hear your emergency. It doesn't matter if who you're
>talking "dickers" with ya, because someone else listening could just help
>you out.

It does not matter how many people hear you. If you are talking to
one person, everyone else will assume it is being dealt with.

If you want to test the reliability of people to help you when you
are in trouble, try putting your head out of a window and start
screaming. You can expect to be completely ignored, and if
not you will be told to shut up and stop making so much noise.

>This goes for a repeater autopatch, just the same.

>A cell phone, however, is much different, as only the party you're calling
>and a few people with illegally modified scanners can hear you.

With a cell phone you will choose who you talk to, and make the
call count. Most people can remember 911 or whatever.

John

4189. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Rabinowitz <steve86@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6sabhunsu1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 145803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I bought a few things also but they still wanted to charge me $2.95.

kd1my@banet.net wrote in message <6s8uuf$b9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
>only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new
catalogs
>and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
>charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will
still
>give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
>people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan
but
>I do buy a few things there.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4190. Re: fcc, outdoor antennas & condos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6saase$233$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

This link to a FCC fact sheet on the ruling should be of help.
http://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Factsheets/otafacts.html

rob wrote in message <35E876EC.DF928323@nospam.nac.net>...
>Radio Shack 1999 catalog pq 151 states that property owners have a right
>to install outdoor antennas and also satellite dishes < 39 inches dia by
>FCC ruling that overrules for example condo association limitations
>except for safety and historical sites. I doubt that my condo assoc will
>accept a RS catalog as the final word. Anyone have any more info or
>links to details?
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4191. FS. PRO 2022 800 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommis <tommis@matrix.uti.com>
Message-ID: <35E8B637.4E23ACF4@matrix.uti.com>
Source record: 145805

PRO 2022 800 MHz 200 channel very good condition, $150 plus shipping.
Tommis

4192. Re: Are Radar Detectors Burglar's Tools or Safety Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bershinger <bershinger@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sahtj$fm8i$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145806
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage

I suppose if the government really wanted to, it could put radar transmitters all over the place so whenever you were on the road you detector would be chirping like crazy, thus rendering it useless.

Or the government could mandate that speed limit signs carry transmitters that would send signals to your car's computer preventing your car from going faster than the limit on the sign. This could easily be sold to the public on the basis of protecting our children etc.

There is a lot they can do and eventually they will get around to it all. Just hide and watch.

4193. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sadhk$3g7$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

yabyum@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
>
>I think it's a rediculous idea that one has to pay for advertisement at
all.
>RS is most certainly no charity, it's a business that makes money of their
>advertisement.

Advertisement? Those catalogs are produced for the benefit of the
salespeople. It is a reference guide and a training tool. RadioShack is kind
enough to provide them to customers that also find them helpful.

>We don't have to have any pity with RS that it costs them
>money to print the catalogs, they sure earn it back. If this type of
>advertisement would not be cost effective to them then they would not have
>catalogs.

The monthly mailout that is targeted to customers who volunteer their names
and addresses are significantly more effective advertising than the catalog.
A few years back the elimination of the RadioShack catalog was discussed.
Instead someone thought of the idea of selling the catalog on newstands (I
noticed that they were for sale at Wal-Mart). This is when RadioShack
started selling the catalog. The first year the catalog had coupons in it to
compensate for the customer's investment. The first year (four years ago)
was the only year that RadioShack charged for the catalog at the RadioShack
store. After that they have a policy that the exchange of name and address
information for the mailing list was a fair price for the catalog.

>I guess it's as with many things that we've become to accept these
>things and think it's normal. It's like telemarketers who call collect, I
>guess one day we'll think that's normal too. If they would use the money to
>plant trees that had to come down to make the catalog, then I would be
>willing to pay.

Use what money to plant trees? The money that they earn from the sale of the
catalogs? They don't make any money directly from the sale of catalogs. In
fact the costs of the catalog are a lot greater than the profits made from
selling them even if everyone produced were purchased. If you are concerned
for our environment then take your old NiCd batteries to them to be
recycled.

4194. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <35E8B879.512@wt.net>
Source record: 145808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Torres wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> Now we are agree that saving lives is more important than the law.
> Anybody care to tell me how I can transmit on the Police frequencies?
> According to PerCon, my local frequency is 460.2325. I can receive
> their conversation, but they cannot hear me on my hand held portable
> radio.
>
> What's the offset on their UHF freq? Tone?

Do you like jail? Thats where you will end up if they catch you transmitting on a public service band like the police. We have seen a bit of this in Houston at times. But doesn't last very long. If you feel the need to contact the police that strongly I suggest a cell phone. I know a guy that is a future police officer that passed the police acadamy etc. He got caught with a police radio in his car. He DID NOT USE IT. He just happened to have one that would operate police freqs with a ham mod in it. He did not pass go or collect 200$. He went to jail. And I don't think he deserved it at all, but thats another story. The bottom line is the police take a very dim view of jamming or using their frequencies. If you get caught with a radio that can access police frequencies expect to go to jail. For a while anyway. MK

4195. EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. W. Balinski" <eugeneb@nni.com>
Message-ID: <35E8C1DF.3626@nni.com>
Source record: 145809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The rumor mill is working overtime again. I have heard that Rat Shack is coming out with an EDACS capable scanner after the first of the year. Can anyone confirm or deny the rumor ??

Thanks,
GB

4196. where to buy a trunk scanner in seattle area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Clift <petercli@returnix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6sahtt$l88@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145810

Does any store sell trunk scanners in Seattle,was area?

I want to listen in to local government talk.

I bought one mail order , but I couldn't figure out how to program it.
I really need someone at the store to get me started.

Thk,Peter

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Delete REMOVE from address to reply via email

4197. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35E8C9B1.59C674F4@datasync.com>
Source record: 145811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

JAIL just for having it, NOT not even in texas
there is more to this story than meets the eyes
YOU CAN LISTEN TO ANYTHING YOU WANT
you just cannot transmitt on a lot of them UNLESS your authorized
the only exception i know to this is some cell frequencies
don

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4198. RF meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spectator@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28580-35E8C680-66@newsd-164.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145812

Can anyone tell me exactally where to solder the connections in my PRO-2042. I built the RF meter according to BILL CHEEKS mod #25 in book #2. I just can't figure out where on the board to solder the leads

4199. Re: where to buy a trunk scanner in seattle area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@uia.net>
Message-ID: <6sal8j$an7$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145813

Try to find a radio shack store or there is a web page that has alot of info
on the seattle area and i think that they have some kind of club.just wait
for a reply from some one up there and ill try to find the website.
Peter Clift wrote in message <6sahtt$l88@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>...
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4200. F.S(Canada) Uniden Bearcat Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35e8dba3.0@carrera>
Source record: 145814
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

BC 800XLT Base Scanner 40 Ch,800MHz,Weather Search,mint non smoker cond,c/w
manual,box and bill of sale,
Asking $150 CDN funds $100. US funds
Located Langley BC(604)533-3567
Can ship Canada or US

4201. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <2O5G1.932$dM2.123600@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145815
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I second this 100%. We could use Bill's knowledge. Mackey, Mackey who ???

Mike

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Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
Jabba T. Hutt wrote in message <35e84c20.23553448@news.iaw.on.ca>...
> Did you ever think maybe he got tired of all the back stabbing and
>stuff? He has an account to get in here and read the groups but maybe
>has decided not to do so, funny how it took makey so long after Bill
>was gone to stop the crap, which has not happened yet, or at least
>totally. And yes how many people out here have used his info on
>modifying there scanners?
> I think everyone on here whether they Like him or not should
>start sending e-mail off to ekruse@san.rr.com to give BIll his account
>back, he has done the scanner hobby more good than anyone on this
>group. What are you going to do when mackey decides he doesn't like
>what you are saying on here and starts in on you? SUre no problem
>just ignore him? Eventually he will get you mad enough that you will
>respond and then it will be him and you and then he will start
>complaining to your ISP that you are picking on him, and then before
>you know it you have lost your account.
>
> I don't know what mackeys problem is and I don't care but
>having sent enough shit to BIlls ISP to have them take away his
>account was not right!
> I know this war has gone on too long but this is ridiculous.
>
>LETS GET BILL BACK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>
>On 29 Aug 1998 17:29:00 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:
>
>>In <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net> Tim Thompson <tdt@sccoast.net> writes:
>>>
>>>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>>>>
>>>> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
>>Cheeks.
>>>> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address,
>>and tell
>>>> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his

>>account
>>>> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all,
>>that I
>>>> feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
>>>>
>>>> ekruse@san.rr.com
>>>>
>>>> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>>>Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in
>>their
>>>scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk
>>>upright and use our thumbs. You ain't gotta like him, but he has
>>>contributed more to this hobby than anyone else.
>>
>>
>> did anyone think that maybe he just got
>> tired of the NG?
>>
>> the way it is.
>>
>> on a continuum
>>
>> bill conduit
>> etc.
>

4202. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Summers <rnsummer@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <35E82F42.F7CAF803@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 145816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

You should be a writer; your books would sell well.

thelibnet@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <6s8uuf$b9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> kd1my@banet.net wrote:
>
> > I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
> > only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new catalogs
> > and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
> > charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will still
> > give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> > people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan but
> > I do buy a few things there.
> >
>
> I am glad to see there are some smart people left in this newsgroup like
> KD1MY. Every CBer and Hamateur should support his/her/its local Radio Shack
> because the nice fellows in there care about us normally regular radio
> affliction autos what have a brain. I spend at least two hours and sometimes
> five hours a day in my Radio Shack looking at stuff. I am trying to decide
> what stuff I will buy when I get into the big bucks very soon when my cousin
> Alberto gets back from Bogota. He went there on company business.
>
> I see plenty of rich hams coming in and out of Radio Shack. They stock up on
> all the good stuff. They stock up big time PL-229's and foaming coax! I try
> to ask Mr. Man in there a lot of intelligent questions and get an education
> while I am just loyturding in the place. I do some nice favors and odd jobs
> for Mr. Man when he lets me. And I do it no charge. Gradius as they say.
> That's how I treat MY friends.
>
> Mr. Man also gets free pizza, bread sticks and Pepsi Cola when he comes in
> Domino's on Wabash. His money don't spend when I am on duty. I tolt the
> Domino's manager that Mr. Man is a detective from the police department. The
> manager tolt me, "Don't charge that guy nothing. His money ain't no good in
> here!" You see, my manager treats the police with respect and never charges
> a cop who be a sargent or higher up. We do charge the stumblebum patrolmen or
> else we be broke by now feeding those porkers. I pulled a fast one to get
> Mr. Man free pizzas. That proves I'm no a half wit like KC8JBO be saying.
>
> Why spend the $$$ to go to trade school when I can be learned easier by Mr.
> Man? Mr. Man at our Radio Shack is working there temporarily until The
> Radiation Laboratory at M.I.T. gets his resume and hires him. He also has
> his no-code tech license like me. His CB handle is Dr. Radio Brain. He

> calls himself that because he knows a lot bout radio and where to find cheap
> radios that have been extrivated and liberated for our use. That's what he
> goes by on two meters too. Dr. Radio Brain.
>
> He fixed my rubber ducky with a paper clip. How many the fools call
> themselves hams in this newsgroup could do that??? He is also the one who
> tolt me bout the Dick Gregory diet plan. It worked for him so it will work
> for me. "You can't loose without the stuff I use!" That is what Mr. Man at
> the Radio Shack always says. My will powering isn't too normous yet so I
> still bring lots of yummy goodies into the Radio Snack while I am camping
> there.
>
> The store manager yelled at Mr. Man and me bout 10 or maybe 75 times for all
> the Dorito and Cheezit crumbs we be dropping on the floor. I try to clean up
> after my own self most of the time or at least once in a while if ever. The
> manager be a real sissy who be always screaming at us for lewd and last stiff
> lust behavior. But me and Mr. Man just be clowning most the time when we
> ain't cirrus with each other.
>
> You should be a BIG BIG Radio Shack fan. Where else are we going to hang
> out? At Dunken Donuts with the Blue Porker Patrol? I agree with you on the
> catalogs. I used to take about 20 or maybe 50 of them when they were free.
> Sometimes I would cut out the pictures of the radios and paste them with
> Elmer's on my lost-leaf notebook. That was when I was still in the regular
> real high school with walls and winders. I don't tend that place no more. I
> am now in alternate facilities which is reversed to as Non-Traditional
> Learning without walls or winders. I am closer to my GED than KC8JBO is to
> his General Class License. So there. That shows I be making something out
> of myself in this newsgroup, don't it?
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>

4203. Re: fcc, outdoor antennas & condos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <aL5G1.925$dM2.122759@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm so glad I don't live in a condo or gated community with a homeowners association. They would have a fit with the antenna farm on my roof. That antenna farm is one thing I'm not giving up. My neighbors don't mind it, as they come over to ask me what's going on everytime a firetruck or police car shows up in the neighborhood.

Good luck ...

Mike

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Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
rob wrote in message <35E876EC.DF928323@nospam.nac.net>...
>Radio Shack 1999 catalog pq 151 states that property owners have a right
>to install outdoor antennas and also satellite dishes < 39 inches dia by
>FCC ruling that overrules for example condo association limitations
>except for safety and historical sites. I doubt that my condo assoc will
>accept a RS catalog as the final word. Anyone have any more info or
>links to details?
>
>
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>

4204. How to transmit on police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <297_9808292309@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145818

-=> Quoting Hynde to All <=-

> You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not
> allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble.

Hy> Actually there was a fellow who used a police radio to call for help
Hy> when an officer was down.

But he used a radio that was type accepted and licensed to the police.
That is not the same as using a ham or other radio while transmitting
out of band on a police frequency. Big difference there.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

4205. FS ICOM R10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net>
Message-ID: <35E8FE26.3242@maui.net>
Source record: 145819

Icom R10 Portable Scanner / Receiver
500kHz-1300MHz (unblocked)
Like new, original box & manual, nicads & charger 110V
1000 channel memory, radio in perfectly new condition
$400.00 shipped

4206. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6s7eps$h4s$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Faricys wrote in message <6s6id3$d7r@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Incorrect. CW/Morse code was used as early as the mid-1800's.

Morse Code was indeed used in the mid 1800's, but CW was not. Morse Code was used on the landline telegraph system, though a slightly different version than the International Morse Code used in Amateur Radio was used. There was no radio as we know it, and certainly no CW, nor even Spark (damped wave) transmissions. CW and Morse Code are NOT the same thing. You must have an oscillator and some means of radiating the signal therefrom in order to have CW. Samuel F. B. Morse invented Morse Code... he did NOT EVEN DREAM of CW. The landline telegraph was technical achievement enough for that day and age.

Discounting a few other experimenters with prior claims generally unrecognized today as being "real" radio, Guglielmo Marconi sent the first Spark transmissions of practical communications value in 1895. This was Damped Wave, or Spark, and not CW. CW was not practical until the invention of the Audion, or Triode, by DeForest in 1906 and not in general use until a few years later.

Mid 1800's? Maxwell did not even publish the theoretical work until 1873. The coherer was invented by David Edward Hughes in 1879. Around 1888, Heinrich Hertz started playing around with his spark gap generator. There was still no real communication, since the only way to detect at a distance the presence of radio waves was through use of the coherer, which only indicates when a transmission begins, not when it stops. An improved coherer was invented by Marconi in 1895, along with a recognizable antenna/ground system, an improved spark oscillator, and a couple of other wrinkles that enabled the first Morse Code transmission and reception via radio over any practical distance in the same year. In 1897 he transmitted from shore to a ship 18 miles distant. in 1899, the FIRST commercial radiocommunication link was established, between England and France. This was STILL not CW. In 1901, radio came of age with the first verified transatlantic communication, with regular two way traffic beginning the next year. STILL not CW. CW did not come about until around 1907 but I am not sure of the exact year... but the triode, initially used as a receiving amplifier, did not come about until 1906 anyway.

There was no CW in the mid 1800's... not even science fiction yet. There was Morse Code landline telegraphy, but no radio and certainly no CW.

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******PLEASE REMOVE ANTI-SPAM TO REPLY VIA EMAIL*******

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73 DE AB5VH (Robinson) in San Benito, Texas
A nice little town in the beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border, By the Sea

New or Wannabe HAMS... go to my site for info and resources!
Ladies! SEE A HANDSOME HAM!
NEW! Amateur Locksmithing Page!
New shorter URL:

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http://crusoe.org

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dit diddy dit dit

4207. Re: Ontario Police Commission Freq's? (CANADA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35e74c12.333944@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 145880
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Here you go :o)

Main 149.83
F1 139.53
F2 140.115
F3 139.545
F4 142.77
F5 141.885
F6 141.795
F7 141.84
F8 141.9
F9 140.04
F10 140.13
F11 139.65
F12 149.86

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 22:28:53 GMT, no@e.mail (serial) wrote:

>does anyone know of a link to a site with the ontario police commission freq's many
Ontario's smaller police forces
>(like mine)use some of these freqs for drug and surveilance ops....as they are not listed
to any particular police force
>and are generally unknown....scanner enthusiast's (and the bad guys) usually miss
them....
>
>i used to have them but lost my listing (there are about 15 of them) they are listed in
the haruteq freq book under the
>Ontario section.
>
>
>which i seem to have lost in a move
>
>thanks in advance
>
>d
>

"To forgive is to set a prisoner free,
then realize that the prisoner was you."

Mina Naguib (a.k.a. DaFrog)
home : http://dafrog.cjb.net
ICQ UIN #6181556

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my email address

4208. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s7hri$mbh@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

No, it is incorrect -- amateur operators are allowed to transmit OUT OF
THEIR PRIVILEGED bands, however NOT out of the amateur bands entirely.

In other words, no, you cannot transmit on any frequency in a dire
emergency, OTHER than any amateur frequency.

I've re-read 97.403 and it's context, and it does clearly state what I've
said above. Try the "FCC Rule Book", as it shows the same.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Don or Darla Arnold wrote in message <35E73F03.5DB252EF@datasync.com>...
>Hi there
>this is the "MOST CORRECT ANSWER"
>don
>kb5fhx
>
>
>Ted van Beek wrote:
>>
>> Actually Hell is wrong.

4209. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s7i3j$nil@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Incorrect, Dennis. I've re-read 97.403 (and context) and I've re-read a section in the FCC Rule Book, and it clearly states that no transceivers that are not licensed and not type-accepted for a specific band may be used AT ANY TIME for ANY REASON.

This does mean, however, that you may transmit on ANY AMATEUR frequency -- just not out-of-band.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Dennis McGrath wrote in message
<6s4gtr$50d$2@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
> O.K., this can be argued for eternity. Question is how can you legally
>test to see if the mod works and is receivable by others? You can't do it
>unless there is a life threatening situation and you are unable contact
>anyone on any other freq.
>
>Dennis
>KF6NBF
>
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>

4210. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6s7h30$lab@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <0lxF1.365$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>,
Just Cause <need@help.com> wrote:
>Hey Rich, if they didn't use CW what did they use to communicate. I'm sure it
>wasn't voice! CW= ON_OFF_KEYING which was used with the spark transmitter.

CW = Continuous Wave (as opposed to the Damped Wave from a spark set).

4211. Re: Need advise on antenna installation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s7hhc$kiu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145884

Grounding it would help some (the outer coax shield), and also make sure the antenna is not horizontally polarized near power lines.

Also, I wouldn't have used RG-58. RG-8, RG-11, RG-6, or RG-213 would be much better.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Neither did I.

Bob Esacove wrote in message <35E74215.4594@ix.netcom.com>...
>Just installed an Archer (Radio Shake) cat. no. 20-014 antennia on 40"
>mast. I am using a BC200XTL w/50' RG-58 coax cable. I worked my butt off
>and frankly I don't see a difference in the reception except that I am
>getting a lot more static.
>
>Is this type of antennia directional? Is there a smart way to adjust or
>rotate for best performance? Will grounding help cut static? I thought
>an antenna was going to be a real plus but now I have my doughts.
>
>Thank you Bob mebe@ix.netcom.com

4212. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s7hui$mo3@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145885

Again, exactly -- and it's not illegal!
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

JackT21262 wrote in message
<19980828204525000.QAA19789@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> Exactly! For you fanatics who think that you are someday going to
come
>across an emergecny and somehow magically trasnmit on a police
>frequency.....forget it and get a life. use a phone and call 911.

4213. Re: DIE THREAD DIE [was: EMERGENCY Transmission]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s7ia5$oji@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Agreed -- and I've already admitted more than once that I was wrong. Hans
just keeps going!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Brian Humphrey wrote in message
<6s5m56$1044$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>Rather than have to add "EMERGENCY" to my kill file, I beg you to please
let
>this thread die. If you so desire, you can continue your "paper-sword"
>battle via e-mail.
>
>

4214. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert628103@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6s7mpcpo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <35E73686.56CE@ccnet.com>,
cwheeler@ccnet.com wrote:

> I'll also mention my experiences with emergencies... The only times
> (twice) I have ever been in a places where radio service was scarce and
> I had to call for help, amateur radio was only thing that DID work...
> and it was 440MHz that came through both times.

I'll mention mine too: The only three times I have ever been in a situation where emergency assistance was needed, amateur radio FAILED MISERABLY! A cell phone call saved the day. Some old coots on a 2M repeater wanted to dicker with me when I asked for someone to call the police.

In fact, there is no longer any superstition in my mind that amateur radio is relevant any more in this day of satellite transponders and cell towers. A cell phone is a far better investment in emergencies than any ham rig could ever be.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4215. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s7ih6$q17@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>It is against the LAW to modify any amateur transceiver
*****
This is one statement which I absolutely know is incorrect:

It is NOT illegal to MODIFY a transceiver to transmit out of band, it would be illegal IF you transmitted out of band. ... at least in the US ITU region.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Neither did I.

Just Cause wrote in message <4bxF1.362$Iq1.253915@news.mci2000.com>...
>It is against the LAW to modify any amateur transceiver to operate out of band
>unless you are a MARS or CAP member. Otherwise the radio is not FCC type
>accepted or approved to operate on the public service frequencies. You can
>only use the radio for amateur and MARS or CAP if licensed.

4216. REQ: Disneyworld Frequency listings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dratomic@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <35e86ad7.8347975@news.texas.net>
Source record: 145889

Greetings!

I'm going to DisneyWorld soon so I'm looking for a good list of frequencies to monitor while I'm there at the parks. Your help is appreciated!

Joe

4217. PRO-2066

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@hotmail.net
Message-ID: <6s7lce$5q1$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145890
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I see in the Radio Shack 1999 catalog, a mobile trunking scanner that's the size of a standard AM/FM car radio. PRO-2066 for $219.99

This is the scanner, I've been hoping that they would make someday.

I didn't see a disclaimer in the catalog about Motorola trunking only.

It's so new, a WEB/USENET search didn't turn up much of anything.

Does anyone know if this is made by Uniden? and if so, then Uniden's part #?
Also does any mailorder companies sell this scanner?

4218. Need mods for Pro 2021 and Pro 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tallboy36@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082902261700.WAA04485@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145891

Need any mods for Realistic Pro 2021 and Realistic Pro 51.
Any information will help send to

tallboy36@aol.com

4219. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Webber <georgewebber@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35E76A2E.BE608300@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145892

Barry O'Grady wrote:

> Cordless is from 30.075 to 30.300 MHz in 25 KHz steps.
> Cell is from 825 to 845 MHz for phone TX and 870 to 890 MHz for cell TX
> in 30 KHz steps.
>
> Barry

I have been away from this newsgroup for months and I come back to see this guy still does the same thing. The world does not revolve around Australia, you know. There is much more of the world out there besides Australia. Get used to it. Bloody self-centered Australians!

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Iacta alea est.
--Julius Caesar

4220. Re: Freq. for Seattle Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: sean douglas <radiogarden@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd2f9$8c40f980$ea01410c@user>
Source record: 145893

Not too bad, has many errors though. Haven't been many updates lately.

BJ <billjoh1@concentric.net> wrote in article
<6s5joq$dj6@chronicle.concentric.net>...
>
> G.Nelson wrote in message <35E5F08A.2BC7CC8D@foxinternet.net>...
> >I was just wondering if anyone had some kind of list for the Seattle (S.
> >King County) area????
> >
> >Thanks
> >George Nelson
> >
>
> A great site with extensive info on Seattle and King County freqs and
trunk
> system is a site called Intercept. It is a Seattle based organization
> dedicated to the Seattle local monitoring community. Click on the
pointer
> below to go to Intercept.
>
> http://www.wolfenet.com/~daydream/index.html
>
> Enjoy / Regards
>
> Bill Johnston
>
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>

4221. Re: OPP Airborne freqs? (Ontario, Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Rodger Brown <rrbrown@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <KgKF1.4238$Z_4.5695653@tor-nn1-ca>
Source record: 145894

In article <35e82c5a.19258881@news1.on.sympatico.ca>,
no@e.mail (serial) wrote:

>does anyone know what the OPP airborne freqs are (helicopter and fixed
wing) i havent found any reference to them
>anywhere and the opp chopper is buzzing around this area all the
time....id like to know why
>

Usually the OPP helicopters (2 of them based out of General Headquarters
in Orillia) operate on SIM-01 (140.9700). So, you could only hear them
if they are close by. They could also be on provincial common (142.7700)
if they are working with another agency. They don't operate on the tower
frequencies (dispatch frequencies) because they would hit too many towers
and end up repeating across half the province.

As for what they were doing, probably searching for marijuana fields
(they were doing that in York Region recently) or maybe a search and
rescue job.

>
>
>as an aside....the ministry of health lifeflight chopper freqs would be
appreciated as well
>
>
>d

MOH helicopters operate on 413.6875. They usually call ground ambulances
on provincial (150.1000). The helicopter based in Toronto is known as
"799".

4222. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry <tex@usaor.net>
Message-ID: <JdKF1.718$p4.2257831@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 145895

Thanks to everyone for all the info.

I actually had already ordered the Phazer before I posted the question so I guess I will just have to find out the hard way.

I will be driving from Pennsylvania to Texas in October - and have driven this route probably 10 times in the last couple of years. I have a radar detector and a portable CB which I take with me but I have a new car and wanted a bit more protection - hence the jammer.

I will use the washers on the front license plate (actually PA does not have a front license plate - but it has a plate on it showing where I bought the car). I'll check the car for other flat surfaces but it is fairly streamlined
('98 Saab).

Anyway, thanks to everyone for the posts and the e-mails.

Jerry

4223. Re: pro-2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6s7sah$6on$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145896

The only way to get cellular out of the 2042 is to replace
the CPU with the European Version, or do that welfare VD mod ;-)
......BUT unfortunately,RS now has forbid the manufacturer of
the CPU (GRE) to sell the UK version CPU to the usual suppliers
....myself, I think that really stinks but what can you do
.....big brother has a lot of pull I guess....
SeeYa !!!!
Eddie Kosloski
scanist@acmenet.net

In article <1998082801391200.VAA12414@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
bpowell632@aol.com (BPowell632) wrote:
> Try looking around Javiatons web site they have some info on "full coverage"
> mods for the 2042 they may still be out of stock for the parts though.they
> allso have a link to optoelectronics site for those interested in computer
> control. The url is http://www.javiation.co.uk/
>
> Brett
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4224. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082904283300.AAA08285@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145897

In article <6s7uqvaup1@hornet.fibr.net>, "Cyber357" <cyber357@nwol.net>
writes:

>the RS guy did not know what he was talking
>about.

THIS is newsworthy?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4225. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Wertz <artwertz@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <35E78478.4AB3A64@world-net.net>
Source record: 145898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Did the Union or the Confederacy have the best radios???
--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@world-net.net
http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz

4226. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Wertz <artwertz@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <35E786C0.3951CA75@world-net.net>
Source record: 145899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If amateurs were sending CW in the mid 1800's, they shaould have
told Marconi and he wouldn't have wasted his time experimenting
in 1901!!!!
Amateur radio began AFTER Marconi showed it could be done!!!
--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@world-net.net
http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz

4227. Re: Satellite TV Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35E78A11.9DD7F00E@geocities.com>
Source record: 145900

Caesar1000 wrote:

> I have a scanner that picks up wide FM (TV stations). Can I pick up Satellite
> TV station? Anyone know the frequencies?
>
> Thanks
>
> Jesse

Satellite TV (C Band TVRO) downlinks are up around 3.7GHz to 4.2GHz, and (Ku band) 11.7GHz to 12.2GHz. I don't think your scanner could pick this up, and even if it could, you'd need to amplify the signal by about 100,000 (i.e. need a dish and proper LNB) and possibly be able to decode the signal if it's sent digitally or encoded, which would require a receiver as well, defeating the purpose of using a scanner altogether.

There are, however, some tricks you can perform with an existing satellite receiver /dish setup and your scanner. I don't recall exactly where I read it, but you can connect your scanner to the TV output of the satellite receiver and somewhere on 70-80MHz you can hear certain satellite audio stations on the scanner itself. (if I remember correctly, these stations are not available to the existing satellite receiver system) Try doing a search on Scanner Tricks over at Yahoo.. I think it was on one of those pages. There's lots of neat stuff out there!

--Michael

4228. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: SergtRock@sgtrock.com
Message-ID: <35e7835c.202740520@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 21:34:42 -0700, "Mike Derryberry"
<michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> wrote:

>The CHP picked up the old LA Sheriff 39mhz freqs for use in southern CA
>only. The only place the are now used is in the Border Division.
>
>Yes the CHP is now using radar statewide. Look out if flying low down the
>highway ...
>
>Mike
The CHP uses the 39 MHZ freqs statewide & has for a very long time.
Long before LASD went to UHF.

Sgt. Rock

4229. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f48c1e.8066630@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 28 Aug 1998 15:55:32 GMT, richm@ucesucks.mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
(Rich) wrote:

>On 28 Aug 1998 15:29:39 GMT, The Faricys <jtonsa@nospam.worldnet.atandt.net> wrote:
>>Incorrect. CW/Morse code was used as early as the mid-1800's.
>>
>>Here are some sites to back this statement up:
>>http://www.cris.com/~gsraven/history.html
>>http://home.navisoft.com/horn/articles/morse96.htm
>>http://www.databahn.net/library/inet/history/telegrph/index.htm
>>
>
> None of those URl's even make mention of CW vs. Spark transmission.
>The assertion that CW was used in the mid 1800's is patently *absurd*.
>Neither tubes nor alternator-based CW generators had even been
>invented yet, much less any practical radio system. Landline
>telegraphs used a completely different mechanism.
>
> CW != Morse code.
>
>
>- Rich
>
>--

A piece of advice, just let ryan be right or this thread will never
end..or take it over to one of the proper amateur groups so he can see
just how little he knows!

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4230. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f58cb8.8220881@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145903

On 28 Aug 1998 06:23:43 GMT, "D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>
>I think "a_alpha" whatever lost his account somehow. His email
>address now has "permanent fatal errors", although it was working
>early yesterday.
>
>Could it be ... something to do with distributing cracked software?
>(Picture the Church Lady....g)
>
>

His site actually had no cracks or pirated SW on it, really nothing
illegal at all. It had a very long disclaimer about how evil that
stuff is.

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4231. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f68d3a.8350456@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145904

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 02:58:08 GMT, thekat@san.rr.org (Bud) wrote:

>On 25 Aug 1998 19:22:17 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
>wrote:
>
>>Are *you* capable of telling us (or anyone) how to do business --- do you
>>have your own national store chain?
>
>Ryan, I did it before, and I'll now do it again, you're in a 'kill' filter,
>in both my newsreader, AND my e-mail.
>
>

Haha, I've been tempted to filter him, but the comedy value is just
too great, but I did have to killfile him on email since the 20 or so
a day he sends is just much too much..since you see it in the NG
anyway!

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4232. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f78dee.8530941@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145905

On 28 Aug 1998 09:16:47 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>>>> In Florida it is legal to use a scanner in a car as long as it is not
>>>> "installed," the definition being connected to both an external antenna
>>and
>>>the
>>>> vehicle's electrical system.
>
>This definition of "installed" was issued by the Florida Attorney General's
>Office after the Florida Press Association asked for clarification. At the
>time, the media was not exempt from the statute. That was corrected with an
>amendment the following year.
>
>JW

So a handheld (under it's battery) power and an external antenna
mounted should be legal? My wife would love it!

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4233. Re: "odd" CTCSS tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f88edc.8768530@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145906

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 05:48:15 -0400, ajleary@snet.net
(ajleary@snet.net) wrote:

>Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote:
>
> AM> I find it remarkable that scanners aren't available with DCS decode as
> AM> well as CTCSS decode nowadays.
>
>The RELM HS200 handheld and MS200 mobile/base unit are the only scanners I
>am aware of that support DCS decode. Most scanners either don't have CTCSS
>at all, or only have it as an extra-cost option.

I sure love my OS456

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4234. Re: Trust Your Government...Or Else!.....Re: " Digital scanners or nothing "

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <you@cant.find.me>
Message-ID: <6s82lf$28eg$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 145907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh

Trust is earned not Given .. and our current government has earned less
trust than Jeffrey Dahmer, Charles Manson or Henry Lee Lucas ever had.

walker wrote in message <35e0707a.188420213@news.earthlink.net>...
>It doesn't - just look at where it's being crossposted.

4235. Re: HOOTERS frequencies??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f99174.9433009@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145908

On 28 Aug 1998 00:34:25 GMT, tyler@nospam.com (tyler) wrote:

>I stopped by the local Hooters the other day and I noticed a few things. One
>of them was an antenna on top of the restaurant! What are they transmitting?
> What are they listening to? It was a white vertical antenna. Does anyone
>know?

Do they have a drive through? I've never seen one with one but you
never know...

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4236. Re: BC210XL Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: heather frank <hfrank2@po-box.mcgill.ca>
Message-ID: <35E79497.54174FD@po-box.mcgill.ca>
Source record: 145909
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

please cancel subscription

>
>
>

4237. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s846t$4ru@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145910
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

The only difference is that when using an amateur rig, anyone with a scanner or another rig can hear your emergency. It doesn't matter if who you're talking "dickers" with ya, because someone else listening could just help you out.

This goes for a repeater autopatch, just the same.

A cell phone, however, is much different, as only the party you're calling and a few people with illegally modified scanners can hear you.

Just my $0.02
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

covert628103@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6s7mpcpo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <35E73686.56CE@ccnet.com>,
> cwheeler@ccnet.com wrote:
>
>> I'll also mention my experiences with emergencies... The only times
>> (twice) I have ever been in a places where radio service was scarce and
>> I had to call for help, amateur radio was only thing that DID work...
>> and it was 440MHz that came through both times.
>
>I'll mention mine too: The only three times I have ever been in a situation
>where emergency assistance was needed, amateur radio FAILED MISERABLY! A
>cell phone call saved the day. Some old coots on a 2M repeater wanted to
>dicker with me when I asked for someone to call the police.
>
>In fact, there is no longer any superstition in my mind that amateur radio
is
>relevant any more in this day of satellite transponders and cell towers. A
>cell phone is a far better investment in emergencies than any ham rig could
>ever be.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4238. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kibblesnbits@askme.net
Message-ID: <35e7a0a9.8101592@news.cadvision.com>
Source record: 145911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

gburnore@databasix.com (Gary L. Burnore) wrote:

>On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 04:45:23 GMT, in article
><35e635c4.16101379@news.cadvision.com>, kibblesnbits@askme.net (Alleycat)
>wrote:
>
>>
>>This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
>>someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
>>familiar with the laws in each?
>
>Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it.
>--
> for i in databasix primenet ; do ; gburnore@$i ; done
>---
> How you look depends on where you go.
>---
>Gary L. Burnore

Babalooey! So a person travelling through each state would have
to purchase or get hold of a book of laws,
sit down and read the the entire book before proceeding to the
next state,
and then do the same in the next one,
and the next?

That's nuts. Do American tourist bureaus send out "driving
books" to those who ask in advance, or is there some kind of
national "driver's" book they could purchase somewhere? It's
easy to say "ignorance of the law is no excuse." but when a
tourist has to locate a licensing office or police station to
find a book, and then pull over to the side of the road to read
it before proceeding....
Besides, he could be fined on the way, so what other options does
he have?

It;'s easy for you when you come to Canada. We've only got 10
provinces here and our laws are pretty well the same in nine .
But you've got a lot more states and, in spite of the fact that
you don't have more than one official language to create barriers
between people, your laws still differ "much" more than ours.

Ok, be REASONABLE here. Tell me seriously what judges and LEOs
would expect tourists to do to ensure they didn't get a ticket.

Don't give me the "stay home Canuk" answer. I want a "serious"
answer here. -- Alleycat

4239. Re: BC895 Disc. Tap Point (it's not IC3 P9)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gknox@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35e9bc67.11704012@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 28 Aug 1998 13:09:29 PDT, "VE7SEZ" <nospampoustie@concentric.net>
wrote:

>Thanks for the info. Please post the pictures to
>alt.binaries.pictures.radio.
>
>Tim
>
>Greg Knox wrote in message <35e710a1.648860@news.mindspring.com>...
>>I've seen numerous complaints from those who have had trouble getting
>>applications working that need unfiltered base-band audio from the
>>>I use this tap point with TrunkTrac and it works very well. Hope this
>>is useful. If you still have trouble locating the tap point I have
>>some jpegs I could upload if anyone has a place to put them.
>>
>>
>>Greg Knox
>>

OK. I have posted two pictures to alt.binaries.pictures.radio under
the subject: BC895 Disc. Tap Point.

Greg Knox

4240. Re: Cordless and Cell freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s83t9$3fn@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145913

Amen! He doesn't get it!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

George Webber wrote in message <35E76A2E.BE608300@worldnet.att.net>...
>
>
>Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
>> Cordless is from 30.075 to 30.300 MHz in 25 KHz steps.
>> Cell is from 825 to 845 MHz for phone TX and 870 to 890 MHz for cell TX
>> in 30 KHz steps.
>>
>> Barry
>
>I have been away from this newsgroup for months and I come back to see this
>guy still does the same thing. The world does not revolve around
Australia,
>you know. There is much more of the world out there besides Australia.
Get
>used to it. Bloody self-centered Australians!
>
>
>--
>Iacta alea est.
> --Julius Caesar
>
>

4241. Re: SIR VALANCE ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fa93c3.10023670@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145914

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 08:22:06 +0200, telecommunication
<telecom@deal-makerXXX.com> wrote:

>Your page on GEOCITIES is gone.
>Where it is now ?

it is there, you can reach it by the redirector at:
www.spectrum.base.org
or
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lab/1067/PROJECTS.HTM

Good luck!
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4242. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s84ah$5cn@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I've already admitted I was incorrect.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Jack wrote in message <35f48c1e.8066630@news.bell.net>...
>A piece of advice, just let ryan be right or this thread will never
>end..or take it over to one of the proper amateur groups so he can see
>just how little he knows!

4243. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s84dh$5sk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145916

It is comical that you know how many emails I send to you, yet you allegedly
have a "filter" set up.

It looks as if that filter is not filtering properly.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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Jack wrote in message <35f68d3a.8350456@news.bell.net>...
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>a day he sends is just much too much..since you see it in the NG
>anyway!

4244. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: PDWK66A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <6s84s8jga1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145917

SOMEBODY WROTE:

>Where did the 39 MHz Freqs come from?
>
>Is the CHP now using RADAR?

JOHN's RESPONSE:

#1 The CHP is now using some 39 MHz repeaters for dispatch, which is nice for us since we can now hear both sides of the conversation.

If you would like the frequencies, E-mail me and I'll looke them up and send them to you.

#2 The CHP is now using RADAR, but under some restrictions, the details of which I cannot remember.

73 de JOHN, KC6NWJ

kc6nwj@juno.com

pdwk66a@prodigy.com

4245. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fb9536.10395395@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145918

On 28 Aug 1998 14:55:21 GMT, "Woundering" <estilo43@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>I picked it up on 818.7750 in my area. File Attached Sound File..
>
>Thanks
>

That is POCSAG 1200 & 2400 baud intermixed, I'll bet it's an image
from some 900mhz paging system., but that's just a guess, download one
of the pocsag decoder programs and run it through.

You can listen to some .WAV samples on my website (url below) and find
plans for a simple interface to decode it, unless you want to try the
soundcard method..in that case do a search for poc32. I'll provide you
with more detailed help if you need it.

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4246. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fc970d.10866437@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145919

On 28 Aug 1998 14:58:10 GMT, "James Tonsager"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>By the way, that sound is a FLEX paging system.

Listen again! Sure sounds like POCSAG in my ear...

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4247. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s8559$95d@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145920

Hmm, then why is it being transmitted at 6400 Baud?

If I compare the signal to local FLEX signals, they are a[n exact] match. If you'd like, I can send you a quick sample of both the poster's sound and the FLEX signals I "hear here" in the same sound file.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Jack wrote in message <35fc970d.10866437@news.bell.net>...
>Listen again! Sure sounds like POCSAG in my ear...

4248. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6s88q3$o69@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145921

On my computer at home, I NEVER post under ANY name except "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ", jtonsa [at] nospam [dot] atandt [dot] net.

There have been a few mishaps where my dad's name appeared (such as this morning), as I am using his AT&T account, which can be automatically set up on-line, and that auto setup program inserts his name.

The reason I was posting under "The Faricys" this morning is because I was at my grandparents most of the day (...setting up AT&T was one thing), and they have many users who will use the computer.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Bud wrote in message <35e99a5c.82971840@news-server>...
>On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 05:12:29 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:
>
>>Haha, I've been tempted to filter him, but the comedy value is just
>>too great, but I did have to killfile him on email since the 20 or so
>>a day he sends is just much too much..since you see it in the NG
>>anyway!
>
>I have plenty of fun hitting a few keystrokes in Agent to killfile ALL his
>various names he posts under.
>
>
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.

4249. I Need Mods BC80XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998082909560901.FAA11611@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145922

Anyone have any mods for this radio?
Gspri@aol.com

4250. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Thompson <tdt@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 145923
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:
>
> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheeks.
> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell
> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account
> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I
> feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
>
> ekruse@san.rr.com
>
> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in their
scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk
upright and use our thumbs. You ain't gotta like him, but he has
contributed more to this hobby than anyone else.

4251. Opto Scout Performance Expectations -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjlasky@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35e7d0e9.6441370@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 145924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I am evaluating an opto scout Model 40.

What are the expectations for this unit - realistically?

When I put the unit onto the the front car dashboardI only get 1 or 2 hits per trip although I can see truckers talking into their CB and people using cell phone nearby in the next car - but no hits. I do get hits inside our mall from security guards sometimes. My local police transmit on a 75 foot tower nearby and I get some accurate frequency captures and other captures that are "off" but somewhat close. I went to a fire scene and was unable to pick up the firefighters at 200 feet back.

What kind of results are some of you getting?

What are the rules for getting acceptable results?

Does using opto's extra antennas get me better performance ? Have you noticed better performance with them? (im using the short 440 antenna and other duckies I have around)

It seems like you may have to get up really close next to someone to get a lock with lower power trasmitters and maybe 100 feet with 5 watt units. I was 20 feet away from a McDonalds order taker and could not get a pickup. The unit seems to work - but certainlynot like you would like it to.

Any filters or pre-amps work best for you ?

Any tricks that work?

I may try to setup a definitive test with my unit by using several of my own transmitters and setup a radius test at different power settings.

Thanks for your Insights and experiences

You may reply via e-mail if you prefer

Ray
rjlasky@ibm.net

4252. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hackman <hackman@hacked.net>
Message-ID: <35E7DF99.DE16D401@hacked.net>
Source record: 145925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Alleycat wrote:

> gburnore@databasix.com (Gary L. Burnore) wrote:
>
> >On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 04:45:23 GMT, in article
> ><35e635c4.16101379@news.cadvision.com>, kibblesnbits@askme.net (Alleycat)
> >wrote:
> >
> >>
> >>This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
> >>someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
> >>familiar with the laws in each?
> >
> >Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it.
> >--
> > for i in databasix primenet ; do ; gburnore@$i ; done
> >---
> > How you look depends on where you go.
> >---
> >Gary L. Burnore
> ____________________
>
> Babalooey! So a person travelling through each state would have
> to purchase or get hold of a book of laws,
> sit down and read the the entire book before proceeding to the
> next state,
> and then do the same in the next one,
> and the next?
>
> That's nuts. Do American tourist bureaus send out "driving
> books" to those who ask in advance, or is there some kind of
> national "driver's" book they could purchase somewhere? It's
> easy to say "ignorance of the law is no excuse." but when a
> tourist has to locate a licensing office or police station to
> find a book, and then pull over to the side of the road to read
> it before proceeding....
> Besides, he could be fined on the way, so what other options does
> he have?
>
> It;'s easy for you when you come to Canada. We've only got 10
> provinces here and our laws are pretty well the same in nine .
> But you've got a lot more states and, in spite of the fact that
> you don't have more than one official language to create barriers

> between people, your laws still differ "much" more than ours.
>
> Ok, be REASONABLE here. Tell me seriously what judges and LEOs
> would expect tourists to do to ensure they didn't get a ticket.
> Don't give me the "stay home Canuk" answer. I want a "serious"
> answer here. -- Alleycat
>

Alleyvat...the answer you got WAS serious...you see here in America that saying is it basicly!

so much for the home of the free and the brave huh ?

4253. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL <al145@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35e9e774.0@news.seidata.com>
Source record: 145677
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I used to be a customer, bought four times from you. The last time I tried to buy a product, you or your staff said the product was in stock, it was not. Then your staff later called back and said my credit card information did not match what "you" had on file. Sorry I changed my address, I gave you the correct one, and had you verified it, would have found that so, but your staff could not or would not understand that fact. So I bought my radio from another company.

They will have my business first next time due to poor customer service.
-----Original Message-----
From: Communications Electronics Inc. <cei@usascan.com>
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap
Date: Sunday, August 30, 1998 1:27 PM
Subject: Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

>>>CUT/SNIP>

4254. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allen Beadel <allenb@cowtownrv.com>
Message-ID: <35E98FD1.F2C110B0@cowtownrv.com>
Source record: 145678
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I tried to responfd to the Communications Electronics, Inc. "CEO"'s eloquent, though somewhat rambling post, but the email bounced. Hum...anyone else try to email him?

Allen

4255. Re: EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc3d4$7ev@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I've heard this a few times myself!

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

E. W. Balinski wrote in message <35E8C1DF.3626@nni.com>...
>The rumor mill is working overtime again. I
>have heard that Rat Shack is coming out with
>an EDACS capable scanner after the first of
>the year. Can anyone confirm or deny the
>rumor ??
>
>Thanks,
>GB

4256. Boston / E.MA scanner group?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Tyler <nobody@nonexistent.net>
Message-ID: <35E99022.637A@nonexistent.net>
Source record: 145727

Looking for a Boston area / Eastern Mass. scanner group/club/ING
or amateur radio club with a scanner-using base.

Please respond by email if possible. Thanks.

Kdt

4257. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <gtgG1.389$iH4.1506541@news4.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145728

Not to mention the fact you stand a greater chance of getting wasted by
someone who is DUI or DWI while directing traffic.
Here in GA. we have had a number of officers and one school patrol guard
killed or injured directing traffic.
Some of it has even been recorded by video in the patrol unit.

My wife teachs directing traffic as a supervisor for the Cobb County Police
school patrol.
She indicates to her people to always be alert and you never can be too
cautious.
I bet she would love to exchange the chance to get cancer from a radar unit
in a patrol car for standing out in traffic in all kinds of weather.

73 de ki4je

andy wrote in message <35E9922C.4B73@roanoke.infi.net>...
>Tracey*Levin wrote:
>>
>> andy wrote:

>
>From everything I have read on the subject, I am in MORE danger of
>contracting cancer by standing out in an intersection directing traffic
>for an hour, than sitting in a car with a radar unit for 8 hours.
>

4258. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc3mu$8p7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145729

I've got an AMD-K6 233 -- certainly not a 286, as you say.

Jack wrote in message <35f2c805.6901729@news.bell.net>...
>On 29 Aug 1998 05:55:53 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Hmm, then why is it being transmitted at 6400 Baud?
>
>Please, do tell how you came to this conclusion!
>
>>If I compare the signal to local FLEX signals, they are a[n exact] match.
If
>>you'd like, I can send you a quick sample of both the poster's sound and
the
>>FLEX signals I "hear here" in the same sound file.
>
>For someone who has yet to even tap the discriminator on any scanner,
>you sure do seem sure of your self! Remember, you are the one who
>claims that you can receive 2400 baud pocsag through the EARPHONE
>output! HAHAHA, not even mentioning that you have NO FLEX DECODING

Yes, I can decode 2400 baud pocsag, almost 95% of the transmissions that
come through.

I never said I had the capability of decoding FLEX. What I said was that
when I played the alleged 2400 baud pocsag and a FLEX signal, they were a
close match!

>capabilities! How in the hell are you going to compare them? If you
>visit my website, I have VERIFIED discriminator output .WAV samples of
>the various protocols, enlighten you're self and have a listen!
>I thought that you were going to stop posting fact less info here, I
>guess Hans was right..you are a BOLD FACED LIAR!

Who's the bold faced liar? (Certainly not me) I didn't lie -- I said they
were a match, but I didn't say they *were* the same. I didn't post any
"facts", nor "fiction".

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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4259. FS: PRO-2056

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDS <skynite@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#HuHI$D19GA.94@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145730

As new in box, used less than 2 hours, $135

4260. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc4dn$bsf@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145731

>My newsreader displays a summary of deleted incoming e-mails by
>author...if you upgraded from that crap you use, you might find some
>more advanced features do exist in a newsreader!

I don't use Outlook Express exclusively. Netscape 4.5 is much more advanced,
and I use this in other newsgroups.

>>It looks as if that filter is not filtering properly.
>
>Works excellent!

Then how are you replying to this?!? Oh wait, that's right: you're a BOLD
FACED LIAR.

>If you weren't so confused by your allegiance with micro$oft, you
>might go out and find some alternatives to their lamo software..oh
>well maybe when you grow up a bit more!

Where did you get information that I have an allegiance with Microsoft? I
detest them. I've got 3 operating systems on this computer, and only one is
Windows (98). I have UNIX and Linux, also.

Why do I have Windows? The majority of the useful software runs on Windows.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Neither did I.

4261. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Communications Electronics Inc." <cei@usascan.com>
Message-ID: <35E95D37.A5D55B86@usascan.com>
Source record: 145732
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Thank you for your comments. At Communications Electronics Emergency Operations Center, all unclassified telephone calls are recorded and logged. As you may know, CEI distributes voice logging equipment to police, fire and 9-1-1 agencies as listed on our web site http://www.usascan.com.

For quality assurance purposes, we monitor our calls.
I do not show any record of any CEI employee being rude when answering questions regarding Icom products.
If you called CEI for presales technical information, you would have been referred to ICOM America at 1-800-USA-ICOM for presales technical support information. For your convenience, we list the telephone number of factory technical support for the products we distribute next to the products on our web page.

I do not show any sales agent assigned to your E-mail address "Monitor@kdsi.net". I am interested in knowing who you spoke with at CEI and the day and time you called. Please E-mail me at cei@mediaone.net at your convenience.
If you do have a customer service concern it is helpful if you use your real name and address in your correspondence with our office.
We are a service-intensive company, which is why we take comments like yours very seriously.

I hope you enjoy your Icom R10. It is a popular product.
If I can be of further assistance to you, please call me at 1-800-USA-SCAN.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman & CEO
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center
http://www.usascan.com

Frequr wrote:
>
> I called these folks with a couple questions when I was about 10 > minutes away from ordering an Icom r10 with all the accessories. > After the rude remarks I received from the person at CEI I > promptly called another dealer and ordered the whole setup from >them. (CEI doesn't seem to understand the concept of computer controlled scanners!)
> Just my 2 cents worth.
>
> drdeleon@pcsrock.com wrote in message ...

> >Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD
> >experience!! Beware or get burned.
> >
> >>>>> Clip <<<<<

4262. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sc4lq$4jf@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145733
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <GdgG1.384$iH4.1498738@news4.atl.bellsouth.net> "Victor Healey"
<fourphun @ bellsouth.net> writes:
>
>Please take the illiterate responses back to the Chicken Band.
>On CB no one cares about the use of speech right or wrong.
>For those that would like to complain to netcom.com use the following
>information.
>

>
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message
<6sbqtc$1lk@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>...
>>>Why anyone would defend the right of Bill cheek's trash talk back
here
>>is
>>>beyond me. The right to free speech has its limits. For example who
>>whould
>>>defend the right of a fool to holler fire in a crowed movie theater
if
>>it
>>>resulted in the death of innocent women and children. Didn't he have
>>the
>>>right to freely say what ever he wanted? That is an obvious example
of
>>the
>>>foolishness of defending the idea that free speech should have no
>>limits.
>>>
>>>
>>>
>> Asshole...
>>
>
so what is your point.

question mark.

you lay out a quote segment
i never made and then because your
name is as above, you want to get people
to complain to NETCOM>...

gee...your reach is as short as your
little thing-ee....

gee...your tryst at reality did not
connect...your mind is still
blank wallpaper filled with
obliviousness.

gee...what is your literacy quotient?
u sound so comic-book efficient!

good guess: you pretend you exist.
you think you have a full deck
you want to be found "Lovable"

and you are from the deep south...right?

well, that says a bile-full.

no scanner will keep up with your speed. no
radio can touch your ability to "fester"
forth sounds of scuzz....

oh by the way...an asshole is a point
of reference found on any human anterior
end...it's a common-ground find for that which
is eternally seen by all who do their version
of the "HOllyWood Knight's" Mooning.

you are a very insignificant hole in the universe.

bill conduit
etc.

4263. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Communications Electronics Inc." <cei@usascan.com>
Message-ID: <35E963FA.EF61E6B0@usascan.com>
Source record: 145734
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Thank you for your comments. We checked our shipping records
and do not show any order going to a Hans Gruber over the last
seven years. I think you might have us confused with another
company as CEI does not charge a restocking fee. Please visit
our web site at http://www.usascan.com and click on customer
benefits. You will notice that no restocking charge is one of
many customer benefits provided by CEI.

According to your email, your e-mail address is
bitzn@ai.ac.th in Thailand at the Assumption University of
Thailand. We have stringent customs documentation
and export controls. I do not show any product going
to Thailand or your organization where your E-mail originated.
Therefore, I am interested in your CEI invoice number. Uniden is
also interested in their repair order number. At your
convenience, please E-mail me at cei@mediaone.net with
this information so I can look into this.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman & CEO
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center
http://www.usascan.com

Hans Gruber wrote:
>
> On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 17:56:06 -0500, "Frequr" <Monitor@kdsi.net> wrote:
>
> That place sucks shit! I ordered a scanner from them..it arrived > dead! I had to send it to uniden to get repaired to avoid their > outrageous shipping and restocking fees! Imagine that! Screw > them!
>
> >I called these folks with a couple questions when I was about 10 minutes
> >away from ordering an Icom r10 with all the accessories. After the rude
> >remarks I received from the person at CEI I promptly called another dealer
> >and ordered the whole setup from them. (CEI doesn't seem to understand the
> >concept of computer controlled scanners!)
> > Just my 2 cents worth.
> >
> >drdeleon@pcsrock.com wrote in message ...
> >>Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD
> >>experience!! Beware or get burned.
> >>

> >>>>>> Clip <<<<<

4264. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc4rn$dsn@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>In an EMERGENCY all bets are off. You may do whatever is necessary to
>save a life or destruction of property. You won't be prosecuted if you
>truly feel there was a life & death emergency.

Bob, you couldn't be more wrong. Almost EVERY person that has used "any
means" (IE, transmitting out-of-band) has been prosecuted, and they've had
their equipment confiscated.

According to Part 97 (97.40x), IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF THE AMATEUR
BANDS with a radio that is not type-accepted for a non-amateur band.

>Everyone who keeps citing the laws are pussies who are afaid to key the
>mike. And if you see a woman getting raped and fail to key the mike, you
>are an accessry to the crime. Period.

Very incorrect -- if you see a woman getting raped (which you shouldn't be
watching in the first place), you are most likely near a building, phone, or
another person (all of these constitute a means of communication).

Not keying the mic would not be classified as being an accessory to a crime.
It would mean you have the common sense to seek other help.

>I am dismayed that so many of you make excuses NOT to get involved when
>someone's life is in trouble. Shame on you!

And shame on you for providing information that can get others into serious
trouble!!

>And that goes to doctors, too, who drive by fatal and serious accidents
>and never stop - you should losse your medical licenses.

Losse? Sounds like some sort of neurological disorder.

>Denver, Co.
... that explains it all. Not getting enough oxygen?

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

4265. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6sc71imtc1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yes, Loomis and Stubblefield, especially Loomis, were the ones I was thinking of, though their names escaped me at the time I wrote that post. I had forgot about Tesla's experiments.

So to the best of your knowledge, Gary, should you see fit to reply, in what year did the first CW contact take place? And when would you say CW became more than merely a scientific curiosity and a viable means of routine amateur communication?

I am pretty sketchy on the alternator method of generating CW, and had not realized that this was actual CW. I thought the first use of CW followed the inventon of the triode.

Thanks for filling in those gaps.

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******PLEASE REMOVE ANTI-SPAM TO REPLY VIA EMAIL*******

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73 DE AB5VH (Robinson) in San Benito, Texas
A nice little town in the beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border, By the Sea

New or Wannabe HAMS... go to my site for info and resources!
Ladies! SEE A HANDSOME HAM!
NEW! Amateur Locksmithing Page!
New shorter URL:

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http://crusoe.org

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Gary Coffman wrote in message
<3694d1e1.1431942551@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 00:32:54 +0100, "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
wrote:
>>Discounting a few other experimenters with prior claims generally
>>unrecognized today as being "real" radio, Guglielmo Marconi sent the first
>>Spark transmissions of practical communications value in 1895.
>
>Hmm, that would be Stubblefield and Loomis I suppose. Nathan B.
>Stubblefield was sending wireless *voice* modulated signals in 1873

>(he did a demonstration for Congress between a ship on the Potomac
>and a shore station while lobbying for money to develop his invention
>further, the demonstration went fine, but Congress didn't give him any
>money). Loomis was operating his aerial telegraph during the same
>decade. This was an *unpowered* system which depended on the natural
>electrical gradient, but Loomis demonstrated it over a 23 mile path, not
>bad for a purely passive system.
>
>Of course Tesla had his oar in there too. In 1895 he demonstrated
>a radio controlled submarine in New York. And we all know about
>his Colorado experiments in 1899 where he resonated the Earth,
>and the Wardenclyffe tower (the first capacity hat loaded vertical)
>he built to distribute global wireless power (he went bankrupt before
>bringing that to fruition). Tesla's patent on the double circuit tuner
>was what finally broke the Marconi monopoly on radio too. (Marconi
>was infringing Tesla's patent, Marconi's own single circuit tuner patent
>didn't work over more than a few miles, he had to use Tesla's double
>circuit configuration to get any real efficiency and range.)
>
>Marconi didn't really invent much. His original patent was just a
>rehash of Hertz's prior art. He did invent an improved coherer,
>which was quickly superseded by crystal and electrolytic detectors,
>and he did slap his name on the unbalanced monopole vertical antenna,
>though Loomis used it first. Etc. Marconi was mainly a promoter and
>businessman, sort of like Bill Gates. He didn't invent anything much,
>but he knew how to aggressively grab and market the ideas of others.
>He deserves credit for creating a commercial radio industry from
>what had been up until then mostly just a scientific curiosity or
>a hacker's toy.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4266. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083018495300.OAA12845@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145737

What we've got here are a few consumers that are cry babies. When a reputable, above board company like CEI provides great customer service you should take advantage of it. If you had a problem and you let it stop with the first person you spoke too....pardon me, but you are part of the problem. Every company in the country should be judged by the worst employee they have. Most service companies are accutely aware of this concept and strive to improve the quality of life for all their employees. By doing this, every employee feels important and strives to uphold the companies corporate philosophy. Let's face it, everybody has a bad day. For you to judge one incident on one day and sum up that companies existence based on this makes you what? An expert on the affairs of all businesses? My God, why don't you tell us about the greatest companies in the world that YOU deal with! That way we will never have a problem.Very few companies have a CEO that will actually respond to consumers or a group such as this, and for this I applaud Ken Ascher and will continue to do business with his company.>Hans Gruber wrote:
>>
>> On Wed, 26 Aug 1998 17:56:06 -0500, "Frequr" <Monitor@kdsi.net> wrote:
>>
>> That place sucks shit! I ordered a scanner from them..it arrived > dead! I
>had to send it to uniden to get repaired to avoid their > outrageous
>shipping and restocking fees! Imagine that! Screw > them!
>>
>> >I called these folks with a couple questions when I was about 10 minutes
>> >away from ordering an Icom r10 with all the accessories. After the rude
>> >remarks I received from the person at CEI I promptly called another dealer
>> >and ordered the whole setup from them. (CEI doesn't seem to understand
>the
>> >concept of computer controlled scanners!)
>> > Just my 2 cents worth.
>> >
>> >drdeleon@pcsrock.com wrote in message ...
>> >>Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD
>> >>experience!! Beware or get burned.
>> >>
>> >>>>>> Clip <<<<<
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Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

4267. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6sc77q$4vu$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If I have a choice between facing possible prosecution and saving a life, I know what I'm gonna do. I think the whole concept of "emergency" is that you HAVE to take extraordinary measures. If you do not HAVE to do so, it is not an emergency anyway, so the whole argument is moot.

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******PLEASE REMOVE ANTI-SPAM TO REPLY VIA EMAIL*******

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73 DE AB5VH (Robinson) in San Benito, Texas
A nice little town in the beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border, By the Sea

New or Wannabe HAMS... go to my site for info and resources!
Ladies! SEE A HANDSOME HAM!
NEW! Amateur Locksmithing Page!
New shorter URL:

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http://crusoe.org

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Bob McCarthy wrote in message <35E94D08.2A81@ix.no.spam.com>...
>ScannerMan wrote:
>>
>> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
>> solicit your opinions.
>>
>> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
>> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
>> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
>> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
>> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>>
>> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>>
>> Dave McGuire
>
>
>As this thread has progressed I've seen no logical answers to this
>original question.

>
>In an EMERGENCY all bets are off. You may do whatever is necessary to
>save a life or destruction of property. You won't be prosecuted if you
>truly feel there was a life & death emergency.
>
>Everyone who keeps citing the laws are pussies who are afaid to key the
>mike. And if you see a woman getting raped and fail to key the mike, you
>are an accessry to the crime. Period.
>
>I am dismayed that so many of you make excuses NOT to get involved when
>someone's life is in trouble. Shame on you!
>
>And that goes to doctors, too, who drive by fatal and serious accidents
>and never stop - you should losse your medical licenses.
>
>Bob McCarthy
>Denver, Co.

4268. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <6sc773$f5g$2@sparky.wolfe.net>
Source record: 145739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>>In an EMERGENCY all bets are off. You may do whatever is necessary to
>>save a life or destruction of property. You won't be prosecuted if you
>>truly feel there was a life & death emergency.

>Bob, you couldn't be more wrong. Almost EVERY person that has used "any
>means" (IE, transmitting out-of-band) has been prosecuted, and they've had
>their equipment confiscated.

>According to Part 97 (97.40x), IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF THE AMATEUR
>BANDS with a radio that is not type-accepted for a non-amateur band.

It is part of your Technicial exam. If there is a life threatening
emergency, you may transmit whenevery and on what ever band you need
to help. During a life threatening emergency, you may transmit on any
frequency using any transmitter and the FCC won't care. In fact, y

>Very incorrect -- if you see a woman getting raped (which you shouldn't be
>watching in the first place), you are most likely near a building, phone, or
>another person (all of these constitute a means of communication).

If a ham radio is the only means of communications (or for that fact
a commercial tv station) you are supposed to use it to call the
police.

4269. Re: BC210XL Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083019101500.PAA15347@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145740

>Subject: Re: BC210XL Mods?
>From: heather frank <hfrank2@po-box.mcgill.ca>
>Date: 8/28/98 10:41 PM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35E79497.54174FD@po-box.mcgill.ca>
>
>please cancel subscription

That will mod the guy's 210XL for him???!!!

4270. Re: R10 Decertifed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35e9a3b6.464742@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 145741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>If your decent at soldering and have the right equipment, re-moving or
>adding resistors is not that difficult.

That's right. If you take a look at my page:

http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10

you will find out all details of this modification. It simply takes
two 10k SMD resistors to restore cell freqs.

Regards,

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Joost van Stuyvenberg
Utrecht, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
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4271. Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: drdeleon@pcsrock.com
Message-ID: <drdeleon-3008981538030001@sanjuan-208-135-3-216.coqui.net>
Source record: 145742
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Yes CEI is without a doubt one of the most economical ways to acquire scanners on the internet and probably the cheapest anywhere. They ship promptly, they
have a nice website(professional grade if you ask me) and they carry high demand items. However they have a couple of business practices that make them look like greedy rotten scoundrels. They advertise that if you buy an Uniden BC235XLT you will get free, a nice leather carrying case and a set of
large headphones(I guess by Uniden also), free! Then in the small print they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of each of the free items. If you buy the BC235XLT(like I did) please beware because they will screw you and then tell you it was written somewhere on their
website. Shipping for the scanner is going to be $18 plus the price of the scanner plus $24 for the headphones and the case. The worse part is that these additional free items are of the lowest quality. The headphones wont stay on your head for more than a minute without sliding down and the case is not worth two cents. Please, if you buy the BC235XLT from them DO NOT get the free items. You will be disappointed. Do not have the order shipped to a POBOX the shipping will be doubled, yes doubled. If you have it shipped to a POBOX you will pay $36 for theshipping of the BC235XLT and $48 for the shipping of the two free items. I think these are bad BAD Bad business practices. Come right out and say its not free and dont hide behind shipping to get people to buy your products. I must say that if you buy a scanner and have it shipped to a street address you will save money over some of the other dealers. Now, if you dare to get any of their free stuff or ship to a POBOX you will be screwed. Another thing that bothers me is that shipping for the
BC235XLT is $18 using UPS ground service which is about $5 according to UPS. They charge you an additional $12 for a box, tape and closing the box. Is that the right way to do business? I dont know but I sure dont like it a bit. Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. Yes, you can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you dont watch out they will burn you. As far as the scanners and CBs, they sell a good product. I just wish they would change their business practices to a less insulting method.

Some people read my previous posts and asked me about other places selling scanners with good prices and good business practices. I found J&R Computer World in New York(www.jandr.com) and National

Electronics(www.sound.net/~ne). We are using them now as our suppliers. I'm just too upset with the way CEI(Communications Electronics, Inc.) does business.

BTW: I'm not trying to hide as someone said. I just dont feel posting my telephone number is a smart thing to do. If you reply to my email address I will be more than happy to respond. My phone number is out of the question unless I feel it is a matter that requires a phone conversation. Cheers!

4272. Scanner Sale/Trade Web Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Slick@sgi.net
Message-ID: <35E9D6FC.64B4@sgi.net>
Source record: 145743
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I had but lost the web site where you are able to list your items for sale or make a purchase.

Do any of you fine people know the web address for such a site?

Please post here for all to read.

4273. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35e9aa30.3194767@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145744
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 17:46:14 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Please take the illiterate responses back to the Chicken Band.
>On CB no one cares about the use of speech right or wrong.
>For those that would like to complain to netcom.com use the following
>information.

<snip>

Gee Victor,

Are you one of those elitist hams I've heard about? I'm really
impressed and feel honored that you've lowered yourself to
post to a scanner newsgroup. Is KJ4JE your call or did you
borrow it from someone? If it is your call, why do you post to
the news group as "Victor Healey"? Are you suffering from
an identity crisis?

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Callsign: KJ4JE Rec#:388142 Type:I F:0000
Name: FREDERIC G HAMBRECHT
Addr1: 6356 TYLER LOOP RD
Addr2: DINSON AL 35126
Country: USA
Class: Advanced
Effective: 03 Apr 1990
Expires: 03 Apr 2000
Prev Call: KB4NGB
Zip Coords: 33.716 N 86.659 W Jefferson
County

4274. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35E9AAFA.776307CE@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 145745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Just FYI ... The CHP is still using the 42mhz freqs for Indio & San Luis dispatch centers and they have "almost" true repeater operation. My list of current CHP freqs only shows the 39mhz freqs used in the Border Division. The PAO at the local CHP office checked my statewide freq list and comfirmed it to be correct. That is not to say they will not be using 39mhz in the Bay area in the future.

Mike

Ed G. wrote:

> x-no-archive: yes
>]In article <35E67E84.88C72F86@anywhere.com>, anyone <anyone@anywhere.com>
> wrote:
> >
> >Where did the 39 MHz Freqs come from?
>
> They've been added to provide true repeater operation, rather than the
> original remote base operation, in several areas in Southern Calif. , and
> possibly the Bay area.
>
> >
> >Is the CHP now using RADAR?
>
> They've been doing so in many, if not most, areas for several years.
>
> Ed
>

4275. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35E9ABCA.D3E5F793@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 145746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

According to my sources, the only place the 39mhz freqs are currently being used is CHP Border Division in Southern California. This is comfirmed my the CHP PAO at my local office. That's not to say they will not use the 39mhz freqs in other areas in the future.

Mike

Sergeant Rock wrote:

> On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 21:34:42 -0700, "Mike Derryberry"
> <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> wrote:
>
> >The CHP picked up the old LA Sheriff 39mhz freqs for use in southern CA
> >only. The only place the are now used is in the Border Division.
> >
> >Yes the CHP is now using radar statewide. Look out if flying low down the
> >highway ...
> >
> >Mike
> The CHP uses the 39 MHZ freqs statewide & has for a very long time.
> Long before LASD went to UHF.
>
> Sgt. Rock

4276. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083019383800.PAA18823@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145747

>From: cbake777@aol.com (Cbake777)

>Very few companies have a CEO that will actually respond to consumers
>or a group such as this, and for this I applaud Ken Ascher and will continue
>to
>do business with his company.

Well, that is what it comes down to, isn't it? You will continue doing business with the company because you are satisfied. However, I refuse to do business with any company that states its business policies in fine print or who inflate their shipping/handling costs to compensate for lower margins elsewhere. Each to his own. For you to say that everyone is a "cry baby" or that he/she has "a problem" is hardly constructive. You're satisfied--let it go at that. Me, I choose to do business elsewhere. That's what a free market is all about isn't it?

4277. Re: Cleveland State University Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: curlinob@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083020075500.QAA09159@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145748

My database shows it as 851.0625 WNHG376

I hope this helps you out.

Rick <<N8PPS>>

> I'm trying to find the frequency for Clevland State University Police.
>>> If anyone knows what this is please let me know. Thank you.
>>
>>Don't know if it's still valid, but I have a listing for 151.745
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>actually it's an 800mhz freq. i'll have to look it up again...
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4278. 800Mhz Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhiii@mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <35e9b0db.114084127@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 145749

For those of us who have scanners that only to up to 500mhz, where can we buy a converted that does 800mhz ==> 400mhz conversion?

thanks

Richard

4279. Re: R10 Decertifed, too easy to modify for cell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <35E9B5A6.7E55@blarg.net>
Source record: 145750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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Greg Renner wrote:
>
> Jeff Miller wrote:
> > Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10 has
> > been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious since I have
> > one.
>
> Yes, that the PCR 1000 and a couple of other units. Too easy to modify
> for cell.

Too easy to modify for cell?, what is the mod?!?

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
| -=Jack the TechnoDragon=- | Please remove the second, |
| a.k.a. | anti-spamming N from the |
| -=Jack T.Dragon=- | end of tdragon in my |
| tdragonn@blarg.net | address to respond. |
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4280. Need Austin TX Police Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <alioth@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35E9B9DC.FF058164@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145751

The Austin PD uses 10XX codes and 4XX codes as best I can tell. Does anyone out there have a list of what these codes mean?

4281. Re: BC3000XLT Battery needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <35e9be92.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 145752

In article <35DF7DBC.11CD@snet.net>, ajleary@snet.net wrote:
>Thomas J. Bilbrey, Jr. wrote:
>>
>> It may sound silly, try http://www.uniden.com/docs/store/
>> the price is steep, but I think there isn't anywhere else to order one.
>
>Scanner World USA (http://www.scannerworld.com) stocks the battery pack
>for the BC3000XLT; last time I looked they were advertising it at $52.99
>each. Several people have posted other sites for getting replacement
>cells to install in your existing battery pack.
>
>Later,
>
>Andrew

Can get them alot cheaper than that... look around DEJANEWS and search for
BC3000 BATTERIES... have been many posts about them...

4282. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35E9E4DF.122E@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145753

Victor Healey wrote:
>
> Not to mention the fact you stand a greater chance of getting wasted by
> someone who is DUI or DWI while directing traffic.

You are correct but I was merely addressing the cancer issue.

>
> My wife teachs directing traffic as a supervisor for the Cobb County > I bet she would love to exchange the chance to get cancer from a radar unit
> in a patrol car for standing out in traffic in all kinds of weather.

I bet she would also. There will ALWAYS be people who have fears based
on what they read in the headlines or what they heard from an unreliable
source of information. I have heard SO many people say, "You're not
gonna get me in an airplane....those things crash". When statistically,
you are in MORE danger in the car ride going to or from the airport than
you are in the flight.

Andy

4283. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E9C4D8.5EC3@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

KC7ZRU wrote:
> At the risk of 'playing radio lawyer' - one instance does not the rule proove.
>
> Part 97.403:
> ï¿½97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
> means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems
> are not available.
>
> Ok - sounds good, but then if you read the begining of Part 97:
>
> ï¿½97.1 Basis and purpose.
> The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur radio
> service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following principles:
>
> later on there's mention of different license classes, bands etc.
>
> So - the argument can be made that Part 97 ONLY covers the ham frequencies.

Sorta depends on how you interpret the words "No provision of these rules".
I read 97.1 as a provision of those rules. I read 97.403 as saying "Part
97 doesn't apply to anything in an emergency."

If someone wants to charge me with violating the type approval provisions
and/or license requirements in the Land Mobile rules for using my rig to
transmit emergency traffic, they may feel welcome to do so. Even if I
thought they could make it stick, I'd trade my ham license and money to
pay a fine for someone's life any day.

However, I keep in mind that I might be trading that license away whenever
I feel tempted to key the mike on a non-ham frequency.

And I have a much better idea anyway. In the spirit of volunteerism, I
work for a local emergency services agency, RACES division. As part of
the organization, I'm authorized by the Director to use my type-approved
GP300 to transmit on local police and fire frequencies under their
license. Bypasses the whole argument, AND helps the community in the
stated purpose of amateur radio.

Y'all could try it. (Some of you do.)

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| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
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4284. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: SergtRock@sgtrock.com
Message-ID: <35e9b91a.113536120@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 12:45:15 -0700, Mike Derryberry
<michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net> wrote:

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>used is CHP Border Division in Southern California. This is comfirmed my the
>CHP PAO at my local office. That's not to say they will not use the 39mhz
>freqs in other areas in the future.
>
>Mike
I should gave said 39 mhz to 42 mhz..... Check you calif fewq guide
for details.

Sgt. Rock

4285. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E9C18A.531A@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> According to Part 97 (97.40x), IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF THE AMATEUR
> BANDS with a radio that is not type-accepted for a non-amateur band.

S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
not available.

According to 97.403, no part of Part 97 prohibits ANY form of communication
during an emergency.

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| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
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4286. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E9C5D2.617A@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Curtis Wheeler wrote:
> But in both cases I was able to reach someone I knew, so
> nobody had to screw around with me. I think I know what
> you are talking about - you call in an emergecny and the ham
> on the other end wants to know everything about you
> (probably trying to verify you in a call book too) before
> he'll call for help. Its never happened to me, but I have
> heard it happen to others.

I believe it depends on where you are, and what the local amateur
community is like. Around Chicago, requests for emergency help on a
repeater are likely to be met with stony silence; I once had a lid start
calling CQ over my second announcement of emergency traffic. However,
a friend tells me he was near Milwaukee when he witnessed a serious car
accident; he hit a repeater and got a pileup, and help was on the scene
within four minutes as a direct result of one of the hams contacting the
proper authorities.

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Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E9C6DC.76B2@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF BAND ON EQUIPMENT NOT TYPE-ACCEPTED FOR A
> CERTAIN BAND.
>
> 97.40x states all of this -- an amateur may use ANY AMATEUR FREQUENCY, but
> NOT ANY FREQUENCY.

97.403 says that Part 97 doesn't apply in an emergency. It says that
flatly and without qualification. It specifically says that Part 97
does not apply to ANY form of radiocommunication in an emergency.

If you want to quote rules that apply, quote from the Land Mobile Service.

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From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E9C71F.73A1@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> I've stated NUMEROUS times that it is illegal to transmit out of band.

And each time you've cited rules that contradict you. Start quoting from
the Land Mobile Service rules instead.

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+---+

4289. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6schrs$r9p$0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 145760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 22:40:33 -0500, Don or Darla Arnold
<DArnold@datasync.com> wrote:

>JAIL just for having it, NOT not even in texas
>there is more to this story than meets the eyes
>YOU CAN LISTEN TO ANYTHING YOU WANT
>you just cannot transmitt on a lot of them UNLESS your authorized
>the only exception i know to this is some cell frequencies
>don

And of course, you can't legally listen to a number
of other things...

Cordless phones,
Many types of paging
Scrambled transmissions,
RPU freqs,
etc

4290. Re: Bill Cheeks canNOT use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6scih9$3rc@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145761

In <9006-35E96ADB-13@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net> YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
(Bruce K) writes:
>
>Look-If you get Cheek back you have Mackey back.Then the off topic
>posts are started again.WHO WANTS THAT CRAP! If you really want these
>clowns starting up again I suggest you have your head examined.
>
What you lack in perspective you make up
with your archaic attitude towards people
in general.

your mind-stem is one millimeter shorter
than your mother's egg cavity.

Crap is what happens fellah. Shit happens.
Mackeral is the major problem...cheek-guy
just got in the way based on some bias his
ISP had against him....

Look...no one forced you to read any postings
by the cheek-guy. You know who and what is
his style and you know when you press his
number you get what he gives you or anyone
who listens.

You could listen or not. That was your choice.
He allowed his words to flow and you had a choice
to make. No one forced you to open the post.

So who in the hell is making you so stupid?

Why, gosh, gee...yourself. Cheek-guy warned you
a long time ago that he takes no check from no
one and if you want his remarks just be as stupid
as you want. If you talk about scanners he will
try to educate you.

But any other topic you will get his volley-full.

That was understood a long time ago. so How this
asshole ISP can cancel the cheek-guy and Mackeral
comes away clean suggests he was paid off or is
as stupid and screwed up as the smelly mackeral
and his genetic protozoa's.

What happened fellah was that an injustice has
been done to Cheeks. And if there is some way

that Bill can sue this ass then I hope he does
it asap. Make some money and move to Canada
for some peace and quiet and live in a country
where people don't litter sidewalks or back
yards or state or fed parks....

Another thing: i stated that the Cheek guy has
chosen not to get back on ... why?

What I meant by that is that how many different
Internet Access accounts are there in the USA?

if he wanted in or back, he could. Simple thing.

Maybe he just got tired of the process and
realizes that "quiet can be war"

bill conduit
etc.

4291. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Communications Electronics Inc." <cei@usascan.com>
Message-ID: <35E999A8.54912E05@usascan.com>
Source record: 145762
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Thank you for your very kind comments regarding Communications Electronics having the most economical prices, prompt shipping, a professional grade web site and stocking high demand items.

As Chairman & Chief Executive Officer of CEI, I want to address your other concerns regarding the special offers currently available on our web site http://www.usascan.com.

Your first concern is that we appear to "look like greedy scoundrels. They advertise that if you buy a Uniden BC235XLT you will get free, a nice leather carrying case and a set of large headphones (I guess by Uniden also) free. Then in the small print they write that there will be an additional charge of $12 for shipping of each items." I checked with our Management Information Systems staff and they tell me there is no small print regarding the shipping, handling and insurance charge of $12 for the special offers. The special offers are one of the first items you would see on our home page. Our deluxe leather carrying case is made from top grain shoulder cowhide and manufactured to CEI specifications in black pebble grain finish. Each case include a bungee antenna retainer. The deluxe CEI carrying case for the Bearcat 235XLT scanner also has a special swivel belt loop with a revolutionary patented wedge swivel. You can find out more information about the unique features of our carrying cases by visiting the IBM patent search web site at http://www.patents.ibm.com/ibm.html. The patent numbers on our heavy-duty carrying cases are 5054170, 5201858 and 5347693. Our wedge swivel feature enables you to attach your radio case to a belt loop from any direction. There's no need to turn the your scanner upside down to attach it. There is almost no chance of accidentally dropping your scanner. We believe our carrying cases are definitely the future of the radio case industry. Out of the thousands of heavy-duty carrying cases delivered to CEI over the last three decades by our case vendor A.W. Enterprises, I have never heard anyone claim our carrying cases were "not worth two cents". In fact, this carrying case normally sells at CEI for $49.95 plus $12.00 shipping. During our CEI special offer, this carrying case is free, plus $12.00 for shipping, handling & insurance. A.W. Enterprises has been manufacturing top quality carrying cases for CEI and hundreds of other manufacturers since 1962. I have shared your comments with a number of people on our technical staff. We believe our carrying case designed for the BC235XLT is a fine product, and we have received overwhelmingly

positive performance comments on it. However, we want all our customers to be thoroughly pleased with our products, and I would like to solicit your suggestions for improving our carrying case. CEI and our case vendor would also like to inspect your carrying case but because you did not tell us who you are, it is impossible to arrange to have our manufacturers representative contact you.

Regarding the Racetrac headset, this special CEI offer was also offered on our web site homage at http://www.usascan.com. Again, we checked and there is no small print regarding the $12.00 shipping, handling & insurance fee. I disagree with your comments, "do not get the 'free' items. You will be disappointed." Our Racetrac model RT-40 headsets is one of the most popular items sold by CEI. When we go to the races at Michigan International Speedway and other racetracks, we see a sea of our red headsets on the heads of thousands of race fans. This headset is so popular that Uniden has combined the Racetrac RT-40 headset with the Sportcat radio scanner. This special combination package is also sold through other Uniden dealers such as K-Mart, Sears, WalMart, Best Buy, Circuit City and many more retailers. Our headset source is Racing Electronics who is also a dealer for our Uniden scanners.

For more information on the Racetrac RT40 headset please visit the Racing Electronic web page at http://www.racingelectronics.com. You will find the headset on page 25 of their catalog which can be downloaded with Adobe Acrobat. If you want an even better headset, check out the Racing Electronics model RT-28 headset with 24 db noise reduction rating. If you are concerned about CEI shipping charges, we recommend you call the Uniden dealer locator telephone line at 1-800-297-1023 and select option three to find your local Uniden dealer. The RT-40 headset normally sells for $29.95 plus $12.00 shipping but as you know, CEI is currently offering this headset free plus $12.00 for shipping, handling and insurance to anywhere in the United States or Canada.

You are also say, "Do not have the order shipped to a PO Box the shipping will be doubled, yes doubled". This is incorrect. The shipping, handling and insurance charges are $12.00 anywhere in the US or Canada for the CEI Special Offers. This is for UPS or mail delivery. CEI shipping charges on scanners however are doubled for Priority Mail delivery in the United States or Air Parcel Post to Canada as advertised in our ordering section on our web site.

I disagree with you that are higher handling fees are "a bad business practice". The vast majority of our items are delivered to our customers by United Parcel Service. Driving packages to the Post Office multiple times per day to meet flight and dispatch schedules is an expensive burden for CEI. This cost is passed back to those few customers that require this service.

You also indicate you are bothered by our $18 charge for UPS ground service. Please remember, that CEI is not a normal dealer.

We serve as an Emergency Operations Center providing mission critical communications equipment primarily to government agencies. Just ask the thousands of customers who have purchased product at Communications Electronics, Emergency Operations Center in Ann Arbor, Michigan. You might also want to try this simple test. If you came to CEI to purchase six hundred Trunktracker scanners and two-way transceivers, we have got you covered. Now try this same test at your local dealer. Most of our dealers stock less then six radios. There is no reason for them to stock a large quantity of inventory. Stocking dealer inventory is very expensive. That's why dealers rely on distributors like us. Stocking distributor inventory is even more expensive as we have significant dollars invested in inventory. Our inventory carrying costs are passed back to our customers in a higher handling charge. CEI also provides significant customer benefits listed on our web site. While these customer benefits may not matter to you, the expense of providing these benefits to all customers increases our total cost of operations. Our handling costs are passed back to our customers in our handling fees. You can avoid these irksome fees by supporting and shopping at your local Uniden dealer. It's kind of like going into a hospital emergency room to buy an aspirin. They can sell it to you but you will not necessarily like the emergency room price. Like a hospital emergency room, our Emergency Operations Center has higher operating costs which was passed back to you in our handling charges. This is one of three items in our shipping, handling and insurance charges.

You also claim our "61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam." More correctly, on the CEI customer benefits page, our "61 day 100% satisfaction guarantee policy" means if you are not completely satisfied with your purchase, return the item in like-new condition, freight prepaid within 61 days for a prompt and courteous refund. Although the vast majority of our customers love the products they purchase from Communications Electronics Inc., we realize sometimes customers may order a product that is not suitable for them. Of course, if you love your scanner, you will keep and enjoy your scanner and not need to return it. I do not understand why you claim our return policy is a scam. It has always been CEI's pleasure to help our customers get the merchandise they want. Please clarify just what is your concern with our return policy so I may assist you. Some customers suggested a shorter or longer time period than our current 61 day policy so please tell me specifically what you want changed.

You also indicate, "Yes, you can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you don't watch out they will burn you".

Why do you feel this way? Our prices and policies are clearly and conspicuously posted on our web sites and national advertisements. You have said "if you buy the BC235XLT (like I did) please beware because they will screw you and then tell you it was

written somewhere on their web site". I disagree with your comment. When you call 1-800-USA-SCAN to order, you know what price you will be pay before ordering. In the unlikely event you believe there is a misunderstanding after the order was processed, it is easily resolved as all unclassified telephone calls are recorded at CEI. You claim our shipping/handling charge in our CEI special offers are in "small print". As the size of the type is the same for the offer and shipping charges, please point where the small print is on our home page.

As to your claim that CEI business practices makes them look like "greedy scoundrels", many customers have sent me E-mail indicating that our total price usually saves them money. If the bottom line represents a savings to you, what is the problem?

Regarding your comment that you would "wish they (CEI) would change their business practice to a less insulting method", we appreciate your comments. Please be assured we did not intend to insult you. I have passed your comments to our staff and will share them with our customer at our focus groups.

CEI welcomes all customer comments. Since you have shared your feelings in alt.radio.scanner, rec.radio.scanner and rec.radio.swap, if other people in these newsgroups want to contact me regarding any CEI service or benefit, please feel free to E-Mail me at cei@mediaone.net or call me at 1-800-USA-SCAN. After all, the exclusive guarantees, benefits, convenience, services and savings offered by CEI were developed from what our long term customers told us they wanted over the last three decades.

Unfortunately, you did not provide me with your name in your posting. Some of our customers have pointed out that your internet provider at http://www.pcsrock.com claims that anyone can get a free anonymous private e-mail account at IGN mail which could be used to disparage any company just for entertainment.

I am genuinely interested in helping you and would appreciate knowing your CEI invoice number and date of transaction where you claim to have been "burned" by our merchandise. Please feel free to comment in this forum(s) or send me E-mail if you prefer. We at Communications Electronics Inc., Emergency Operations Center value your business, and I thank you again for contacting us.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman & CEO
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center
http://www.usascan.com

drdeleon@pcsrock.com wrote:
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> experience!! Beware or get burned.
>
> Yes CEI is without a doubt the most economical way to acquire > scanners on the internet and probably the cheapest anywhere. They > ship promptly, they have a nice website(professional grade if you > ask me) and they carry high demand items. However they have a > couple of business practices that make them look like greedy > scoundrels. They advertise that if you buy an Uniden
> BC235XLT you will get free, a nice leather carrying case and a > set of large headphones(I guess by Uniden also) free. Then in the > small print they write that there will be an additional charge of > $12 for shipping of each items. If you buy the BC235XLT
> (like I did) please beware because they will screw you and then > tell you it was written somewhere on their website. Shipping for > the scanner is going to be $18 plus the price of the
> scanner plus $24 for the headphones and the case. The worse part > is that these additional ï¿½freeï¿½ items are of the lowest quality. > The headphones wont stay on your head for more than a minute > without sliding down and the case is not worth two cents. Please, > if you buy the BC235XLT from them DO NOT get the ï¿½freeï¿½ items. > You will be disappointed. Do not have the order
> shipped to a POBOX the shipping will be doubled, yes doubled. If > you have it shipped to a POBOX you will pay $36 for the BC235XLT > and $48 for the two free items. I think this is bad BAD Bad > business practice. Come right out and say itï¿½s not free and donï¿½t > hide behind shipping to get people tobuy your products. I must > say that if you buy a scanner and have it
> shipped to a street address you will save money over other > dealers. Now, if you dare to get any of their ï¿½freeï¿½ stuff or
> ship to a POBOX you willbe screwed. Another thing that bothers me > is that shipping for the BC235XLT is $18 using UPS ground service > which is about $5 according to UPS. They charge you an additional > $12 for a box, tape and closing the box. Is that the right
> way to do business? I donï¿½t know but I sure donï¿½t
> like it a bit. Their 61 day Money Back Guaranty is another scam. > Yes, you can buy from them and be a happy camper, but if you > donï¿½t watch out they will burn you. As far as the scanners and > CBï¿½s, they sell a good product. I just wish they would change
> their business practice to a less insulting method.

4292. Hi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike hays <hayshouse@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd46b$61bb5ca0$2a23fed0@default>
Source record: 145763

Hi anyone in Arkansas??

4293. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6scmgfgbu1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 145764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

A good freind of mine was driving home and was a witness to a vehicle that
hit and ran a young boy while he was crossing the street on his bicycle.
He was listening to the police dept. dispatch on a modified FT5100.
He immediately called dispatch, told them who he was and what he witnessed.
He waited at the scene and had to testify in court. The local PD thanked
him for his efforts, and not once did they mention anything about illegal
transmissions and such.

I think in this situation, it was perfectly acceptable for this guy to
transmit on the police freq. with a non-type accepted radio in order to save
this boy's life. Any other time...NO!

Dan
N7WPD

Chris Chamberlain and Rachael Rhoads wrote in message
<35E38155.20A6@epix.net>...
>Why do you want to? Why would anybody want to?

4294. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6scmk1ggt1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 145765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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4295. MDT/ PD LAP systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Fisher <klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca>
Message-ID: <35e9fcb5.0@ntnews.compusmart.ab.ca>
Source record: 145766

I am interested in decoding a local MDT system and I am interested if anyone has any information of any of the following:

The system is mfg by: MDI Mobile Data International (Now I believe a subs. of Motorola)
Model 9300
Uses I believe PD-LAP protocol.

If anyone has any knowledge they would like to pass on I would be thankful.

I am interested in developing an application similar to the one for the Motorola 4800 MDT application but for PD-LAP use. Any assistance provided can make this application become a reality .... that way we can all enjoy the benefits.

Thanks
Kevin Fisher VE6OXR
Edmonton Alberta Canada

klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca

4296. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat@nospam.com
Message-ID: <35e9dc64.85020593@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 145767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Oh.. Com'on! If you're wife, mother, son, daughter were in a life and death situation and all you have with you is your HT HAM radio. What would you do... obey the law!? give me a break. You do whatever it takes to save their life, wouldn't you?

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 22:47:09 +0000, "Ivor D. Jones" <ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>, Ron Ricketts
><rrickets@ix.netcom.com> writes
>>On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>>
>>I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
>>down to this:
>>
>>If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
>>disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
>>worry about the consequences afterwords.
>>
>>End of story!
>
>Ok, we'll come and visit you in jail!

4297. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35e94cfe.3036921@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145768
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 20:37:59 GMT, thekat@san.rr.org (Bud) wrote:

>On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 11:08:45 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
>bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>>This post I am replying to that calls for Bill Cheek to be invited back
>>because he is a valuable resource simply isn't true. Bill has ripped off the
>>ideas of others and then promoted them as his own in some cases.
>
>Shut the F*^K up when you have no CLUE as to what you're talking about.
>

Bud-
Victor does have a valid point. I got along with Bill and
never was flamed on the newsgroups...we didn't ever see eye-to-eye,
but we never got to the point of using foul language nor did we ever
put each other down. There were several things that Bill 'discovered',
but lacked some of the technical knowledge to somehow come up with all
of these items. He was the first one to admit that he knew the
slightest about programming, but yet there were several of his
extensive coding that popped up in several articles, books and
webpages that he contributed to his own doings.
Some parts of me wish that Bill was on this newsgroup to voice
some opinions and bring up some ideas...but then there was a Bill that
did want to stir things up. I'm not saying that he was totally at
fault, he wasn't...but there were the "13DD's up ppls asses", "I'm a
Win95 guru", "WinRadio Support" and the "knock, knock Mackey" stuff
that took away from the depth of professionalism and the admiration
that I that I have for him.
Give it some time and maybe he will do some changes and
rethinking, but just because you don't agree with Victor's comments
nor do you actually know the truth about everything...then please try
to refrain from slamming someone or using foul language to get a point
across...it doesn't work and only hurts your own image.

Wiggie

4298. Re: RS Pro-2001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35ea5c0a.6889932@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145769

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 01:50:36 GMT, pagerboy@juno.com (Pagerboy) wrote:

>I picked up a Radio Shack Pro-2001 at a garage sale. I have figured
>out all the key sequences to program the functions expect the HI and
>LO freq for the scan search mode. Does anyone have one and know the
>key sequence to change the HI and LO freqs?
>
>Thanks for your help
>
>Pagerboy@juno.com

I don't have any information specific to the Pro-2001, but there are several models that would be very similar. Go to http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.htm and there are a few online manuals that can help you out.

Wiggie

4299. New at this....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russell Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35EA38D3.FD2F91B6@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145770

I was wondering if any companbies sold a handheld scanner capable
of frequencies between 29 - to somewhere around 1000 MHz for under
$200.00.
Im also wodering ...If i get a scanner capable of those frequencies will
I be able to pick up portable phones and cell phones...or is there some
sort of modification that i need to do to get those?......
plese let me know!....anyone ...

4300. WTB RS Pro-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.D." <jdv@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35EA1DE9.56D3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145771

This post is for a non net friend. He is looking to buy a like new RS Pro-43 that has the box and all of the documentation, preferably with cellular mod already done. Please email me. All reasonable offers will be responded to.

Thanks

J.D. Vogel

jdv@ix.netcom.com

4301. Pro-2066

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@hotmail.net
Message-ID: <6sd7nh$i8v$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145772
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Shacks 99 catalog has a trunking mobile scanner PRO-2066
available Oct 30, 98.

My question is: Historically, does Radio Shack wait for that date before
they can be sold? Or can they sell them before that date, when the shipment
comes in?

Thanks, Bob

4302. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Remington <xusmc@psln.com>
Message-ID: <35EA3C8A.1D6A@psln.com>
Source record: 145773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Harry Marnell wrote:
>
> Someone has told me that CHP uses 155.445 for their extenders in the Plumas
> County area of the Northern Sierras...though I can't confirm it
>
> Harry
I can confirm it...They do!....73 de Todd KH2TJ/6 Portola, CA

4303. Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd489$721db700$1ddd0ad0@default>
Source record: 145774
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mackey...hum, let me see...oh ya, now I remember. It`s that stuff I stepped
in that came from the hind end of a neighbors dog. ;>}
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> wrote in article
<2O5G1.932$dM2.123600@news.mci2000.com>...
> I

. Mackey, Mackey who ???

4304. Buying from CEI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <332_9808310100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145775

-=> Quoting "communications Electroni to All <=-

> During our CEI special offer, this carrying case is
> free, plus $12.00 for shipping, handling & insurance.

Then it ___ain't___ free. PERIOD ! ! ! ! ! ! ! !

That's like a whore saying sex is free, but it will
cost $100 to remove her panties to get to the goodies.

Your statement is prostituting CEI to the lowest level.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

4305. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35e8a1bd.19921901@news>
Source record: 145820
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On 29 Aug 1998 12:02:11 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 18:45:31 -0500, Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net> wrote:
>
>>Brett - N7OLQ wrote:
>>>
>>> I had never heard of National when I ran across their deal on the BC895
>>> ($212 delivered). I picked up the phone, confirmed they had the item in
>>> stock, and placed the order. It went very smoothly. I will buy from them
>>> again.
>>>
>>
>>
>> Same exact price from from CEI so I wonder whats, what as far as a
>>deal. with shipping the CEI is 212.95...six of one..half a dozen of the
>>other...
>>
>
>Yep it does make one wonder. Wonder why CEI can't just be honest
>about their shipping charges!

What is DIS-honest about CEI's shipping charges?

They tell you what they are up front. Yes, i agree that they are
high, but there are no surprises. Ken Ascher also responded here
publicly numerous times explaining in great detail about their S & H
policy.

Nothing DIS-honest there.

With the shipping, on MOST, if not all items, the FINAL price is often
lower then morst other vendors.

Whats the problem?

Dan

4306. Did Linda Tripp violate the ECPA in addition to Maryland's Law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Ayer <"Jeremy Ayer"@Chaos.com>
Message-ID: <35E8BBF9.D68D528D@Chaos.com>
Source record: 145821
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Could someone please find fthe exact Maryland statute, law or code that
Linda Tripp is accused of violating?
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Tripp reportedly told of Maryland wiretap laws at RadioShack store

By Greg Toppo / Associated Press

COLUMBIA, Md. -- RadioShack employees reportedly
warned Linda Tripp when she bought a recording device that it
is illegal to tape a phone conversation in Maryland without the
other party's consent. If she was warned, she could lose a big
legal defense -- ignorance of the law.

Mrs. Tripp's defenders have dismissed the Maryland
investigation as retribution for her decision to go to Independent
Counsel Kenneth Starr with 20 hours of taped evidence that
former White House intern Monica Lewinsky and President
Clinton had an affair and tried to cover it up.

Tandy Corp., the parent company of RadioShack, announced
Friday that under subpoena it gave prosecutors a sales receipt
showing Mrs. Tripp purchased a recording device. Two
employees from a Maryland store also testified before a grand
jury about the purchase, the company said.

Tandy declined comment on a report in Friday editions of The
(Baltimore) Sun that the two employees testified they warned
Mrs. Tripp it was illegal to record a phone conversation in
Maryland without the other party's consent.

Mrs. Tripp's spokesman, Philip Coughter, said: "This is by no
means the first time that false statements have been made
concerning Linda. Sadly, it probably will not be the last."
Breaking the Maryland law is a felony punishable by five
years in prison and a $10,000 fine. But prosecutors must prove
the person knew about the law before the taping.

Tandy said it sometimes warns about wiretapping laws,
which vary from state to state.

"If there is a reason to believe a recording device may be
used illegally, it is RadioShack's policy to inform the customer
that it is illegal to record someone without their consent in the
state of Maryland," the company said in a statement Tandy spokesman
Ron Trumbla would not expand on the statement. "The operative word

obviously is 'if.' I'm not going to go any further," he said.

The Sun also reported that the device Mrs. Tripp purchased carried a warning on the back of the package stating it is illegal in some states to record a conversation without the consent of all parties.

A grand jury has heard two days of testimony in the investigation. A judge last week approved prosecutor Stephen Montanarelli request to have the grand jury's term extended indefinitely to hear the Tripp case. Montanarelli would not comment Friday.

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http://detnews.com:80/1998/nation/9808/29/08290028.htm

4307. Are Radar Detectors Burglar's Tools or Safety Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Ayer <"Jeremy Ayer"@Chaos.com>
Message-ID: <35E8BF65.A56119BA@Chaos.com>
Source record: 145822
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage

Here is the URL for State Scanner and RADAR Detector Laws:

click here ---> http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/scanlaws/

And here is the URL for the Radio Association Defending Airwave Rights, Inc

click here ---> http://www.radar.org/

Do Radar Detectors assist you in driving more safely?

Or, Do Radar Detectors allow you to
"tune to the cops so you don't get caught."

What is YOUR opinion?

4308. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Wertz <artwertz@world-net.net>
Message-ID: <35E8A92A.B922D202@world-net.net>
Source record: 145823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Seems to me there was a huge furor a couple of years ago where a
ham had a HT modified to get on an EMS channel (I think) -
He was prosecuted and his HT was confiscated!!!

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Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@world-net.net
http://www.world-net.net/users/artwertz

4309. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083002071700.WAA19481@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145824

>Subject: Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)
>From: cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo)
>Date: 8/28/98 9:28 PM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <1998082904283300.AAA08285@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>In article <6s7uqvaup1@hornet.fibr.net>, "Cyber357" <cyber357@nwol.net>
>writes:
>
>>the RS guy did not know what he was talking
>>about.
>
>THIS is newsworthy?
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

I think you ought to buy all yer CB stuff and get yer free catalogs at Best Buy, Circuit City or that storehouse of electronical leeneer fixerator parts, Wal Mart! Stay out of Radio Shack if it upsets you so much. Surely they don't have anything an expert like you can't get from the other 12 parts stores open on every street corner!
Neutrodyne

4310. Mobile Scanner Antenna Opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <35e8bb12.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 145825

I am looking for a mobile scanner antenna with a TRUNK-LIP MOUNT.

Have a Radio Shack mag mount scanner antenna - can this be converted to a trunk mount?

Have seen the Austin Spectra - runs about $100 (little expensive).

Have seen the SCANNER WORLD antennas - don't know how well they work.

Any thoughts are welcome...

4311. Re: Are Radar Detectors Burglar's Tools or Safety Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: smokebowl@hempseed.com
Message-ID: <35e8c2da.39782220@news.flash.net>
Source record: 145826
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage

that is absolutely obsurd! every officer doesn't have his radar
running and if you were a burgular, how would a cop being a hal mile
away doing radar see you?
On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 02:56:42 GMT, Jeremy Ayer <"Jeremy
Ayer"@Chaos.com> wrote:

>Here is the URL for State Scanner and RADAR Detector Laws:
>
>click here ---> http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/scanlaws/
>
>
>And here is the URL for the Radio Association Defending Airwave Rights, Inc
>
>click here ---> http://www.radar.org/
>
>
>Do Radar Detectors assist you in driving more safely?
>
>Or, Do Radar Detectors allow you to
> "tune to the cops so you don't get caught."
>
>
>What is YOUR opinion?

4312. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6saguf$3bi$0@207.18.224.190>
Source record: 145827
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 20:23:04 GMT, thekat@san.rr.com (Bud) wrote:

>On 29 Aug 1998 12:02:11 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>
>>Yep it does make one wonder. Wonder why CEI can't just be honest
>>about their shipping charges!
>
>They tell you up front what it costs to ship. If you don't like that, buy
>from somewhere else.
>
I do. I try to be helpful to others however, and point it out to
them.

4313. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f1c1f2.5352225@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145828

On 29 Aug 1998 05:43:13 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>It is comical that you know how many emails I send to you, yet you allegedly
>have a "filter" set up.

My newsreader displays a summary of deleted incoming e-mails by
author...if you upgraded from that crap you use, you might find some
more advanced features do exist in a newsreader!

>It looks as if that filter is not filtering properly.

Works excellent!

>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
>Neither did I.

If you weren't so confused by your allegiance with micro$oft, you
might go out and find some alternatives to their lamo software..oh
well maybe when you grow up a bit more!

>Jack wrote in message <35f68d3a.8350456@news.bell.net>...
>>Haha, I've been tempted to filter him, but the comedy value is just
>>too great, but I did have to killfile him on email since the 20 or so
>>a day he sends is just much too much..since you see it in the NG
>>anyway!

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4314. Re: ********Need help. Can someone Tell Me What this is**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f2c805.6901729@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145829

On 29 Aug 1998 05:55:53 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Hmm, then why is it being transmitted at 6400 Baud?

Please, do tell how you came to this conclusion!

>If I compare the signal to local FLEX signals, they are a[n exact] match. If
>you'd like, I can send you a quick sample of both the poster's sound and the
>FLEX signals I "hear here" in the same sound file.

For someone who has yet to even tap the discriminator on any scanner,
you sure do seem sure of your self! Remember, you are the one who
claims that you can receive 2400 baud pocsag through the EARPHONE
output! HAHAHA, not even mentioning that you have NO FLEX DECODING
capabilities! How in the hell are you going to compare them? If you
visit my website, I have VERIFIED discriminator output .WAV samples of
the various protocols, enlighten you're self and have a listen!
I thought that you were going to stop posting fact less info here, I
guess Hans was right..you are a BOLD FACED LIAR!

>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
>Neither did I.

Sure is fast on my machine! You should upgrade from that 286, cpu
prices are falling fast!

>Jack wrote in message <35fc970d.10866437@news.bell.net>...
>>Listen again! Sure sounds like POCSAG in my ear...
>

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4315. PRM80 30 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <paulsm@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35E8CD9A.E610ACFE@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 145830
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

Hi, I'm after the programming software for the philips prm80 30 series
radio.
Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Paul.

4316. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission - pay phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f8d304.9717140@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145831

On 29 Aug 1998 17:13:03 GMT, "D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>Various people in the original thread advocated using pay telephones
>to make a free call to 9-1-1 instead of various radio options. All
>well and good, since many people don't have mobile phones, two-way
>radios, etc. in their cars.
>
>Now comes a threat to the existence of roadside pay telephones. At
>this moment, this is a local initiative in my own neighborhood. There
>is no telling how widespread it may become, however.
>
>The Maplewood Neighborhood Association in Rochester, NY is trying to
>have pay telephones REMOVED from a stretch of Dewey Avenue that runs
>through MNA's area. They want to eliminate these so-called
>"congregation points for unsavory activity" as the Association's
>President says in the newsletter. No mention of any consideration for
>what passersby will do if they need to place an emergency call and
>there are no phones.
>
>I have emailed the City Council and the Mayor about this. I proposed
>that, if they really need to remove the pay phones, they should place
>signs directing passersby to the nearest fire and/or police station.
>
>In any event, keep your eyes and ears open in your own cities and
>towns. Your neighborhood may be the next to attempt to eliminate
>public pay telephones from your streets.
>
>73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01
>

In my area, the trend has been to make the payphones outgoing only, IE
no incoming calls..perhaps you could suggest that to the powers that
be..?

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4317. Re: PRO-90 @ $199.99!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f9d365.9813865@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145832

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 19:43:06 GMT, "Bill Crocker" <bcrocker@home.com>
wrote:

>Radio Shack's current sale price on the PRO-90, @ $199.99 is hard to beat!
>Not sure how much longer it's on sale though.
>
>Bill Crocker
>

It's not really that hard to beat at www.uniden.com

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4318. Re: fcc, outdoor antennas & condos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fad3dd.9934444@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 19:57:59 -0400, "ka3jjz@erols.com"
<ka3jjz@erols.com> wrote:

>rob wrote:
>>
>> Radio Shack 1999 catalog pq 151 states that property owners have a right
>> to install outdoor antennas and also satellite dishes < 39 inches dia by
>> FCC ruling that overrules for example condo association limitations
>> except for safety and historical sites. I doubt that my condo assoc will
>> accept a RS catalog as the final word. Anyone have any more info or
>> links to details?

> If memory serves, the ruling to which the catalog refers only applies
>to satellite dishes; I don't think that scanner antennas are included in
>the ruling. We hams have been looking for a way around those kind of
>restrictions for years; we had high hopes this would be the one, but
>alas it fell short. Of course, a little disguise antenna is better than
>none at all....Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

So I guess a fake dss dish with a few 1/4 wave verticals attached
might just get by...

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4319. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3694d1e1.1431942551@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 00:32:54 +0100, "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
>Discounting a few other experimenters with prior claims generally
>unrecognized today as being "real" radio, Guglielmo Marconi sent the first
>Spark transmissions of practical communications value in 1895.

Hmm, that would be Stubblefield and Loomis I suppose. Nathan B.
Stubblefield was sending wireless *voice* modulated signals in 1873
(he did a demonstration for Congress between a ship on the Potomac
and a shore station while lobbying for money to develop his invention
further, the demonstration went fine, but Congress didn't give him any
money). Loomis was operating his aerial telegraph during the same
decade. This was an *unpowered* system which depended on the natural
electrical gradient, but Loomis demonstrated it over a 23 mile path, not
bad for a purely passive system.

Of course Tesla had his oar in there too. In 1895 he demonstrated
a radio controlled submarine in New York. And we all know about
his Colorado experiments in 1899 where he resonated the Earth,
and the Wardenclyffe tower (the first capacity hat loaded vertical)
he built to distribute global wireless power (he went bankrupt before
bringing that to fruition). Tesla's patent on the double circuit tuner
was what finally broke the Marconi monopoly on radio too. (Marconi
was infringing Tesla's patent, Marconi's own single circuit tuner patent
didn't work over more than a few miles, he had to use Tesla's double
circuit configuration to get any real efficiency and range.)

Marconi didn't really invent much. His original patent was just a
rehash of Hertz's prior art. He did invent an improved coherer,
which was quickly superseded by crystal and electrolytic detectors,
and he did slap his name on the unbalanced monopole vertical antenna,
though Loomis used it first. Etc. Marconi was mainly a promoter and
businessman, sort of like Bill Gates. He didn't invent anything much,
but he knew how to aggressively grab and market the ideas of others.
He deserves credit for creating a commercial radio industry from
what had been up until then mostly just a scientific curiosity or
a hacker's toy.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4320. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3695e05f.1435652353@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 29 Aug 1998 21:16:41 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Len, CW is in NO WAY Morse Code.
>
>As someone else stated, CW is a METHOD of transmitting Morse Code. "Morse
>Code" is the actual "encoding" of alphanumeric characters into short and
>long tones.

Well, ever the pedant, I must say that CW is a pure sinewave carrier.
It can be modulated by on off keyed Morse, or it can be modulated by
voice, or it can be frequency shifted for RTTY, etc. All current radio
is CW, even SSB which depends on a pure CW carrier even though
it suppresses it before transmission.

The alternative to CW is DW, ie Damped Wave instead of Continuous
Wave. DW was also called Spark from the way it was generated. That's
illegal now, though it was heavily used in the early days of radio before the
Fessenden and Alexandersen alternators came along to produce CW, and
before Hartley used Fleming's valve to produce CW.

And BTW, much of early radio used FSK to transmit Morse rather
than on off keying. That's because arc transmitters couldn't easily
be started or stopped, but it was easy to key a reactance to shift their
frequency.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4321. Re: fcc, outdoor antennas & condos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uYMzqj909GA.217@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

rob <robby@nospam.nac.net> wrote:
> ... FCC ruling that overrules for example condo association limitations ...
> Anyone have any more info or links to details?

The FCC Report and Order was adopted on 05 August 1996, and was published in the Federal Register (61 FR 46562) on 04 Sept 96. The text of the rule can be found as section 1.4000 of the FCC regulations (47 CFR 1.4000). The full Report & Order could be downloaded from - ftp://ftp.fcc.gov/pub/Bureaus/Cable/Orders/fcc96328.txt

It applies only to TV Broadcast, DBS Satellite and Multipoint Distribution antennas. (Of course, if your condo association board doesn't notice that your TV antenna is vertically oriented, then .... <g>)

/* barry /&
mulligan@acm.org

4322. Re: PRM80 30 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ron_ayling@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35e8ef63.1247950@news.adept.co.uk>
Source record: 145837
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 13:57:14 +1000, Paul <paulsm@mailexcite.com>
wrote:

>Hi, I'm after the programming software for the philips prm80 30 series
>radio.
>Any help would be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>Paul.
>
Hello Paul, whats a PRM80/30 ?
I have software for PRM80/10 and 80/20 and
even the PRM80T (truncking)
more info required and may be able to help

from Ron...

4323. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8poa <kb8poa@NOSPAM.gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <35E8FA53.1E0C@NOSPAM.gatecom.com>
Source record: 145838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

John Habbinga wrote:
>
> yabyum@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
> >
> >I think it's a rediculous idea that one has to pay for advertisement at
> all.
> >RS is most certainly no charity, it's a business that makes money of their
> >advertisement.
>
> Advertisement? Those catalogs are produced for the benefit of the
> salespeople. It is a reference guide and a training tool. RadioShack is kind
> enough to provide them to customers that also find them helpful.

Ah, sounds like the RS I go to. It's a scary thing to actually ask them
a question. They usually have no idea what you're talking about. I've
also found that I have to take them around the store finding the items
I'm looking for, rather then them showing me where they are. But the
best one was when the salesperson asked me if I had to graduate from a
school of broadcasting to get my license. If those poor guys didn't have
that catalog, they'd have no idea what they were selling...

73 de Walt, kb8poa...

4324. Opto R11 modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: chiblet@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083007262200.DAA10057@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145839

Does anyone have any knowledge of how to unmute the audio on cell reception?
Dave

4325. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anne <noAnne@online.nono>
Message-ID: <01bdd3eb$88b85900$8d444382@default>
Source record: 145840
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Alleycat <kibblesnbits@askme.net> skrev i artikkelen
<35e7a0a9.8101592@news.cadvision.com>...
> gburnore@databasix.com (Gary L. Burnore) wrote:
>
> >On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 04:45:23 GMT, in article
> ><35e635c4.16101379@news.cadvision.com>, kibblesnbits@askme.net
(Alleycat)
> >wrote:
> >
> >>
> >>This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
> >>someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
> >>familiar with the laws in each?
> >
> >Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it.

> Babalooey! So a person travelling through each state would have
> to purchase or get hold of a book of laws,
> sit down and read the the entire book before proceeding to the
> next state,
> and then do the same in the next one,
> and the next?
>
> That's nuts. Do American tourist bureaus send out "driving
> books" to those who ask in advance, or is there some kind of
> national "driver's" book they could purchase somewhere? It's
> easy to say "ignorance of the law is no excuse." but when a
> tourist has to locate a licensing office or police station to
> find a book, and then pull over to the side of the road to read
> it before proceeding....
> Besides, he could be fined on the way, so what other options does
> he have?
>
> It;'s easy for you when you come to Canada. We've only got 10
> provinces here and our laws are pretty well the same in nine .
> But you've got a lot more states and, in spite of the fact that
> you don't have more than one official language to create barriers
> between people, your laws still differ "much" more than ours.
>
> Ok, be REASONABLE here. Tell me seriously what judges and LEOs
> would expect tourists to do to ensure they didn't get a ticket.
> Don't give me the "stay home Canuk" answer. I want a "serious"
> answer here. -- Alleycat

If you look upon the USA as one country it does sound nuts, I agree, but living in Europe where it takes me one and half hour to get to one other country and may be six to a second different country, I don't see it as more diffocult there than here. Think about the USA as 50 different countries and you're no worse off than we are in Europe.

In Norway you can still talk on a cell phone while driving, in Portugal you can not. You do, you get a fine, an excuse that you didn't know won't help much. You come to Norway and drive with 0.06 won't help you much that most of the USA has a higher limit, anymore than it would for a Norwegian driving in Sweden with 0.03 as their limit is .02.

Here most people go to the Motor club before they go to another country, and they will tell them about the laws that are different from the ones we have. I am sure that would be possible in Canada as well.

Anne

4326. Re: 1st IF Freqs.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35E90BE4.5978@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145841
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bob Parnass, AJ9S wrote:
> PRO-51 and BC230XLT IFs are 10.8 and 0.45 MHz.
>
> BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden) IFs are
> 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz.
>
> PRO-64 IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz.

While on the subject, I've got a question. My BC700A is supposed to be
triple conversion. With all that going, why such *terrible* image problems?

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

4327. FS: Radio Shack PRO-2046 on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <kosborne@springnet1.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd3f0$865e9840$488d9ed0@Pkosborne>
Source record: 145842
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hello All,

Selling my Radio Shack PRO-2046 on Ebay. Unit has never been mobile and is in 9 plus condition.

Details at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=27939547

Thanks

Kevin

4328. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35E905B6.6E63@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 145843

JackT21262 wrote:
>
> >ject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
> >From: rrickets@ix.netcom.com (Ron Ricketts)
> >Date: 8/29/98 9:40 AM Eastern Daylight Time
> >Message-id: <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
> >
> >On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> ><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
> >
> >I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
> >down to this:
> >
> >If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
> >disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
> >worry about the consequences afterwords.
> >
> >End of story!
>
> Can we please end this ridiculous thread? Now we have people who think
> that they can transmit on hand held scanners and wonder why the police cannot
> hear them! If you ever encounter an officer who is so badly injured that he
> cannot use his own radio then PLEASE use his/her rado to call his/her
> dispatcher with the location, etc. I have been in law enforcement for over 26
> years and this happened several times and is certainly welcome. You CANNOT use
> your own radio to transmit on a police frequency. Use a TELEPHONE and call
> (!!.
Breaker , Breaker all asshole buddies , get a life or stay home and fuck
mommie ! In Jersey , you fuck with the cops , or their radios , you get
a beating . (Legit) not some shit you see on CNN . Grow up and stay on
the CB message board .

4329. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35E90BC1.22AD@swbell.net>
Source record: 145844

andy wrote:
>
> > > with these devices so the stick with the tried and true x and K band
> > > microwave devices that give cops cancer!
>
> There have been allegations to this, but nothing has ever been proven.
> A study performed by the Institute of Police Technology and Management a
> few years ago found that for police radar devices to attain an exposure
> level that is equal to the maximum permissable exposure level as
> established by the American National Standards Institute, there needed
> to be 69 radar units turned on at the same time nearly touching the
> skin. Bear in mind that the ANSI level of exposure is 1/10th the level
> deemed to produce potential health effects.
>
> Kustom Signal Inc., a major manufacturer of police radar devices has
> NEVER lost a radar exposure case and WILL NOT settle these cases,
> regardless of costs.
>
> I have not heard of any new pending litigation along this line in many
> years.

Look at the number of cops who have testicular cancer from holding their
radar units between their legs while sitting on their motocycle waiting
for the next car to approach them.
They sat there radiating their testicles for hours on end. I call that
"Well Done".

4330. I need some info!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35E91B0C.212489B0@sunshine.net>
Source record: 145845

I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it? or
how it works for you?
thank you too all that respond
Ryan
ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

4331. The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <1paG1.336$iH4.1322606@news4.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145846
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

This post I am replying to that calls for Bill Cheek to be invited back because he is a valuable resource simply isn't true. Bill has ripped off the ideas of others and then promoted them as his own in some cases. The most glaring example recently was when he promoted Winradio programming by showing that he wrote a piece of software that did something. I found the original piece as a bit of Winradio documentation on their Web site. All Bill did was change the frequency data in one line. This is equivalent to a newbie writing 'Hello World" and then adding his name and then declaring he now was an original programmer who would for a fee teach you how to program. His posts related of computers etc. in his newsletter are of similar nature and it amazes me that people are willing to pay for it. What a waste of paper!

He comes from the world of CB where he was a hero among those with absolutely no knowledge.
He has moved into the world of the internet and scanners with the demise of interest in CB. There Bill Cheek still impresses those with a general lack of technical knowledge.
His posts to USENET still sound like the trash talk you still can hear on CB at its worse.
The heroes of the scanning hobby today are those that are developing the MTRUNK and trunktracker programs and the hardware ideas that lead to the Bearcat Trunktracker line. That is original work that has benefit us.

For technical mods one would be better suited to read "Nuts and volts", Qst, 73, etc.

Why anyone would define the right of Bill cheek's trash talk back here is beyond me. The right to free speech has its limits. For example who whould defend the right of a fool to holler fire in a crowed movie theater if it resulted in the death of innocent women and children. Didn't he have the right to freely say what ever he wanted? That is an obvious example of the foolishness of defending the idea that free speech should have no limits.

73 de ki4je

Tim Thompson wrote in message <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net>...
>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>>
>>
>> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in their
>scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk

4332. Multiple Trunks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35E92930.B244B38F@nol.net>
Source record: 145847

Is there a scanner out there that can scan multiple trunks.
Say City A has 5 freqs City B has 5 freqs and so does City C.
To listen to them, I have to put them in seperate banks (a RS Pro-91)
and can listen to them seperatly. Is there a scanner that I could
program all the cities that can fit in one bank and scan all three
cities??

Also, is there a trunk-scanner that can allow for Trunk and Conventional
scanning. Some cities I drive thru are trunked, some are not.

Any Help appreciated,
mailto:jcarroll@nol.net

4333. Used O-Scopes in Toronto??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: repatch@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sc0td$nh4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145848

I am interested in obtaining a cheap O-scope and everybody tells me to go to a hamfest, OK where is one!?? Anyways, any fellow Torontonians out there know where I can find a cheap used o-scope? Looking to spend around $150, it doesn't need anything special, single trace, dual trace, 1950 vintage whatever, where can I find one? Thanks in advance for any info. TTYL

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4334. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <35E938CD.72A5@acm.org>
Source record: 145849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

It seems to be individual store policy. The store where I got mine said
word from the regional office was to give them away with a purchase. I
made a large purchase the day before they came out and the manager said
to come back the next day with the receipt and they would give me one.
I did and I got a one foot long receipt for the catalog for a total
price of $0.00!

Stephen Rabinowitz wrote:
>
> I bought a few things also but they still wanted to charge me $2.95.
>
> kd1my@banet.net wrote in message <6s8uuf$b9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
> >only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new
> catalogs
> >and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
> >charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will
> still
> >give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> >people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan
> but
> >I do buy a few things there.
> >
> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

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| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
| (914) 425-9819 or (516) 676-2971 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
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4335. Re: How to transmit on police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083012043700.IAA19280@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145850

>bject: How to transmit on police
>From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com (Joe Nicholson)
>Date: 8/29/98 5:55 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <297_9808292309@warpgate.com>
>
> -=> Quoting Hynde to All <=-
>
> > You Don't. Unless your a Police officer or emergency official you are not
> > allowed to transmit on their freq... You can get arrested and in trouble.
>
> Hy> Actually there was a fellow who used a police radio to call for help
> Hy> when an officer was down.
>
> But he used a radio that was type accepted and licensed to the police.
> That is not the same as using a ham or other radio while transmitting
> out of band on a police frequency. Big difference there.
>
>___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
>--
>|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
>|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
>| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.
>
The person in this case obviously used the officers own radio to
transmit which would be welcome and accepted. Since this discussion started so
many people are getting this confused with someone tuning a ham radio to a
police frequency and trying to transmit. A few days ago there was even some
bozo who could not understand why he couldn't be heard trying to transmit on a
handheld scanner!

4336. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083012053500.IAA02717@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145851

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>Subject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
>From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
>Date: 8/30/98 3:56 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35E905B6.6E63@bellatlantic.net>
>
>JackT21262 wrote:
>>
>> >ject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
>> >From: rrickets@ix.netcom.com (Ron Ricketts)
>> >Date: 8/29/98 9:40 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>> >Message-id: <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
>> >
>> >On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>> ><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>> >
>> >I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
>> >down to this:
>> >
>> >If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
>> >disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
>> >worry about the consequences afterwords.
>> >
>> >End of story!
>>
>> Can we please end this ridiculous thread? Now we have people who think
>> that they can transmit on hand held scanners and wonder why the police
>cannot
>> hear them! If you ever encounter an officer who is so badly injured that
>he
>> cannot use his own radio then PLEASE use his/her rado to call his/her
>> dispatcher with the location, etc. I have been in law enforcement for over
>26
>> years and this happened several times and is certainly welcome. You CANNOT
>use
>> your own radio to transmit on a police frequency. Use a TELEPHONE and call
>> (!!.
>Breaker , Breaker all asshole buddies , get a life or stay home and fuck
>mommie ! In Jersey , you fuck with the cops , or their radios , you get
>a beating . ( Legit ) not some shit you see on CNN . Grow up and stay on
>the CB message board .
>
Amen! I hope that gets the point across!
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4337. Re: PRM80 30 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaron parsons <aaron@majestic.net.au>
Message-ID: <35E9554D.9CC3810D@majestic.net.au>
Source record: 145852
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

i have all the software the other guy said aswell as the 8030
software... e-mail me. where are you etc? what have you to trade etc?

Paul wrote:
>
> Hi, I'm after the programming software for the philips prm80 30 series
> radio.
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
> Paul.

4338. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob McCarthy <mccarthy@ix.no.spam.com>
Message-ID: <35E94D08.2A81@ix.no.spam.com>
Source record: 145853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ScannerMan wrote:
>
> I have having a dispute/argument with another person and would like to
> solicit your opinions.
>
> Situation: Assume I have a two-way radio tuned to the local police
> department frequency. I witness an emergency situation (building on
> fire, person being shot, store being robbed) I assume, under current FCC
> regulations, I have the "right" to use that frequency, to report said
> crime, because it endangers "life or property."
>
> Can anyone cite FCC regs? Is this technically permitted?
>
> Dave McGuire

As this thread has progressed I've seen no logical answers to this
original question.

In an EMERGENCY all bets are off. You may do whatever is necessary to
save a life or destruction of property. You won't be prosecuted if you
truly feel there was a life & death emergency.

Everyone who keeps citing the laws are pussies who are afaid to key the
mike. And if you see a woman getting raped and fail to key the mike, you
are an accessry to the crime. Period.

I am dismayed that so many of you make excuses NOT to get involved when
someone's life is in trouble. Shame on you!

And that goes to doctors, too, who drive by fatal and serious accidents
and never stop - you should losse your medical licenses.

Bob McCarthy
Denver, Co.

4339. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC7ZRU <KC7ZRUnospam@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <35E968BA.64E8B740@cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 145854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

At the risk of 'playing radio lawyer' - one instance does not the rule proove.

Part 97.403:
ï¿½97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems
are not available.

Ok - sounds good, but then if you read the begining of Part 97:

ï¿½97.1 Basis and purpose.
The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur radio
service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following principles:

later on there's mention of different license classes, bands etc.

So - the argument can be made that Part 97 ONLY covers the ham frequencies. At the same time it's pretty tough for an enforcement agency to hang a 'good samaritan' out to dry for helping save a life.

My conclusion: Seems it's technically illegal to operate outside the ham freqs in any instance - but it may not be pursued if there's apparent 'justification' as in Don's case. You roll the dice and take your chances - only you can decide, if and when you're in such a situation if you want to play the gamble. Looks to me like Don was fourtunate - but it could have as easily gone the other way.

73!

Don or Darla Arnold wrote:

> I have done this
> underwent a police, state ag, and fcc investigation
> there was no cell phone or OTHER phone avail
> NO cb avail and was not inrange of a LOCAL REPEATER
> and no one else on the hiway when i came upon a wreck
> and it was on fire, after i got the people out
> i used my ham ht and tuned in to local HIWAY patrol
> freq (150 something) and called they answered and told me to clear
> the freq until i told them they prob
> they then dispathed a unit and a fire unit and a ambulance
> took about 3 weeks for all investigations
> and they concluded (all agencies) that i did the right thing
> DON
> kb5fhx

>
> Ralph Mowery wrote:
> >
> > > Ref:
> > > 97.403
> > >
> > > This section has been in force since 1934.
> > > You should have known about this provision.
> > > 73, Ted
> > >
> > > Ralph Mowery wrote in message <35E44C95.D932BD41@ibm.net>...
> > > >> The FCC regs clearly state, that in an emergency concerning
> > > >> a threath of life, any means of establishing communication is legal. That
> > > >> means out-of-band, or excessive power, or anything else you deem
> > > necessary.
> > > > >
> > > > >Can you point to the rules that state this ??
> > > > >
> > > > >If you are referring to PART 97, this has been restated by the FCC to only
> > > > >apply to hams and the transmission has to be in the ham bands. It is not a
> > > > >blanket statement ment for anyone and on any frequency other than the ham
> > > bands
> > > > >and for hams.
> > > > >
> >
> > I know about the part in PART 97. As I stated this has been redefined by the
> > FCC to pertain ONLY to the ham bands. I was asking about a Blanket ruling that
> > pertains to other frequencies. I don't think there will be one to be found.
> > The FCC seems to have tried to make it clear that people are NOT to use just any
> > radio to transmitt even under emergency conditions.
>
> --
>
> WEB PAGE UPDATED 08 AUG 98
> http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Valley/6430 personal page
>
> other pages we are involved in
> http://hattiesburg.net/columns/index.shtml My Weekly column
> http://www.datasync.com/skywarn JOIN THE SKYWARN WEBRING
> http://www.qsl.net/kb5zvw Navy mars MS area page

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KC7ZRU | In Laramie Area
Laramie, WY | UARC Repeater
DN71eh | 146.610
"The Dungeon" online at http://www.cyberhighway.net/~tateb
KC7ZRU@nospam.KC7ZRU.#SEWY.WY.USA.NOAM (packet only)
KC7ZRU@nospam.N7MMC.AMPR.ORG (To my packet station from the I-net)
To use any of my email addresses, remove 'nospam' first

4340. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6sbo5l$1nj8$4@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145855

a_alpha1 wrote in message <35E834C3.A7B054DD@pacbell.net>...
> BTW: to D Stark.......... please note that at the a_alpha1 web site
> "dedicated to providing techno freebies " (not stealing
software)..
> in the software section ...there is a whole web page that states
> " our views " AGAINST hacked and cracked software. (yes .there

Every hacker/cracker site I've ever seen is covered with those CYA
disclaimers. They are pure bullshit.

4341. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission - pay phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6sbo5a$1nj8$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145856

Jack wrote in message <35f8d304.9717140@news.bell.net>...

>In my area, the trend has been to make the payphones outgoing only,
IE
>no incoming calls..perhaps you could suggest that to the powers that
>be..?

That has already been done here, although not all payphones are
compliant yet because many of them are operated under contract by
companies other than the main phone utility.

4342. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6sbo5j$1nj8$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob McCarthy wrote in message <35E94D08.2A81@ix.no.spam.com>...
>In an EMERGENCY all bets are off. You may do whatever is necessary to
>save a life or destruction of property. You won't be prosecuted if
you
>truly feel there was a life & death emergency.

That is simply untrue. Yes, I agree that it SHOULD be OK to do
whatever is necessary to report an emergency. But YOUR belief at the
time is only an affirmative defense, not a complete justification.
Hams HAVE BEEN PROSECUTED for doing just what you describe. It's
stupid, but those are the facts.

>mike. And if you see a woman getting raped and fail to key the mike,
you
>are an accessry to the crime. Period.

Nope, sorry. We have no laws in the United States that require the
average citizen to report a crime. Don't use legal terms unless you
clearly understand their actual meaning. An "accessory" is a legal
term that is defined in criminal laws.

>And that goes to doctors, too, who drive by fatal and serious
accidents
>and never stop - you should losse your medical licenses.

Doctors CAN lose their licenses, and tons of money, for stopping and
rendering aid in some situations (like practicing outside their
specialty, for instance). Don't be so quick to condemn unless you
know ALL of the pertinent facts.

73 de Dave, NF2G
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nf2g@ggw.org ICQ #236637 NYSING-01
NF2G Scannist Pages and Web BBS at www.ggw.org/nf2g
A.S. Criminal Justice '98 Phi Theta Kappa
"He who has not endured the stress of study
will not taste the joy of knowledge."
'Abd Al-Latif (1162-1231)
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4343. Re: freeware poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6sbo5k$1nj8$3@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145858

Dusty - K4NLZ wrote in message <35E818AF.CB29AE72@pacbell.net>...
> Hello D stark ,
>
> There is nothing wrong with my account ..try user head space.
> and ...most of all ....I absolutely resent your "lies " about my
> distributing ANY cracked software. List ANY single (or more)
> occasion where that has happened ..or issue a public apology

You provided a direct link to a software crack in this newsgroup. So you are an accessory to distribution of cracked software. NO APOLOGY OFFERED.

> BTW: in case you missed it ..there is no such address as
> @TIgEas.LAiR .....duhh.....

Then fix your mailer software. That is the return address that fills in when I hit "reply to sender".

4344. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35E9922C.4B73@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145859

Tracey*Levin wrote:
>
> andy wrote:
> >
> > > with these devices so the stick with the tried and true x and K band
> > > microwave devices that give cops cancer!
> >
> > There have been allegations to this, but nothing has ever been proven.
> > A study performed by the Institute of Police Technology and Management a
> > few years ago found that for police radar devices to attain an exposure
> > level that is equal to the maximum permissable exposure level as
> > established by the American National Standards Institute, there needed
> > to be 69 radar units turned on at the same time nearly touching the
> > skin. Bear in mind that the ANSI level of exposure is 1/10th the level
> > deemed to produce potential health effects.
> >
> > Kustom Signal Inc., a major manufacturer of police radar devices has
> > NEVER lost a radar exposure case and WILL NOT settle these cases,
> > regardless of costs.
> >
> > I have not heard of any new pending litigation along this line in many
> > years.
>
> Look at the number of cops who have testicular cancer from holding their
> radar units between their legs while sitting on their motocycle waiting
> for the next car to approach them.
> They sat there radiating their testicles for hours on end. I call that
> "Well Done".

Can you provide numbers or statistics?? I have been a full time law enforcement officer for 19 years.....23 years counting my time in the military. I don't know ONE officer who has testicular cancer.

The studies have shown that officers who work radar have NO higher incidence of cancer than officers that do not (I am referring to an article in April 1992 Law and Order magazine).

From everything I have read on the subject, I am in MORE danger of contracting cancer by standing out in an intersection directing traffic for an hour, than sitting in a car with a radar unit for 8 hours.

BTW, I keep my radar unit in "RF Hold" until I am ready to clock a speeder. This of course, lessens even more the non-existant cancer threat for those who might believe it.

4345. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35E9045E.B4@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 145860

JackT21262 wrote:
>
> >ject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
> >From: rrickets@ix.netcom.com (Ron Ricketts)
> >Date: 8/29/98 9:40 AM Eastern Daylight Time
> >Message-id: <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
> >
> >On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
> ><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
> >
> >I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
> >down to this:
> >
> >If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
> >disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
> >worry about the consequences afterwords.
> >
> >End of story!
>
> Can we please end this ridiculous thread? Now we have people who think
> that they can transmit on hand held scanners and wonder why the police cannot
> hear them! If you ever encounter an officer who is so badly injured that he
> cannot use his own radio then PLEASE use his/her rado to call his/her
> dispatcher with the location, etc. I have been in law enforcement for over 26
> years and this happened several times and is certainly welcome. You CANNOT use
> your own radio to transmit on a police frequency. Use a TELEPHONE and call
> (!!.
Steal a PD radio from a radio car , ... then go and get 2 blow jobs ,
and cum back and give me one

4346. Re: where to buy a trunk scanner in seattle area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sbq96$61u@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145861

In <6sahtt$l88@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com> "Peter Clift"
<petercli@returnix.netcom.com> writes:
>
>Does any store sell trunk scanners in Seattle,was area?
>
>I want to listen in to local government talk.
>
>I bought one mail order , but I couldn't figure out how to program it.
>I really need someone at the store to get me started.
>
>Thk,Peter
>
>--

Think,Peter

look at the manual.....open it to
page one...ok.

now, just read one section at a time.

one section at a time...understand
what it says and move on to section
number two in a few days...until you
have concluded.

the programming is done in steps....

in increments.

you have to see that it's a process
which just reading once and then thinking
it's just "push a button" as on other
scanners...NO. that won't suffice

each section is an answer for that particular
step in order to get it going.

remember: you have to enter the frequencies
once and then when you get ready to put access
to trunk you hvae to enter them again...into
that bank.

just take a deep breath or get some
good grass and relax....

one section at a time...

it's a variable-accessable scanner:

both conventional and tracking the trunk

you can program the conventional first.

then the trunk-tracker section when
you press the trunk-tracker button to
have it go to TT...then it will accept
those frequencies which it will then
hold and then you press SCAN and it
will do it's thing. If you don't want
to listen to what it is scanning for
you then can program in the numbers you
find for your area.

call them CODES.

again, take it a step at a time...learn
one step and then two and then three
ad nauseum.

you can do it.

patience.

bill conduit
etc

4347. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sbqtc$1lk@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145862
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <1paG1.336$iH4.1322606@news4.atl.bellsouth.net> "Victor Healey"
>Why anyone would define the right of Bill cheek's trash talk back here
is
>beyond me. The right to free speech has its limits. For example who
whould
>defend the right of a fool to holler fire in a crowed movie theater if
it
>resulted in the death of innocent women and children. Didn't he have
the
>right to freely say what ever he wanted? That is an obvious example of
the
>foolishness of defending the idea that free speech should have no
limits.
>
>73 de ki4je
>
>
Asshole...

for the same reason you posted your
stupidity for all to see here....plain
stupid. as if you hold the key to what
will be allowed to be printed or not.

your analogy is pure stupidity. Has nothing
to do with scanning. maybe those women and
children deserved to die: they are afflicted
with Mackey, his gene pool.

Actually FREE SPEECK is a misnomer.

It's the right to speak without government bashing
in your head because you upset some fool who got
elected and is having an image problem.

It's the right to say as you think.

It's the right to say what you think as from
what you learned: you evidently have very little
knowing to pass on to anyone who would try to
understand your "inanity"

Speech is not free. it carries with it a price.
To hear and to not hear. To say and so others
can decide as to what to hear or not. But not

to have someone say: "you cannot say that because I don't like it"...as you seem to be one of.

You evidently come from the bile of Mackeral. The wunnerful area of reality called "vile-bile" as a purveyor of one's redundancy in this world.

Speech is what it is. People talking and others listening. That's it.

Cheek-guy had lots to say. he was funny. he was intelligent. he did not like you or mackeral. but that is his bane. he just exists on a higher plane than you or the stink-mackeral.

You and the bile-boy cannot reach where bill cheek is and this pisses the hell out of you and that gives you your due: where both of you are is in the streets of where foul bile is found.

Kindly show us your true side. Give us some more wunnerful epistles of wisdom your mother gave to you when she removed that brown thing going down her leg onto her tit.

bill conduit
etc.

4348. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083015414300.LAA06930@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145863

>ect: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
>From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
>Date: 8/30/98 3:50 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35E9045E.B4@bellatlantic.net>
>
>JackT21262 wrote:
>>
>> >ject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??
>> >From: rrickets@ix.netcom.com (Ron Ricketts)
>> >Date: 8/29/98 9:40 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>> >Message-id: <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
>> >
>> >On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>> ><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>> >
>> >I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
>> >down to this:
>> >
>> >If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
>> >disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
>> >worry about the consequences afterwords.
>> >
>> >End of story!
>>
>> Can we please end this ridiculous thread? Now we have people who think
>> that they can transmit on hand held scanners and wonder why the police
>cannot
>> hear them! If you ever encounter an officer who is so badly injured that
>he
>> cannot use his own radio then PLEASE use his/her rado to call his/her
>> dispatcher with the location, etc. I have been in law enforcement for over
>26
>> years and this happened several times and is certainly welcome. You CANNOT
>use
>> your own radio to transmit on a police frequency. Use a TELEPHONE and call
>> (!!.
>Steal a PD radio from a radio car , ... then go and get 2 blow jobs ,
>and cum back and give me one
>
What an intelligent guy!

4349. Re: PRO-90 @ $199.99!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <8FeG1.358$ej4.9282655@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 145864

Jack:

Those "good" prices at Uniden, are refurbs, not new units.

Bill Crocker

Jack wrote in message <35f9d365.9813865@news.bell.net>...
>On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 19:43:06 GMT, "Bill Crocker" <bcrocker@home.com>
>wrote:
>
>>Radio Shack's current sale price on the PRO-90, @ $199.99 is hard to beat!
>>Not sure how much longer it's on sale though.
>>
>>Bill Crocker
>>
>
>
>It's not really that hard to beat at www.uniden.com
>
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

4350. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission - pay phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sbt54$it1$0@207.18.224.62>
Source record: 145865

On 29 Aug 1998 17:13:03 GMT, "D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>I have emailed the City Council and the Mayor about this. I proposed
>that, if they really need to remove the pay phones, they should place
>signs directing passersby to the nearest fire and/or police station.

You may want to suggest something done in other cities, who felt
that they had this same problem. They made the phones outdial
only, with rotary dial.

This ran off the people who were hanging out to recieve phone
calls, (Mainly drug dealers and streetwalkers) and it ran off the
people who used the phones to call the pagers of the above.

4351. Re: Bill Cheeks canNOT use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9006-35E96ADB-13@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145866

Look-If you get Cheek back you have Mackey back.Then the off topic posts are started again.WHO WANTS THAT CRAP! If you really want these clowns starting up again I suggest you have your head examined.

4352. Re: Are Radar Detectors Burglar's Tools or Safety Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rosenberry@chesco.nospam.com
Message-ID: <35ea798e.1807066@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 145867
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 20:46:11 -0700, "Bill Bershinger"
<bershinger@prodigy.net> wrote:

>I suppose if the government really wanted to, it could put radar
>transmitters all over the place so whenever you were on the road you
>detector would be chirping like crazy, thus rendering it useless.
>
>Or the government could mandate that speed limit signs carry transmitters
>that would send signals to your car's computer preventing your car from
>going faster than the limit on the sign. This could easily be sold to the
>public on the basis of protecting our children etc.
>
>There is a lot they can do and eventually they will get around to it all.
>Just hide and watch.
>
Welcome to PA! Everywhere PENDOT has one of those signs that they
can program the message into like "construction ahead" has a little
thing hanging under it or on the side. This little thing transmits a
radar signal that triggers your radar detector. It sure slows you
down and gets your attention.

Will Rosenberry

4353. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35E97C8C.DA80041C@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

covert628103@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <35E73686.56CE@ccnet.com>,
> cwheeler@ccnet.com wrote:
>
> > I'll also mention my experiences with emergencies... The only times
> > (twice) I have ever been in a places where radio service was scarce and
> > I had to call for help, amateur radio was only thing that DID work...
> > and it was 440MHz that came through both times.

> I'll mention mine too: The only three times I have ever been in a situation
> where emergency assistance was needed, amateur radio FAILED MISERABLY! A
> cell phone call saved the day. Some old coots on a 2M repeater wanted to
> dicker with me when I asked for someone to call the police.

But be reminded that I said "where radio service was
scarce". On both occassions I was in locations where
cellphones didn't work. My second choice, in both cases,
was the company land mobile radio - in these area I had no
coverage from company repeaters either.

But in both cases I was able to reach someone I knew, so
nobody had to screw around with me. I think I know what
you are talking about - you call in an emergecny and the ham
on the other end wants to know everything about you
(probably trying to verify you in a call book too) before
he'll call for help. Its never happened to me, but I have
heard it happen to others.

My cell phone is my first choice for emergency
communications. Depending on what I am doing, or where I
am, amateur radio is often third or fourth on the list.

>
> In fact, there is no longer any superstition in my mind that amateur radio is
> relevant any more in this day of satellite transponders and cell towers. A
> cell phone is a far better investment in emergencies than any ham rig could
> ever be.

I think amateur radio can be very useful in time of major
disaster. But I think it is a very small percentage of hams
that make the service look so useful in such situations.
From what I have obseverved, and expereinced, I would say
that at least 8 out of 10 amateurs are not compentent enough
in operating to be effective in handling disaster traffic.

--
Curtis

4354. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sc11l$q8g$0@207.18.224.73>
Source record: 145869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 29 Aug 1998 21:38:21 GMT, "Ted van Beek"
<tvanbeek@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Hi KarL:
>This is exactly what I stated:
>If, in the circumstance of the "saving" of a human life,
>you may operate in any manor consistant with the
>"reasonable" and "Operationaly consistant"
>considerations of "any" service. No single operator, following
But, the FCC states that your interpetation of the rules,
is not the same as their interpetation.

They state that you cannot use public safety frequencies as
a HAM.

4355. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <GdgG1.384$iH4.1498738@news4.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145870
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please take the illiterate responses back to the Chicken Band.
On CB no one cares about the use of speech right or wrong.
For those that would like to complain to netcom.com use the following
information.

<6sbqtc$1lk@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>...
path: ix.netcom.com!news
From: myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP)
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now
Date: 30 Aug 1998 15:25:32 GMT
Organization: ICGNetcom
Lines: 73
Message-ID: <6sbqtc$1lk@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
References: <6rskoobel1@garnet.mint.net> <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: ala-ca19-02.ix.netcom.com
X-NETCOM-Date: Sun Aug 30 10:25:32 AM CDT 1998
Xref: newsfeed.atl.bellsouth.net alt.radio.scanner:1459152
rec.radio.scanner:1777727

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6sbqtc$1lk@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>...
>>Why anyone would defend the right of Bill cheek's trash talk back here
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>>beyond me. The right to free speech has its limits. For example who
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>>resulted in the death of innocent women and children. Didn't he have
>the
>>right to freely say what ever he wanted? That is an obvious example of
>the
>>foolishness of defending the idea that free speech should have no
>limits.
>>
>>
>>
> Asshole...
>

> etc.
>

4356. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc40l$a5b@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ted, you don't get it.

IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF BAND ON EQUIPMENT NOT TYPE-ACCEPTED FOR A CERTAIN BAND.

97.40x states all of this -- an amateur may use ANY AMATEUR FREQUENCY, but NOT ANY FREQUENCY.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Ted van Beek wrote in message <6s9scd$t5f@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
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>If, in the circumstance of the "saving" of a human life,
>you may operate in any manor consistant with the
>"reasonable" and "Operationaly consistant"
>considerations of "any" service. No single operator, following
>this guideline, has been prosecuted.
>HEY!!!!!
>We are the good guys!. The FCC recognizes this. Local agencies
>recognize this. All they ask, is that we don't get carried away!
>(And I don't know of a single case in the last 20+ yrs that this has
>happend)
>Ted

4357. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc44a$aj7@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I didn't write that post, Ivor. Someone else said that they would use any
and all means of contact.

I've stated NUMEROUS times that it is illegal to transmit out of band.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Ivor D. Jones wrote in message ...
>In article <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>, Ron Ricketts
><rrickets@ix.netcom.com> writes
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>>disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
>>worry about the consequences afterwords.
>>
>>End of story!
>
>Ok, we'll come and visit you in jail!
>
>--
>
>73 de Ivor G6URP
>Email: ivor.g6urp@europa1.demon.co.uk
>Packet: g6urp@gb7sol.#29.gbr.eu
>

4358. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc45s$aql@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Not a good answer (in fact, I didn't even write that).

It is ILLEGAL to transmit on a band whose FCC regulations require
BAND-ACCEPTED equipment. Read 97.400.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Don or Darla Arnold wrote in message <35E8890F.E97638A0@datasync.com>...
>HERE HERE good answer
>donkb5fhx
>
>
>Ron Ricketts wrote:
>>
>> On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
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4359. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sc3sj$9di@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

>It does not matter how many people hear you. If you are talking to
>one person, everyone else will assume it is being dealt with.

But, if the person you are dealing with isn't helping you, I am sure someone
else will step in.

>If you want to test the reliability of people to help you when you
>are in trouble, try putting your head out of a window and start
>screaming. You can expect to be completely ignored, and if
>not you will be told to shut up and stop making so much noise.

What if there are no windows, or if you are somehow unable to scream or get
to an opening?

>With a cell phone you will choose who you talk to, and make the
>call count. Most people can remember 911 or whatever.

You can choose who you want to call on a repeater autopatch, too. A repeater
autopatch is basically a semi-duplex cellular system, with the exception of
not being able to be "handed off" to another repeater. Some repeaters allow
incoming calls, also.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

4360. Wanted: UC1771 Chip for a Pro-26 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@denimdoctors.com
Message-ID: <6sc2st$7cs$1@ultra.sonic.net>
Source record: 145875

Wanted: A replacement chip for my Pro-26 scanner, OR a UK version of the pro-26 logic board. I will pay good money for either.

Currently my scanner has a UC1702 chip and I'm looking for a UC1771 to replace it with, OR the whole logic board.

A company out of England called Javiation used to stock these items, but no longer.

Perhaps you bought eith one of the chips or logic boards intending to make the change but you never did and now it's just laying around your house. If this is the case turn that thing in to cold hard cash.

To respond to this post write to sstevens@(no spam)santarosa.edu
be sure to remove the (no spam) part ...including the parentheses.

Thanks,

-Scott

4361. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35EB3BFD.CD4D46CE@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145527

Victor Healey wrote: He comes from the world of CB where he was a hero among those with

> absolutely no knowledge.
> He has moved into the world of the internet and scanners with the demise of
> interest in CB. There Bill Cheek still impresses those with a general lack
> of technical knowledge.
> His posts to USENET still sound like the trash talk you still can hear on CB
> at its worse.
> The heroes of the scanning hobby today are those that are developing the
> MTRUNK and trunktracker programs and the hardware ideas that lead to the
> Bearcat Trunktracker line. That is original work that has benefit us.
>
> For technical mods one would be better suited to read "Nuts and volts", Qst,
> 73, etc.

Ya know Victor, when I've been searching for mods, I ended up with Bill Cheek's past posts to this NG. Although many people have contributed to the NG, Bill's advice and expertise has been probably the most prolific on this NG. I'm currently working on a project to build an interface from my scanner's discriminator output to my PC. He put it up there for FREE.

Have you been as prolific with your advice Victor? I don't recall any of your posts being at the end of my searches for scanner info. What kind of expert are you Victor? What kind of books have you written and published?

What is your agenda Victor?

4362. Pro-25 (again)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net>
Message-ID: <35EB424D.EBAE342C@nac.net>
Source record: 145528

What is the procedure for the 2+9+LO mod? are they all at the same time,
one after another, or when you turn the unit on? Thanks alot-
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Greg Rizos-
E-mail: conquistador1@geocities.com
Home Page: Http://www.geocities.com/MotorCity/9714
ICQ UIN: 10023399
You can get more with a kind word..... and a gun, Than just a kind
word alone.
-Al Capone
If it doesn't fit, dont force it, just get a bigger hammer.
I love animals- They're delicious!

4363. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnnyr@ihgp2.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6ser5b$6ir@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 145529
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 00:15:31 -0400, "John R. McGuirt III"
<JENNYA@FTC-I.NET> wrote:

>Anyone know of mods. for this scanner. (SC-150)
>
>
Since it is a dual conversion scanner.....

Lest we get confused, it's probably important to note that there is
a Uniden SC-150B, which is a triple conversion scanner which does
not (IMH experience) receive cellular images.

There's been some discussion of various "SC-150" mods in this
NG over the last month or two, but these seem to be for the older
dual conversion SC-150, not the 150B or 150Y.

John Rosenberg

4364. Buying a Used Scanner Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6sf5g0$8gf@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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library ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet-by-
group/rec.radio.scanner.]

Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios
and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get
it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but
you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used
scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used
radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment.
Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in
today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase
most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

Cal Crystal Lab Inc.
1142 N. Gilbert St.
Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

G & G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, NY 14482.
tel. 716-768-8151

Jan Crystals
Box #-6017
Fort Myers, FL 33911
tel. 813-936-2397

Monitor Crystal Svc
124 W Walnut St Watseka, IL 60970
tel. 815-432-5296

Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

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HOW DO YOU FIND THESE SCANNER FREQUENCIES?

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I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

Books
Magazines
Government Records
Web Sites
Federal Radio Stations
Radio Clubs
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What Makes Station Identification Difficult?
Examine the FCC License on Premise
Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment
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Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage
How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example
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Addresses

Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Magazines

Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times and the sensationalistic Popular Communications magazines.

Government Records

Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS).

These lists contain license information for the industrial (e.g. Illinois Armored Car, Pinkerton's Security, Joe's Towing, etc.), highway maintenance, commercial broadcast, aviation, common carrier, and maritime services, as well as for police and fire. For more info call NTIS at 703-487-4630.

Back in "the good old days," Grove Enterprises sold copies of some FCC microfiche files, and this was much cheaper than buying directly from NTIS. Grove no longer sells microfiche, but sells information on CDROM for $49 instead.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on both floppy disks and CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100.

The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for under $30 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. However, Public Safety license information contained in the Winter 1996 Spectrum doesn't appear as up to date as in the 1997 Police Call Plus.

Spectrum works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments. One can try restricted sample searches of the Spectrum CD for free via PerCon's web page at

http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

Companies have appeared which are "plugged into" the FCC licensing system and they sell computer time allowing on-line file access. They also sell paper copies of FCC information. Washington Radio Reports is one example. A monthly publication, it lists license applications made to the FCC. A few members of my scanner club subscribe and share the information with me.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than a pile of magazines.

Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

Do Your Own Sleuthing

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio,

or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at

the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find Dymo or P-Touch tape labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret.

- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. Some models, including the Radio Shack PRO-2035, ICOM R7000/R7100, Bearcat 2500XLT, and Bearcat 250, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and

store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, another spectrum analyzer connected to a receiver IF stage, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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7540 Highway 64 West
Brasstown, NC 28902.
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Official Scanner Guides
P.O. Box 525-NS
Londonderry, NH 03053.
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order line (800)351-7226

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430 Garner Drive,
Suffield, OH 44260-1557

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PO Box 428
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IMPROVE THE SQUELCH IN YOUR MONITOR RECEIVER

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent to return to its original value when the cause of the change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching. The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a 1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis? Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping" the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003, PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

4. If space permits, you can replace the stock resistor with a higher value variable resistor ("trimpot") and adjust to suit.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14

	of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197 47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148 47K remove R148
	or replace with 220K.
	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 11915 E. Washington St., Cumberland, IN 46229. Phone 317-894-3229.

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. See March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine for BC800XLT capacitor locations and repair information.

The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner

owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140. |

Sources for Replacement NiCd Battery Packs |

Replacement NiCd battery packs and inserts for the | BC100XLT, BC200XLT, BC2500XLT, BC3000XLT, and other | scanners are available from Uniden. I've purchased them at | lower cost from: |

1. Mr. NiCd - E. H. Yost and Company, 2211-D Parview | Rd., Middleton, WI 53562. tel. (608)831-3443. email | ehyost@midplains.net |

2. Battery-Tech Central, 2818 Southland Street SW, Cedar | Rapids, IA 52404-4141. tel. (800)267-3087 or | (319)364-0855. email rlassoc@inav.net |

Batteries Plus has stores across they country and some have | rebuilt Uniden NiCd packs for under $20.

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This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

Why Scanning?
Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
What is a CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature?
How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
Scanner Antennas
Coaxial Cable Feedlines
Where Can I Buy A Scanner?
Modifying Your Scanner
Scanner Repair Shops
Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?
Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work
How Can I Use Equipment to Uncover New Frequencies?
Scanner Clubs and Mailing Lists

Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is http://www.grove-ent.com

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp sites including the /pub/hamradio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises,
7540 Highway 64 West,
Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

I don't get any part of this reprint fee.

Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 828-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100. The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for $29 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. The Spring 1995 edition works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments.

Grove enterprises sells FCC license information on CDROM for $100. In the 1995 edition, fields are different than PerCon's Spectrum CDROM but the data appears to be of the same vintage. The licensee name and licensee city are used instead of the DBA (doing business as) name and transmitter city which makes query results confusing.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation. This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and try to determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio, or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

You can examine the FCC license on premise. I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the mall security office or company guard shack. You can examine the labels on radio equipment. Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the

scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy, a Radio Shack CTR-82 will do. It's best to use a shielded, attenuating cable to feed the scanner audio into the recorder rather than relying on the recorder's internal microphone.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than any pile of magazines.

Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 fee for 200 hours use of the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83
and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

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25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. I published the pinout for both Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor receivers in June 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

You can buy the proper replacement power cords but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and solder

on a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760

email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board.

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Sept 26, 27 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

Sept 27 (Sun) Valparaiso, IN. Porter County ARC annual Hamfest at Valparaiso Natinal Guard Armory on US30 just west of RT2. Take I 94 to Rt49 exit south to Rt30. Go west. Watch for signs or take Rt30 to Valparaiso IN. Watch for signs. Inside tables 6.00 ea admission 3.00. outside venders with your addmission plently of room. Food will be avaiable. Door prizes. Talk in 146.775- 131.8 pl or 146.000. Info: contact Carl W9TAD 219 878 9675.

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NOTES - Computer Central and Giant Computer shows

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am

- 3:00 pm.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (847)974-3123. See http://www.gicancomputershow.com

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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than
70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. This article
describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and
other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of
these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
Jan 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2035 vs. Radio Shack PRO-2006
Feb 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-62 Portable
Mar 1995 - Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
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Jul 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2037
Aug 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT
Sep 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable
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Nov 1995 - selected AOR AR-8000 measurements
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Jun 1996 - modifications & tips for the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
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Feb 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-2045
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Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
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Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
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Mar 1998 - RELM MS-200 mobile
Apr 1998 - RCA RP-6150 portable
May 1998 - Radio Shack PRO-2050 base Trunktracker
Jun 1998 - Opto DC442 CTCSS/DCS/DTMF display
Aug 1998 - Sony SC1PC portable

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally

generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong, causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are 287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot

be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks. Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/BEARCAT AND ELECTRA/BEARCAT

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be

arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics). The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service

Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at http://www.grove-ent.com for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older

Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as

federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob. Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during

search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

REGENCY

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby

SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RCA

RP-6150: 1997 vintage. No frills, good performing portable. 200 channels in 10 banks. No military aircraft frequency coverage. Triple conversion and a flexible battery arrangement. Lacks duplicate channel detection, search skip, and empty channel lockout features of newer designs. Our sample isn't super sensitive at 470 - 512 MHz and has some intermod around the VHF railroad channels but is generally more resistant to image problems than the BC230XLT. For technical test results and a review, see "The RCA RP-6150 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1998.

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. See "The RELM HS-200 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display. Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

RADIO SHACK

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other

owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be

loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound

Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod,

especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed. Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT

but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2050: 1998 vintage 300 channel Motorola trunk system tracking base made by Uniden. Tight front end. Excellent performance. Chassis-less, plastic construction. Squelch and volume knobs too close and Manual key is hard to find. IFs are 380.7 (approx.), 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. AM and NFM modes are factory set and not selectable. 300 channels in 10 banks and a 2 second rescan delay may be programmed on a per channel basis. Query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Our PRO-2050 scans at 78 channels/sec., skipping over empty channels. 10 priority channels. Up to 50 frequencies may be locked out from limit search. A single pair of limits may be programmed for a limit search. No Direct key or direct search facility. Factory preprogrammed frequencies for police, fire/emergency, commercial air, public service, and weather, but not marine. See May 1998 Monitoring Times for a review which includes quantitative test results.

SONY

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers 25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size and mode. Computer control and downloading with software and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries. Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10 banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per-channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out ("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds. SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. See "The SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test

results.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

CRAIG (division of PIONEER)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you find one in good condition.

SONAR

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no

scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

Sonar Model	#chan- nels	VHF low	VHF high	UHF scans?	lock- outs?
FR104	6	X		no	
FR105	6	X		no	
FR2512	24	X		no	
FR2513	24	X		no	
FR2514	8	X		yes	no
FR2515	8	X		yes	no
FR2516	10	X		yes	yes
FR2517	10	X		yes	yes
FR2525	10	X		yes	yes
FR2526	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2527	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2528	10	X	X	yes	yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

TENNELEC

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel

programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. For more information, see "Add a Crystal Receiver to Your Arsenal," by Bob Parnass, January 1996 Monitoring Times.

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

4373. ar880 hand held scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daryl Hovey <dhovey@worldchat.com>
Message-ID: <35EB742C.511A@worldchat.com>
Source record: 145539

I need to know how to set the increments on a search range.
If anyone own's one and knows how please advise.

4374. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission - pay phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <uuAUGdU19GA.277@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145540

D Stark wrote in message <6s9cqv$t8s$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>...

<<< STUFF REMOVED >>>

>In any event, keep your eyes and ears open in your own cities and
>towns. Your neighborhood may be the next to attempt to eliminate
>public pay telephones from your streets.
>

In my hometown vincinity most were removed due to low profits or extreme vandalism.

Think about this for a moment, most phone companies own cellular or PCS carriers, therefore payphone which generate only $0.35 to $0.50 a call, to encourge wireless usage which nets $1.00 or more per call.

Money talks BS walks

Ivan Ivanovich

4375. please help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35EB7854.D66823F3@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145541

I am interested in buying a scanner through this news group from one of the postings. I was wondering if anyone could give me a few pointers on

what method of payment is best. He suggests money order sent to him and

then he will send it....is that the best way or should it be COD or what

PLEASE HELP!!

4376. About Buying Used Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35EB7734.9151C904@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145542

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PLEASE HELP!!

4377. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35EB520C.B50@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

anyone wrote:

> Is the CHP now using RADAR?

Yes.

The CHP has actaully had radar for quite a while in areas where local government would pay for it. But up until a yer or two ago it was not used on the freeways. It is now.

You will find many freeways with speed limit signs marked "Radar Enforced".

--
Curtis
"Fast Forward"

4378. Re: New at this....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35EB5170.A3530B88@navix.net>
Source record: 145544

check out the Icom Q7A, It's about $200. It's got 200 channels and it's a HT/ 6m, 440Mhz. transmitter. it'll pick up cordless, standard and 900 mhz, as of yet, there is no mod for cell. see it here. Icom IC-Q7A I love mine.

Good luck, Matt

Russell Scott Messick wrote:

> I was wondering if any companbies sold a handheld scanner capable
> of frequencies between 29 - to somewhere around 1000 MHz for under
> $200.00.
> Im also wodering ...If i get a scanner capable of those frequencies will
> I be able to pick up portable phones and cell phones...or is there some
> sort of modification that i need to do to get those?......
> plese let me know!....anyone ...
>

4379. Re: Central NJ Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel MacKelvey <dimmond_dan@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OP9qQvU19GA.161@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145545

Try http://www.li.net/~j4dice/stateidx.html you might find them there.I find
alot by surfing the web.
Bob R wrote in message <35eb27a1.1763389@news.nac.net>...
>Just moved to Union County and would be interested in frequencies for
>local police and fire departments. Or anything else interesting.
>Thanks, Bob

4380. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <QDIG1.281$IT.3462130@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 145546
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

This radio is a double conversion (Uniden SC-150B & SC-150Y) not triple
conversion.

John R. Rosenberg wrote in message <6ser5b$6ir@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>...
>
>On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 00:15:31 -0400, "John R. McGuirt III"
><JENNYA@FTC-I.NET> wrote:
>
>>Anyone know of mods. for this scanner. (SC-150)
>>
>>
> Since it is a dual conversion scanner.....
>
>Lest we get confused, it's probably important to note that there is
>a Uniden SC-150B, which is a triple conversion scanner which does
>not (IMH experience) receive cellular images.
>
>There's been some discussion of various "SC-150" mods in this
>NG over the last month or two, but these seem to be for the older
>dual conversion SC-150, not the 150B or 150Y.
>
>John Rosenberg

4381. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: troll@loop.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1054fbf98c905abf989689@news.loop.com>
Source record: 145547
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <QDIG1.281$IT.3462130@harpo.ctel.net>, altman@ctel.net says...
> This radio is a double conversion (Uniden SC-150B & SC-150Y) not triple
> conversion.
>
>
>

The Y and B stand for Yellow and Black and as far as I know they are all double conversion. I do remember reading somewhere that they(Uniden)would be changing the SC150 to a triple conversion so that you could not receive cell images but I don't know if this is true. There are some mods for it on my home page if you would like to check them out.
here is the link. http://www.loop.com/~troll/Scanner.html

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> >NG over the last month or two, but these seem to be for the older
> >dual conversion SC-150, not the 150B or 150Y.
> >
> >John Rosenberg
>
>
>

4382. Re: New at this....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35EB800B.A4A30CD5@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145548

SO does anyone know if a modification will become available for this
unit to recieve cellular??

Matt Virus wrote:

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> it's a HT/ 6m, 440Mhz. transmitter. it'll pick up cordless,
> standard and 900 mhz, as of yet, there is no mod for cell. see it
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>> will
>> I be able to pick up portable phones and cell phones...or is there
>> some
>> sort of modification that i need to do to get those?......
>> plese let me know!....anyone ...
>>
>

4383. $2100 HANDHELD 2GHz RF ANALYZER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmarie <stmarie@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <IYIG1.1467$Ua4.3760885@news.axxsys.net>
Source record: 145549

http://torfino.com/p201.htm

4384. FS ICOM R10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net>
Message-ID: <35EB6A8A.3E1E@maui.net>
Source record: 145550

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Icom R10 Portable Scanner / Receiver
500kHz - 1300MHz (unblocked)
Original box & manual, nicads & charger 110V
1000 channel memory, radio in perfect condition
$400.00 shipped
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4385. FS Uniden Bearcat BC350A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sfqon$guve$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145551

I am selling this unit with manual and all. Make offer to:

richard.flores@usa.net

4386. [KILL FILE] was "EMERGENCY Transmission"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sfscf$go88$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145552

Despite logical pleadings, there are some folks who simply can't let go of what has become an uttterly meaningless thread.

With tremendous disdain, I add the phrase "EMERGENCY" to my newsreader kill file <sigh>.

Brian

4387. CE-232 vs Opto 456/456 lite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramon Vega <vegar@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6sftjl$52q$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145553

Can anyone provide info on the advantages/disadvantages/likes/dislikes of these two interfaces for the Pro-2006? The Opto seems to have more s/w support while the CE-232 seems to have the advantage of being able to program frequencies into the scanner. Thanks

4388. Can you help me

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Whittleton <ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <35EB775B.96B817B0@sunshine.net>
Source record: 145554

I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it? or
how it works for you?
thank you too all that respond
Ryan
ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net

4389. cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: me_fitz@iname.com
Message-ID: <35eb552b.0@news.ultranet.ca>
Source record: 145555
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can anyone recommend a good FAQ on listening to cells and/or a cell channel guide fro Vancouver BC?

Thanks.

4390. Re: Need Austin TX Police Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35EABA64.609F1B82@nol.net>
Source record: 145627

Bill wrote:

> The Austin PD uses 10XX codes and 4XX codes as best I can tell. Does
> anyone out there have a list of what these codes mean?

What do you mean 10XX codes and 4XX codes??
(Im from Houston, but they are mostly the same for big cities)
The 10 codes can be Apco codes, like 10-4 (recieved), 10-2 (clear), etc...
The 4 codes could relate to the district, command, and unit numbers
(If they say like 4-Dan-13 That would be district 4 of command D (which
could be southeast, west..
etc) and 13 could be that persons unit number.
You can find Apco codes in Police Call and Beyond Police call (from Radio
Shack)

4391. Re: Newton, MA frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mullaney <john@minutemancomm.com>
Message-ID: <35EAB9BC.7E3DDD07@minutemancomm.com>
Source record: 145628

Bring your 235 for the State Police... (all trunked) except Pike Pike
newton area on 154.665 and 159.03
For Newton:

Police 470.8375 ch1 (Dispatch Police and AMR Ambulance) 131.8
470.3875 ch5 (secondary) 131.8

470.7875 ch2 (Bapern 2 West) 131.8
470.7375 ch3 (Bapern 3) 131.8
470.5625 ch4 (Bapern 4) 131.8

Fire 483.4625 (Operations) 131.8
483.2875 (Metrofire Net) 131.8
483.3125 (Metro Fireground) 131.8
483.2625 (Metro Fireground 2/HazMat) 131.8

Notification Nets:

Metro radio System 462.725 167.9
Citywide 463.550 91.5

Rick Gans wrote:

> Traveling to Newton, Massachusetts this week and looking for police,
> fire and other interesting frequencies. Nothing listed in Monitor
> America. Appreciate any tips (hopefully it is not a trunked system,
> cause I am not bringing my 235)

4392. Re: Cellular phone antenna for scanner.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki5sl@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35eabcfa.4661421@typhoon.texas.net>
Source record: 145629

Michael, you will need to remove the film from the area that the
interface box attaches to ....a lot of window films have a metallic
content to help screen out infrared and this interferes with signal
coupling from the outside to the inside....remember, there ain't no
such thing as a free lunch!

On 31 Aug 1998 01:35:36 GMT, michaeldr1@aol.com (MichaelDR1) wrote:

>I would like to mount a glass mount cellular phone antenna to the rear window
>of my car. The problem is that I have installed window tint film on the window.
>My question is, will the reception box on the inside of the window damage the
>film
>by putting to much weight on it and make the film separate from the window?
>Any advice will be welcome.
>
>Michael

4393. FS: RS Pro-91 TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: BAL <dml54@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <OzlLv$O19GA.140@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 145630

New unit in the box. Has not been opened! Received as a gift. $150.00
Shipped anywhere in the US.

If interested please email.

4394. Re: Are Radar Detectors Burglar's Tools or Safety Devices?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <davison7@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6sehjj$gd1$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145631
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage

Will Rosenberry wrote in message <35ea798e.1807066@news.chesco.com>...

>Welcome to PA! Everywhere PENDOT has one of those signs that they
>can program the message into like "construction ahead" has a little
>thing hanging under it or on the side. This little thing transmits a
>radar signal that triggers your radar detector. It sure slows you
>down and gets your attention.
>
>Will Rosenberry

JEEZE! How did our glorious state of California miss THAT tax-wasting dodge?

Guess maybe they were too busy trying to ban diesel fuel...

Gary - KJ6Q

4395. Scanner Groups for San Francisco San Jose area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb6uda@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980831160541 00.MAA13427@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145632

Are there any scanner groups that deal with the San Francisco San Jose area and or Web Pages

Thanks
JOhn

4396. PRO26/$200.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083116160300.MAA14336@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145633

HANDHELD

VIRGIN

200.00 U SHIP

SORRY NO COD'S

4397. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35EACC61.906@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> >In an EMERGENCY all bets are off. You may do whatever is necessary to
> >save a life or destruction of property. You won't be prosecuted if you
> >truly feel there was a life & death emergency.
>
> Bob, you couldn't be more wrong. Almost EVERY person that has used "any
> means" (IE, transmitting out-of-band) has been prosecuted, and they've had
> their equipment confiscated.

While I agree that there are legal problems with transmitting on public safety frequencies, could give me one case where and amateur was prosecuted for sending bonfide emergency traffic outside of the ham bands.

>
> According to Part 97 (97.40x), IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF THE AMATEUR
> BANDS with a radio that is not type-accepted for a non-amateur band.

That is not entirely true. Your stuck on the issue of private land mobile services. 97.40x does not address type acceptance issues.

There are more services than private land mobile where someone could get help.

> >Everyone who keeps citing the laws are pussies who are afaid to key the
> >mike. And if you see a woman getting raped and fail to key the mike, you
> >are an accessry to the crime. Period.

> Very incorrect -- if you see a woman getting raped (which you shouldn't be
> watching in the first place), you are most likely near a building, phone, or
> another person (all of these constitute a means of communication).

Women only get raped by telephones? And what do you mean by "you shouldn't be watching anyway"? What kind of a stupid statement was that?

Again - I would advise to use the most "legal" means of calling the police. But after making a reasonable effort to do so, I sure as hell would not stop trying before using my radio.

--
Curtis

4398. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sej19$pcj@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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be
>> watching in the first place), you are most likely near a building, phone,
or
>> another person (all of these constitute a means of communication).
>
>Women only get raped by telephones?

Never said that. What kind of stupid question was that? I said "if you see a woman getting raped, you are most likely near a building, phone, or another person ... "

>
>Again - I would advise to use the most "legal" means of calling the
>police. But after making a reasonable effort to do so, I sure as hell
>would not stop trying before using my radio.

I feel the same. As long as I've tried everything else, I will use the radio to contact the police, but I will do that very cautiously.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

4399. Keene, NH Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Linda <madden@cheshire.net>
Message-ID: <6sekfj$7hs@news.cheshire.net>
Source record: 145636
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Please swap!
Looking for scanner frequencies for the area local to Keene, NH

Below are the scanner frequencies we have gathered, some from 800-448-0414
and some from a friend. You can also send for a book of frequencies local to
any area for $3 each by calling 800-423-1331 (That's not me - just letting
you know what I know :-)

State of New Hampshire:
Police: 042.440, 044.340, 044.820, 045.220, 045.260, 045.300,
155.655, 155.910, 156.090

Medical: 462.950, 463.000

155's: .175, .205, .220, .340, .345, .385, .400

Dept of Transportation: 037.940

Forest: 031.900, 151.295, 151.340, 159.315, 159.345

Local to Keene, NH - Miscellaneous (translate 'unidentified')
045.020, 146.520, 153.890

154's: .280, .385, .430, .640, .650. .770

155's: .025, .160, .070. .220. .250, .280, .265, .340,
.370, .475, .520, .535, 565, .640, .775, .865, .880

158.820, 462.957

In case it matters (I'm new to all this) the scanner being used is a
handheld Uniden Bearcat BC80XLT at 800 MHz.

Thanx in advance!

4400. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35EADA80.4A36@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This and the "how do I transmit on police frequencies" thread have me once again questioning how good we amateurs are at handling emergency communications. Sure - some can organize in time of disaster and handle things through RACES and ARES, etc. But what about the remote station that needs help on an otherwise normal Tuesday afternoon?

Why the hell should a ham have to consider leaving the amateur bands to call for help in the case of immediate threat to human life or property? Why can't amateurs, among everyone in the radio world, provide a more ubiquitous method that would give most hams something they could try first.

Most of this "modifying radio for out-of-band emergencies" is on VHF. Most of these real and hypthetical scenerios involve mobile users. So I ask the same thing I asked a couple of years ago - why can't we set aside a simplex VHF frequency for calling and distress calls only? And encourage hams - and scanner users (even police departments have scanners) - and anyone else to monitor that frequency.

I suggested this a while back and nobody liked the idea. I thought the reasons for shooting it down were pretty lame. Turning those reasons into to questions (going by memory)

Q. What frequency?

A. 146.52.

Q. Thats the "national simplex" channel - what will we use for a simplex channel that we can use everywhere?

A. I would propose that it be a calling and distress frequency. You could monitor, and establish contacts on this frequency. Once you have established contact, you move to another simplex frequency or a repeater per a local bandplan.

Q. Amateurs can use any mode, FM, SSB, CW. What about people that "don't have FM"?

A. FM (or equivalant) would be the "preferred" mode to use on this frequency - that is simply traditional, but you could use any mode you want that complies with part 97. You'd use FM if you have it for emergency - that would be the smart thing to try first. But if you don't have FM, use what you got.

Q. You're assuming that everyone has 2 meters. What about those that don't?

A. Most distress calls come from mobile users. Most mobile users have 2 meter capability. (Please don't tell me that this is not true just because *you* only have HF in your car or something. Most mobile hams have 2 meter capability.) If you don't have 2 meters - you'll need to figure out something else.

There would be problems with this system. There are places in the country (usually large urban areas) where 146.52 is "polluted" with idiots - but then, the whole band is probably polluted in these areas too. You'll have an enforcement problem - but you already know someone is listening in these cases.

But for those of us that travel in more "remote" areas, having a standardized place to make the first attempt at an emergency call. I don't use 2 meter repeaters much at all. The VHF side of my mobile is usually watching 146.52 and 156.800. 52 is pretty quiet in rural areas but it is occasionally used. So there are people out there.

All I am suggesting is making one frequency a calling and distress frequency. Using just like ships and boaters use channel 16 (156.800). I am not suggestng that we make it emergecny only so that it can't be used for anything else - if you want to make calls on it - go ahead. Then you move somewhere else.

Signal reports and radio checks should be allowed on 146.52 (unlike 156.800, where radio checks are prohibited - it is strictly for hailing and distress). This would allow contesting to continue on the simplex channel, provided the contacts are the typical contest type - signal report, location, and "good luck" in the contest. Contest rules should respect the frequency as a "calling channel".

I realize that a hundred people are going to tell me this is a lousy idea. I still think its a good one.

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Curtis

4401. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission - pay phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pobox*dc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35EADE79.56CC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
>
> In article <6s9cqv$t8s$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>, "D Stark"
> <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:
>
> > Various people in the original thread advocated using pay telephones
> > to make a free call to 9-1-1 instead of various radio options. All
> > well and good, since many people don't have mobile phones, two-way
> > radios, etc. in their cars.
> >
> > Now comes a threat to the existence of roadside pay telephones. At
> > this moment, this is a local initiative in my own neighborhood. There
> > is no telling how widespread it may become, however.
> >
> > The Maplewood Neighborhood Association in Rochester, NY is trying to
> > have pay telephones REMOVED from a stretch of Dewey Avenue that runs
> > through MNA's area. They want to eliminate these so-called
> > "congregation points for unsavory activity" as the Association's
> > President says in the newsletter. No mention of any consideration for
> > what passersby will do if they need to place an emergency call and
> > there are no phones.
> >
> > I have emailed the City Council and the Mayor about this. I proposed
> > that, if they really need to remove the pay phones, they should place
> > signs directing passersby to the nearest fire and/or police station.
> >
> > In any event, keep your eyes and ears open in your own cities and
> > towns. Your neighborhood may be the next to attempt to eliminate
> > public pay telephones from your streets.
> >
> > 73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01
>
> That does not surprise me. On some pay phones here in orlando, there is a
> sticker on it with a warning to "drug dealers" about the possibility of
> the calls being recorded. etc. Not sure if it is true though. The sticker
> nearest me is no longer on the phone.
>

They have been doing this in major cities for many years. In Baltimore
City *most* payphones are programmed "not to work" after 12:00 midnight.
And poor popele have No access to phone service.

They originally did this to curtain drug use -- now all the drug dealers
carry cell phones!

(ken)

NOTE: To reply to this message replace (*) with (-).

4402. Re: Radio Manager Software - Is It Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: randy1038@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083118062400.OAA25397@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145639

I have been using Radio Manager for a while. I still like this program the best of all the software that is available.

Best of all, the support that Ben, the author, gives you is superb. Any small problems that I had, or things I didn't undestand were addressed by Ben very quickly and completely. In my book, that more than makes up for the price of the software!

4403. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26475-35EAD7A7-27@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145640

Not all of the time

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4404. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26476-35EAD767-22@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145641

I knew of a guy who reported a dwi driver with his modified hand held
to the state patroll he thought that was a emergencie (SP) the
state patroll remed him a ne asshole..
Dave....

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4405. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083118283100.OAA27536@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145642

>Subject: Re: New Radio Shack Catalog
>From: yabyum@my-dejanews.com
>Date: 8/31/98 7:24 AM Pacific Daylight Time

>Besides, it's really not wise to give RS your name and address for the very
>simple reason that they are dumb enough to print your name on the receipt.
>When you pay by charge card and loose the receipt then a mean spirited finder
>can make some nice purchases over the phone or internet. All they need is
>name, credit card number and expiration date.

And this is a big deal WHY? So they can make purchases and send them to
YOUR address, because NO reputable mail order place will ship anywhere but the
address listed as your billing address without an act of Congress these days.
No a lot of point to that. Anybody that desirous of screwing you over can get
those numbers from your garbage anyway...

Neutrodyne

4406. UHF Airband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8ppz73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083118404900.OAA28767@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145643

I need a cheap reciever for UHF airband, what is a good choice?

Grego

4407. MDC-1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Litz <dlitz@ex-pressnet.com>
Message-ID: <6serfharc1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145644

IS there any way to decode MDC-1200 signaling with a after market device? If not, is there any resource to purchase one new or used?

dlitz@wdn.com

4408. FS: Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robbin Olson <rolson@cpinternet.com>
Message-ID: <35EAEA9D.0@cpinternet.com>
Source record: 145645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Pro-26 scanner (200-channel - 25MHz to 1.3 GHz coverage) with
the cellular modification. I would like to sell this unit for $175.
The unit is in excellent condition and works flawlessly.

If interested, contact me via rolson@cpinternet.com

R. Olson

4409. FS: RS Discone Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robbin Olson <rolson@cpinternet.com>
Message-ID: <35EAEB99.7D48@cpinternet.com>
Source record: 145646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I would like to sell the following antenna that has never been used.

RS model 20-013 Base Station Discone Scanner/Ham Radio Antenna.
Receives 25-1300 MHz
Transmits at 144/220/440/900 & 1296 MHz (200 Watts Max.)

Package has never been opened.

$35.00 including shipping.

If interested, please e-mail rolson@cpinternet.com

4410. DROP the Cheek issue was:Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EAF442.B99@parg.org>
Source record: 145647
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:
> Shut the F*^K up when you have no CLUE as to what you're talking about.

Bud, why don't YOU show him how someone with NO CLUE would SHUT UP!

4411. Drop the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EAF138.7C1D@parg.org>
Source record: 145648
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> did anyone think that maybe he just got
> tired of the NG?

Good point Mr. Conduit. If Bill wanted to be here on this NG
he would. He has made other posts elsewhere on the internet.
I think that being kicked off of his ISP & his favorite mailing
list all within 30 days had an effect. The effect being that he
realized
he has been causing trouble & was no longer wanted by most on the
scanner related areas.

While Bill Cheek certainly caused the scanning internet users a lot
of grief in the past, two wrongs don't make a right so lets not
disturb him further. Let's leave Cheek alone.

Below is proof of Bill's presence:

Email:bcheek@cts.com
Date:1998/08/26
Forums:microsoft.public.windowsnt.setup

On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 17:38:08 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>Is it possible (and how) to add an IDE hard
>disk to an NT4.0 server that is already
>running from an SCSI drive and still have
>the scuzzy drive bootable to NT?

Never mind, I figured it out. The Microsoft
Knowledge Base article Q133491 proved very
helpful to this cause.

Bill Cheek
MS-MVP (POS/DTS)

4412. DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EAF307.7024@parg.org>
Source record: 145649
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jabba T. Hutt wrote:

> has decided not to do so, funny how it took makey so long after Bill
> was gone to stop the crap,

Funny how YOU are still trying to continue the crap!

I think everyone on here whether they Like him or not should
start sending e-mail off to ekruse@san.rr.com to thank him for
revoking Bill's account.

He has done the scanner hobby more bad things than anyone on this
group.

> What are you going to do when mackey decides he doesn't like
> what you are saying on here and starts in on you? SUre no problem
> just ignore him? Eventually he will get you mad enough that you will
> respond and then it will be him and you and then he will start
> complaining to your ISP that you are picking on him, and then before
> you know it you have lost your account.

Your logic reminds me of people who blame a woman when she gets raped
saying that her clothes were to suggestive. The only person who has
responsibility for Bill Cheek's actions is Bill Cheek himself! Don't
try to blame me or anyone else for Bill's behavior. His ISP warned him
several times & he continued. Just like on the Scan-L mailing list
where he was warned several times before he was kicked off.

Within a 30 day period Bill was kicked off of his ISP & the Scan-L
mailing
list due to abusive behavior after several warnings. No one else is
to blame.

>
> I don't know what mackeys problem is and I don't care but
> having sent enough shit to BIlls ISP to have them take away his
> account was not right!
> I know this war has gone on too long but this is ridiculous.
>
> LETS GET BILL BACK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> On 29 Aug 1998 17:29:00 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:
>
> >In <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net> Tim Thompson <tdt@sccoast.net> writes:
> >>
> >>Zombie Wolf wrote:

> >>>
> >>> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
> >Cheeks.
> >>> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address,
> >and tell
> >>> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his
> >account
> >>> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all,
> >that I
> >>> feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
> >>>
> >>> ekruse@san.rr.com
> >>>
> >>> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
> >>Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in
> >their
> >>scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk
> >>upright and use our thumbs. You ain't gotta like him, but he has
> >>contributed more to this hobby than anyone else.
> >
> >
> > did anyone think that maybe he just got
> > tired of the NG?
> >
> > the way it is.
> >
> > on a continuum
> >
> > bill conduit
> > etc.

4413. DROP the Cheek issue WAS:Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EAF3B6.2FFC@parg.org>
Source record: 145650
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> Asshole...

More words of wisdom from Bill Conduit?

> to do with scanning. maybe those women and
> children deserved to die: they are afflicte

Exactly how do you think that women & children deserve to die?

Never mind, just go back to your usual racist remarks on other
newsgroups
& leave us free of your trouble making.

4414. PRO-2040 vs PRO-2048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrior@iconn.net
Message-ID: <35eaf710.19190097@news.iconn.net>
Source record: 145651
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Is it me or does the PRO-2040 look like the PRO-2048?

Is the difference the just 100 vs 200 channels?

Are there any memory mods for the PRO-2040? I haven't
found any. Seems like a simple mod would be to swap
a board from a PRO-2048 into a PRO-2040.

Lou

4415. E-9-1-1 Communications Center - Help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: craigp9952@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083119325300.PAA21071@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145652

To anyone that may be able to help:
We are in the process of setting up our new Communications Center and are in need of a particular item:

We would like to set up a status map of all our fire stations that would be controlled by a computer linked into our CAD system. It would need to control 80 or so LED lamps from the signal sent by the controlling computer. Basically, each fire station would be represented by 2 LED lamps (1 for Engine, 1 for Paramedic). If the units were out on a call, the lamp would be out. If they were in quarters, the lamp would be lit.

We are looking for suggestions on how to do this. Any help provided would be a great asset. As far as I have seen, Austin (TX) Fire Department and Chicago (IL) Fire Department have such systems, but have been less than cooperative in sharing their information. Any information may be sent to the address, phone, fax, or e-mail listed below.

Thanks, and be safe.

Lt. Craig Prusansky
Systems Analyst/Network Administrator
Palm Beach County Fire-Rescue
20 South Military Trail, 2nd Floor
West Palm Beach, FL 33415

Office: (561) 712-6579
Fax: (561) 712-6690
cprusans@co.palm-beach.fl.us
http://www.co.palm-beach.fl.us/fire/

4416. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6seute$p0a@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145653

How old are you?

Reason I ask is because of your spelling.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

dave archer wrote in message
<26476-35EAD767-22@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
I knew of a guy who reported a dwi driver with his modified hand held
to the state patroll he thought that was a emergencie (SP) the
state patroll remed him a ne asshole..
Dave....

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4417. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35EB0446.3760@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> >> Very incorrect -- if you see a woman getting raped (which you shouldn't
> be
> >> watching in the first place), you are most likely near a building, phone,
> or
> >> another person (all of these constitute a means of communication).
> >
> >Women only get raped by telephones?
>
> Never said that. What kind of stupid question was that? I said "if you see a
> woman getting raped, you are most likely near a building, phone, or another
> person ... "
>
> >
> >Again - I would advise to use the most "legal" means of calling the
> >police. But after making a reasonable effort to do so, I sure as hell
> >would not stop trying before using my radio.
>
> I feel the same. As long as I've tried everything else, I will use the radio
> to contact the police, but I will do that very cautiously.

What you've said is you have to try every frequency on your radio before
you used it to call the police - not what I would call reasonable
effort. I would refer to that as extraordinary effort. A reasonable
effort would be all that is necessary.

--
Curtis

4418. Re: Minnesota State Fair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul <pburke@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <35EABE08.E3645352@centuryinter.net>
Source record: 145655

HI ALL

My brother is working at the fair and he told me have radio phones for the maintenance personnel.

paul

Greg Renner wrote:

> The Minnesota State Fair starts tomorrow 8/27 and runs through Labor
> Day. The MN State Fair has it's own self dispatched police department
> during the fair time. They use 153.965 for a frequency. If you are
> visiting the Twin Cities area or live around here and did not realize
> that it is fun to listen to. Being a VHF frequency you can pick it up
> pretty much through out the metro area.
>
> Greg Renner

4419. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sf0ia$6nk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>What you've said is you have to try every frequency on your radio before
>you used it to call the police - not what I would call reasonable
>effort. I would refer to that as extraordinary effort. A reasonable
>effort would be all that is necessary.

That would certainly be necessary for you and I, but to legally contact the
police, ALL FORMS of communication (including each frequency) must be tried
FIRST.

That's the way it is -- Part 97 states this.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

4420. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35eb04c5.502111@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145657

On 30 Aug 1998 18:07:51 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>>My newsreader displays a summary of deleted incoming e-mails by
>>author...if you upgraded from that crap you use, you might find some
>>more advanced features do exist in a newsreader!
>
>I don't use Outlook Express exclusively. Netscape 4.5 is much more advanced,
>and I use this in other newsgroups.
>
>>>It looks as if that filter is not filtering properly.
>>
>>Works excellent!
>
>Then how are you replying to this?!? Oh wait, that's right: you're a BOLD
>FACED LIAR.
>

I said E-MAIL is filtered, not newsgroup posts! Please read the
messages more carefully in the future.

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4421. Re: Minnesota State Fair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sf0fb$5bv@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145658

Well, then they must operate at 153.960.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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>> that it is fun to listen to. Being a VHF frequency you can pick it up
>> pretty much through out the metro area.
>>
>> Greg Renner
>

4422. Re: How to transmit on police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083121041200.RAA14926@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145659

> Re: How to transmit on police
>From: zeno@magicnet.net
>Date: 8/31/98 9:07 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <zeno-3108980909520001@pm57-26.magicnet.net>
>
>In article <1998083012043700.IAA19280@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
>jackt21262@aol.com (JackT21262) wrote:
>
>> The person in this case obviously used the officers own radio to
>> transmit which would be welcome and accepted. Since this discussion
>started so
>> many people are getting this confused with someone tuning a ham radio to a
>> police frequency and trying to transmit. A few days ago there was even
>some
>> bozo who could not understand why he couldn't be heard trying to transmit
>on a
>> handheld scanner!
>
>I would hate to be the one to do it though. the police would probably
>"interview" you to see if you were the one to hurt the officer.
>
>--
> Yeah that would make a lot of sense. Injure an officer and then stick
around to transmit over his radio and have him identify you.

4423. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Ulrich <ulrich@null.net>
Message-ID: <6sf3et$pl9@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145660

FWIW, CEI charges a "shipping and handling" charge, so comparing just calling it "shipping" and comparing it to UPS rates is probably not a valid comparison; presumably, the difference is the "handling" portion.

I'm not saying anything about the justifyability of the handling charge; I'm merely pointing out that there are two portions to that charge, rather than it being just a reflection of UPS rates.

Andy Ulrich

MAlexder wrote in message <1998083112163900.IAA10946@ladder01.news.aol.com>...

>After my last post, I went to your web site. If I ordered a BC235 with the free
>case, the total shipping cost would be $30 to send it via UPS ground. I rarely
>ship things by UPS ground but $30 seems rather high to me. Is that their normal
>shipping charge? I did only quick check and did not find any fine print other
>than the one line stating that shipping the scanner would be $18 via UPS ground
>on the order page.

4424. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35eafc96.12952248@news>
Source record: 145661
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On 31 Aug 1998 05:15:40 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 00:52:50 GMT, dconti2@carroll.com wrote:
>
>
>>>Yep it does make one wonder. Wonder why CEI can't just be honest
>>>about their shipping charges!
>>
>>
>>What is DIS-honest about CEI's shipping charges?
>>
>You are correct. I should have used a better choice of words.
>
>Deceptive, not dishonest.
>

I don't know Blake...

I think Deceptive is a stretch as well and also unfair.

How are they deceiving anyone?

To put this to rest, the proper choice of words, if any, are maybe...

Unfair?

Unreasonable?

Excessive?

Like I said...if the price of the radio plus shipping is the BEST
price going, then buy from CEI.

If these shipping costs wreak havoc with your conscience, then buy
from another vendor and pay more...

Your choice.

Dan

4425. Lots of radio stuff FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35EB1152.368303AD@alaska.net>
Source record: 145662

PLEASE CALL 815-397-8731 FOR DETAILS

I AM POSTING FOR A FRIEND AND HAVE NO INFO ON ANY
ITEMS LISTED BELOW.
GE Phoenix, UHF 128 ch mobile, no accs $125
Radio Shack 2026 scanner NIB cell capable $150
Radio Shack 2026 scanner no accs, cell capable $75
firm
Icom R-10 Govt version, clean with all accs $325

3 Ritron portables all on 154.600, 1 charger. All
for $40
Radio Shack 2042 1000 ch, NEW, no accs $325
3 GE MTL 900mhz portables, no acces all for $100
Radio Shack PRO-26 200 ch 1.3 ghz, like new, no
accs, $250
Radio Shack PRO-43,like new cell, $250
2 Motorola MTX 360's VHF w/chrgr, belt holder, no
batts, $150
GE PCS 2 ch UHF portable,no accs $40
Motorola Sabre pocket charger,, w/o adaptor $20
Yaesu 2070 rib, software, and speaker/mic $150
GE MPA UHF super clean, GE's top of the line $200
Bearcat BC-2500 CTCSS Tone board $20
Radio Shack 40 ch CB with WX and WX alert.$30
MX-7000 Light Bar w/arrowstick, controller, lots
of options (will negoticate price)
GE MPA/MPL ant mics, like new $25
Motorola Maxtrac programming cables, (call for
availability)start at $35

4426. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35ec1704.2682718@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 04:45:23 GMT, kibblesnbits@askme.net (Alleycat)
wrote:

>This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
>someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
>familiar with the laws in each? (E.g. if I were to travel down
>there.) Would I have to somehow know all the different laws in
>every single state? If I didn't, would I be fined for not
>knowing them? -- Alleycat

In the state of Virginia, there are signs posted as you enter the
state that Radar Detectors are illegal.

No, you won't find this sign on all the back road entrances in to the
state. However, if you entered the state via a back road approach,
chances are you know your way around enough that you've been there
before and you know the driving laws there...

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4427. PRO-2045 baseband audio from CTCSS connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-RQ2FYxff3lhC@localhost>
Source record: 145664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Has anyone utilized the CTCSS connector on the PRO-2045 to tap the baseband audio? It would seem this is the better way to do so, however, my question is to those that have done this: What size capacitor and resistor did you install prior to the data slicer (hamcom interface)? I want to install these within the case of the scanner and thought I'd solicit opinions before making the mod.

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

4428. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35ee18e0.3158733@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145665

On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 19:53:34 -0500, Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
wrote:

>Oh, but there are ways! I have several articles on how to jam police
>radar, and its not that hard to do since their units are very low
>powered (but they still give cops testicular cancer!).

I challenge you to prove this. From everything I've ever heard, this
is urban myth. Yes, it was on TV that a bunch of cops in one town got
testicular cancer while doing speed traps. What the TV program DID
NOT say was that thousands of other cops did exactly what these guys
did and had no such problems. Further, these cops all worked in the
same area. They could all have been exposed to another totally
unrelated environmental toxin.

Ask any physics professor, ask any doctor, ask any biologist, ask
anyone who studies this stuff: The One and only known effect of
microwave radiation is localized heating. Everything else is just
conjecture. The remaining effects of microwave radiation, if there
are any, are so small that in our national population the
statisticians are grasping at statistical noise to prove any
correlations.

Don't believe everything you see on TV.

>And, if your car is very sleek, the license plate may be the only thing
>he will get a hit off of. Think in terms of stealth planes and how they
>either absorb radar, or they deflect it back at angles which will not
>allow the radar to return to the sender.

I doubt it. You'd have to tilt the license plate so far that you'd
get pulled over pretty quickly for improper installation. Radar
reflections are not easy for the average joe to model. The edge of
the license plate itself may actually reflect more than the surface.

>First thing you must do is (on a sleek car) put some washers behind the
>top screws on your front license plate so that the angle of the plate is
>no longer flat and pointed straight ahead. The washers will point the
>plate more towards the ground. Use only a 2 to 4 on each of the two top
>screws and space the plate out from the car.

>Next, look for surfaces on the body of the car that are flat and pointed
>forward. Those will reflect radar greatly. Do what you can to change
>those surfaces so that their angles are pointed down or up rather than
>to the side or forward. Get a great detector and when on the road,
>always always use at least a hand held cb.

There are better ways of trashing police radar: For those who like to do the math, use the doppler equation with the speed of light and 10 GHZ for X band and roughly 24 GHz for K band.

This is highly illegal, so don't do this. But here's how it's done: Pulse a microwave gunnplexer it on and off 27.5 Hz times the speed in MPH that you want the cop to see (assuming X band, of course) . Use a 555 counter. It will work. How do I know? Once upon a time I worked at the Naval Research Lab Electronic Warfare Division. This will create a tone in the front end of the cop's radar gun. The tone will go to the doppler counter and override the tone from his/her reflected signal. It will work ok until you reach what is called the radar burn through zone at which point the reflection is stronger than your directional signal.

Those are the facts. Look them up if you don't believe this post.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4429. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Ulrich <ulrich@null.net>
Message-ID: <6sf71h$j0k@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145666

Oops -- had an extra "comparing" in there ... here's how it should have
read:

FWIW, CEI charges a "shipping and handling" charge, so just calling it
"shipping" and comparing it to UPS rates is probably not a valid comparison;
presumably, the difference is the "handling" portion.

I'm not saying anything about the justifyability of the handling charge; I'm
merely pointing out that there are two portions to that charge, rather than
it being just a reflection of UPS rates.

Andy Ulrich
>
>
>MAlexder wrote in message
><1998083112163900.IAA10946@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>
>>After my last post, I went to your web site. If I ordered a BC235 with the
>free
>>case, the total shipping cost would be $30 to send it via UPS ground. I
>rarely
>>ship things by UPS ground but $30 seems rather high to me. Is that their
>normal
>>shipping charge? I did only quick check and did not find any fine print
>other
>>than the one line stating that shipping the scanner would be $18 via UPS
>ground
>>on the order page.
>
>

4430. Re: R-1801A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <35eb1962.21495080@news2.nettally.com>
Source record: 145667
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.military.police,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Type Q U A L I T Y in the keyboard and hit return, whats it say?

"D. F. Cimperman" <cimperman@tusco.net> wrote:

>For sale, Motorola R-1801 Suite case programmer, no firmware, or adapters.
>Powers up and works OK.
>
>$900.00 Plus Shipping.
>
>If not sold soon, will post to ebay.
>
>Dave
>
>

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

4431. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Beckman <csle87@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd52b$f2280160$c2012791@csle87pc>
Source record: 145668
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

No, Cliff, as I stated in my original posting, 97.403 applies ONLY to "these rules," that is Subpart E entitled Providing Emergency Communications. It does NOT allow operation outside amateur bands, and it requires that normal communications be out of service due to natural disaster before "Out of class" operating priveledges apply. Note that we're not talking about the original Communications Act of 1933 - that has long since been superceded by 47CFR, which is itself regularly updated and modified.

Separate rules, NOT part of Part 97, apply to operating on the public safety frequencies in question and the issue of type acceptance. They ALL are binding!
--
Karl Beckman, PE Motorola LMPS - Eastern Div

A.D. 1999 - The LAST year of the 1900's.
A.D. 2000 - The LAST year of the 20th Century.

Windows 95 (win-DOH-z), n. A thirty-two bit extension and graphical shell to a sixteen bit patch to an eight bit operating system originally coded for a four bit microprocessor which was written by a two bit company that can't stand one bit of competition.

Clifton T. Sharp Jr. <agent150@spambusters.ml.org> wrote in article <35E9C6DC.76B2@spambusters.ml.org>...
> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> > IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF BAND ON EQUIPMENT NOT TYPE-ACCEPTED FOR A
> > CERTAIN BAND.
> >
> > 97.40x states all of this -- an amateur may use ANY AMATEUR FREQUENCY, but
> > NOT ANY FREQUENCY.
>
> 97.403 says that Part 97 doesn't apply in an emergency. It says that
> flatly and without qualification. It specifically says that Part 97
> does not apply to ANY form of radiocommunication in an emergency.
>
> If you want to quote rules that apply, quote from the Land Mobile Service.
>
> --
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> | Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out!
|
> | WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/
|
>
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>
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4432. Re: Radio Manager Software - Is It Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: AOR Freak <ntdg@freemail.com>
Message-ID: <OVX3#TS19GA.274@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145669

try http://arc.mypage.org for a much cheaper and better program!

4433. Central NJ Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobrnj@nac.net
Message-ID: <35eb27a1.1763389@news.nac.net>
Source record: 145670

Just moved to Union County and would be interested in frequencies for
local police and fire departments. Or anything else interesting.
Thanks, Bob

4434. Roanoke,Va Scanner Club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <drayf@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35EB29FC.8F7401A1@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Any one interested in a scanner club in Roanoke, Va. Please E-
mail --drayf@roanoke.infi.net Thank`s, Darrell

4435. FS: Radio Shack 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: !!!@here.com
Message-ID: <35eb2cc9.430189349@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145672

Radio Shack Pro-2026

No cellular. $100 or best offer.

email !!euby@mindspring.com - without the " !! "

4436. Re: MDC-1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R3108981744580001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 145673

In article <6serfharc1@supernews.com>, "David L Litz"
<dlitz@ex-pressnet.com> wrote:
> IS there any way to decode MDC-1200 signaling with a after market device? If
> not, is there any resource to purchase one new or used?
>
Yes. Until recently Motorola made a small desktop box called a "Stat-alert
desktop console." (Model B1666 or B1667). You can run the tape output jack
of your scanner into this device and it will decode MDC1200 PTT-ID and
emergency data. The box has a keypad and a seven segment LED display.

I have seen these for as little as $20 and as much as $600 at hamfests. New
price was slightly under $2,000. There were several non-MDC Motorola
products that came in a box that looks almost identical. You have to be
very careful when buying one of these that you really end up with the
proper model.

Some Motorola radios can also be configured to decode as well as encode
this data. Some Maxtracs and Astro Saber/Spectras can do this.

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

4437. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: smokebowl@hempseed.com
Message-ID: <35eb2d33.4528351@news.flash.net>
Source record: 145674

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 22:00:26 GMT, frussle@erols.com (Jake Brodsky)
wrote:

>On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 19:53:34 -0500, Tracey*Levin <tracey12@swbell.net>
>wrote:
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>>Oh, but there are ways! I have several articles on how to jam police
>>radar, and its not that hard to do since their units are very low
>>powered (but they still give cops testicular cancer!).
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>is urban myth. Yes, it was on TV that a bunch of cops in one town got
>testicular cancer while doing speed traps. What the TV program DID
>NOT say was that thousands of other cops did exactly what these guys
>did and had no such problems. Further, these cops all worked in the
>same area. They could all have been exposed to another totally
>unrelated environmental toxin.
>
>Ask any physics professor, ask any doctor, ask any biologist, ask
>anyone who studies this stuff: The One and only known effect of
>microwave radiation is localized heating. Everything else is just
>conjecture. The remaining effects of microwave radiation, if there
>are any, are so small that in our national population the
>statisticians are grasping at statistical noise to prove any
>correlations.
actually it can and does cause cancer, just like EMF, microwave
radiation can and does Cause cancer,.

>
>Don't believe everything you see on TV.
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>>And, if your car is very sleek, the license plate may be the only thing
>>he will get a hit off of. Think in terms of stealth planes and how they
>>either absorb radar, or they deflect it back at angles which will not
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>go to the doppler counter and override the tone from his/her reflected
>signal. It will work ok until you reach what is called the radar burn
>through zone at which point the reflection is stronger than your
>directional signal.
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>Those are the facts. Look them up if you don't believe this post.
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>Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
>"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4438. Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083123334000.TAA21990@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145675

Now that Rat Shack has announced there mobile TT (1999 catalog); has Uniden said anything about offering the unit under the Uniden name. I assume here of course the RS model is in fact a Uniden.

4439. WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1054e09693ea4e5898973f@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145676

Has anyone had significant experience with the newer variety of WinRadio devices out there. I am considering the new WR-3100e for my laptop and wanted to know if in fact their performance was amazing or a disappointment.

4440. Newton, MA frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickgans@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35e9ee73.149881013@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145679

Traveling to Newton, Massachusetts this week and looking for police, fire and other interesting frequencies. Nothing listed in Monitor America. Appreciate any tips (hopefully it is not a trunked system, cause I am not bringing my 235)

4441. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6scss2$kvv@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I haven't cited any rules, but I will:

97.1 Basis and purpose.
> The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
radio
> service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
principles:

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote in message <35E9C71F.73A1@spambusters.ml.org>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> I've stated NUMEROUS times that it is illegal to transmit out of band.
>
>And each time you've cited rules that contradict you. Start quoting from
>the Land Mobile Service rules instead.
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>+---
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>| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out!
|
>| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/
|
>+---
-+

4442. Cellular phone antenna for scanner.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: michaeldr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083101353600.VAA07266@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145681

I would like to mount a glass mount cellular phone antenna to the rear window
of my car. The problem is that I have installed window tint film on the window.
My question is, will the reception box on the inside of the window damage the
film
by putting to much weight on it and make the film separate from the window?
Any advice will be welcome.

Michael

4443. FRS radio mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: michaeldr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083101431500.VAA08361@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145682

Does anyone know if it is possible with a little "tweeking and tuning" if you can
pickup a frequency other than the FRS frequencies? Like police, security or business radios. I was wondering about that one day while I was looking at some in a store and just got curious.
Any info is appreciated.

Michael

4444. RS Pro-2001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pagerboy@juno.com
Message-ID: <35ea003c.45706739@news.pp1.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145683

I picked up a Radio Shack Pro-2001 at a garage sale. I have figured out all the key sequences to program the functions expect the HI and LO freq for the scan search mode. Does anyone have one and know the key sequence to change the HI and LO freqs?

Thanks for your help

Pagerboy@juno.com

4445. Re: QUESTION ABOUT R.S. DESCRAMBLER PLANS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Squeeze the Weeze <none@spammer.now>
Message-ID: <01bdd481$9abba3a0$c2f3eecd@godzirra>
Source record: 145684

Look in yer catalog where the caps are.
There is an order number there.
It duzznt work, either, BUT you might get some
BIG sales now from it.
--
-skweezieweezie

` X o'
-----ooo-0-ooo-----
~

4446. Re: Hi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35e9ec37.1356043@news>
Source record: 145685

On 30 Aug 1998 23:17:52 GMT, "mike hays" <hayshouse@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

> Hi anyone in Arkansas??

No, everyone has left the state in pursuit of employment in Washignton
DC, they heard the percs were great there.....!

8)

4447. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35e9eaf3.1031875@news>
Source record: 145686
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On 30 Aug 1998 03:29:19 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

>On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 20:23:04 GMT, thekat@san.rr.com (Bud) wrote:
>
>>On 29 Aug 1998 12:02:11 GMT, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>>
>>>Yep it does make one wonder. Wonder why CEI can't just be honest
>>>about their shipping charges!
>>
>>They tell you up front what it costs to ship. If you don't like that, buy
>>from somewhere else.
>>
>I do. I try to be helpful to others however, and point it out to
>them.
>

Point WHAT out to them...WHO? The other "Dumb" scanner hobbyists here
who cannot read an ad in black and white for themselves and come to
their OWN conclusion?

Are you telling us that you are pointing out to others that CEI is
dishonest?

If so, how? If not, you've been unfair in suggesting as much....

Dan

4448. TRIDENT/2400 1000CHANNEL/$250.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083102272500.WAA01427@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145687

1000CH WIDE RANGE SCANNER/MONITOR COVERAGE 100KHZ-2060MHZ
AM/WFM/NFM/SSB
BFO
IF
STEPS/SHIFT

250.00 U SHIP SORRY NO CODS OR CHECKS POSTAL MONEY ORDER ONLY CAN PICKED
UP IN NORTHERN NJ

ALSO
BC855 (BEARCAT) BASE SCANNER 50 CH. 75.00

CWEST69521@AOL.COM

4449. Illegal transmission says FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-1sbihjBM73t6@slip-32-100-175-162.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 145688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Will,

&#65533; Welcome to PA! Everywhere PENDOT has one of those signs that they
&#65533; can program the message into like "construction ahead" has a little
&#65533; thing hanging under it or on the side. This little thing transmits a
&#65533; radar signal that triggers your radar detector.

Didn't the FCC rule these transmission to be illegal? I think I read
that somewhere else.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

4450. Re: Cleveland State University Police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35ea05e4.79053022@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 145689

>>> I'm trying to find the frequency for Clevland State University Police.
>>> If anyone knows what this is please let me know. Thank you.
>>
>>Don't know if it's still valid, but I have a listing for 151.745
>
>actually it's an 800mhz freq. i'll have to look it up again...

151.7450 plant operations, maintenance
851.0625 police
862.1875 police?
864.0375 plant operations, maintenance

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
--oOO--(_)---OOo----------
The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
----\ (---) /----------
_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

4451. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sd3nr$6ip@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145690
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <35eaf979.42945852@digitalnews9.faster1.net>
digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Persona) writes:
>
>On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 20:37:59 GMT, thekat@san.rr.org (Bud) wrote:
>
>>On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 11:08:45 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
>>bellsouth.net> wrote:
>>
>>>This post I am replying to that calls for Bill Cheek to be invited
back
>>>because he is a valuable resource simply isn't true. Bill has ripped
off the
>>>ideas of others and then promoted them as his own in some cases.
>>
>>Shut the F*^K up when you have no CLUE as to what you're talking
about.
>>
>>
>>
>>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>>
>>Thanks.
>
>Hey Bud,
>
>Why don't *YOU* shut the fuck up!
>Victor Healy knows what he is talking about, and has echoed the
>opinions of MANY others.
>
>Bill Cheek is a dishonest, self serving, pompous, plagiaristic, piece
>of worm infested dog shit!
>
Hmmmm.
you sound like a relative of his.
what are you, his bastard know-nothing?

Where did you get these words
which you describe the cheek-guy
over the coals you think you have
heated up?

Can I make a suggestion: would you kindly
go to San Dlego and look for Bill and meet
him and call him this scenario of someone

who is a fuckin chickenshit to do it in
person kind of "he-man".

we will take up a collection for you
and pay one-way. I'll tell you why?

you will be coming there forever.

please accept and we will take up a
collection and get you on Stand By
and that will do it for you .....

bill conduit
etc.

4452. Re: Sony Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <oGoG1.371$ej4.9686903@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 145691

It's a Sony ICF-SC1PC. My local Service Merchandise stocks it hear in Troy, Michigan. It's a very capable scanner, that includes a PC (DB9 RS232) interface cable, and CD-ROM with Win3.x/Win95/98/(and sort of WinNT) software, that allows you to program, and control the scanner! The CD also includes PerCon's Spectrum FCC frequency database, of over three million records nation wide! Cellular is blocked out, of course.

Bill Crocker

GEB wrote in message <19980831005747O0.UAA01618@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Advertised in a Service Merchandise flyer as ICF1ENY for $349.99
>"Scans all frequencies allowed by FCC from 25 mhz to 1300 mhz."
>"300 Channel Memory"
>"Intelligent Active Memory" ???
>The ad also says "Mail Order Only"
>From the photo in the ad you can barely make out "PC" on the speaker and labled
>along the bottom "PC Control".
>And stenciled along the side edge of the radio is "WAVEHAWK"
>Trying to read the small print on the photo it appears SONY must have some sort
>of "Service Search" ala Bearcat. Above each of the numeric keys are:
>WX, Police, Marine, Fire/EMS, Air, FM, TV1, TV2.

4453. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhoff@mhtc.net
Message-ID: <35eb18d5.30106884@news.mhtc.net>
Source record: 145692
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I purchased my 235xlt from CEI,and was well aware of shipping
costs.Yes they charge high shipping rates,but they DO NOT hide
their rates.I also got the case and headphones.While I agree the
headphones are of low quality,they are worth the $12.The case is
of very good quality with a safety release.At least that is what mine
was.It is MUCH nicer than the R.S. case for $20.By the way I bought a
second 235/case but did not get the headphones.I f they hid all of the
things you said they did,you must have found another website than the
one I found.

4454. BC200xlt Mods Someone emailed me and i lost it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: entrtaenu@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083103505200.XAA13142@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145693

could you please re email me i accidently deleted it and was kicking myself in the butt before i read it...thank you in advance :)

4455. Re: EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dondi3@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083103575100.XAA27444@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145694

In article <6sc3d4$7ev@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> writes:

>I've heard this a few times myself!
>
>--
>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>

Sooo, should I buy a scanner now to monitor the local Ericsson system the
Dubuque police installed...and have it modified for $90 to eliminate the beeps
(but still not having a tracking system) or should I wait to see what RS or
Uniden have in mind for us.

Anybody have any inside dope?

Dondi3

DONDI enterprises. BUY, SELL, TRADE. RARE COINS & PRECIOUS METALS
Member COINNET coindealer network & American Numismatic Assoc.
Next show: Central States Show, Harvey Il. 9/11 thru 9/13. Doing shows every
weekend thru mid November! C U someplace!

4456. mobile scanner antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bladey@blade.net
Message-ID: <35eccf7b.21473774@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145695

I was wondering if anyone has used the Radio Shack mobile "cellular look-alike" glass-mount scanner antenna (20-011). It has the frequency coverage that I'm looking for without appearing too obtrusive.

Please post any experiences or comments in this newsgroup. Any help is appeciated.

Thanks.

Alan

4457. What is This About Ericsson systems being monitored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sd7ib$gu5@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145696

I've seen and heard people
gleefully talking about
being able to listen to
GE/Ericsson system
with some software that
goes into a TT?

Whaaaaaat?

Anyone have substantiated
information on this subject
of "passing interest" amoungst
those who love those "beeps".

bill conduit
etc.

remember: "silence is war"

honor thy cheek-guy

4458. FS: RS Pro 62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: b n m <mansoniaREMOVE@home.com>
Message-ID: <9rpG1.380$Q03.9099987@news.rdc1.fl.home.com>
Source record: 145697
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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For Sale
RS Pro 62
perfect condition
with box and manual
$125 + shipping

remove REMOVE to reply
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4459. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ed269e.13566048@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145698
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 11:08:45 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>The heroes of the scanning hobby today are those that are developing the
>MTRUNK and trunktracker programs and the hardware ideas that lead to the
>Bearcat Trunktracker line. That is original work that has benefit us.

This is so very true, but my hero of the hobby is the author of
pocflex and that arron5 guy with mdt! I'd really like another hero to
port mdt to the 4 level interface for 19.2 or Astro audio...
>
>For technical mods one would be better suited to read "Nuts and volts", Qst,
>73, etc.

Agreed!

>Why anyone would define the right of Bill cheek's trash talk back here is
>beyond me. The right to free speech has its limits. For example who whould
>defend the right of a fool to holler fire in a crowed movie theater if it
>resulted in the death of innocent women and children. Didn't he have the
>right to freely say what ever he wanted? That is an obvious example of the
>foolishness of defending the idea that free speech should have no limits.
>
>73 de ki4je

The best part of the internet is the availability of so many views on
so many subjects...nice speech though!
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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4460. BC-860XLT Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Harris <jason@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <aPpG1.857$c_3.2659072@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 145699

Does anybody know where I can get Mods for my 860XLT? Are there any at all?

TNX

4461. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgreenback@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083105093700.BAA05837@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145700

>Subject: Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD
>BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.
>From: "PCH" <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
>Date: 8/26/98 4:46 AM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35e40762.0@news.ctlnet.com>
>
>
>
>>shipped to a street address you will save money over other dealers. Now,
>>if you dare to get any of their ï¿½freeï¿½ stuff or ship to a POBOX you will
>>be screwed. Another thing that bothers me is that shipping for the
>>BC235XLT is $18 using UPS ground service which is about $5 according to
>>UPS. They charge you an additional $12 for a box
>
>Your info I am sure is quite appreciated.
>"BUYER BEWARE" is paramount on the Internet.
>
>ALWAYS ask for the total charges before sending any money.
>I generally do only COD via Internet orders. I'll gladly pay the 5 bucks
>additional charge and make Mr. UPS stand there while I check my order.
>You may want to contact the BBB and see if there practices might be
>considered "deceptive"?
>
>
>PCH

If your UPS driver gets caught letting you open a COD before he has the cash
salted away in his pocket & is on his way out the door, he will be back on the
loading dock in no time (if the union saves his job at all).

4462. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sdbhsemt0@207.18.224.81>
Source record: 145701
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 00:52:50 GMT, dconti2@carroll.com wrote:

>>Yep it does make one wonder. Wonder why CEI can't just be honest
>>about their shipping charges!
>
>
>What is DIS-honest about CEI's shipping charges?
>
You are correct. I should have used a better choice of words.

Deceptive, not dishonest.

4463. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World, WHY! $10.00 NEW SCANNERS HERE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sdd1h$i6c$0@207.18.224.81>
Source record: 145702
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Well, in response to all the postings, and of course,
with business advise from a self proclaimed
"industry leader", I have decided to go into
business selling scanners.

ANY NEW SCANNER MADE, ONLY $10.00 EACH!!!!!!!

ANY OF THEM!

Any manufacturer, any model, etc! Even any Two Way radio!*

$10.00 EACH!!!!!!

Take for instance, a BC 235 XLT. YOUR PRICE $10.00!!!!!!**

In fact, we will GIVE you, FREE, a headset, and leather case, FREE!***

In fact, look at some of the benefits we offer,

62 day, no hassle return policy! Your purchase price will be refunded
gladly. In fact, we will double return! If you are not happy, we
will send you a check for $20.00!

HUGE inventory! (Does anyone say they have a small inventory?)

NEW merchandise!

Same day shipping in most cases! (Well, that does improve cashflow)

Insured shipping!

Signature required!

On line tracking! (Well, Duh. UPS and FEDEX offer this to everyone)

Credit! Our credit manager is Helen Waite. If you need credit, go to
helen waite.

No minimum!

No hassle refunds! (Do you think I am crazy?)

Same day delivery in some cases! (If you pick it up here, or pay me
enough, and I will deliver it to you personally!)

GSA pricing! (If you really want to pay too much)

Walk-in/pickup! (I might ask you to feed the cows while you are here)

200 car parking, and semi rig parking! (More in the other pastures!)

And our terrorism/Emergency Operations Center is always available. (If you call late at night, you might have to repeat your message a few times until I wake up)

We offer farm grade AC power, acres of area for uplinks, downlinks, and football games. We do ask that you call first, so that we can move the cows to another field. We even have a hardened tornado proof, nuclear attack bunker available. (We took an old school bus, covered the windows, and buried it for a shelter)

Our facility has been inspected by representives of FEMA, SEMA, local government, state government, and a bunch of friends. It meets, or exceeds all applicable state and federal regulations for a facility of it's type.

*With applicable shipping and handling fees
**With a $200.00 shipping and handling fee
***With a $100.00 shipping and handling fee

4464. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6sdcf8$8ta@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Clifton T. Sharp Jr. <agent150@spambusters.ml.org> wrote:

>S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
>and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
>not available.

Just to stir the pot, tell us what equipment would be at the disposal of
an *amateur station*.

Jeff KH2PZ

(Since this is a policy issue, fol-ups directed to r.r.a.policy)

4465. Radio Manager Software - Is It Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjlasky@ibm.net
Message-ID: <35ea350b.5599272@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 145704

I have downloaded the "Radio Manager" v3.8 Software demo. The demo version seems to control my AOR 8000 fairly well but not all features are enabled in the demo obviously.

Question: Are you - or others - using it? Does it have a good reputation?

It seems like the $40 is a pretty fair cost/performance breakpoint.

I want to enter, manage, upload, download, bandplan and custom load the radio for maximum utilization. I like being able to enter freq's and notes and labels for the radio, I want to change the bandplan that is in the radio, I want to be able to load all kinds of freq's and label them and upload them to the various banks.

Any cautions with this software? Any negative stories? Any Praises?

Thank you for your opinion - Ray

4466. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgreenback@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083106313700.CAA11875@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145705

>Subject: Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD
>BAD
>From: "Communications Electronics Inc." <cei@usascan.com>
>Date: 8/30/98 11:27 AM Pacific Daylight Time

Ken,
I have to wonder about a CEO who has time to argue with a bunch of anonymous nuts on the internet (me included - but I don't have anything better to do). It's Sunday, why are you here? Anybody with half a brain can see the nutball posts for what they are. Especially in THIS NG, given recent history as to what a few imbalanced individuals can do when they choose to pursue a visible target with a vengance, I have to wonder why you are writing multipage responses to a guy who doesn't seem smart enough to dial your phone number. Let alone make up a good story. The problem is, you will flush out people who aren't stupid & reaching & obviously making things up - people who just want a good arguement. Like me & some of the others jumping in here.
Now I will say this (and I'll say it only once):
I don't hide markup in my "Shipping & Handling" charges when I sell something. Whether the extra profit was to support an "Emergency Operations Center", an orphanage or cancer research. I just don't do that while advertizing to retail customers and expect everyone to love it. Places like Fingerhut do it too, to cover their "easy credit" defaults. But that's just me and I ain't nobody. I also wouldn't advertize "free" accessories and then charge $12 to include them in a box I had ALREADY BEEN PAID $18 to pack & ship. This is all right there in the ad. (All accessories go for ONE $12 tack-on, right?)
By the way, do you charge the $18 "shipping and handling" per unit to those emergency customers who are so desparate they come and pick things up in person? And do you charge $18 per unit when you ship cases and cases of product by truck to your many bulk customers? Come to think of it why DO you bother with these pesky, complaining retail customers anyway? And why are you on HERE slugging it out with us? I'd be on the phone with those big Government customers selling radios 600 at a time! I'd be out taking some big wig to a baseball game or something like that.
Now a cynic would say you get people on the phone by listing lower prices than anybody else and then a large percentage will get to the $18 shipping fee and never know what hit them. And the ones who don't choke on the $18 will never notice the "free" stuff costs an extra $12 to have it thrown in the box. But that would be a cynic. I'm a positive thinker myself.
You know you ought to check into doing some volume with the Post Office, instead of charging double for it. They'd come and pick up your packages just like UPS. Hard to believe they don't do it now, since you sell all that volume to the Federal Government & they surely specify U.S. Postal Service for shipping......
But you really shouldn't waste your valuable time arguing with me or

anybody else. Unless you think everyone on the 'net is pretty stupid & will swallow a stupid story like the one that started this thread. Surely you don't think that.

4467. Ham Radio Repeater Location Guides

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kamikazi@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6sdb9g$871$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145706

Hello,

Thanks for responding to our News Group Posting. And once again we are excited to introduce the ever popular "Southern California Repeater Location Guides". This Guide is invaulable to each and every ham that is active on VHF/UHF. So what are you waiting for? Please take a look at the on our NEW Web Site located at:

http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

Visit before the end of next month and take advantage of our specials...

Thanks Again,
Jennifer R.
World Express Network
http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4468. ### WARNING ##### Copper Elctronics is unsecure when entering credit card info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: roy@esp.bellcore.com
Message-ID: <35ea4f11.136719885@froot.cc.bellcore.com>
Source record: 145707
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

Sir

Your server is unsecured yet you advertise it as secured when putting in a credit card #. The server that this information is being sent to is secure, but your server at the instance of me putting in my card# is not.

You can verify this your self. If the page where I entered my credit information was secured, the url would start with https://. Notice the "s" after http. also on the more recent version of netscape navigator, there's a little icon of a lock on the lower left hand side of the browser. On your data entry page it is open. Once it's been submitted and sent to the secure server it is closed.

To protect fellow cyber buyers I'm going to post a copy of this to rec.radio.cb, rec.radio.scanners and alt.radio.scanners. You may post there when the situation is corrected .

Regards

Roy Harrison

4469. Constant volume, does it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rothschp@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6se4ij$3hm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145708
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

A while back there was a discussion of this device:

The ALC245M Automatic Volume Controller will keep your transceiver or scanner's volume constant from a whisper to a scream. $22.95 S&H $5. Other models also available. FREE BROCHURE. C&S Electronics, P.O. Box 2142, Norwalk, CT 06852-2142. Phone: 203-866-3208 Fax: 203-854-5036. E-mail: CANDSELECT@worldnet.att.net

Has anyone tried it since then?
Does it work as claimed?
How do you hook it up? To the headphone jack?
How big is it?
Does it require power/battery?
Would you recommend it?

--PR--

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4470. Re: mobile scanner antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980831125222200.IAA26708@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145709

As long as you don't want Low band or 900 mhz it works fair.
I found a larson VHF glass mount ant. to work much better.

4471. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083113021700.JAA13947@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145710

Just FYI Dan. If i buy a 235xlt and get the "Free" head set I pay $30 S&H. Do you think that is honest? Then if I find the 235 cheeper somewhere else I have to pay them $10.
Not to honest to me.

4472. Re: How to transmit on police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-3108980909520001@pm57-26.magicnet.net>
Source record: 145711

In article <1998083012043700.IAA19280@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
jackt21262@aol.com (JackT21262) wrote:

> The person in this case obviously used the officers own radio to
> transmit which would be welcome and accepted. Since this discussion
started so
> many people are getting this confused with someone tuning a ham radio to a
> police frequency and trying to transmit. A few days ago there was even some
> bozo who could not understand why he couldn't be heard trying to transmit on a
> handheld scanner!

I would hate to be the one to do it though. the police would probably
"interview" you to see if you were the one to hurt the officer.

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

4473. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission - pay phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-3108980912570001@pm57-26.magicnet.net>
Source record: 145712

In article <6s9cqv$t8s$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>, "D Stark"
<nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

> Various people in the original thread advocated using pay telephones
> to make a free call to 9-1-1 instead of various radio options. All
> well and good, since many people don't have mobile phones, two-way
> radios, etc. in their cars.
>
> Now comes a threat to the existence of roadside pay telephones. At
> this moment, this is a local initiative in my own neighborhood. There
> is no telling how widespread it may become, however.
>
> The Maplewood Neighborhood Association in Rochester, NY is trying to
> have pay telephones REMOVED from a stretch of Dewey Avenue that runs
> through MNA's area. They want to eliminate these so-called
> "congregation points for unsavory activity" as the Association's
> President says in the newsletter. No mention of any consideration for
> what passersby will do if they need to place an emergency call and
> there are no phones.
>
> I have emailed the City Council and the Mayor about this. I proposed
> that, if they really need to remove the pay phones, they should place
> signs directing passersby to the nearest fire and/or police station.
>
> In any event, keep your eyes and ears open in your own cities and
> towns. Your neighborhood may be the next to attempt to eliminate
> public pay telephones from your streets.
>
> 73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

That does not surprise me. On some pay phones here in orlando, there is a
sticker on it with a warning to "drug dealers" about the possibility of
the calls being recorded. etc. Not sure if it is true though. The sticker
nearest me is no longer on the phone.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

4474. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: yabyum@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sebnk$b75$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6sadhk$3g7$1@news4.wt.net>,
"John Habbinga" <habbinga@wt.net> wrote:

> Advertisement? Those catalogs are produced for the benefit of the
> salespeople. It is a reference guide and a training tool. RadioShack is kind
> enough to provide them to customers that also find them helpful.

So RS does not see it as advertisement and does not think of the sales potential when they sell the catalog?

> The monthly mailout that is targeted to customers who volunteer their names
> and addresses are significantly more effective advertising than the catalog.
> A few years back the elimination of the RadioShack catalog was discussed.
> Instead someone thought of the idea of selling the catalog on newstands (I
> noticed that they were for sale at Wal-Mart). This is when RadioShack
> started selling the catalog. The first year the catalog had coupons in it to
> compensate for the customer's investment. The first year (four years ago)
> was the only year that RadioShack charged for the catalog at the RadioShack
> store. After that they have a policy that the exchange of name and address
> information for the mailing list was a fair price for the catalog.

If the latter is true, then why did I never receive anything from them? I once was stupid enough to give them my name and address when I spent a couple hundred of dollars that day. No free catalog, no mailing.

Besides, it's really not wise to give RS your name and address for the very simple reason that they are dumb enough to print your name on the receipt. When you pay by charge card and loose the receipt then a mean spirited finder can make some nice purchases over the phone or internet. All they need is name, credit card number and expiration date.

> Use what money to plant trees? The money that they earn from the sale of the
> catalogs? They don't make any money directly from the sale of catalogs.

Yes, the money for they get for the catalog. I think it would be a fair trade to give mother nature some trees back in exchange for sales.

> In
> fact the costs of the catalog are a lot greater than the profits made from
> selling them even if everyone produced were purchased.

That's an often used argument, which is not true of course. If the catalogs would not help the sales, then I'm sure RS would not be investing in them. If they really give them away to be nice to their customers, don't you think that's because they want to see the customer return to their store?

> If you are concerned
> for our environment then take your old NiCd batteries to them to be
> recycled.

I tried that, they refused to take them.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4475. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6se9dg$8h5@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

You would have to try EVERY FREQUENCY before LEGALLY using the radio to
contact the police.

You may only contact the police ON THE RADIO **IF** there is life in danger,
AND you are a validly licensed amateur operator, AND you've tried EVERY
other type of communication, in this case, every frequency on every
transmitter.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
Neither did I.

pat@nospam.com wrote in message <35e9dc64.85020593@news.ncal.verio.com>...
>Oh.. Com'on! If you're wife, mother, son, daughter were in a life and
>death situation and all you have with you is your HT HAM radio. What
>would you do... obey the law!? give me a break. You do whatever it
>takes to save their life, wouldn't you?
>
>On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 22:47:09 +0000, "Ivor D. Jones"
><ivor.g6urp@nospam.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
>>In article <35e80438.3377432@nntp.ix.netcom.com>, Ron Ricketts
>><rrickets@ix.netcom.com> writes
>>>On 29 Aug 1998 00:26:26 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>>><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>>>
>>>I suppose this thread could go on forever, but in my mind it comes
>>>down to this:
>>>
>>>If peril to life is immenent, I'll use ANY and ALL means at my
>>>disposal to summon aid. I'll let the chips fall where they may and
>>>worry about the consequences afterwords.
>>>
>>>End of story!
>>
>>Ok, we'll come and visit you in jail!
>

4476. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6se9ep$8km@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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contact the police.

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AND you are a validly licensed amateur operator, AND you've tried EVERY
other type of communication, in this case, every frequency on every
transmitter.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote in message <35E9C71F.73A1@spambusters.ml.org>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> I've stated NUMEROUS times that it is illegal to transmit out of band.
>
>And each time you've cited rules that contradict you. Start quoting from
>the Land Mobile Service rules instead.

4477. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6se9in$943@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Incorrect. In the US, it is illegal to listen to ANY of these at ANY time:

-Paging
-Digital communications
-Encrypted communications
-Cordless phones
-Cellular phones

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Don or Darla Arnold wrote in message <35E8C9B1.59C674F4@datasync.com>...
>JAIL just for having it, NOT not even in texas
>there is more to this story than meets the eyes
>YOU CAN LISTEN TO ANYTHING YOU WANT
>you just cannot transmitt on a lot of them UNLESS your authorized
>the only exception i know to this is some cell frequencies
>don

4478. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998083113353800.JAA29873@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145717

>From: firebuff66@aol.com (FireBuff66)

>Just FYI Dan. If i buy a 235xlt and get the "Free" head set I pay $30 S&H.

I went to the UPS web site to do a quick cost estimate of the shipping charge of UPS ground for a scanner and a case. The shipping charge is $5 or $6 for both items. I wonder what the other $24-$25 is for?

4479. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6se91g$6ll@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>It is part of your Technicial exam. If there is a life threatening
>emergency, you may transmit whenevery and on what ever band you need
>to help. During a life threatening emergency, you may transmit on any
>frequency using any transmitter and the FCC won't care. In fact, y

No, it wasn't part of my technical exam. And, you didn't finish your
sentence.

>If a ham radio is the only means of communications (or for that fact
>a commercial tv station) you are supposed to use it to call the
>police.

***** No, you are not. An HT CONSTITUTES another form of communication. You
would have to try EVERY FREQUENCY before LEGALLY calling the police.

You may only contact the police ON THE RADIO **IF** there is life in danger,
AND you are a validly licensed amateur operator, AND you've tried EVERY
other type of communication.
*****

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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4480. Re: Newton, MA frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: leighpatrick@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35ea9972.5864946@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145719

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 00:30:04 GMT, rickgans@mindspring.com (Rick Gans) wrote:

>Traveling to Newton, Massachusetts this week and looking for police,
>fire and other interesting frequencies. Nothing listed in Monitor
>America. Appreciate any tips (hopefully it is not a trunked system,
>cause I am not bringing my 235)

From police call 1997

Fire

#F Blue HAZMAT
Metrofire Control 483.2625

F-White Dispatch
Inner City Link
Metrofire Control 483.2875

F-Red Fireground
Metrofire Control 483.3125

Newton Dispatch 483.4625

Police

Intercity 158.9700

F-5 470.3875

BAPERN F-2 North 470.4875

BAPERN F-4 investigators 470.5625

BAPERN F-2 West 470.7375

BAPERN F-3 intercity 470.7875

BAPERN West 470.8375

BAPERN F-2 South 470.9125

There are also a few dozen trunked freq.

Other

Newton Wellesley Ambulance Service 463.1750
468.1750

Newton Wellesley Hospital 155.2950

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leighpatrick@earthlink.net

Hatred in the name of God is the ultimate obscenity!

4481. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6se985$7le@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> According to 97.403 - you are allowed to use any means at your
>disposal. That can, and usually is, interpreted to mean everything
>from a 2M HT to smoke signals. As in most things in life, common
>sense should prevail. In other words - just because something may
>be interpreted to be illegal by a pinhead laywer, doesn't mean that
>you shouldn't do it, anyhow.

You would have to try EVERY FREQUENCY before LEGALLY calling the police.

You may only contact the police ON THE RADIO **IF** there is life in danger,
AND you are a validly licensed amateur operator, AND you've tried EVERY
other type of communication, in this case, every frequency on every
transmitter you have.

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
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4482. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <369ea940.1501452550@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 19:51:06 +0100, "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
>So to the best of your knowledge, Gary, should you see fit to reply, in what
>year did the first CW contact take place? And when would you say CW became
>more than merely a scientific curiosity and a viable means of routine
>amateur communication?

I don't know when the first CW transmitters were used, but I do know that
CW didn't become routine for amateurs until the mid-1920s.

>I am pretty sketchy on the alternator method of generating CW, and had not
>realized that this was actual CW. I thought the first use of CW followed the
>inventon of the triode.

Yeah, the alternators produced CW. They were multipole, so they didn't have
to turn at the cycle rate, but of course it was still pretty low frequency stuff,
and was used primarily by commercial stations. Amateurs operating on 200
meters and down had to wait for vacuum tubes to become cheap and powerful
enough to let them operate CW. That started to happen after WWI.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4483. Re: What is This About Ericsson systems being monitored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6se9u9$amg@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145722

I don't know where you heard that. There is software, but it doesn't go into
a TT.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
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BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6sd7ib$gu5@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>...
>
>
> I've seen and heard people
> gleefully talking about
> being able to listen to
> GE/Ericsson system
> with some software that
> goes into a TT?
>
> Whaaaaaat?
>
> Anyone have substantiated
> information on this subject
> of "passing interest" amoungst
> those who love those "beeps".
>
>
> bill conduit
> etc.
>
> remember: "silence is war"
>
> honor thy cheek-guy
>
>

4484. Re: Radio Manager Software - Is It Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: cenick <cenick@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6se9qi$clb@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145723

I have used Radio Manager for my AR8000,Pro64,Pro2041 and BC895 and have
been extremly pleased. I think that Radio Manager is an excellent program.
Please register so Ben can continue enhancing this program.
Happy Scanning... Nick w3cn
Ray wrote in message <35ea350b.5599272@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>...
>
>I have downloaded the "Radio Manager" v3.8 Software demo. The demo
>version seems to control my AOR 8000 fairly well but not all features
>are enabled in the demo obviously.
>
>Question: Are you - or others - using it? Does it have a good
>reputation?
>
>It seems like the $40 is a pretty fair cost/performance breakpoint.
>
>I want to enter, manage, upload, download, bandplan and custom load
>the radio for maximum utilization. I like being able to enter freq's
>and notes and labels for the radio, I want to change the bandplan that
>is in the radio, I want to be able to load all kinds of freq's and
>label them and upload them to the various banks.
>
>Any cautions with this software? Any negative stories? Any Praises?
>
>Thank you for your opinion - Ray

4485. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35e9f860.694308@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145724
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 00:15:31 -0400, "John R. McGuirt III"
<JENNYA@FTC-I.NET> wrote:

>Anyone know of mods. for this scanner.
>
>
Since it is a dual conversion scanner and cell images are
readily available, then it is usually not worth trying to work on a
"virtual downconversion" mod for any cellular reception. Uniden's are
prone to be programmed in 12.5kHz steps in the cell bands anyways and
the SC model isn't high-end enough to allow changes in the step sizes.
One of the modifications that you can do to this scanner is to
tap the discriminator output. There were detailed instructions in the
March 1997 edition of Popular Electronics. If you weren't lucky enough
to have this on hand then you can go to
http://www.cylexinc.com/rmpe01h.htm and grab you a copy of it and
print it out.

Wiggie

4486. Re: Frequencies for Delaware and local agencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-08-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcardani@erols.com
Message-ID: <35eaab7f.6588156@news.tju.edu>
Source record: 145725

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 08:30:59 -0400, "Me" <sshuhayd@fast.net> wrote:

> Delaware is in the process of upgrading to 800Mhz trunked system
>which will include most or all of the local agencies in the states. I
>have been searching the internet for frequencies but have no been able
>to find anything that can help me. Is there anyone who knows the new
>frequencies for the State Police in Kent County and the all of the local
>agencies in the area?
>
> I know that the State police, Dover PD and Robbins Hose, Camden PD
>and Smyrna PD as well as all of the fire depts.have switched to the new
>800 Mhz range. The State Police have continued to simucast
>transmissions on 154.935 and the fire still simulcast dispatch but not
>fireground. Also, the state police are using Digital but the local
>agencies have not been apporoved to use the new digital system.
>
>
> Thank you for any information that can help.
>
The frequencies are licensed and listed in Police Call. Use the freqs
that are listed for the repeater sites that are in Kent County. I live
in South Jersey and can only receive New Castle Co. system.

I have not heard any analog communication on the NCC system. It's all
digital. In new Castle Co., DSP, NCCPD, and Fireboard are using the
system in digital mode.

Until a Trunk Tracker hits the market that can receive APCO25 voice,
the 800 transmissions will remain unmonitorable unless you own a
Motorola Astro radio. With the Astro and Motorola RSS software (both
can be purchased from Motorola legally), The radio can be programmed
conventinally using the Digital CSQ (digital carrier squelch) mode to
receive the digital voice transmissions. Granted the radio will not
trunk and follow the conversations, at least you will be able to hear
them.

Joe

4487. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35EC8407.612@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> No, that is common sense. A frequency DOES constitute a singular form of
> communication.

Read what you wrote. It's silly on the surface. Even assuming that you
meant to say "a contact on one frequency does constitute a singular form
of communication" it's silly, as the FCC itself could not specify types
of communication such as A3A without a frequency attached.

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+---+
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| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

4488. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35EC834F.781D@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> From Karl Beckman:
>
> ... "97.403 applies ONLY to
> "these rules," that is Subpart E entitled Providing Emergency
> Communications.

To my knowledge, Karl is no more a lawyer than I am. The way it was explained to me, "these rules" in that context means 47 CFR 97. And yes, it was explained to me by a lawyer, who led me to believe that "this section" or "this Subpart" would have been used if only Subpart E was meant.

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4489. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35EC8231.4891@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> <To Rich Mulvey and Curtis Wheeler, also>
>
> > No, he can't. I've asked a couple of times, and, after wading
> >through the sea of back-pedaling, he always comes back with, "Look it
> >up yourself."
>
> Yes, I can.
>
> I've decided to look some up for you, and they are below. These are cases
> where amateurs have been prosecuted and/or had equipment confiscated.
>
> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384661544&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=9
> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383365056&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=10
> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383370857&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=20

Text of the citation:

There are many instances where hams have used modified
HT's to contact police on *their* frequencies. In most cases,
the ham's HT is almost always confiscated and he/she is
charged with violating the laws applicable to transmitting on
their freqs. After many hoops and dodges, the charges are
dropped and the HT is returned because the ham *really* didn't
violate any laws. However; it should be noted the one should
always try to use *legitimate* means first, and transmit on *their*
frequencies as a last resort - you may cause more harm than
good. Of course, with the new trunking systems, I'm not sure
it would do you any good now anyway.

> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383551810&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=26
> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383596445&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=27
>
> Other good article:
> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384002764.1&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&
> hitnum=25
>
> How's that?

Poor. The first one says the writer thinks he recalls a case where the
ham might have been prosecuted, and the rest go downhill from there.

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4490. Re: Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35ECAE8D.DD915A73@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145430

Thanks a lot...I thought it was a mod for the scanners...thanks for the
link info....

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> In <35EC95B9.F72FFF3F@prism.gatech.edu> Scott Messick
> <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu> writes:
> >
> >Could someone please give me a quick, breif explination of what A
> trunk
> >tracker is....
> >
> go to: http://www.trunktracker.com
>
> bill conduit
> etc.
>
> also go to groveenterprises.com
> hamstation.com
> acecommunications.com
> scannerworld.com
>
> go to the search engines
>
> search for 'trunktracker'
>
> you will respect yourself in the
> a.m. if you get the information
> yourself....
>
> also: http://www.uniden.com
>
> they make them....
>
> bill conduit
> etc.

4491. MD State Police Air-to-Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Shriner <bshriner@erolsQ.com>
Message-ID: <35EC89E0.990914F2@erolsQ.com>
Source record: 145431

Does anybody know what freq the MD State Police use for air to ground
comms?
Their helicopter is occasionally deployed for S&R, etc., ops, and it
would be nice to know if they're just running a medevac or looking for
an escaped convict.

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Please remove "Q" to reply.

4492. ERI '98 - Emergency Response Institute - October 10-11, 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mh@harthaven.com
Message-ID: <mh-0109981523370001@192.168.1.1>
Source record: 145432
Cross-posted to: misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,oc.general,la.general

The Southern California Emergency Response Institute, a conference with valuable information for emergency responders in government, business, industry and volunteer service, will be held October 10-11, 1998, at the Ben Clark Training Center, March Air Force Base, Riverside, California.

Seminars, forums, exhibits and demonstrations are all a part of the Institute, which has been held for the past several years in Northern California, but is for the first time being held in a location convenient to Southern Californians.

Registration is $35 for both days; accomodations are available on-site or locally. ERI is sponsored by the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services Auxiliary Communications Service, and by the Riverside County Fire Department Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service.

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4493. Pro-64 mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan <dow1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6si32h$dr4$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145433

i need the mod for the radio shack pro-64 scanner. if any one has it please e-mail me at Dow1@earthlink.net.

dan thanx

4494. FS: AOR ar-880 Hand Held Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daryl Hovey <dhovey@worldchat.com>
Message-ID: <35ECBF7E.6DF9@worldchat.com>
Source record: 145434

For sale ar-880 hand held scanner.

30-50 mhz
138-174 mhz
406-525mhz
800-999.9 mhz (continous)

Price $100.00us + shipping

Contact dhovey@worldchat.com

4495. Mod for PRO 2036

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce....N4ZEZ" <n4zez@oppcatv.com>
Message-ID: <35EC93B5.B58CBB63@oppcatv.com>
Source record: 145435

Does anyone have the 800mhz full restore modification for this scanner, or know where I can locate it? Thanks in advance and if so please send it via private email as sometimes I do not check here very often

--
Bruce Talkington
ARS...N4ZEZ
Andalusia. Alabama

Visit my web page @ http://oppcatv.com/public/n4zez/index1.htm
While there Please sign my Logbook ......Tnx and 73
Sign up to my Electronic Mailing List or view the Archives

4496. Who saw U.S. Marshal the movie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15431-35EC938A-14@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145436
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Who can tell me in the movie what scanner was use to recive the cell conversation that they were monitoring? What device was use to get the frequency of the cell? Thanks

4497. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35ec858e.10810118@news>
Source record: 145437
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

>Actually, my choice has been to use a vendor that offers good service,
>and good pricing. Sometimes I will pay more for better service,
>sometimes I will go with the best price.

I do the same, Blake....

>I have never had a problem beating CEI's prices, and their service is
>no better than anyone else. Of course, I have my own anti-terrorist
>team, and Emergency Operations Center, so I don't need theirs......

Yes, I know what you mean! My Emergency Ops Center has been down for
awhile, though...! 8)

>The higher priced shipping and handling, is simply a way to be able
>to post the lower price in big bold print, and to cover themselfs when
>someone makes a return. No restocking fee, as it is built into every
>sale!

Exactly my point. places like Grove do this by simply charging more
for the radio, CEI does it with the higher S & H...

>Just in how you look at it.

Exactly...my only concern was with using the term Dis-honest to
describe ANY vendor, when in fact , they are not...STUPID, maybe...

>I restate myself, I am willing to sell any scanner made, for $10.00,
>plus shipping and handling. I will throw in anything you want, FREE,
>if you pay the shipping and handling.
>
>What a deal!
>
Point taken Blake....thank you for the intelligent discourse here.

Dan

4498. Re: Tech toyz micro counter question!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel MacKelvey <Dimmond_Dan@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ujAEySh19GA.207@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145438
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Very,Very well. I use the micro counter. YOU Need to get the external
antenna. I just wish it had more memory locations.
Rick wrote in message <35EC95F9.D6E15CF5@megsinet.net>...
>Has anyone used one of these?.......or are they a waste of money?......
>

4499. FAQ: New Scanner Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wellsr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35ECA78E.9AA21691@ibm.net>
Source record: 145439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,triangle.radio

To All New Scanner Users,
If you are new to the radio monitoring hobby, I have compiled
a FAQ containing a collection of topics which are frequently
asked on the radio newsgroups.

Topics include :
Look Before You Post
Don't Ask What The Best Scanner Is
Picking A Scanner/Receiver
Scanner Glossary
Scanner Model FAQ
Scanner Dealers FAQ
Frequently Asked Frequencies
FCC Frequency Databases
CTCSS & DCS
What's Illegal
Cellular-capable Scanners
Trunked Radio Systems
Co-ax Cable
Receiver Range
Your Scanner On A Plane
Frequency Counters
Magazines & Newsletters
Rechargeable Battery Tips
*Radio Discussion Lists
*Radio Modifications
*Radio Shack On-line Manuals
*Handheld Scanner Antenna Review
*Used Scanner Price Guide
My Web Page
Courtesy

*=Newly added topics

To see this FAQ, point your web browsers to

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm

Happy reading!

Strong signals,
Rich Wells
N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

4500. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: JPS <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35ECA58A.927CB9A4@mc.net>
Source record: 145440

Jack wrote:>

> >
> > i called various RS people
> > and they spoke:
> >
> > "trunktracker, what's that?"
> >
> > "no, i have no information about that?"
> >
> > "no, we don't know about any mobile trunktracker
> > scanner coming out in October as reported by a
> > source on rec.radio.scanner"
> >

That works well for Radio Shack....."You've got questions? So do we..We're clueless!

4501. BC895XLT Memory Clearing Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Someone <hellawaitsyou@afterlife.com>
Message-ID: <6sia55$32v$1@news.us.world.net>
Source record: 145441

I'm looking for the code that clears the entire memory of my trunk tracker..
I saw it a while back but forgot what it was.. Its something similar to
pressing, 1-9-E and turning the scanner on, or pretty darn close

Bighoss@opusnet.com

4502. FS: Icom IC-R1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDS <skynite@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OePUidh19GA.234@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145442

Very nice condition complete with all original accessories including manual
$285
Thx
Bruce

4503. FS: Radio Shack PRO-2056

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDS <skynite@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#lgKbeh19GA.101@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145443

Pristine condition, used for less than 2 hours, comes complete with all original accessories and box $135

4504. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35ECADF7.74@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> <To Rich Mulvey and Curtis Wheeler, also>
>
> > No, he can't. I've asked a couple of times, and, after wading
> >through the sea of back-pedaling, he always comes back with, "Look it
> >up yourself."
>
> Yes, I can.
>
> I've decided to look some up for you, and they are below. These are cases
> where amateurs have been prosecuted and/or had equipment confiscated.

http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384661544&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=9

A story from someone about "someone" that he thinks called the police
over "soemthing" and he thinks was prosecuted by the feds. It may have
been 15 years ago. I could make up a story like that. Would it be
fact?

http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383365056&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=10

This one sounds like the southern CA case. Apparently that ham did not
make a reasonable attempt to try something else first. And he was NOT
prosecuted. The story goes that he avoided prosecution by surrendering
his radio - I wonder what would have happened should he have chose to
take a chance in court, and if the local authoirties would have taken it
that far.?

No prosecution.

> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383370857&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=20

Another story like yours that just says "it happens all the time".

>http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383551810&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=26

Not even close to an example someone someone being prosecuted.

http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383596445&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
> tnum=27

An irrelavant story about a fireman that stole some 800 MHz gear.

> Other good article:
> http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384002764.1&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&
> hitnum=25

Great article - but it doesn't support your position.

> How's that?

Well Ry - it sucked. Any idiot could have told DejaNews to search for
the word "prosecuted" in a newsgroups and come up with a list of posts.
But if you want to use them make a point you should read them first.

Regards

--
Curtis
"Fast Forward"

4505. scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kupek <Kupek@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35ECAFB4.2683B621@primenet.com>
Source record: 145445

i totally do not agree what do you think we listen to do
you think people orgasm and transmit it? you need to not put
these messages in our newsgroup

4506. San Bernardino City Trunked System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@uia.net>
Message-ID: <6sibdo$833$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145446

What Happened to it?It seems that the CC are there but not talkgroups.Someone have trunker in or near there?Nextel was suposed to take the FREQ that they were on so it seems to me that they just changed the Freq at the central controler.Alot easier then reprogramming 700 radios.
radioman

4507. Radio Shack Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. Seymour" <seymourt@iwaynet.net>
Message-ID: <35ECD298.6583@iwaynet.net>
Source record: 145447

Can anyone please tell me if Radio Shack scanners (mobile & base) are easy/readily modifiable to open them to closed frequencies (i.e. 800 mhz cellular, etc) and extended frequencies (frequencies not kisted in the manuals). Also if they are who can I go to get the information?

Please e-mail me at seymourt@iwaynet.net.

Thanks for your help!!!!!!!!!

4508. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35ECB6D3.A273489C@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145448

ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF YOU AGREE
> RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT BANING THEM.
>
> THANKS.

Might as well reel that one in and cast again. Ya might wanna change lures; that grammerless-bottom skimmer ain't doin' much for ya.

americafirstfinancial.com my ASS!

4509. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6sicoo$9ef$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145449

PLEASE DON'T FEED THE TROLL!

ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6si97c$230$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF YOU
AGREE
>RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT BANING
THEM.
>
>THANKS.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4510. Re: RD800 Antenna ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sly Kapchinski <n5gqb@txcyber.com>
Message-ID: <35ECBA24.2812@txcyber.com>
Source record: 145450

MrG1stD wrote:
>
> I have a Uniden BC235 Trunktracker, the reception is sometimes poor. I am
> considering buying the RD800 antenna from Optoeletronics. Has anyone used this
> antenna and is it worth the purchase ?
>
> TIA
>
> Bill

Ditto here, it is a good antenna for 800mhz, about the best performance
I've seen for a rubber duck. A little pricey though, but worth it.
It is a long antenna, about 2.5 inches longer than the stock antenna on
the handheld trunktrackers.
However if you are having a "real tough time" hearing the data channel
then even this antenna may not be enough for a constant lock. Its good,
but not a miracle worker. An outdoor 800mhz antenna with high quality
coax would be your next step. :-)

4511. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sief7$gd8$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145451

I think this guy is one of the 4% that got turned down for a credit card
from this financial institution and now he is trying to mailbomb them.

>ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>> YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF YOU
AGREE
>> RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT BANING
THEM.
>>
>> THANKS.

4512. Re: BC895XLT Memory Clearing Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth Chirko <chirko@xnet.com>
Message-ID: <6sihk0$1aq$1@flood.xnet.com>
Source record: 145452

Hold 2+9+manual, then power on.

Someone wrote in message <6sia55$32v$1@news.us.world.net>...
>I'm looking for the code that clears the entire memory of my trunk
tracker..
>I saw it a while back but forgot what it was.. Its something similar to
>pressing, 1-9-E and turning the scanner on, or pretty darn close
>
>Bighoss@opusnet.com
>
>

4513. Re: Cables and connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: PCH <blackbelt76@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35ecd0ad.0@news.ctlnet.com>
Source record: 145453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jay Stoll wrote in message <35EC6819.E4E55157@mindspring.com>...
>I'm looking to install a RS discone antenna in my attic and could use
>some help with the variety of cables and connectors available. I see
>that the PL-259/SO-239 combination seems pretty popular but I have also
>heard that N connectors are better. Should I use 75 or 50 ohm cable?
>If I use the "wrong" impedence cable must I match it to the reciever for
>the best sensitivity

PL259's and SO2239's are cheap...that's why you see so many. Generally
they're fine for most scanning.
The N connector is great but few radios come with an N connector on it...you
could always install one yourself.

BNCs are better than the 259/239...

If you're seeking to extract every mV from your antenna, then N connector is
your choice and YES, match the impedence of your antenna to your load with
low loss cable..RG8U or RG8M....

It's easy to go nuts over loss. If you're doing moon bounce or weak signal
EME, sure, N connectors, hardline,preamps etc are quite necessary.. but for
the average scanner listener it is not.

4514. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Robbins <RROBBI32@Maine.edu>
Message-ID: <98244.230443RROBBI32@Maine.edu>
Source record: 145454
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The SC150B is a TRIPLE conversion unit.

4515. TrunkTracker for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Boston <noyuj@dwx.com>
Message-ID: <35EBF85B.B1225429@dwx.com>
Source record: 145455

Hi everyone. I have a Uniden TrunkTracker for sale. Im only asking $200 and no it isnt hot. E-mail me at robdmia1@aol.com or noyuj@dwx.com if you are interested

4516. Re: cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: me_fitz@iname.com
Message-ID: <35ec4881.0@news.ultranet.ca>
Source record: 145456
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Thanks, but I think my problem is with the scanner that I have. My PRO-29 has been blocked from those freq.s that you mentioned. As of right now, I can mostly get only mobiles and sometimes only one side since I only get rages like : 851-868 and 896-956 MHz... know of any mods. I can make so I can get the blocked freqs.?

As for the laws here in Canada, I know that they allow you to listen, but recording or repeating what you hear is illegal.

Thanks again...

Baba Baba Baba Booey wrote in message <6sh8vhshj2@news.bconnex.net>...
On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 18:51:47 -0700, <me_fitz@iname.com> babbled on about cell phones proclaiming:

>Can anyone recommend a good FAQ on listening to cells and/or a cell channel
>guide fro Vancouver BC?

Because I'm in Ontario I can't help too much. What I can say just off hand is:

-the band plan is the same across Canada and the United States - don't know about other places.

-I don't know how the Trunk Tracker works, but if you don't have it (I don't) following conversations will be tricky

-wide FM mode is required

-*IMPORTANT* Don't listen to the know-nothing yahoos who tell you it's "illegal". It is not. Not in Canada. It is in the United States so they have to listen at their own risk. Their laws, particularly the infamous ECPA (Electronic Communications Privacy Act) are NOT binding on us as Canadians. Don't let anybody tell you otherwise. There's nothing illegal if you live in Canada, with MAYBE the exception of Manitoba. Apparently the Manitoba Highway Traffic Act has a thing against using a scanner in your vehicle in that province only - contrary to federal law (IMHO) but enforced nevertheless from what I hear.

-Search these in 30 khz increments, FM wide mode:

Cantel: 824.040-834.990 (mobile) 869.040-879.990 (base)
Bell: 835.020-844.980 (mobile) 880.020-889.980 (base)
Cantel: 845.010-846.480 (mobile) 890.010-891.480 (base)
Bell: 846.510-848.970 (mobile) 891.510-893.970 (base)

(if these figures are wrong I'd appreciate correction)

****
Sean & Mona: a great tradition since 1996
Running on Internet Explorer 5.0
~~~~~~
"Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection.
But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp
authority over the man, but to be in silence."
-Paul the bigot in 1 Timothy2:11-12
****

[Posted with Agent 1.5. For info, email agent-info@forteinc.com.]
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4517. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: me_fitz@iname.com
Message-ID: <35ec498d.0@news.ultranet.ca>
Source record: 145457

Well, actually there is a mod. I came across it just the other day but I can't remember the URL. Just start searching Alta Vista, Yahoo, HotBot, etc. and you'll find it...I did and I wasn't even looking for it! :)

PS. JW: grow up and let people do what the fuck they wanna do...besides, if its so private, use a damned land line...

JTWard01 wrote in message <1998090115295400.LAA14123@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>Anyone out there know a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60? I have looked
>>everywhere but can't find one. TIA
>>
>Maybe that's 'cause it doesn't exist! Grow up and quit eavesdropping on private
>conversations.
>
>JW

4518. New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3cd_9809020715@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145458

> Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
> noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
> because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
> the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
> don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"

Was this a franchise store or a company-owned store?
Different animals, different policies.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

4519. F.S. Regency Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John H. Klewer" <n6ax@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35ECD925.48B6@pacbell.net>
Source record: 145459

For Sale: Regency Touch M100 Scanner, sloped front panel, receives up to

512 MHz with 10 memories. with wall adaptor and mounting bracket.

$50.00

email to John

n6ax@pacbell.net

4520. Re: MD State Police Air-to-Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35ECA99E.2FF0@erols.com>
Source record: 145460

Jake Brodsky wrote:
>
> On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 19:57:20 -0400, Brian Shriner
> <bshriner@erolsQ.com> wrote:
>
> >Does anybody know what freq the MD State Police use for air to ground
> >comms?
>
> I imagine there is one, but I don't know it. I do know they're on the
> usual aviation radio frequencies using the call sign "Trooper." If
> you're curious, listen to 128.7 West of Baltimore, 133.0 North of
> Baltimore, 119.7 South of Baltimore and 119.0 East of Baltimore. You
> may also hear lots of activity on 124.55 over the Eastern Shore.
>
> Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
> "Beware of the massive impossible!"
133.0 was replaced with 125.525. However the troopers can be heard on
44.74 in the Baltimore area. Here is the freq list from a list in a
small book RMNM sold about 2 years ago, it's still valid insofar as I
know;
In addition to 44.74...
47.66 Patient status from Medevacs
123.025 common helo
122.75 air to air between helos and other small aircraft.
I'd say stick with 44.74; I hear the 'Troopers' quite frequently.
By the way, 133.0 and 126.75 just relay tower transmissions; you will
not hear any aircraft replying on these freqs. You will hear them on
the 125.525 frequency. I live 15 mins from BWI, so I sorta have a front
row seat. 73s Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

4521. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090115295400.LAA14123@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145477

>Anyone out there know a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60? I have looked
>everywhere but can't find one. TIA
>
Maybe that's 'cause it doesn't exist! Grow up and quit eavesdropping on private conversations.

JW

4522. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd5be$2e602f80$8801010a@mikey>
Source record: 145478

Jerry <tex@usaor.net> wrote in article
<LcoF1.642$p4.1646365@news.sgi.net>...
> Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
> Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
> And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.
>
> Thanks.
>

Do they work? Well, most are bullshit. But there are jammers that do work
However, the ones that are 'commercial' and work are easily detected by
the new radar guns. I saw one display that actually had indicators for
'JAM' and 'RF'. (I believe 'RF' indicateded RF interference.)

As to jammers, I posted an article a long time ago (early 1980's) called
"The HitchHikers Guide to Radar Jamming" that I've been told is STILL
floating around on archives and won't die. It basically tells that MOST of
the 'jamming' stories are pure bullshit, and it tells how jamming CAN
be done easily. But be aware, this is EXACTLY how the new guns
DETECT that they are being jammed, and you want to piss off a cop?

Yes, there ARE methods of jamming that are NOT detectable, but only
because they are not commercially available. Think about it. If a company
makes a 'jammer' and they advertise it, how effective can it really be?
Are people THAT STUPID? I guess! And if by chance it actually IS
effective, how long will it STAY effective?

Hey, the private 'one up' jammers that use different technology are out
there, but you WON'T find them in the catalogs!

Mike

4523. Need Help With BearCat 210 scanner!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: miliman9@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6shecf$1l6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145479

I need to know how to scan different channels on a Bearcat 210 scanner.
I'm am just 14 and trying to get into the hobby of Scanning.Please Help!!!!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4524. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJ Hvasta <skygodtj@ayeteetee.net>
Message-ID: <35EC1F36.3E791749@ayeteetee.net>
Source record: 145480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Wonder when HRO, EEB and others will....

teege

Mike Manship wrote:

> On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 13:16:00 GMT, kd1my@banet.net wrote:
>
> >I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
> >only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new catalogs
> >and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
> >charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will still
> >give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> >people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan but
> >I do buy a few things there.
> >
> Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
> noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
> because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
> the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
> don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
>
> Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
> the catalog.

4525. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: shirsh@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <shirsh-0109981123560001@host-209-214-192-116.mem.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I bought a $10 Antenna and I asked for a catalogue, no charge. I believe
it is up to the discretion of the individual.

Steve

In article <6sh6fs$o54$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, jkirkham@eng.miami.edu wrote:

> They started this a few years ago. The original idea was to charge 3 bucks
> for the catalog, then include a 3 dollar coupon with the catalog towards a
> purchase.
>
> I went in one day and spent like 300 bucks on a scanner and some other stuff,
> and asked for a catalog. They refused to give me one for free!! I couldn't
> believe it! I tried to reason with the guy but he said that they were
> considered store inventory and had to charge for them.
>
>
> In article <35ebea06.2073329@news.iquest.net>,
> mjmanship@iquest.net (Mike Manship) wrote:
> > On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 13:16:00 GMT, kd1my@banet.net wrote:
> >
> > >I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
> > >only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new
catalogs
> > >and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
> > >charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they
will still
> > >give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> > >people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS
fan but
> > >I do buy a few things there.
> > >
> > Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
> > noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
> > because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
> > the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
> > don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
> >
> > Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
> > the catalog.
> >
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4526. Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrior@iconn.net
Message-ID: <35ec24cd.18685995@news.iconn.net>
Source record: 145482
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I just picked up a PRO-2041 for 119.95

I saw the PRO-2042 is also on clearance for
249.95 (from 399.99).

Lou

4527. RD800 Antenna ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrg1std@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090116262400.MAA19484@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145483

I have a Uniden BC235 Trunktracker, the reception is sometimes poor. I am considering buying the RD800 antenna from Optoeletronics. Has anyone used this antenna and is it worth the purchase ?

TIA

Bill

4528. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35EC24F3.2A6DA34A@ibm.net>
Source record: 145484

Jake,

I agree with everything that you said, almost. I would not be so quick to rule out "fish finders" as a jamming source. I agree that the acoustic nature of the "FF" would not cause a problem for radar. What about electromagnetic radiation from the circuitry? Consider the neon bulb on the spinning disk of many economy models. That bulb fires several hundred times per second. I'll bet that puts out broad band noise at a stable rate. Just food for thought.

Dick

Jake Brodsky wrote:
>
> On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 05:57:56 -0700, Brian Varine
> <Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net> wrote:
>
> >Now for the "Urban Legend" Dept.
> >A police officer I spoke with swore that "Fish Finders" royally messed
> >up Ka band radar guns. I can't beleive it but in theory it would work.
> >Cops use tuning forks to check the calibration of the device, I imagine
> >a fish finder would be like a giant tuning fork. Anyone else heard this?
>
> And it is just Urban Legend. Two problems: (1) Sound waves are not
> electromagnetic. (2) Tuning forks work for calibration because they
> are metallic and reflect energy with enough phase modulation to cause
> a beat tone in the front end of the gunnplexer. The phase modulation
> beat note places a calibrated tone in the front end of the unit. This
> tone will correspond with a certain speed reading. In no way does the
> sound itself cause the reading of the radar to change.
>
> On the other hand: if you could somehow get *all* the metal on your
> car to vibrate in sync at some tone frequency, then you could see that
> tone instead of the doppler shift tone of the echo in the police radar
> unit. --But you aren't going to get that to work using just a fish
> finder...
>
> 73,
>
> Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
> "Beware of the massive impossible!"

4529. Pro-43 Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <savy@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd5c9$cc365ee0$a679f28c@n121h166.pictel.com>
Source record: 145485

With leather case, cell and restore mod done. Complete with
antenna, original manual, mint condition.

$250 shipped to 48

Paul

4530. Seatac area emergency freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: pzman@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35ed2dfe.97976043@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145486

Does anyone have frequencies which would be be used by federal or interagency for any kind of large scale emergency such as an earthquake or plane down. I have all the local but need to get these to be complete. Thanks Keith

4531. Re: For Sale - Pro-31 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <gumball**@**rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <6shc2r$3al$1@newshost.lanl.gov>
Source record: 145487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Sheeeh! Try decaf. It's only an offer, you don't have to have a fit over it.
Just don't
buy it!

erics wrote:

> WWWWHHHAAATTT??????you must be fucking drunk, $50 my ass,,,,,for 10 chans,
> i can get that thing for $5.00 $50puffffffffffftth!!!!!
>
> Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net> wrote in article
> <01bdcee3$82ba7e00$191e31d1@default>...
> > Radio Shack Pro-31 Hand Held 10 channel scanner.
> > Very Clean in and out; "A 10!" .... Used very little.
> >
> > Asking $50.00
> >
> > --
> > Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
> > Owner
> > DAT2 Communications
> > dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
> > (410) 360-2260 Ext *3
> >

4532. 4 Level FSK jpeg of finished circuit on (rs)276-150 pcb?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: foxcat@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <foxcat-0109981351130001@ip156.philadelphia6.pa.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 145488

I've got all my parts and schematic but could someone either steer me to a page that has a diagram or jpeg of a finished circuit based on the 276-150 pcb, or e-mail me a .jpg of it. Electronics and me are just getting acquainted. I can use all the help I can get.

TIA,

Andy
foxcat@mindspring.com
http://www.mindspring.com/~foxcat
I have a great memory, it's just short.
67 Bug
98 GTI/vr6

4533. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: G McCoy <gmccoy@home.com>
Message-ID: <SnWG1.24676$hw1.8743849@news.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 145489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

To Alleycat

I take it you are from Canada well so am I.

The simply answer to your question (if I understand it) is : IGNORANCE OF THE LAW IS NO EXCUSE. This can be found in section 19 of The Criminal Code of Canada.

As far as what is expected of tourists my response is driving is a privilege. There is an implicit understanding that when someone goes for the drivers licence that they will take on the responsibilty of knowing what the laws are regardless of they drive. If a person fails in their responsibility then they open themselves up to a conviction.

As a note while ignorance is not a defence it can be help in having the penalty (eg. fine) reduced. So while a conviction is still registered there maybe no fine.

Alleycat wrote in message <35e7a0a9.8101592@news.cadvision.com>...
>gburnore@databasix.com (Gary L. Burnore) wrote:
>
>>On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 04:45:23 GMT, in article
>><35e635c4.16101379@news.cadvision.com>, kibblesnbits@askme.net (Alleycat)
>>wrote:
>>
>>>
>>>This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
>>>someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
>>>familiar with the laws in each?
>>
>>Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it.
>>--
>> for i in databasix primenet ; do ; gburnore@$i ; done
>>--
-
>> How you look depends on where you go.
>>--
-
>>Gary L. Burnore
>_____________________
>
>Babalooey! So a person travelling through each state would have
>to purchase or get hold of a book of laws,
>sit down and read the the entire book before proceeding to the
>next state,

>and then do the same in the next one,
>and the next?
>
>That's nuts. Do American tourist bureaus send out "driving
>books" to those who ask in advance, or is there some kind of
>national "driver's" book they could purchase somewhere? It's
>easy to say "ignorance of the law is no excuse." but when a
>tourist has to locate a licensing office or police station to
>find a book, and then pull over to the side of the road to read
>it before proceeding....
>Besides, he could be fined on the way, so what other options does
>he have?
>
>It;'s easy for you when you come to Canada. We've only got 10
>provinces here and our laws are pretty well the same in nine .
>But you've got a lot more states and, in spite of the fact that
>you don't have more than one official language to create barriers
>between people, your laws still differ "much" more than ours.
>
>Ok, be REASONABLE here. Tell me seriously what judges and LEOs
>would expect tourists to do to ensure they didn't get a ticket.
>Don't give me the "stay home Canuk" answer. I want a "serious"
>answer here. -- Alleycat

4534. Recording

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Homer <mslovjoy@inlink.com>
Message-ID: <35EC32E4.109C@inlink.com>
Source record: 145490

Can anyone help me with cassett or open reel recorder mods to extend rec time to 5 hours or so? Maybe vcr use but without video input all the time? Thanks, Howard, mslovjoy@inlink.com

4535. fla.trunked id's broward county frt lauderdale help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980901181311100.OAA03920@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145491

any good scanner buff's know of updated id's for b.s.o and frt lauderdale

any other trunked info a great help to me also
trunked scanner buffs
thanks.....ron

4536. other message board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090118141400.OAA29844@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145492

what is the other message board
like this one where u ask about freq questions ect
online
thanks--------------ron

4537. Audio Activated Switch UPDATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd5d5$23c1dda0$1a1e31d1@default>
Source record: 145493

To the person who I mailed a shematic to on an audio activated relay/switch.

I lost your address and name. I have re-designed it since I was not able to get the other design to work. I do not know why, since the one I built many years ago works. Maybe the LM3900 design by NSC has changed? Any way, send me your address and name, and I will mail you the new design which is working.

--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

4538. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <35EC39C7.AC96156A@uakron.edu>
Source record: 145494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

There is only 1 local store. All others are RS.
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

Mike Manship wrote:

> On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 13:16:00 GMT, kd1my@banet.net wrote:
>
> >I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
> >only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new catalogs
> >and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
> >charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will still
> >give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> >people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan but
> >I do buy a few things there.
> >
> Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
> noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
> because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
> the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
> don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
>
> Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
> the catalog.

--
Lou Albert (WA8PHD NCI-1477), Voice - 330-864-0650

http://www.ifip.com/
http://www.f-stopcamera.com/

4539. iCOM IC-R10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35ec3ade.2017038@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 145495

Find out all details on this scanner (and send me yours!) on:

http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10

Regards,

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Joost van Stuyvenberg
Utrecht, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
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4540. Re: R10 Decertifed, too easy to modify for cell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35ec3792.1172554@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 145496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jeff Miller:
Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10
has been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious
since I have one.

Greg Renner:
Yes, that the PCR 1000 and a couple of other units. Too easy to
modify for cell.

<tdragonn@blarg.net>:
too easy to modify for cell?, what is the mod?!?

You may have an IC-R10 that is not blocked in any way (like mine). As
far as I know there are three models: the US-model (cell blocked), the
French model (FM broadcast 88-108 MHz) blocked and the European model
(not blocked in any way).

See my page for more IC-R10 details :
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10

Regards,

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Joost van Stuyvenberg
Utrecht, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
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4541. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <904673671snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <35E9C6DC.76B2@spambusters.ml.org>
agent150@spambusters.ml.org "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." writes:

> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> > IT IS ILLEGAL TO TRANSMIT OUT OF BAND ON EQUIPMENT NOT TYPE-ACCEPTED FOR A
> > CERTAIN BAND.
> >
> > 97.40x states all of this -- an amateur may use ANY AMATEUR FREQUENCY, but
> > NOT ANY FREQUENCY.
>
> 97.403 says that Part 97 doesn't apply in an emergency. It says that
> flatly and without qualification. It specifically says that Part 97
> does not apply to ANY form of radiocommunication in an emergency.

That's EXACTLY how I read that rule also.

The rule doesn't say someone can transmit out of band and it doesn't
say they can't. And if they decide to transmit out of band, then
whatever law get's thrown at them, it will not be a Rule 97
violation. So when they try to defend yourself, they needn't even
bother mentioning that you hold an amateur radio license, it won't
affect their case either one way or the other.

Hams have no better or worse rights than someone with no license,
when it comes to helping in an emergency by transmitting out of the
ham bands. But they may have have far more to lose if it's the FCC
who comes after them for violating the rules of another FCC Chapter.

Regards,

> If you want to quote rules that apply, quote from the Land Mobile Service.
>
> --
> +---+
> | Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
> | WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
> +---+
>

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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4542. Marblehead/Salem Area freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John B. Mentzer" <jmentzer@tiac.net>
Message-ID: <35EC403A.1276AC93@tiac.net>
Source record: 145498

hi all

I have a BC200 I use mainily for monitoring railroad ops ... but I like to find other neat freqs for use when I'm not railfanning ... to that end ...

Can anyone name the freqs for the Marblehead police & fire depts? Where do marine freqs live? Are they below 29 MHz?

Thanks in advance & reL via email ...

* John *

4543. Re: scanners in mexico

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35eb88a8.390787@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145499
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 19:44:23 -0700, "gus" <gus13@jps.net> wrote:

>I will be visiting Mexico soon, can anyone tell if there are any outlets
>there that sell handheld scanners. If so is cellular reception legal there.
>
>
You had better check on things before you take a scanner into Mexico.
I never confirmed this, but I was told that scanners are illegal in
Mexico...period! If this wasn't the case, I would suspect that more
scanners would be brought in through Mexico than are shipped from the
UK, Canada, etc. I talked to some Radio Shack places in Mexico and
they told me that they don't have scanners for sale due to the laws. I
don't know where to check, but before I would cross the border, I
would definately have an answer.

Wiggie

4544. Re: Can You Help me? - Need info on a BC3000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35ec89b3.658450@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145500
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 21:25:36 -0700, Ryan Whittleton
<ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net> wrote:

>I would like some info on the BC3000xlt, like what you think of it? or
>how it works for you?
>thank you too all that respond
>Ryan
>ryan_whittleton@sunshine.net
>

I really like my BC3000xlt. Its fast, has a good amount of channels
with 20 banks..(easy to group things better). Good reception and
coverage. Easy to read display and several keypad enhancements. I have
my BC3000xlt set up so I can download frequencies from my computer to
the scanner with the PROgramit interface. It works fair right
now...software enhancements with PROgramit will help in the future.
The scanner is a bit big. It has a feel of a BC200xlt while I perfer
the feel of a BC230xlt or BC235xlt. It doesn't have trunktracking, but
there are rumors...but just don't bank on that though.

Wiggie

4545. Re: New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.M." <wnjl@gbsias.com>
Message-ID: <35EC4932.7151@gbsias.com>
Source record: 145501

Jenni Lynn wrote:
>
> I think my boyfriend is cheating on me and I've heard that you can
> hear people on their cordless phones. He has one of the cheap one's
> from radioshack and he lives 3 floors down from me in a condo. What
> kind of scanner do I need to get for this? Are they expensive? Thanks
> for any help you can give me.Any scanner that is a scanner can pick up cordless phones.
The cheapest
are around 60 dollars to the AR5000 which is 1,500 bucks.

4546. Re: Drop the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EC48AA.B05@parg.org>
Source record: 145502
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> Mackey, leave it alone. You've done enough damage already, do you have to
> continue stalking Bill in other newsgroups? You got what you wanted, he's

I have not stalked Cheek, or followed him to other newsgroups. You will
find
no posts from me doing that.

> BTW, I still haven't seen you post anything related to scanning.

And I haven't seen YOU post anything related to scanning either. All
I seen you post is your whinning & bellyaching. Don't you ever get
tired of causing trouble?

4547. Re: CE-232 vs Opto 456/456 lite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35ed8e9d.1915815@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 22:35:19 -0600, "Ramon Vega"
<vegar@sprintmail.com> wrote:

>Can anyone provide info on the advantages/disadvantages/likes/dislikes of
>these two interfaces for the Pro-2006? The Opto seems to have more s/w
>support while the CE-232 seems to have the advantage of being able to
>program frequencies into the scanner. Thanks
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>
I have posted similar items in the past. I think that you can click on
the following link and find what you are looking for:
http://x3.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=362449843&CONTEXT=904673447.1387528214&hitnum=3

Wiggie

4548. Keynote Pagers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1055e99b6eaec8999896b3@news.pon.net>
Source record: 145504
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Since I can't seem to find a better place to ask this question, does anyone know the standard tone frequencies for Motorolla Keynote Pagers? We have been operating on custom frequencies and because of some problems with some pagers not going off when they are supposed to, we were told to try to switch from custom frequencies to standard frequencies. I am not the one that will be changing the encoder, but I'm the one that programs the pagers. We use a two-tone Keynote system. Thanks to anyone who can steer me in the right direction.

Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

4549. DROP the Cheek issue was

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3a9_9809011300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145505

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>

Ka> Bud, why don't YOU show him how someone with NO CLUE would SHUT UP!

Diarrhea mouth mackey is a L I A R
Diarrhea mouth mackey is a L I A R
Diarrhea mouth mackey is a L I A R

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Diarrhea mouth mackey is a L I A R
___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

4550. DROP the Cheek issue WAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3aa_9809011300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145506

-=> Quoting Ka0ssf to All <=-

Ka> From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>

Ka> Never mind, just go back to your usual racist remarks on other
Ka> newsgroups & leave us free of your trouble making.

Diarrhea mouth mackey is a L I A R
Diarrhea mouth mackey is a L I A R
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4551. Re: please help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6shmrjnsp1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145507

Scott Messick wrote in message <35EB7854.D66823F3@prism.gatech.edu>...
>I am interested in buying a scanner through this news group from one of
>the postings. I was wondering if anyone could give me a few pointers on
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>what method of payment is best. He suggests money order sent to him and
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>then he will send it....is that the best way or should it be COD or what
>
>PLEASE HELP!!
>

Most people you deal with are honest. I have made several deals on the internet and sent them a money order with no problems.

However, Right now, I have purchased a scanner from someone on the internet with a money order and he has yet to send it. He won't answer my emails or phone calls. I am getting ready to contact the postal inspectors. Of course it will probably months before I see or hear anything.

4552. Re: About Buying Used Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAlexder <malexder@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6shmrp$7ik$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 145508

Scott Messick wrote in message <35EB7734.9151C904@prism.gatech.edu>...
>I am interested in buying a scanner through this news group from one of
>the postings. I was wondering if anyone could give me a few pointers on
>what method of payment is best. He suggests money order sent to him and
>then he will send it....is that the best way or should it be COD or what
>
>PLEASE HELP!!
>
OK! How's this for a workable plan: Ask the seller where the nearest Mailbox Etc. or similar franchise-mailing outfit is to him and get the address and telephone number of that particular Mailbox. Call the owner/manager of the Mailbox and tell him/her that you will be sending him a check/certified check/money order to Joe Blow and that Joe Blow will be dropping off a radio. Say, "Don't give Joe Blow the check unless he gives you a radio." Okay, now Joe Blow goes to the Mailbox, gives the guy the radio and gets the check. He also gives the Mailbox guy a few bucks for packing and shipping the radio, which the Mailbox guy does. Sounds like a good plan. The only problem is that Joe Blow may have lied about the condition or quality of the radio, but at least he can't screw you **completely**. Actually, if you buy a scanner from a regular poster here, I'll bet that you will be satisfied. Bad news about bad characters travels fast. I have sold 5-6-7 scanners in the past 4-5 years and no one has ever said that it was not what I said it was... There are a lot of us here just like that.

4553. Re: PCR-1000 & Windows NT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <XxZG1.400$ej4.10677287@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 145509

Yes, it does, but you may need to make some adjustments. As I recall, I had to turn off FiFo buffering on COM port when using this setup. If you need help, let me know.

Bill Crocker

Thorsten Mueller wrote in message <35EBC186.B70E7E2D@mail.rhein-ruhr.de>...
>Does anyone know if the PCR-1000 control software works with Windows NT
>Workstation 4.0?
>
>Thanks.
>
>Thorsten.

4554. NEED HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: _DEFAULT <_DEFAULT@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sho1h$1v84$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145510

CAN ANYONE SEND ME ANY MODIFICATION PLANS FOR A UNIDEN SPORTSCAT SC-150B SCANNER. (IM REALLY LOOKING IF THERE IS ANY WAY I CAN PICK UP DIGITAL SIGNALS) THANKS E-MAIL TO SMART6@WOWMAIL.COM

4555. Cables and connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35EC6819.E4E55157@mindspring.com>
Source record: 145511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm looking to install a RS discone antenna in my attic and could use some help with the variety of cables and connectors available. I see that the PL-259/SO-239 combination seems pretty popular but I have also heard that N connectors are better. Should I use 75 or 50 ohm cable? If I use the "wrong" impedence cable must I match it to the reciever for the best sensitivity? If I want to install a second antenna can I get away with a simple splitter? Thanx for any help that can be provided.

Jay

4556. Pro-91 Audio Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6shr4m$t7s$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145512
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I had heard at one time that there was a modification that could be made to the RadioShack Pro-91 that would reduce the "white noise" or "hiss" of the audio. Does anyone know how this modification is done?

4557. Re: please help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35EC941B.60D6AA46@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145513

What type of actions can you take when a scanner is not sent if you sent the money order.? Is there anyway to ensure that you will get your money back or get the scanner? What will the postal be able to do about it.

scott

camper wrote:

> Scott Messick wrote in message <35EB7854.D66823F3@prism.gatech.edu>...
> >I am interested in buying a scanner through this news group from one of
> >the postings. I was wondering if anyone could give me a few pointers on
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> >what method of payment is best. He suggests money order sent to him and
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> >then he will send it....is that the best way or should it be COD or what
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> >PLEASE HELP!!
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>
> However, Right now, I have purchased a scanner from someone on the internet
> with a money order and he has yet to send it. He won't answer my emails or
> phone calls. I am getting ready to contact the postal inspectors. Of
> course it will probably months before I see or hear anything.

4558. Re: please help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6shqiivr1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145514

Scott Messick wrote in message <35EC941B.60D6AA46@prism.gatech.edu>...
>What type of actions can you take when a scanner is not sent if you sent
the
>money order.? Is there anyway to ensure that you will get your money back
or
>get the scanner? What will the postal be able to do about it.
>
>scott
>

Good question. All I know to do is contact the local postal inspector.
They can tell you if there have been any complaints about this person. Then
I guess they investigate. There are no guarantees. You are going to be
taking a risk either way.

>
>camper wrote:
>
>> Scott Messick wrote in message <35EB7854.D66823F3@prism.gatech.edu>...
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>> >the postings. I was wondering if anyone could give me a few pointers on
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>> >what method of payment is best. He suggests money order sent to him and
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internet
>> with a money order and he has yet to send it. He won't answer my emails
or
>> phone calls. I am getting ready to contact the postal inspectors. Of
>> course it will probably months before I see or hear anything.
>
>
>

4559. FS/BC-2500XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sanders <jdsand@flash.net>
Message-ID: <35EC6E50.6CD2@flash.net>
Source record: 145515

HAVE A LIKE NEW 400CH BC-2500XLT...STILL IN ORIGINAL BOX AND WRAPING FOR
EACH PART..OPERATES FROM 25-1300MHZ NO CELLULAR...MADE IN 94..HAS ALL
STD. ACCESSORIES INCLUDING A LEATHER LIKE CASE...IF YOU WANT A NEW ONE
THIS IS IT...$215.00 SHIPPED...JOHN

4560. Re: Upstate N.Y. scanning clubs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6shr5d$1g4k$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145516

Jeff wrote in message <35f162be.28187340@news.albany.net>...
>Any clubs in upstate N.Y.? If so, where?

No scanner clubs per se, but there is a notification group composed of scanner hobbyists that covers NY and Ontario.

Visit the NF2G Scannist Pages at http://www.ggw.org/nf2g and click on the "NYSING" link on the left or the NYSING logo at the bottom.

You can also try the NF2G Scannist BBS, available via the above URL by clicking on "BBS". I've been involved in a couple of attempts to start a scanner club in the Rochester area, but they fizzled. Maybe you will have better luck.

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

4561. Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35EC95B9.F72FFF3F@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145517

Could someone please give me a quick, breif explination of what A trunk tracker is....

4562. Re: Pro-91 Audio Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090122260000.SAA13204@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145518

i have a pro 91 also. i will research the mod info and get back to you. my email is teal9425@aol.com. also have icq # 11639906

4563. Re: Marblehead/Salem Area freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090122310500.SAA17927@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145519

you can do a city search at the following website. email me if u need anything
else
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm

4564. Re: Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sht2t$qns@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145520

In <35EC95B9.F72FFF3F@prism.gatech.edu> Scott Messick
<gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu> writes:
>
>Could someone please give me a quick, breif explination of what A
trunk
>tracker is....
>

yes...briefly it is a scanner.

bill conduit
etc.

4565. Re: Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sht7d$e80@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145521

In <35EC95B9.F72FFF3F@prism.gatech.edu> Scott Messick
<gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu> writes:
>
>Could someone please give me a quick, breif explination of what A
trunk
>tracker is....
>
go to: http://www.trunktracker.com

bill conduit
etc.

also go to groveenterprises.com
hamstation.com
acecommunications.com
scannerworld.com

go to the search engines

search for 'trunktracker'

you will respect yourself in the
a.m. if you get the information
yourself....

also: http://www.uniden.com

they make them....

bill conduit
etc.

4566. Re: Newton, MA frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090122455100.SAA16098@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145522

search for freqs at percon database
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm

4567. Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6shtdm$3i7@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145523

i called various RS people
and they spoke:

"trunktracker, what's that?"

"we have one model left. what model do you
want to buy?"

"no, i have no information about that?"

"no, we don't know about any mobile trunktracker
scanner coming out in October as reported by a
source on rec.radio.scanner"

they are not up on the subject and have no idea
what is on the horizon

or the distance to the toilet.....

so, who knows about the new mobile scanner.
from Radio Shack.

their present TT base scanner is on sale
for 200 bucks....300 channels. BASE.

bill conduit
etc.

4568. Re: MDC-1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R0109981727060001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 145524

In article <6sh1t2$72f@acmex.gatech.edu>, wt2@prism.gatech.edu (William C. Thompson) wrote:

> Great Information, but did they make a MODAT decoder? I want to use one
> for repeater access. Anyone know? Part numbers would be helpful. Thanks,
> BiLL

Yes, but it was way before my time ;-) It hasn't been available from Motorola for years. You may have better luck finding equipment based on one of the European 5/6 tone schemes such as Select 5, ZVEI, CCIR, etc.

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

4569. Re: Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6shsge$v3a$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145525

Scott Messick wrote in message <35EC95B9.F72FFF3F@prism.gatech.edu>...
>Could someone please give me a quick, breif explination of what A trunk
>tracker is....

This is from http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm

Trunked Radio Systems
To put it simply, trunking is a term that refers to a multi-frequency, computer-controlled radio system. At any one time, one of the frequencies in the system is used to continuously broadcast digital data that is used to control the portable radios in the field. This frequency is referred to as the control channel. The remaining channels(frequencies) are used for voice and other traffic. There can be as few as 5 or as many as 29 channels(frequencies) in the system.

Since the system is computer-controlled, it can select the frequency that is used for each transmission without burdening the radio user with having to select a physical frequency to transmit on. Due to this mode of operation it is possible to have a single conversation take place on several different frequencies. Each time the radio transmitter button is pressed, the computer selects an empty channel and uses the control channel to tell the radio which physical frequency to use. Using a conventional scanner, you can see how this form of "frequency hopping" can make very busy systems nearly impossible to monitor.

More and more public safety systems are moving to 800MHz trunked systems. The ideal case for monitoring such a system would be to buy a Uniden TrunkTracker. TrunkTrackers are specifically designed to follow Motorola designed 800MHz trunked systems by monitoring the control channel allowing it to tune to the directed frequency thereby allowing you to follow entire conversations without having to bother with manual frequency selection.

However, if you only have a conventional scanner there are some tips you can use to monitor trunked systems more efficiently. First off, you'll need to program the radio with all the frequencies for the trunked system you want to listen to. Only program the frequencies that are over 850MHz (the ones below this are the low-power splits used by the handhelds which you would need to be very close to to hear). Program the frequencies from highest to lowest and if your scanner has a delay capability, make sure that it is off or turned off for each programmed channel. You'll next need to find the control channel and lock it out since it is of no use to us since it is digital computer data. You'll probably find that there are multiple frequencies used for the control channel and that they rotate around at preset times during the day. When the control channel does switch to another frequency simply lock out the new frequency and unlock the old. When monitoring an important conversation, be ready to press the Scan button.

Should the computer switch the conversation to another frequency(usually as radios are keyed and unkeyed for transmitting), you might have to skip over several other active frequencies to find the rest of the conversation you were following.

There are several different manufacturers of trunked radio systems but the worst are probably made by Ericson and GE, from a scanner listener's point of view that is. To discourage listeners from monitoring their systems, the designers added an obnoxious set of noises each time the transmitter is unkeyed. While these noises are being sent out, the computer is switching the conversation to another channel while your scanner is left listening to these noises. If you don't act quick enough, you'll miss the reply on the new frequency. Over the long term, this is suppossed to frustrate you and discourage you from listening in since it is such a hassle. Luckily for us, there exists today a piece of hardware that can be installed in some scanners which allows it to detect the unkeyed transmitter. This detection allows the scanner to resume scanning for you thereby ignoring the noises and helping you to locate the frequency that the conversation moved to. For more info, contact Scanner Master or the Ham Station about the G/Wiz board.

4570. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6shv2i$6h0$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145526

CBRambo wrote in message
<1998090105234500.BAA25821@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>In article <6sfuq0$438u$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>, "richard flores"
><RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> writes:
>
>>what's a trunk tracker? will it make my old unit work again?
>
>No. That's called Viagra :-)

Wished I had said that!

>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4571. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090100473400.UAA15563@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145556

>Now that Rat Shack has announced there mobile TT (1999 catalog); has Uniden
>said anything about offering the unit under the Uniden name. I assume here
>of
>course the RS model is in fact a Uniden.
>
>
While the RS unit is made by Uniden there was a small note in Monitoring Times
a month or two ago that said Uniden had specifically said they have no plans to
market a mobile TT under their own name. Since a Uniden spokesman once told me
that a Uniden TT was their most requested item I can only guess that by selling
Tandy exclusive marketing rights they were able to charge big bucks.

JW

4572. WINRADIO?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: smokebowl@hempseed.com
Message-ID: <35eb45a5.3313702@news.flash.net>
Source record: 145557

does anyone know how to bring the cellular freq's back into the
winradio 1500i

4573. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sfj80oah0@207.18.224.121>
Source record: 145558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 31 Aug 1998 13:48:07 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Incorrect. In the US, it is illegal to listen to ANY of these at ANY time:
>
>-Paging

Some paging is OK to listen to.

>-Digital communications

Quote please? Not illegal.

4574. Re: please help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090102163500.WAA17105@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145559

Scott,

Maybe I've just been lucky, but so far I've always sent a money order and asked that the merchandise be shipped at the same time and I've not had a problem. Usually I'm willing to pay the extra for overnight, and I always find out where the person works and get a work telephone number. I don't think I'd ship to someone who wouldn't give me that info.

JW

4575. Audio Activated Relay/Switch Update!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wendy Fritsch <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd54f$a4dcac20$dc7596d1@wendy-s>
Source record: 145560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

To the person who I sent some info to on the schematics for an audio activated relay circuit.

I have lost your contact info.

I have been trying to re-construct the circuits as I gave them to you in the schematics, and have not been successful.

I have since, re-designed it, and have a working mock-up on a bread board at my work.

I you contact me with your info, I will mail you the new design, which I feel is better.

Kurt Fritsch
dat2comm@toad.net

4576. Free Pro-64 Freq download software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35EB5A64.3135@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145561
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I was wondering if anyone knew of any freq download software for the Pro-64 that is free? I know Programmit and Radio Manager are popular, but I do not need any of the advanced options. Would it be possible to do it with some kind of Excel macro? (Somebody help me out, I'm in over my head)

4577. Re: cleveland gov't freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: curlinob@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090102511800.WAA22625@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145562

>hey..
>does anyone know any working gov't freqs for the cleveland area?
>thanks...

Try listening to 172.325 Mhz (F.B.I. repeater)

4578. Upstate N.Y. scanning clubs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35f162be.28187340@news.albany.net>
Source record: 145563

Any clubs in upstate N.Y.? If so, where?

4579. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6sfmre$4cf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145564
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35EAF307.7024@parg.org>,
KA0SSF@parg.org wrote:
> Jabba T. Hutt wrote:
>
> > has decided not to do so, funny how it took makey so long after Bill
> > was gone to stop the crap,
>
> Funny how YOU are still trying to continue the crap!
>
> I think everyone on here whether they Like him or not should
> start sending e-mail off to ekruse@san.rr.com to thank him for
> revoking Bill's account.
>
> He has done the scanner hobby more bad things than anyone on this
> group.
>
> > What are you going to do when mackey decides he doesn't like
> > what you are saying on here and starts in on you? SUre no problem
> > just ignore him? Eventually he will get you mad enough that you will
> > respond and then it will be him and you and then he will start
> > complaining to your ISP that you are picking on him, and then before
> > you know it you have lost your account.
>
> Your logic reminds me of people who blame a woman when she gets raped
> saying that her clothes were to suggestive. The only person who has
> responsibility for Bill Cheek's actions is Bill Cheek himself! Don't
> try to blame me or anyone else for Bill's behavior. His ISP warned him
> several times & he continued. Just like on the Scan-L mailing list
> where he was warned several times before he was kicked off.
>
> Within a 30 day period Bill was kicked off of his ISP & the Scan-L
> mailing
> list due to abusive behavior after several warnings. No one else is
> to blame.
>
> >
> > I don't know what mackeys problem is and I don't care but
> > having sent enough shit to BIlls ISP to have them take away his
> > account was not right!
> > I know this war has gone on too long but this is ridiculous.
> >
> > LETS GET BILL BACK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> >

> > On 29 Aug 1998 17:29:00 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:
> >
> > >In <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net> Tim Thompson <tdt@sccoast.net> writes:
> > >>
> > >>Zombie Wolf wrote:
> > >>>
> > >>> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
> > >Cheeks.
> > >>> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address,
> > >and tell
> > >>> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his
> > >account
> > >>> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all,
> > >that I
> > >>> feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
> > >>>
> > >>> ekruse@san.rr.com
> > >>>
> > >>> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
> > >>Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in
> > >their
> > >>scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk
> > >>upright and use our thumbs. You ain't gotta like him, but he has
> > >>contributed more to this hobby than anyone else.
> > >
> > >
> > > did anyone think that maybe he just got
> > > tired of the NG?
> > >
> > > the way it is.
> > >
> > > on a continuum
> > >
> > > bill conduit
> > > etc.
>
>

Hey Colostomy for brains , Stop trying to control people and stirring up more trouble. It appears you want to keep up your flaming tactics and are still obsessed with Bill by keeping track of his postings to other groups.

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4580. Pro-43 & SC-150 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka4993gg@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090103464400.XAA01233@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145565

Thanks to all those who responded. The radios sold within 10 minutes of posting this morning.

4581. Pro 2005 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tglunz@cnnw.net
Message-ID: <35ec7065.589290@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 145566

A Pro 2005 base set, 400 channels, good shape, full capabilities, only problem is the back light is very dim. I don't use it any more, I've got enough radios already so $250 or best offer takes it. low ball offers will be ignored, if you know what this is you know what it's worth. I also have a friends pro 60 now, he'd like $150 obo and its in good shape.
I would prefer a local sale to avoid all the hassles of shipping and so you'll actually see before you buy.
By the way I have the radio shack service manual
I'll throw in with the deal, and I have the original box and packing too if that excites any one. I had the owners manual but it's been swallowed in the house some where.

Terry tglunz@cnnw.net
Portland Oregon
To reply remove the # from my address

4582. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35eb5b08.37129300@news>
Source record: 145567

On 31 Aug 1998 13:02:17 GMT, firebuff66@aol.com (FireBuff66) wrote:

>Just FYI Dan. If i buy a 235xlt and get the "Free" head set I pay $30 S&H. Do
>you think that is honest? Then if I find the 235 cheeper somewhere else I have
>to pay them $10.
>Not to honest to me.

Excessive? Ridiculous? Yes.... Dishonest? NO.

How many dealers, other then maybe, Grove, offer a 30 day
unconditional money back gaurantee....NO re-stocking fee?

Have you checked out Grove's prices lately? The pricing is where
Grove covers those costs. At CEI, they are covered in the S & h fee.
Same thing, different name. I'd rather pay CEI's prices with the S& H
then Grove's any day.

Despite the 10 dollar fee, how many radio dealers offer a price
protection policy? HHHmmm, I can't think of any other then CEI...

What is Dis-honest about telling you that if you find a product for a
LOWER price, within a certain period of time, they will match it, less
ten bucks?

I don't get it....

Dan

4583. Re: Buying from CEI or Scammer World

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sftdt$e50$0@207.18.224.113>
Source record: 145568
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 19:45:28 GMT, dconti2@carroll.com wrote:

>>You are correct. I should have used a better choice of words.
>>
>>Deceptive, not dishonest.
>>
>
>I don't know Blake...
>
>I think Deceptive is a stretch as well and also unfair.
>
>How are they deceiving anyone?
>
>To put this to rest, the proper choice of words, if any, are maybe...
>
>Unfair?
>
>Unreasonable?
>
>Excessive?
>
>Like I said...if the price of the radio plus shipping is the BEST
>price going, then buy from CEI.
>
>If these shipping costs wreak havoc with your conscience, then buy
>from another vendor and pay more...
>
Actually, my choice has been to use a vendor that offers good service,
and good pricing. Sometimes I will pay more for better service,
sometimes I will go with the best price.

I have never had a problem beating CEI's prices, and their service is
no better than anyone else. Of course, I have my own anti-terrorist
team, and Emergency Operations Center, so I don't need theirs......

The higher priced shipping and handling, is simply a way to be able
to post the lower price in big bold print, and to cover themselfs when
someone makes a return. No restocking fee, as it is built into every
sale!

Just in how you look at it.

I restate myself, I am willing to sell any scanner made, for $10.00,
plus shipping and handling. I will throw in anything you want, FREE,
if you pay the shipping and handling.

What a deal!

4584. Re: PRO-2040 vs PRO-2048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ef772a.6417419@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145569
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 19:22:24 GMT, warrior@iconn.net (Lou (Soo)
Papineau) wrote:

>Is it me or does the PRO-2040 look like the PRO-2048?
>
>Is the difference the just 100 vs 200 channels?
>
>Are there any memory mods for the PRO-2040? I haven't
>found any. Seems like a simple mod would be to swap
>a board from a PRO-2048 into a PRO-2040.
>
>Lou

2040 looks like a great scanner at its current price!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4585. Stuff for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <AXKG1.284$IT.3516011@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 145570
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

a.. I have for sale the following:
b.. AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps,1000 channels $275.00
c.. RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new) $140.00
d.. RCA CB Copilot 14T304 (40 channel) $ 40.00
e.. Uniden CB 510XL (40 channel) $ 40.00
f.. AMD K-6-233 processor (new) $125.00
g.. Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE64 $ 90.00
h.. OR BEST OFFER !!!!!
i.. I will come down to meet reasonable offers
j.. I would like to sell these Items. If you are interested e-mail me at
k.. altman@ctel.net

4586. FS: BC200XLT w/cell mod $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerw@usa.net
Message-ID: <35eb75ca.11220191@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a good condition Bearcat 200 XLT handheld scanner for sale.
It has been modded to open up the cellular frequencies.
The scanner is in pretty good shape. And it is the 200 channels model.

Its frequency range is:
29-29.7
29.7-50.0
50.0-54.0
118-136
136-144
144-148
148-174
406-420
420-450
450-470
470-512
806-823
849-869
894-956
and the cellular mod opens up 869-894.

The price is $150 if you pick it up. I am in Canoga Park, CA (near
Los Angeles).
If shipped, add $15 for FedEx 2nd day COD.

Thanks,
Jerry Wang
W8UPP

4587. Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sft5tvfg1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145572

I'm in the market for a scanner; would be my second. Can anyone recommend a decent one from this particular shop?

Thanks:
rick

4588. Re: Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sfu6a$h162$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145573

I forgot I'm in South Florida. I want 800mhz, Do I need trunking?
Anything else to look for?
Rick

4589. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sfuq0$438u$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145574

what's a trunk tracker? will it make my old unit work again?

rick

4590. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f07da6.8078012@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145575

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 20:58:29 +0000, "Communications Electronics Inc." <cei@usascan.com> wrote:

You should really take up your problems with these people in private e-mail, the spam is getting very thick in here from you....if your company is truly a fema inspected global disaster scanner supplier the business from this newsgroup should not really warrant all this yada-yada..Endless advertisements will be better received in a forsale usenet group.

>I need your help. You say you do not want to do
>business with Communications Electronics because you claim CEI is
>a "company that states its business policies in fine print or who
>inflate their shipping/handling costs to compensate for lower
>margins elsewhere."
>
>I believe you know our corporate philosophy regarding
>our level or customer service and our shipping, handling
>and insurance charges. However, I could use your assistance in
>having you point out where in our web site at http://www.usascan.com
>you find our "business policies in fine print". We searched our web
>site in an attempt to find this
>fine print but were unsuccessful in finding it.
>
>It's OK to post your response here. We're very excited at the
>prospect of updating any "fine print" so you can be aware
>of CEI's great products and business policies.
>
>Although you choose not to purchase directly from
>CEI, I'm glad that you found a dealer to give you the
>service you desire on Bearcat scanners.
>
>If I may be of service to you, please call me at 1-800-USA-SCAN
>or send E-mail to cei@mediaone.net.
>
>I'd appreciate seeing your "fine print" report as soon as
>you get a chance so we can try to update the information
>which appears to be causing you distress.
>
>Ken Ascher WB8LIT
>Chairman & CEO
>Communications Electronics Inc.
>Emergency Operations Center
>http://www.usascan.com
>

>MAlexder wrote:
>>
>> >From: cbake777@aol.com (Cbake777)
>>
>> >Very few companies have a CEO that will actually respond to > >consumers or a group such as this, and for this I applaud
>> >Ken Ascher and will continue to do business with his company.
>>
>> Well, that is what it comes down to, isn't it? You will
>> continue doing business with the company because you are > satisfied. However, I refuse to do business
>> with any company that states its business policies in
>> fine print or who inflate their shipping/handling costs to
>> compensate for lower margins elsewhere. Each
>> to his own. For you to say that everyone is a "cry baby"
>> or that he/she has "aproblem" is hardly constructive. You're
>> satisfied--let it go at that. Me, I choose to do business
>> elsewhere. That's what a free market is all about isn't it?

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4591. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090105211600.BAA25590@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145576

In article <6sfuq0$438u$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>, "richard flores"
<RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> writes:

>what's a trunk tracker? will it make my old unit work again?

No. That's called Viagra :-)

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4592. Re: FS: BC200XLT w/cell mod $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090105215900.BAA25648@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145577

In article <35eb75ca.11220191@news.earthlink.net>, jerw@usa.net (Jerry Wang) writes:

>
>I have a good condition Bearcat 200 XLT handheld scanner for sale.
>It has been modded to open up the cellular frequencies.
>The scanner is in pretty good shape. And it is the 200 channels model.

ALL the 200XLTs are the "200 channels model."

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4593. Join The SCMA {Southern California Monitoring Association}

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: scape3000@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090105220900.BAA25660@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145578

Hi everyone!
:0)

Let me introduce you the ONLY place in Southern California
Monitoring Association.
Whant to know more?
Go to these side >>>> http://w6trw.sp.trw.com/scma/scma.htm

4594. Re: Review of Radio Shack 23-410 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwilkers@netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sg1ml$h42$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145579
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35d93391.19360938@news.mindspring.com>,
druding@nospamrs.straw.com wrote:
>
> Dave,
>
> Interesting review, thanks.
>
> I just wanted to add a note re. something you mention on your review
> page re. the Saitek Charger (I have one from Real Goods, which is
> called ECO Charger, but it's the Saitek - it says so on the bottom).
>
> I've been using it for NiCads for about 9 months and it's great! I
> also top up my alkaline batteries with it. The readout shows charging
> time nicely and it discharges NiCads before re-charging.
>

I have discovered my Eco charger routinely indicates the batteries are fully charged after about an hour when I know for a fact they are dead. They seem to always want to undercharge my cells on the rare occaision they do run a full cycle.

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4595. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sg49fjfb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145580
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6sfmre$4cf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
dmi853@juno.com wrote:

<snip>

>
> Hey Colostomy for brains , Stop trying to control people and stirring up more
> trouble. It appears you want to keep up your flaming tactics and are still
> obsessed with Bill by keeping track of his postings to other groups.
>

Mackey continues to electronically stalk Bill even after Bill has apparently
left the news group. He is one sick individual.

/Sal

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4596. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090105234500.BAA25821@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145581

In article <6sfuq0$438u$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>, "richard flores"
<RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> writes:

>what's a trunk tracker? will it make my old unit work again?

No. That's called Viagra :-)

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"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4597. Re: Wanted: UC1771 Chip for a Pro-26 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: TraceyLevin <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35EB83C6.4F34@swbell.net>
Source record: 145582

scott@denimdoctors.com wrote:
>
> Wanted: A replacement chip for my Pro-26 scanner, OR a UK version of the
> pro-26 logic board. I will pay good money for either.
>
> Currently my scanner has a UC1702 chip and I'm looking for a UC1771 to
> replace it with, OR the whole logic board.
>
> A company out of England called Javiation used to stock these items, but
> no longer.
>
> Perhaps you bought eith one of the chips or logic boards intending to
> make the change but you never did and now it's just laying around your
> house. If this is the case turn that thing in to cold hard cash.
>
> To respond to this post write to sstevens@(no spam)santarosa.edu
> be sure to remove the (no spam) part ...including the parentheses.
>
> Thanks,
>
> -Scott

Stock situation on the more popular items:-

Alinco
DJ-X10 - No Stock
DJ-X10E - No Stock

AOR
AR5000 - Stock.
AR5000+3 - Stock.
AR2700 - All gone.
AR7030 - Stock.
AR7030+ - Stock.
AR8000 - Stock
AR8000DX - Stock
AR8200 - Delivery due within the next few days
JAV-232 Interface for the AR8200 & AR8000 - Stock
RS-8000 basic computer interface for the AR8000 - Stock
RS-8200 basic computer interface for the AR8200 - Stock

Commtel
Commtel 205 - Stock
Commtel 216 - Stock
Commtel 510 - No Stock - due sometime !

Icom
IC-R10 - Stock.
IC-R8500 - Stock.
IC-PCR1000 - Stock.

Realistic
PRO-26 - In Stock.
PRO-26 - "Full Coverage" Uniden UC1771 CPU's No stock.
PRO-26 - "Full Coverage" Logic Boards - No stock.

PRO-43 - No Longer available.

PRO-2006 - No stock - No longer available, see Commtel 205.

PRO-2035 - No Stock - No longer available.
PRO-2035 - "Full 800MHz Coverage" GRE-9410 CPU's in stock
PRO-2035 - "Full 800MHz Coverage" In Stock.

PRO-2042 - Stock.
PRO-2042 - "Full 800MHz Coverage" GRE-9621 CPU's No Stock
PRO-2042 - "Full 800MHz Coverage" Logic Boards (inc CPU) - No Stock.

Standard
AX400E - Stock

Uniden
UBC-3000XLT - In Stock.
UBC-9000XLT - In Stock.

Welz
WS-1000 - No Stock. (see COM510)
WS-2000 - In Stock.

Yupiteru
MVT-7100 - In Stock.
MVT-7200 - In Stock.
MVT-9000 - In Stock.

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4598. WTB: Tektronix 465 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35EB83AC.F0664588@ibm.net>
Source record: 145583

I am looking for a Tektronix 465 scope service manual in good condition.
I will settle for a 475 manual if I can't locate the 465 book.

Dick

4599. Re: CE-232 vs Opto 456/456 lite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvillafane@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090105310900.BAA26498@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145584

hi the ce-232 has way more advantages than just that compared to the opto i like the ce-232
better contact commtronic engeneering for more info and it is cheaper than opto and comes with software not like opto which comes with none enjoy jose

4600. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: f5tosave@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <PAMG1.6647$OJ1.10628794@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 145585

In article <LcoF1.642$p4.1646365@news.sgi.net>, tex@usaor.net says...
>
>Forgive me if this is off-topic-
>
>Does anyone know if radar jammers which you can buy actually work?
>And are they legal? The most common one I have heard of is the Phazer.
>
>Thanks.
>
>
there illegal best to slow down

4601. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: f5tosave@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <VHMG1.6649$OJ1.10628794@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 145586

In article <35E9E4DF.122E@roanoke.infi.net>, acorbin@roanoke.infi.net says...
>
>Victor Healey wrote:
>>
>> Not to mention the fact you stand a greater chance of getting wasted by
>> someone who is DUI or DWI while directing traffic.
>
>You are correct but I was merely addressing the cancer issue.
>
>>
>> My wife teachs directing traffic as a supervisor for the Cobb County > I bet
she would love to exchange the chance to get cancer from a ra
>> in a patrol car for standing out in traffic in all kinds of weather.
>
>I bet she would also. There will ALWAYS be people who have fears based
>on what they read in the headlines or what they heard from an unreliable
>source of information. I have heard SO many people say, "You're not
>gonna get me in an airplane....those things crash". When statistically,
>you are in MORE danger in the car ride going to or from the airport than
>you are in the flight.
>
>Andy

that very true most pilots can't open the window and shoot you
just a stuppid comment hehe =)

4602. FCC License Data Sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@tiktok.cse.tek.com
Message-ID: <6sg62r$64j@tiktok.cse.tek.com>
Source record: 145587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.info

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Changes preceeded by "|". Please e-mail corrections and additions to me.

INTRODUCTION

This is a list of FCC license data sources available to scanner hobbyists. The FCC master contains a wealth of data about every non-government license in the United States (over three million records). Most of the sources listed contain a subset of this data, although a few contain all or nearly all of it. Government licenses are not administered by the FCC, and the data is not available to the public.

Also available are subscrition services from companies like ISI and CET. Since they charge by the minute, they are not really practical for the hobbyist and hence are not included in this list.

Prices are rounded to the nearest dollar and include shipping, if known.

C.E.T.

CET sells records of all stations inside a 30-mile radius for $80. (Major cities cost extra.) A 70-mile search costs $178. The data is provided on floppy disks and is available in ASCII columnar and comma-delimited formats.

CET does not provide data for licenses that do not contain specific geographic coordinates (i.e., mobile-only systems) or specific operating frequencies (e.g., amateur radio).

To do the search, CET requires the latitude and longitude of the center of the 30-mile radius. I calculated mine from a USGS topographic map I obtained at a local nautical supply store. Alternatively, you can obtain the coordinates for your town from the University of Michigan's geographic name server. Run "telnet 141.212.99.9 3000" and enter your zip code. For my area, the server returned the coordinates of the main post office.

CET can be reached at 800-445-0297.

CSP TECHNOLOGIES

CSP Technologies sells FCC data on CD-ROM. ScannerBase covers the entire US and comes with a database search program.

ScannerBase costs $34. CSP Technologies can be reached at 888-857-4240 (voice) or http://www.csp-tech.com/.

FCC

The database is also available from the FCC for free. It covers most services but not all. Sections can be downloaded, processed with a supplied Visual BASIC program, and viewed with Microsoft Access. The entire database is approximately 3 GB in size. See:

http://www.fcc.gov/oet/info/database/raeddf.html

GROVE

Grove sells FCC data on CD-ROM and floppy. The CD-ROM covers the entire US and is available with or without mapping support. The mapping version brings up a map with the requested station plotted on it. The regular version is $104, and the mapping version is $174.

Floppies are available by state for $44 per state (add $10 for CA, FL, TX). The disk comes with a database search program. Grove Enterprises can be reached at 800-438-8155 (voice) or http://www.grove.net/.

MICROFICHE

The Bearcat Radio Club sells the FCC master by state for $15. Bearcat Radio Club can be reached at P.O. Box 291918, Kettering OH, 45429.

PERCON

PerCon sells FCC data on CD-ROM. The Spectrum CD covers the entire US and comes with a simple database search program. Regional CDs cover subsets of the US but come with a more powerful database manager and provide more detail about each license. Also available is a Ham callsign and repeater database CD.

Spectrum costs $37, and the Ham and Repeater Database is $22. Regional CDs are $137 for the first CD, $102 each additional CD ($560 for the entire 6 CD set). Data is updated twice a year. PerCon can be reached at 716-386-6015 (voice), 716-386-6013 (fax), support@perconcorp.com, or http://www.perconcorp.com. The Spectrum database can be searched free of charge via Percon's WWW page.

POLICE CALL

This is probably the most cost-effective source of public service license information. The detail is limited, but the information that is there is often more useful than the FCC master. For example, an entry in Police Call that reads, "Portland Police, Net 3, North Precinct," reads, "Portland, City of" in the master. Police Call has been merged with its sister publication, Beyond Police Call, and now includes a limited

selection of business listings.

Police call is available in 9 volumes covering different regions of the US. It can be purchased at Radio Shack stores for $13 per volume.

| PRO DATA

| Pro Data is a database manager program for license data. It does not come
| with its own data but can import data from APF, Percon, ScanWare, and
| UFDBF database files.

| Pro Data costs $60. For more information, write to prodata1@gte.net, or
| visit http://home1.gte.net/prodata1/index.htm.

RADIOMAP SERVICE

Developed by long-time Usenet contributor Bob Parnass, this service provides a custom report of frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names for a specified area in any of the 50 states. Coverage areas of 4 to 256 square miles will be chosen by Bob depending on transmitter site density. Standard and deluxe reports are available. Both reports include a color plot with transmitter sites marked. The deluxe report adds a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area.

To create the report, Bob requires the latitude and longitude (or nearest street intersection) of the center location. Standard reports are $29.95, and deluxe reports are $34.95. Write to Bob Parnass at 2350 Douglas Rd, Oswego, IL, 60543, or call him at 630-554-3839 between 6-10 PM central time.

SCANWARE ASSOCIATES

ScanWare Associates has developed a PC-based database program called the FCC Frequency Retrieval System. FCC data for all states is available, covering all services and all frequencies. Current data is for first quarter, 1996.

Scanware has chosen to discontinue developing this software, but the good news is that the software and data are now FREE! It is being hosted by the West Virginia Educational Network. See:
http://www.wvsc.wvnet.edu/~fcc/index.html

APPENDIX

Here is table of data fields in the FCC master. Fields provided by various products are indicated by "#" or the field length, if known.

PERCON PERCON POLICE SCAN
DESCRIPTION SIZE CET GROVE SPECTRUM REGION CALL WARE CSP
Frequency (or Lower Limit) 16 11 12 16 16 # 11 #
Upper Frequency Limit 16 16 11
Callsign 10 8 10 10 10 # 10 #

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Service Code 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
Licensee DBA Name 40 32 40 30 40 # 40 #
Licensee State 2 2 2 2 #
Licensee Zip 9 5 9 9 #
Licensee Address 35 30 35
Licensee City 20 15 12 20 20 #
Licensee Name 200 100
Applicant Phone 10 10
Transmitter Latitude 6 6 6 6 6 6 #
Transmitter Longitude 7 7 7 7 7 7 #
Transmitter Elevation 5 5 5 5 #
Transmitter Height 5 5 5 5
Transmitter HAAT 5 5 5
Transmitter Effective Height 5 5 5
TX Antenna Structure Height 5 5 5
Transmitter Address 80 80
Transmitter City 20 10 20 20 # 20 #
Transmitter County 30 10 20 20 30 30 #
Transmitter State 2 2 2 2 2 # 2 #
Class of Station 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
Type of Message Service 1 1
Area of Operation 1 1
Radius of Operation 4 4 4
Antenna Type 10 10
Antenna Elevation Angle 6 6
Antenna Azimuth 6 6
Antenna Polarization 3 3 3
Antenna Gain 4 4
Antenna Path Length 6 6
Antenna Beam Width 8 8
ERP Out 8 4 8 8
ERP Units 2 1 2
ERP Indicator 1 1
Power Out 8 4 8 8
Power Out Units 2 1 2
Power Out Indicator 1 1
Emissions 15 15 15
License Issue Date 6 6
License Expiration Date 6 4 6 #
Operation Begin Time 4 4
Operation End Time 4 4
Number of Vehicle Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4 #
Number of Portable Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Aircraft Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Marine Mobiles 4 4 4 4 # 4
Number of Pager Mobiles 5 4 5 5 5
Originating Database ID 1 1
Authorization Type 1 1
CP Authorization Number 2 2
Area of Operation Descript. 100 100
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Paint & Lighting Specs 33 33
Special Conditions 100 100
TX Latitude Direction 1 1
TX Longitude Direction 1 1
Type of Last Contact 1 1
Date of Last Contact 6 6
Number of Units 4 4
Reverse Azimuth 6
Path Connection Latitude 6
Path Connection Longitude 7

CP = Construction Permit, ERP = Effective Radiated Power,
HAAT = Height Above Average Terrain

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Bill McFadden Tektronix, Inc. P.O. Box 500 MS 50-350 Beaverton, OR 97077
bill.mcfadden@tek.com http://www.rdrop.com/users/billmc
CAUTION: Don't look into laser beam with remaining eye.
Any opinions expressed above are not necessarily those of Tektronix, Inc.

4603. Re: R10 Decertifed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6sg6vb$h35$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 145588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hahahahahaha I laugh in ICOM's face (the management guys, not the techs who are great) for their crap, short-sighted, profit-based policies regarding the PCR1000.
Maybe this has caught their attention...the news should have gone back all the way to Japan. :-)))))

Mike

Greg Renner escribi&#65533; en mensaje <35E7825D.AC4@mail.idt.net>...
>Jeff Miller wrote:
>>
>> Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10 has
>> been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious since I
have
>> one.
>
>
>Yes, that the PCR 1000 and a couple of other units. Too easy to modify
>for cell.
>
>Greg Renner

4604. 1999 New Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stoli126@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090107443900.DAA21206@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145589

Hi all
Currenty I own a Bearcat Handheld Trunk Tracker and love this radio. However does anyone have any information on what the latest technology or scanners that will be coming out this year. I would like to buy a base trunk tracker to keep at my
business however I don't want to jump the gun so to speak . So if anyone knows what either RS or Bearcat are going to coming out with please post to the group
Many thanks.

4605. Re: EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35eb9b01.3698265@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 145590

dondi3@aol.com (DONDI3) wrote:

>In article <6sc3d4$7ev@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> writes:
>
>>I've heard this a few times myself!
>>
>>--
>>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>>SkyWarn 2212-98
>>
>>
>
>Sooo, should I buy a scanner now to monitor the local Ericsson system the
>Dubuque police installed...and have it modified for $90 to eliminate the beeps
>(but still not having a tracking system) or should I wait to see what RS or
>Uniden have in mind for us.
>
>Anybody have any inside dope?
>
>Dondi3
>
>DONDI enterprises. BUY, SELL, TRADE. RARE COINS & PRECIOUS METALS
>Member COINNET coindealer network & American Numismatic Assoc.
>Next show: Central States Show, Harvey Il. 9/11 thru 9/13. Doing shows every
>weekend thru mid November! C U someplace!

Might be wise to wait and see. If nothing else, you might get a
better deal on a scanner. My local agencies haven't went to
trunked systems yet so I haven't thought much about buying
a trunk tracker. I didn't know you were a scanner buff too.

George

4606. Re: Free Pro-64 Freq download software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35eb9fbd.4909855@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 145591
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I was wondering if anyone knew of any freq download software for the
>Pro-64 that is free? I know Programmit and Radio Manager are popular,
>but I do not need any of the advanced options. Would it be possible to
>do it with some kind of Excel macro? (Somebody help me out, I'm in over
>my head)

Check out Ken Plotkin's scanner Page for all the information you will
ever need on the PRO-64. Ken's Load and Load64 are no frills
programs and there is a link there to Cathy De Viney's Excel
spreadsheet for managing frequencies and uploading them to the
PRO-64 as well.

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

4607. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EBAB4D.4C88@parg.org>
Source record: 145592
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Mackey continues to electronically stalk Bill even after Bill has apparently
> left the news group. He is one sick individual.

I have done nothing to stalk Cheek. Rather YOU have been making
posts like this one to stalk ME!

4608. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35EBADC8.7135@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> I haven't cited any rules, but I will:
>
> ï¿½97.1 Basis and purpose.
> > The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
> radio
> > service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
> principles:

Well, let me counter that with this:

625 ILCS 5/18a-300(18): To fail to refund any amount charged in excess of
the reasonable rate established by the Commission;

You show me how yours applies and I'll tell you about mine.

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

4609. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35EBAE0B.5DB3@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145594
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> You would have to try EVERY FREQUENCY before LEGALLY using the radio to
> contact the police.
>
> You may only contact the police ON THE RADIO **IF** there is life in danger,
> AND you are a validly licensed amateur operator, AND you've tried EVERY
> other type of communication, in this case, every frequency on every
> transmitter.

That's really silly. Someone else challenged you to produce the rule that
even implies this, and I'll be waiting to see how you answer him.

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

4610. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35EBACB2.54DF@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rich wrote:
> According to 97.403 - you are allowed to use any means at your
> disposal. That can, and usually is, interpreted to mean everything
> from a 2M HT to smoke signals.

Well, 97.403 does specifically say "any means of radiocommunication". So
smoke signals would probably involve a one-time transmission. :-)

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

4611. Re: Drop the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com>
Message-ID: <ywOG1.562$N64.149871@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 145596
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mackey, leave it alone. You've done enough damage already, do you have to continue stalking Bill in other newsgroups? You got what you wanted, he's gone. Go celebrate and leave Bill alone. It's over !!!

BTW, I still haven't seen you post anything related to scanning.

Mike

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Happy Scanning ... Don't let the government take our scanners !!!

michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com
KA0SSF wrote in message <35EAF138.7C1D@parg.org>...
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>> did anyone think that maybe he just got
>> tired of the NG?
>
>Good point Mr. Conduit. If Bill wanted to be here on this NG
>he would. He has made other posts elsewhere on the internet.
>I think that being kicked off of his ISP & his favorite mailing
>list all within 30 days had an effect. The effect being that he
>realized
>he has been causing trouble & was no longer wanted by most on the
>scanner related areas.
>
>While Bill Cheek certainly caused the scanning internet users a lot
>of grief in the past, two wrongs don't make a right so lets not
>disturb him further. Let's leave Cheek alone.
>
>
>
>Below is proof of Bill's presence:
>
>Email:bcheek@cts.com
>Date:1998/08/26
>Forums:microsoft.public.windowsnt.setup
>--
>
>On Tue, 25 Aug 1998 17:38:08 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>wrote:
>
>>Is it possible (and how) to add an IDE hard
>>disk to an NT4.0 server that is already
>>running from an SCSI drive and still have

>>the scuzzy drive bootable to NT?
>
>Never mind, I figured it out. The Microsoft
>Knowledge Base article Q133491 proved very
>helpful to this cause.
>
>Bill Cheek
>MS-MVP (POS/DTS)
>
>

4612. Re: UHF Airband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Todd (kb0udf)" <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <35EBB413.E7D6B9EF@nightowl.net>
Source record: 145597

I don't know what your idea of cheap is but i picked up a Bearcat 890xlt a few months back, if i remember correctly i paid 199.99 for it at a local shop that was having a sale. I think i have seen them on the net for about 220.00. It's a pretty good scanner. It's a base scanner, 200 channels, limit search, auto store, instant weather, weather alert, optional CTCSS board can be installed ($50 i think), 100 channel per second scan, Large VFO flywheel, line out jack, aux jack, covers 29-54, 108-174, 216-512 in both am and fm, 806-956 of course cellular is blocked, but it does pick up the images of cellular right above the cell band. Check out http://www.uniden.com/docs/product/prdetail.cfm?prodid=21 for a picture and some more info on it. Then you can search the web for a dealer who carries them if you like it. Hope this helps.

Todd
http://www2.nightowl.net/tyler

N8PPZ73 wrote:
>
> I need a cheap reciever for UHF airband, what is a good choice?
>
> Grego

4613. Buying from CEi can be a bad experience: My personal experience.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: anaya@pr.net
Message-ID: <6sgepdutm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.swap

I bought an Uniden BC235XLT scanner from CEI. I had it delivered to a po box. I must say I was bothered by the $36 charge on shipping. Here is the truth though. I ended up paying $205.95 for the scanner. With other sellers I would have paid more than that. Like $230 with scanner world or something like that. Maybe less with National Electronics. Still I called then to ask what was to total charge to my credit card. I was concerned because they asked for personal info in their website order form. They asked for my social security number and my AMEX security code. I did not provide that info because I did not feel it was proper. When I called they told me shipping was $36. I was upset with that amount. I asked to cancel the order. The person that I was speaking with asked me if I wanted to talk to someone else about the problem so I would not cancel my order. She put me through with the owner or manager(Ken). He told me the additional costs were due to them having to send someone to the Post Office to send the packages using the US Mail. I can see how that can happen but $36 is a bit too much. I did not cancel my order I it arrived the Tuesday after that Friday, which was excellent. My final price was good if compared with with the final price with Scanner World. Still I was a little upset with having to pay $36 for Priority Mail. Maybe they can change that charge to a lesser amount. I wonder if it would have been $36 for each scanner if I had ordered more than one. I did not order the free stuff because I knew it would cost me too much. I guess that if you have it delivered to an address in the USA it would be ok. The scanner arrived and it was ok. The box was wet but that was the responsability of the US Mail. We are going through the raining and huracane season. I guess a plastic bag could help. I'm ok with my purchase. I only wish shipping was a little more fair.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4614. PCR-1000 & Windows NT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thorsten Mueller <t.mueller@mail.rhein-ruhr.de>
Message-ID: <35EBC186.B70E7E2D@mail.rhein-ruhr.de>
Source record: 145599

Does anyone know if the PCR-1000 control software works with Windows NT Workstation 4.0?

Thanks.

Thorsten.

4615. Re: New at this....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35EBDB92.9D2246CF@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 145600

Scott Messick wrote:
> SO does anyone know if a modification will become available for this
> unit to recieve cellular??

IC-Q7A? Nope.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

4616. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35ebe0c4.4127600@news.jps.net>
Source record: 145601

> And this is a big deal WHY? So they can make purchases and send them to
>YOUR address, because NO reputable mail order place will ship anywhere but the
>address listed as your billing address without an act of Congress these days.
>No a lot of point to that. Anybody that desirous of screwing you over can get
>those numbers from your garbage anyway...
>
>
>Neutrodyne

Not if you cross out the personal info REAL good, then shred it in a
paper shredder. Of course I probably wouldn't even need to cross it
out if I had a cross-cut instead of a strip-cut shredder :-). If you
live in a metro area, this is mandatory if you want to be safe from
the crankster gangsters.

Remove "nospamno" to email.

4617. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjmanship@iquest.net
Message-ID: <35ebea06.2073329@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 145602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 13:16:00 GMT, kd1my@banet.net wrote:

>I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
>only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new catalogs
>and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
>charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will still
>give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
>people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan but
>I do buy a few things there.
>
Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"

Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
the catalog.

4618. KS Column 0998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy B <andyb@qni.com>
Message-ID: <35EBEBD1.7D02@qni.com>
Source record: 145603

Kansas Column 09-98

I don't recall the last time the column was ready on the 1st of the month, but I do remember that the earth's crust had cooled about the same time. Mark it down on the calendar if you are reading this on September 1.

My lovely and gracious wife, Lois, let me get the OPTO 535 interface board for my bargain priced PRO-2042 I bought a couple months ago. Now I'm going to pack it up in its box and put it away. Call me paranoid, or wary, or simply guilty of wanting to be prepared, but I'm going to keep the 2042/535 unit hidden away until my existing radios get so ragged around the edges that they won't work. It is entirely possible that in the coming years we might not be able to purchase radios that have the features and frequency range available on today's scanners. When that time comes, I'm going to be ready. If I had more money I would buy a few more radiosï¿½perhaps a good short-wave receiver and a TrunkTrackerï¿½and put them in the attic with the PRO-2042. (That is if I have room next to my Geiger counter, Anthrax vaccine, tin foil for the lining of my hat, and enough food and ammunition for a small army.)
Of course, the odds of all new radios being severely crippled are inversely proportional to the degree that I am prepared for the eventuality of that happening. If I put a couple of radios in my storage room today, the future will surely produce scanners that cost about 100 bucks and have tremendous frequency coverage. If I stashed away more radios the industry would no doubt come up with credit card sized scanners for 50 bucks, which provide DC to daylight coverage, and have a built in computer.
All kidding aside, I think it might be wise to squirrel away a radio or twoï¿½just in case. Radios would probably be much more valuable down the road than the tin foil, anyway. Now, on with the show.

1. How to count.
2. KHP's speed enforcement parties.
3. KDOT DPL tone
4. DEA in the KC area
5. Great Wichita talkgroup list from Wade
5.5 Wichita radio numbering system
6. Research on KS State repeater placement
7. Guess who again? More stuff from Bob for WY, JO and DG counties
8. Comtell scanners from Europeï¿½good deal?
9. BC895 & Trunker question
10. US Marshall in Wichita
11. Lawrence PD going 800

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1. Bob from Tonganoxie had a comment about the column for August. In
that issue there was a mention of hexadecimal and decimal numbering
systems. I mentioned that we humans use decimal, or base 10, because we
have 10 fingers. Wouldn't you know it, not all humans use decimal.
Here is what Bob had to say: "There are some tribes of American Indians
in California who, before they started going to English-speaking
schools, actually used hexadecimal (base-16) counting systems. If they
still used their aboriginal systems today, they'd be natural computer
programmers!"
"And they did 'finger counting' too! Basically, instead of
counting each digit once like us, they were 'knuckle counters.' Using
the tip of the thumb on each hand as a counting 'tool,' they touched the
tips of the other fingers of the hand (numerals one through four), then
they touched the next set of knuckles down from the tip (5 through 8),
then the next set down (9 - 12) and finally the set of knuckles where
the fingers join the palm (13 - 16). "
I've been dispatching for over 16 years now, and I can remember
a bunch of times when my officers arrested guys who were using various
body parts to count. The trouble came when they got to 21.
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2. Bob had a question about the speed enforcement swoops that KHP has
been conducting lately. I called Troop A dispatch to ask what frequency
they were using. The dispatcher I spoke with didn't know, but she is
going to do some research. Bob figures that they might be using
855.9625 or 868.8375 simplex, or perhaps some input freqs.
Bob says that the aircraft clocks vehicles and relays the info
to Troopers on the ground, who then put the "habius-gotchas" on the
offenders. Remember the old CB days with the "bear in the air?"
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3. The next bit from Bob is the DCS (DPL) tone used by KDOT on the
simplex frequency of 855.9625. It is 565.
All the information is appreciated, Bob. Thanks.
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4. Larry wants to pass on a good catch he made during the first week of
August. He monitored the DEA (Drug Enforcement Administration) in the
Kansas City area on 418.900. Comms included vehicles on the ground as
well as an aircraft. It sounded like it was a joint operation with
several local agencies. "Joint" operation?ï¿½must be marijuana! The
surveillance went on for several days. DEA freqs aren't busy very
often, but Larry's discovery proves that we ought to have one bank
running in the scanner all the time for such agencies.
Thanks, Larry.
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5. Wade sent this list of talkgroups for the Wichita/Sedgwick County
trunked system. Now that we are getting quite a bit of information for
that area, I need to talk the wife into making a trip there so I can
listen in. If I tell her that there is a great craft or quilt shop in
Wichita it will be much easier than if I try to convince her to go only
for a scanner outing. Would some of you folks that live in that area

like to get together sometime? Doyle, Don, Wade, and the rest of
youï¿½whadya think? Without any further carrying on, here is Wade's list.

16 PD Patrol West
48 PD Patrol East
80 PD patrol North
112 Narcotics
120 Narcotics- DES encrypted
144 Spider-1 (records)
176 Spider-2 (records)
208 PD channel 2B (records and some chat)
240 Sheriffs Patrol Main Channel
272 Sheriffs Warrants Channel
304 Investigations Channel
336 Detectives
368 Jail-1
400 Jail-2
432 EMS OPS-2(dispatch)
464 Law enf. unidentified
496 EMS
528 Fire tac 6
560 Fire tac 7
592 Fire tac 8
624 fire tac 9
656 fire dispatch
688 fire tac 5
720 fire tac 3
752 fire tac 4
784 fire unidentified
816 fire ops-1
848 fire tac-1
880 fire tac-2
912 ems admin.
944 ems unidentified
976 Airport PD
1008 Airport safety
1040 law unidentified
1072 law unidentified (detectives?)
1104 law unidentified
1136 law unidentified
1168 law common unidentified
1200 City of Colwich
1232 City of Derby
1264 PD Ch. 2-A Eastborough
1296 City of Goddard PD
1328 Sheriffs Channel 1A
1360 KHP Dispatch Channel 1
1392 KHP-Ch2
1424 Sheriffs Channel 2A
1456 Law unidentified

1488 Law unidentified
1520 Law unidentified
1552 Sheriffs Channel 2B
1584 Law unidentified
1616 Law unidentified
1648 Law unidentified
1680 Wichita State U. Police
1712 U.S. Marshals/ Warrants
1744 misc. law
1776 misc. law
1808 Law unidentified
1840 KS. Fish and game officers
1872 misc. law
1904 Sheriffs Narcotics/ DEA
1936 law unidentified
1968 U.S. Marshals Channel
2000 Unidentified
2032 Riverside ER
2064 St. Francis ER
2096 St. Joseph ER
2128 VA Medical Center
2160 Wesley ER
2192 Now used for Rolling Spider (records)
2224 Animal Control
2288 Streets
2448 Streets
2480 Streets
2512 Streets
2672 PD TAC-10 Warrants surveillance
2704 Common-1
2736 common-2
2768 common-3
2800 PD Patrol South
2832 Command-2
2864 command-3
3120 PD TAC-11 Surveillance/warrants/joint ops w/ KHP
3152 City of Cheney/ also TAC channel
3184 PD TAC channel may be tac-12
3504 EMS
3568 WFD Fire Alarms
3632 Radio shop
3792 Fire Tac Channel
3824 PD Tac Channel
4144 PD common unidentified
4208 PD West and South Common
4336 building inspections
4368 water
4400 water
4464 water
4496 water

4560 water
4592 water
4656 water
4688 water
4752 water supervisor
4848 PD North and East Common
4944 PD channel unidentified
5072 Maintenance
5136 streets
5169 streets
5200 streets
5296 USD 259 School police
5392 KHP CH-3 also KBI
5552 Streets
5584 inspections
5648 inspections
5744 computer data bursts
5808 sheriffs channel (admin??)
6000 metro transit bus dispatch
6032 Metro bus to bus radio phones
6064 metro transit
6096 animal control

Very good list, Wade. I checked it against the list in Dr.
Sm0ke's web site, and it has quite a few more talkgroups. I bet that if
the Dr. reads this, he'll add it to his site. Wink wink, nudge nudge.

5.5 Wade has additional info on Wichita PD. The next section outlines
the basic radio numbering system. Last month we had a fine contribution
of radio numbers for the Topeka area. Looking at most publications and
various computer forums for the discussion of related subjects, I notice
a general lack of radio numbering systems included in the mix. Maybe we
all should work on pinning them down and getting them into the column.
I'll start next month with some for the JO area. Read on for the
Wichita stuff.

"Each of 4 areas of the city are divided into patrol beats: North,
South, East, and West. North is divided into units 41 through 49, Head
officer is 40,supervisor is 140, commander being 204 or 4, community
policing officers have numbers like 342 or 341. East Patrol utilizes
the 30 series (31-39) for beats, and likewise 30,130, 203 or 3 are all
in charge of something. Community policing officers are numbered in the
330s. South patrol uses the 21-29(beats), 20, 120, 202, 2(in charge) and
Community policing are 320s. West patrol uses 11-19(beats) 10, 110, 102,
1(in charge). City wide, traffic units are numbered in the 400s (i.e.
435), these guys work accidents, write tickets, take radar, and lots
more. SCAT units (warrants/ gang activities/ops) are numbered in the
upper 200s (i.e. 275) and tend to operate on patrol channels. Detectives
use numbers like D124 or D45. Narcotics use 600 series IDs, U.S.
Marshals use 700 series IDs (i.e. 763), State Parole Officers, have IDs
like P42 or P67.There are some Ids being used in the 800 series (maybe

federal law enf???) If anyone has any guesses let me know. In the
County, Sheriffs Patrol use Ids like Sheriffs-24. Some officers on the
sheriffs talk group are patrol officers for outlying towns like Goddard
or Cheney and use Ids like Goddard-2. The Wichita Police now have a
great internet page that details the patrol beats with maps and info on
each area's Community Policing officers and crime statistics...well
worth visiting at www.wichitapolice.com."
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6. Bob took the trouble to check out the 800 MHz listings in Police Call
for the state of Kansas for us. He came up with some good results. I
will insert a portion of his e-mail to me, which explains exactly what
he did/found. Here goes:
"We've seen from Dale's contributions from SW Kansas that each
KDOT tower has 3 repeaters: KHP, KDOT and EMS. In eastern Kansas most
of the listings so far just list KHP and KDOT repeaters at each site.
But each site DOES have a third repeater. Their use is unknown and the
two I've actually monitored (Olathe and Lawrence) have been used
extremely rarely. Both seem to be phone patches. I've heard both come
up with DTMF (touchtones) and ringing, but usually either no one answers
or two guys exchange two or three words and then hang up. The systems
may be intended for EMS, as in the western part of the state.
They are as follows:"
866.125 Corning
Reading
W. Mineral
866.150 Buffalo
Haddam
Lawrence
867.1625 Bennington
Bonner Spgs.
Eskridge
867.3625 Ellsworth
Paola
Severy
Troy
867.6125 Xenia
867.9125 Blue Rapids
Montrose
Olathe
Virgil
868.425 Clay Center
Huron
Parker
Sedan
868.650 Beloit
Independence
St. George
Waverly

"All KHP and KDOT repeaters have operation on the output freq.
licensed for mobiles. The third repeater at each tower only authorizes
mobile ops on the input, no simplex operation."
"Police Call also lists a number of stand-alone (non-trunked)
repeaters at sites other than the KDOT towers. These are for different
state agencies. It is usually possible to tell what those agencies are
by taking a look at the 'State of Kansas Communications Services
Directory,' which appears annually. In the back it lists every town in
Kansas that has a state agency office and the name of the office."
(Say, Bobï¿½where might a fellow come across such a directory???)

851.3625 Beloit Youth Center at Beloit (YCAB)
851.8375 Atchison YCAA
Larned YCAL
854.9625 Hutchinson probably State Fair (200 mobiles, 5 CO)
854.9875 Larned probably state mental hospital
855.4875 Hutchinson probably State Fair (200 mob., 5 control)
but possibly the penal facilities.
866.0625 Osawatomie probably state hospital, possibly prison facility.
866.225 Wichita possibly WSU (100 mob., 1 control)
866.675 Montrose probably KDOT but no input listed.
867.675 Lawrence KU PD
868.900 Statewide Temporary repeater (only 50 mobiles)

"Some of the above agencies are educated guesses from the list
of state agencies in particular towns. I suspect both listings for
Hutchinson are for the State Fair because the state penal system, which
is also well-represented in Hutch, seems to be sticking to high-band
(155.31, etc.) for the present. Only the Youth Centers seem to be
switching over. It would be nice if the group could I.D. all these
repeaters and their agencies for certain."
"That's it. It might be worthwhile putting the third repeater
frequency from your local tower in your scanner to see what kind of use
it gets. I'd appreciate any verification or reanalysis of the other,
local
stand-alone repeaters in the various communities listed above."
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7. Here is Bob again. "Caught a couple of new freqs being tested this
a.m. 868.325 & 868.750. Just open carriers with occasional test
announcements. No ID or location but sigs were strong. One of the
freqs is allocated to Douglas Co. and the other to Wyandotte Co. But
they were being tested "together" with the same operator and beeps etc.
on both channels, so the NPSPAC listings seem maybe to have an exception
in this case. We'll see what develops."
"Also I heard a couple of units in the 1600 series talking about doing
things in Johnson Co. on the TAC freq. of 866.5125 at the same time the
other tests were going on." (1600 units is Gardnerï¿½that's MY town!)
"Any thoughts?"
Good detective work Bob. I haven't had a lot of time to do any
research on it yet. If I hear anything I'll pass it on.
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8. Wade has this to pass on about the Comtell scanners that are

available from various European sources. "A couple of issues ago in the KS Scanner Journal, someone mentioned fullband scanner purchases from www.cbshp.com . I wanted to let you all know that I have a good friend who has purchased a fullband called the Commtel 510 for about $300.00. It has continuous coverage from 0.5 MHz to 1300 MHz. (NO GAPS). It runs on 2AA batteries and is TINY (smaller than a cigarette pack). The reception is great and batteries last a long time. The main drawback is a SLOW scanning rate. It does, however, have 10 handy one-touch programmable search bands. It arrived OK from Holland to the U.S.A. The guy from the shop was great about letting us know when it was shipped and also followed up regarding its arrival. I will probably not be purchasing anything that pricey in the near future as I am also still nursing wounds from my trunktracker purchase. (spouses)" Thanks, Wade. I had toyed with the idea a few months ago, but chickened out. Sounds like it may not have been a bad idea after all.

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9. Now, a question from Wade. He is thinking about trying to get the Trunker program up and running at his post. We exchanged some notes about it, and he has decided that the BC 895 TrunkTracker would be the best way to go. I have not had any experience with Trunker and a BC895. I have put out a few notes to some folks that have in hopes they can give him more details. Is anyone else out there familiar with Trunker and the 895? If so, please let me know and I will have you get in contact with Wade.

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10. More Wichita stuff from Wade. It is about the US Marshall Service. "Here's a tidbit for anyone interested in the federal scanning. U.S. Marshals in Wichita operate on two systems. They use the frequency 163.2000 early in the day (more when in the office) and alternately use talkgroups 1968 and 272 on the Wichita 800 MHz system out in the field. Occasionally they will switch back and forth between 163.2 and the 800 band system. If you don't monitor both, you're not getting the whole story. Most federal traffic is digital or encrypted in Wichita, but I have had several times when DEA and Secret Service can be heard clearly." Outstanding, Wade. Thanks again.

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11. Bob has found that Lawrence Police Department is applying to the city commission for the bucks to install a new 800 MHz radio setup. Currently they are on highband, 158.790. According to the local newspaper, their idea is to be compatible with Douglas County's 800 MHz system. Makes sense to me! The city plans on spending about $65,000. His source also indicated that once installed, patrol would be on it right away, with detectives and admin later on. They gave the standard reasons for wanting to switch. "Better coverage, officer safety, etc." Yeahï¿½right.

Douglas County's system is not trunked, so I imagine it would be the same with Lawrence PD, too. That would make it nicer for those that didn't want to invest in a TrunkTracker or the Trunker program yet. Listen to DG County on 867.3375 and 868.050. You can hear KU PD on 867.675.

Keep us updated, Bob. Thanks.

September's column was a great one, thanks to all of you.
Actually, there was too much stuff to put in one column. I have some Trunker/Trunktracker codes for the Kansas City KS departments that I was going to use this month, but they'll wait till October. Keep the e-mail coming!

See you next month,

Andy

4619. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Varine <Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Message-ID: <35EBEF54.4184@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Source record: 145604

There were 2 jammers that worked on the market. The ARC Interceptor and the Stealth VRCD. Both are out of production but they worked. There's also a company called Remote Systems that sells kits for jammers.
http://www.remotesystems.com
The rest on the market don't work, if it is a passive device, it simply cannot work.

Now for the "Urban Legend" Dept.
A police officer I spoke with swore that "Fish Finders" royally messed up Ka band radar guns. I can't beleive it but in theory it would work. Cops use tuning forks to check the calibration of the device, I imagine a fish finder would be like a giant tuning fork. Anyone else heard this?

4620. MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
Message-ID: <6sh0eqhdh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145605

Anyone out there know a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60? I have looked everywhere but can't find one. TIA

-j

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4621. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sgtar$6ea@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145606
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6sg49fjfb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> sgambino@my-dejanews.com writes:
>
>In article <6sfmre$4cf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
><snip>
>
>>
>> Hey Colostomy for brains , Stop trying to control people and
stirring up more
>> trouble. It appears you want to keep up your flaming tactics and are
still
>> obsessed with Bill by keeping track of his postings to other groups.
>>
>
>Mackey continues to electronically stalk Bill even after Bill has
apparently
>left the news group. He is one sick individual.
>
>/Sal
>
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion
==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member
Forum

Then organize and go after smelly mackeral

Organize people...those of you who
know how to do it....go after his
ISP's and whoever he does business
with.

why not find out his mother's address
and tell her what a bad little shit
he is....his grade school teachers
a good start...

bill conduit
etc.

4622. Police frquencies Shawnee Mission Ks. etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: SISTERCAROLE@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1861-35EBDFC6-11@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145607

I am a primarily bedfast disabled 67 year old catholic nun. I live in Merriam Ks., which is suburban to KansasCity Mo./Ks. I know about Police Call Mag. etc. My problem is, that the one area I most want to tune into{ Merriam,Ks.} has been automatticly blacked out some way. My scanner will not permit me to punch in frequencies in most of the 500 through some of the 600 range. When I first purchased it I could. I have a Radio Shack Pro 46. I realise this is a very green question, but we all had to begin somewhere. Is there anyone in the greater K.C. area who would be willing to assist me? Can my scanner be modified to pick-up the area I most want to listen to? Because of my disabilities I cannot come to you.Also as an indigent religious sister, my dollars are prohibative of any large expense. I spend many a night awake, and love to listen to the goings on in my area, and offer my prayers accordingly. Recently the local police gave their old scanner/ receivers to several local businesses, to help them expedite communication when they are having need of them. The police, that is. Perhaps there is an officer out there who will assist me? I can easily prove to you ,that I hope for the information etc. ,for no other reason than that stated. Thanks to all for any incoming help.
E-mail me at Sistercarole@webtv.net

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4623. Police frquencies Shawnee Mission Ks. etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: SISTERCAROLE@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1863-35EBDF8A-1@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145608

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4624. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sgv12$j2c@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

From Karl Beckman:

... "97.403 applies ONLY to
"these rules," that is Subpart E entitled Providing Emergency
Communications. It does NOT allow operation outside amateur bands, and
it requires that normal communications be out of service due to natural
disaster before "Out of class" operating priveledges apply. Note that
we're not talking about the original Communications Act of 1933 - that
has long since been superceded by 47CFR, which is itself regularly
updated and modified.

Separate rules, NOT part of Part 97, apply to operating on the public
safety frequencies in question and the issue of type acceptance. They
ALL are binding!"

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote in message <35EBADC8.7135@spambusters.ml.org>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> I haven't cited any rules, but I will:
>>
>> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
>> > The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an
amateur
>> radio
>> > service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
>> principles:
>
>Well, let me counter that with this:
>
>625 ILCS 5/18a-300(18): To fail to refund any amount charged in excess of
>the reasonable rate established by the Commission;
>
>You show me how yours applies and I'll tell you about mine.
>
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>+---
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>| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out!
|
>| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/
|
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4625. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sgv2f$j7b@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

No, that is common sense. A frequency DOES constitute a singular form of communication.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote in message <35EBAE0B.5DB3@spambusters.ml.org>...
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>> You would have to try EVERY FREQUENCY before LEGALLY using the radio to
>> contact the police.
>>
>> You may only contact the police ON THE RADIO **IF** there is life in danger,
>> AND you are a validly licensed amateur operator, AND you've tried EVERY
>> other type of communication, in this case, every frequency on every
>> transmitter.
>
>That's really silly. Someone else challenged you to produce the rule that
>even implies this, and I'll be waiting to see how you answer him.

4626. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sgvs4$948@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rich, Part 97 states ALL FORMS OF COMMUNICATION must be attempted. This would mean repeaters, simplex, even packet/satellite/etc (if equipped), and would require trying ALL repeaters and used simplex frequencies (e.g., 6.52 and 6.55) in the area.

If nobody responds there, and you can't find a telephone or another human being, only then should you contact a PS agency -- IF you're a licensed amateur operator.
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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Rich wrote in message ...
> Where, precisely, and please quote the section number and the supporting
>text, in which it says that we must try every frequency. (Is the person
>whose rig reads in 1Hz increments required to attempt to use more
>frequencies than the person whose rig only used 100Hz increments?)

4627. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
Message-ID: <6sh6fs$o54$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145612
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

They started this a few years ago. The original idea was to charge 3 bucks
for the catalog, then include a 3 dollar coupon with the catalog towards a
purchase.

I went in one day and spent like 300 bucks on a scanner and some other stuff,
and asked for a catalog. They refused to give me one for free!! I couldn't
believe it! I tried to reason with the guy but he said that they were
considered store inventory and had to charge for them.

In article <35ebea06.2073329@news.iquest.net>,
mjmanship@iquest.net (Mike Manship) wrote:
> On Sat, 29 Aug 1998 13:16:00 GMT, kd1my@banet.net wrote:
>
> >I went to the local Radio Shack here today and bought 2 small items which
> >only came to $7 plus change. After paying for them I noticed the new catalogs
> >and asked for 1. All the clerk did was scan it in and give it to me. NO
> >charge I suspect that if you purchase something even a few $ they will still
> >give away the catalogs free. We all know it costs to print those and some
> >people would take 10 of them if they had a chance. I am not a big RS fan but
> >I do buy a few things there.
> >
> Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
> noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
> because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
> the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
> don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
>
> Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
> the catalog.
>

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4628. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sgvap$kbi@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I believe that digital constitutes encoded or encrypted communications. Even
though digital is not encrypted, it still may consitute as so.

... and encrypted communications are illegal to monitor.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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Blake Bowers wrote in message <6sfj80oah0@207.18.224.121>...
>On 31 Aug 1998 13:48:07 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Incorrect. In the US, it is illegal to listen to ANY of these at ANY time:
>>
>>-Paging
>
>Some paging is OK to listen to.
>
>>-Digital communications
>
>Quote please? Not illegal.
>
>

4629. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sgvgm$l2h@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145614

Hmm, Jack, then what's this about:

"My newsreader displays a summary of deleted incoming e-mails by
author...if you upgraded from that crap you use, you might find some
more advanced features do exist in a newsreader!"

Is it your newsreader or your email client? U-pick. Why (how) would a
newsreader filter email?

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73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Jack wrote in message <35eb04c5.502111@news.bell.net>...
>I said E-MAIL is filtered, not newsgroup posts! Please read the
>messages more carefully in the future.

4630. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sh0rn$d7u@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

<To Rich Mulvey and Curtis Wheeler, also>

> No, he can't. I've asked a couple of times, and, after wading
>through the sea of back-pedaling, he always comes back with, "Look it
>up yourself."

Yes, I can.

I've decided to look some up for you, and they are below. These are cases
where amateurs have been prosecuted and/or had equipment confiscated.

http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384661544&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
tnum=9
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383365056&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
tnum=10
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383370857&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
tnum=20
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383551810&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
tnum=26
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383596445&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi
tnum=27

Other good article:
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384002764.1&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&
hitnum=25

How's that?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

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4631. BC200xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Polcyn <rob_polcyn@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6sh1ha$k5t$1@news.iag.net>
Source record: 145616

Could someone please refresh my memory on how to clear all the channels on my BC200xlt. I have done this before but for the life of me cannot recall how I did it.

Thanks.

4632. WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Oppenheim <antelope@swcp.com>
Message-ID: <6sh09pcak1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 145617

I just got a WinRadio 1000i scanner. I have a RS discone antenna that does a great job on the VHF/UHF bands, and I use the supplied 20' wire antenna for 20m and beyond. My question is: does anybody have any mods (either software or hardware) for this radio, are there any FTP sites containing software (besides WinRadio's sites) other than the software supplied, and does anybody have any comments in particular?

Dan

4633. Re: MDC-1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <6sh1t2$72f@acmex.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145618

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John Gilbert <johng@comm.mot.com> Wrote:
>Yes. Until recently Motorola made a small desktop box called a
>"Stat-alert desktop console." (Model B1666 or B1667).

Great Information, but did they make a MODAT decoder? I want to use one
for repeater access. Anyone know? Part numbers would be helpful. Thanks,
BiLL
--
Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always
take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4634. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <35EC0B0F.DED54418@ccnet.com>
Source record: 145619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> Rich, Part 97 states ALL FORMS OF COMMUNICATION must be attempted. This
> would mean repeaters, simplex, even packet/satellite/etc (if equipped), and
> would require trying ALL repeaters and used simplex frequencies (e.g., 6.52
> and 6.55) in the area.

Ryan - it does not say that. It says "when normal
communications system are not available". It is not
"normal" to try every frequency, channel, PL, etc. It is
not "reasonable", which would be the true legal test, to do
so since it would cause unnecessary delay in getting help.
Each case would have it's own circustances that would have
to be weighed.

> If nobody responds there, and you can't find a telephone or another human
> being, only then should you contact a PS agency -- IF you're a licensed
> amateur operator.

Again - not true. The rules go on to say make no provision
to prevent an amateur station from using any means of
communications to attract attention and make known it's
condition. It is often interpreted that "part 97 goes out
the window if you have an emergency" - you don't need a
license to make emergency transmissions.

Once again I'll ask. You stated that people are prosecuted
under these circustances regularly - can you give us ONE
example of prosecution of an amateur that used his radio
out-of-band in a bonafide emergency. Even that guy in
Southern California was never prosecuted - the local
authorities took his radio but he was never prosecuted for
anything and the FCC took no action against his license.
And that was certainly a questionable situation. (A bonafide
emergency but it was doubtful the amateur had made a
reasonable attempt to exhaust normal amateur communications
- THAT ended up being the issue, not the simple fact that he
called the sheriff on their frequency.)

> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
> SkyWarn 2212-98
>
> Experience is the worst teacher.

> It gives the test first and teaches after.
>
> Rich wrote in message ...
> > Where, precisely, and please quote the section number and the supporting
> >text, in which it says that we must try every frequency. (Is the person
> >whose rig reads in 1Hz increments required to attempt to use more
> >frequencies than the person whose rig only used 100Hz increments?)

--
Curtis

4635. Pearce Simpson Comanche 16 Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Koss <kossr@edl1.ksc.nasa.gov>
Message-ID: <35EC0A16.2263@edl1.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 145620

Does anyone have the service manual/ schematic for this unit ? Will pay reasonable copy/mail costs. E-mail me or phone (407) 867-2640 and leave a message. Thanks !

73 de Roger, KD4ITU

4636. My SA scanning site - TOTALLY REDONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rev@newave.net.au
Message-ID: <35ebfe1a.24579816@news.newave.net.au>
Source record: 145621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Ive totally redone my SA SCANNING SITE.

Lots of scanner frequencies for Adelaide, SA.

New layout with links.

www.newave.net.au/~rev

Email me from site to let me know what you all
think.....suggestions/additions etc

4637. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35f0095f.890064@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145622

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 05:57:56 -0700, Brian Varine
<Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net> wrote:

>Now for the "Urban Legend" Dept.
>A police officer I spoke with swore that "Fish Finders" royally messed
>up Ka band radar guns. I can't beleive it but in theory it would work.
>Cops use tuning forks to check the calibration of the device, I imagine
>a fish finder would be like a giant tuning fork. Anyone else heard this?

And it is just Urban Legend. Two problems: (1) Sound waves are not
electromagnetic. (2) Tuning forks work for calibration because they
are metallic and reflect energy with enough phase modulation to cause
a beat tone in the front end of the gunnplexer. The phase modulation
beat note places a calibrated tone in the front end of the unit. This
tone will correspond with a certain speed reading. In no way does the
sound itself cause the reading of the radar to change.

On the other hand: if you could somehow get *all* the metal on your
car to vibrate in sync at some tone frequency, then you could see that
tone instead of the doppler shift tone of the echo in the police radar
unit. --But you aren't going to get that to work using just a fish
finder...

73,

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4638. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35f10bb2.1485835@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145623

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 23:10:30 GMT, smokebowl@hempseed.com (smokebowl) wrote:

>actually it can and does cause cancer, just like EMF, microwave
>radiation can and does Cause cancer,.

Then we would all be doomed. You get more electromagnetic radiation from the LO of your scanner than you would from standing 10 feet in front of one of these radar guns.

By the way, microwave radiation isn't "just like" an electromagnetic field (EMF), it *is* an electromagnetic field.

I'm not going to tell you you're wrong. But if you're right and you were to take measures against this, then you'd have to live in a cave with no electricity for the rest of your life, and never leave it during the day time.

I can think of better ways to live...

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4639. FS: Scanner in Adelaide, South Australia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rev@newave.net.au
Message-ID: <35ec0005.25070351@news.newave.net.au>
Source record: 145624
Cross-posted to: aus.aviation,aus.radio.scanner,aus.ads.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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4640. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnnyr@ihgp2.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6sh4f0$l3m@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 145625
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

According to the manual for my Sportcat, copyright 1994, Page 30,
Technical Specification, the Receiver Type is listed as Triple
Conversion Superhetrodyne.

For what it's worth, the nameplate on the bottom of the radio lists it
as an SC150B, FCC ID AMWUB268A, serial # 85003286, no date code.

John

troll@loop.com (troll) said:

>In article <QDIG1.281$IT.3462130@harpo.ctel.net>, altman@ctel.net
>says...
>> This radio is a double conversion (Uniden SC-150B & SC-150Y) not triple
>> conversion.
>>
>>
>>

>The Y and B stand for Yellow and Black and as far as I know they are
>all double conversion.
>
>I do remember reading somewhere that they(Uniden)would be changing the
>SC150 to a triple conversion so that you could not receive cell images
>but I don't know if this is true.
>There are some mods for it on my home page if you would like to check
>them out. here is the link. http://www.loop.com/~troll/Scanner.html

> John R. Rosenberg wrote in message
<6ser5b$6ir@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>...
> >

> >Lest we get confused, it's probably important to note that there is
> >a Uniden SC-150B, which is a triple conversion scanner which does
> >not (IMH experience) receive cellular images.
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> >There's been some discussion of various "SC-150" mods in this
> >NG over the last month or two, but these seem to be for the older
> >dual conversion SC-150, not the 150B or 150Y.
> >
> >John Rosenberg
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>

4641. Re: What is This About Ericsson systems being monitored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: robdon33@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090115214700.LAA17458@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145626

> Anyone have substantiated
> information on this subject
> of "passing interest" amoungst
> those who love those "beeps".

And let us not forget the six-note musical ending (which I recently created a .wav from a recent trip to California) that is still used on some GE Erricson systems.

4642. Re: RS Pro2004 repair - will they disable cellular?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet5 <ramjet5@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#Ecrykt19GA.148@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145227

My PRO-2004 gave it up about 2 years. I took it to Radio Shack, and about 10 days later and $30.00, it was back home with me as good as the day I bought it. I opened it up and restored the cell, and it's worked happily ever after....
Roger

Michael Borowiec wrote in message <6sk66okkc1@Mars.mcs.net>...
>I have an RS PRO2004 scanner with the cellular mod. It's worked fine
>for years, but evidently lightning or static finally got to it, as it
>will no longer receive VHF. It receives UHF and 800Mhz fine...
>I'd like to take it to RS for repair - they only charge $50 labor.
>
>However, I have some questions:
>1) Will they even touch a scanner that's been modified?
>2) Will they do component-level repair, or just replace the whole board?
>3) Will they re-block the cellular band?
>4) Can they replace the CPU with one that won't accept the mod?
>
>What are your expeiences in this regard?
>Thanks!
>- Mike

4643. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brian_usenet@cizone.com>
Message-ID: <ZImH1.45$T2.895397@news.en.com>
Source record: 145228
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Just because Motorola is discontinuing their trunked systems (can anyone confirm this?) doesn't mean every user of a Motorola trunked system will go out and buy a new one. I'm guessing that some will for support reasons, but support will still be available for a long time from third-party sources. Also, new trunked systems aren't exactly inexpensive.

Uniden will produce a scanner that scans Motorola trunked systems as long as they still exist and people have a need to listen to them.

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Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
http://www.cizone.com
Computer and Internet features, books, news, free
technical support, and more.
To reply, remove "_usenet" from my e-mail address.

Eddie Hewgley wrote in message <35EDD9ED.67B2D187@hotcom.net>...
>Skeeter Abell-Smith wrote:
>>
>> Greg Knox wrote:
>> >
>> > Where do these rumors get started? The BC235 is NOT being
>> > discontinued. In fact I just finished testing the new squelch mod for
>> > it not long ago and that improvement hasn't even hit the streets yet,
>> > never mind being discontinued.
>>
>> what squelch mod? What's the effect?
>>
>
>It might as well be discontinued. My business in Nashville, Tn uses
>Motorola truncked system, and we are having to switch over to Nextel at
>the end of the year because Motorola is doing away with the truncked
>systems. At least that's what I heard.
>
>--
>Regards, Eddie Hewgley
>The above message is just a sample of my
>ramblings. To see more, visit me at:
>http://www.hotcom.net/users/eddie

4644. Manual located !!!Thanks to all who helped!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35EE0004.5108A300@ibm.net>
Source record: 145229

Richard L. Vecera wrote:
>
> I am looking for a Tektronix 465 scope service manual in good condition.
> I will settle for a 475 manual if I can't locate the 465 book.
>
> Dick

4645. FS: PRO-2005 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDS <skynite@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uXWOtEt19GA.302@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145230

Very good condition original not copy $25
also have pro-2006 instruction manual, looks like it may be a copy, but
great copy and condition, $5.00
Thx
Bruce

4646. Re: Modifications for uniden sportcat SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kupek <Kupek@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <35EE06B5.6C993762@primenet.com>
Source record: 145231
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

will somebody just tell me what the mods are and how to do them

John R. Rosenberg wrote:

> According to the manual for my Sportcat, copyright 1994, Page 30,
> Technical Specification, the Receiver Type is listed as Triple
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> > >NG over the last month or two, but these seem to be for the older
> > >dual conversion SC-150, not the 150B or 150Y.
> > >

> > >John Rosenberg
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> >

4647. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Pekarek <ericpekarek@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6sl0r2$9uh$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Mike Derryberry wrote in message <35E9ABCA.D3E5F793@MCIONE.net>...
>According to my sources, the only place the 39mhz freqs are currently being
>used is CHP Border Division in Southern California. This is comfirmed my
the
>CHP PAO at my local office. That's not to say they will not use the 39mhz
>freqs in other areas in the future.
>
>Mike
>
>
>Sergeant Rock wrote:
>
>> On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 21:34:42 -0700, "Mike Derryberry"
>> <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> wrote:
>>
>> >The CHP picked up the old LA Sheriff 39mhz freqs for use in southern CA
>> >only. The only place the are now used is in the Border Division.
>> >
>> >Yes the CHP is now using radar statewide. Look out if flying low down
the
>> >highway ...
>> >
>> >Mike
>> The CHP uses the 39 MHZ freqs statewide & has for a very long time.
>> Long before LASD went to UHF.
>>
>> Sgt. Rock
>the C.H.P. are starting to test and use 39. what ever. Riverside is now
using 39.68 and Rancho Cucamonga Ontario are using 39.88 Temecula
are using 39.80 the new blue is 39.14

4648. Re: RS Pro2004 repair - will they disable cellular?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <n9jig-0209982244560001@k56-ip-136.theramp.net>
Source record: 145233

When I sent in my 2004 a few years ago (after I blew it up doing a "repair") they replaced the board containing the diode matrix. The metal enclosure was spotwelded shut in 8 spots (2 on each side) and it took me over an hour to get it open again to restore full coverage and the extra 100 channels.

The radio continues to work well to this day, but I don't know if R/S still will repair some of these older radios, since they do not keep an inventory of some of the parts...

AFAIK there is no replacement CPU that will exclude the cellular range. They may refuse some repairs due to Owner applied enhancements, but that will depend on the individual radio and the guy who gets it.

In article <6sk66okkc1@Mars.mcs.net>, mikebo@MCS.COM (Michael Borowiec) wrote:

> I have an RS PRO2004 scanner with the cellular mod. It's worked fine
> for years, but evidently lightning or static finally got to it, as it
> will no longer receive VHF. It receives UHF and 800Mhz fine...
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******* Rich Carlson, N9JIG *******
Illinois Highways Page http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/home.html
Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA)
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

4649. Re: Webster TX PD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sl5nj$kh4$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145234

I believe they use the Harris County SmartZone system. I don't know what
their talkgroup identification is.
http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/police/smartzone/smartzone.html
has the frequencies for the SmartZone system.

Myles Barkman wrote in message <35ED8B06.CF2556DA@tca.net>...
>What trunk system has Webster TX PD moved to?
>I suspect that they could be on League City but have not tried listening
>myself to confirm. What agencies besides Pasadena are using LC trunk?
>--
>---------------------------
>Myles Barkman kg5ai@tca.net
>http://pages.tca.net/kg5ai
>http://wwp.mirabilis.com/13138062

4650. Re: Radio Shack freq counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <35EE255C.5BC0@blarg.net>
Source record: 145235

Shannon Young wrote:
>
> 1)Is this thing any good?
> 2)How far can it pick up freq's? Almost bought one today but I wanna make sure they work
> ok.

It works OK. It's a nice cheap companion that works well and dose a fairly
average job of picking up freqs. The range depends on how powerful the other's radio
is and the noise in your area.

> 3)Or would the Opto Scout be a better buy?

Yes, the Scout is a far better counter. RS's model is designed for use by
techs on a workbench, along with most other counters. Hobbisists have found these
useful for getting others' freqs as well. But Opto's Scout is a freq counter that's
designed for hobbisists to use. It's biggest feature is it's ability to store freqs
and to interface with other scanners to instantly tune them to the freq that teh
Scout picks up.
If you have teh money for teh Scout, get it, it's far better. If you can only
afford the RS counter, it'll get the job done.
I've found that both perform about as good as the other, but the Scout's
additional features make it a far better counter.

> I'm looking for a cheap alternative to the Opto Xplorer if anyone knows of one. Basicly
> something that picks up freq's and DTMF.... Any help would be appreciated.

The Scout and other freq counters only tell you what the most powerful freq
it can detect is. They don't decode DTMF or anything else at all, and they don't
decode audio. You'll have to have a separate scanner and DTMF decoder as companions
to your counter or Scout if you want those features too.
Opto's Techtoyz DTMF decoder is a great little unit. I have one and it'll
accept up to 100v peak to peak going straight into it's input jack so you can plug it
straight into your scanner's headphone jack, and it has a built in MIc so you can use
it withotu any cables. It decodes pretty good, and I've found it reliable when both
on my belt with a cable, and when just sitting on top of my Pro-2005 without any
cables.
I recommend you get the Scout and the techtoyz DTMF decoder. These when
coupled with your scanner will do a pretty good job instead of the expensive Xplorer.

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
-=Jack the TechnoDragon=-	Please remove the second,
a.k.a.	anti-spamming N from the
-=Jack T.Dragon=-	end of tdragon in my
tdragonn@blarg.net	address to respond.
+---------------------------+---------------------------+

4651. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EE392B.52E7@parg.org>
Source record: 145236

George Vetterle wrote:
> It is stupid, kind of like whipping a dead horse. Why do you keep
> responding to the threads?

Funny, I was think of asking YOU that question!

Please, just drop the Bill Cheek issue. He is gone & no longer a
problem.

4652. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EE3959.2C3B@parg.org>
Source record: 145237

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> What goes around, comes around. See what you started?

Sad how some of these people are so desperate to create excitement,
isn't it?

4653. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090216531600.MAA29080@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145327

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>Subject: Re: Legal Question
>From: jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01)
>Date: 9/2/98 5:40 AM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <1998090205403800.BAA22995@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>As long as the activity is in plain view while you are standing on public
>property then you should be ok, assuming that you don't interfere either
>deliberately or accidentally with the officers.
>
>JW
>
>
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>
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>

Or get shot!
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4654. Re: MD State Police Air-to-Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35ef78f5.1858533@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145328

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 19:57:20 -0400, Brian Shriner
<bshriner@erolsQ.com> wrote:

>Does anybody know what freq the MD State Police use for air to ground
>comms?

I imagine there is one, but I don't know it. I do know they're on the usual aviation radio frequencies using the call sign "Trooper." If you're curious, listen to 128.7 West of Baltimore, 133.0 North of Baltimore, 119.7 South of Baltimore and 119.0 East of Baltimore. You may also hear lots of activity on 124.55 over the Eastern Shore.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4655. Re: New York City / Long Island Area Nreaking News Mailing List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sju97$mbq@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145329

In <6sjq5edve1@news2.i-2000.com> Keith@Knip.co (Keith Knipschild -add
the M in com -) writes:
>
>I just setup a Mailing List, that will allow Users to POST messages
about
>BREAKING NEWS in the New York City / Long Island area..
>
>
>
Don't they already have a service
that does same thing but via alpha
numeric or voice pagers?

you pay 20 bucks per month for
all breaking news updated
every five minutes....

there is a central headquarters
that dispatches from getting
people to call in or listen
to scanners for the input to
output...

bill conduit
etc.

4656. Re: Atlanta Area Anyone??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <35ed6ee7.89752411@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145330

Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu> wrote:

If you are interested in Public Safety stuff (police, fire, ems, swat,
and a ton of other agencies) , you will need to purchase a
trunktracker scanner, as it is all Motorola down here. Updated
talkgroups are listed on my pages, if you want in-depth frequencies
you should purchase a book at your local Radio Shack. My site is:

www.inetnow.net/~creeper/scanner.htm

Best of Luck!

Creeper

> Is there any clubs or anything around here???
> Im new at the scanning scene as some of you may know by some of my
>postings. Imm looking far anyone in the area who could point me to some
>cool frequencies to check out. I have found a few of the local
>dispathes and Marta stuff....and some EMS. I was wodering if anyone
>could let me know what they found. I have already checked on the web
>for frequecies but most seem to be really OUTDATED......
>so let me know...
>
>
>scott

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Take off one of the "C's" in ccreeper@inetnow.net when sending personal replies via email.

4657. Re: TO JW (WAS: Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
Message-ID: <6sk23p$4gt$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145331

Don't you computer illiterate AOL lamers have anything better to do?
Guess not. Keep on spankin' the monkey...

In article <1998090215004000.LAA23581@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:
> >From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
> >Date: 9/2/98 8:20 AM EST
> >
> >Screw you, asshole. Get a life and quit worrying about me. . . . . (drivel
> snipped).
>
> Ha, Ha, Ha. I knew I'd get someone's dander up with that reply. As easy as
> pushing a button.
>
> JW
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4658. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cenick <cenick@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6sjvs7$qmg@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145332
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are you sure?
Sam Maynard wrote in message <35f25d4d.42447679@news>...
>Is that in US dollars?
>
>I bought my Pro-2042 for $169 about 3 or 4 months ago. I think they
>went as low as $150.
>
>Sam
>
>On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 16:48:58 GMT, warrior@iconn.net (Lou (Soo)
>Papineau) wrote:
>
>>I just picked up a PRO-2041 for 119.95
>>
>>I saw the PRO-2042 is also on clearance for
>>249.95 (from 399.99).
>>
>>Lou
>>
>

4659. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <35ED85A8.47CD@home.here>
Source record: 145333

Kupek wrote:
>
> i totally do not agree what do you think we listen to do
> you think people orgasm and transmit it? you need to not put
> these messages in our newsgroup

What is the frequency of the orgasm channel?

4660. PRO43 Scanner Carry Case - $5 !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: schertzer@ns.sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <gQfH1.25$Oh4.261628@sapphire.mtt.net>
Source record: 145334

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Item #3 (1 total)
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Motorola Portable Radio Case
Urethane (plastic) in design, complete.
Condition rate 8.5/10 or better
Fits my PR0-43 scanner OR similiar models.
c/w belt loop + hold-down strap (removeable)
Pocket measures - L= 4" W= 2 3/4" D= 1 3/4"
Overall length of case is 8"
$5USD + shipping
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4661. MN State Parks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danno <danno7@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35ED8259.6CC8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145335

Anyone know the Frequencies used by the MN State Parks personnel?
Email me

4662. MN Brooklyn park or Center Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danno <danno7@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35ED82CA.5713@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145336

Anyone know the freq's used in Bp or BC in Mn?
let me know

4663. Webster TX PD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Myles Barkman <kg5ai@tca.net>
Message-ID: <35ED8B06.CF2556DA@tca.net>
Source record: 145337

What trunk system has Webster TX PD moved to?
I suspect that they could be on League City but have not tried listening
myself to confirm. What agencies besides Pasadena are using LC trunk?
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Myles Barkman kg5ai@tca.net
http://pages.tca.net/kg5ai
http://wwp.mirabilis.com/13138062

4664. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35ED8F5F.707B@parg.org>
Source record: 145338

George Vetterle wrote:

> I don't see Sal making posts about your activities in other news
> groups as you are doing with Bill Cheek.

Someone made a statement something to the effect that Cheek could no longer post to newsgroups. I simply offered that post from Bill as an example of his ability to post if he desired & defense of the truth on Bill's behalf. (hell, that post actually was in SUPPORT of Bill!) I made NO comments or judgement on the subject of Bill's post.

> It sure looks like you're
> stalking him to me.

I would like to know how you can justify that simply acknowledging that someone has newsgroup access is stalking?

Never mind, this whole thing is stupid! Just drop the Bill Cheek issue!

4665. Re: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k7on@qsl.net
Message-ID: <7BBED2A8D41F8457.F402D378CDD30A66.7373B375FAB912AC@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145339

[This followup was posted to rec.radio.scanner and a copy was sent to the
cited author.]

Try the WinRadio mailing list, winradio@qth.net

More information at: http://www.qth.net

Brian

In article <6sh09pcak1@sloth.swcp.com>, antelope@swcp.com says...
> I just got a WinRadio 1000i scanner. I have a RS discone antenna that does a
> great job on the VHF/UHF bands, and I use the supplied 20' wire antenna for
> 20m and beyond. My question is: does anybody have any mods (either software
> or hardware) for this radio, are there any FTP sites containing software
> (besides WinRadio's sites) other than the software supplied, and does
> anybody have any comments in particular?
>
> Dan

4666. florida id's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980902184712OO.OAA09118@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145340

please list any new id;s for frt lauderdale
b.s.o
deerfield beach
coral springs
margate
police fire also goverment id's city works ect
trunktracker does a piss poor job keeping it up dated

4667. New web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Stridsberg <jstridsb@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <35ED9245.9BDD8280@iamerica.net>
Source record: 145341

Hello everybody!!

If you have a chance, please take a look at our new website
with some new monitoring accessories.

http://www.stridsberg.com

Thanks
John

4668. Federal Emergency Alert Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdgordon@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090219025400.PAA10560@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145342

Has anybody had any experience with the Federal Emergency Alert Receiver? I am looking for prices as well as info on whether or not the unit is computer programmable or crystal for the freq and tones.
cdgordon@aol.com

4669. Re: Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34, 37,46, 2022, 2026 (200-148A)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "d. desalvi" <desalvi@btc-bci.com>
Message-ID: <35ED63F7.9499EE00@btc-bci.com>
Source record: 145343
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>I have a Radio Shack Pro-37 Handheld scanner In mint condition for
>sale. I'm asking for $150.00 or best offer. If interested please e-mail
>me at desalvi@btc-bci.com.

w00dhead@yahoo.com wrote:

> Want to buy used scanner: Pro 34,37,46,2022,2026(200-148A)
> Must be in V.Good shape, 100% working as new. You can email me with your
> offers, well i'm actually hoping to pay $100 or less. If it is motified,
> all the best, because i will just be doing it myself.
>
> email me at " w00dhead@yahoo.com 00 are Zeros, not large O's.

4670. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@MCS.COM
Message-ID: <6sk5mgkes1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 145344

In article <19980823210903OO.RAA24982@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote:
>>From: emoney250@aol.com
>
>>Heck, just buy something (I
>>forget what they minimum limit is) and get a FREE catalog (yes, nothing is
>>free).
>
>The point is that they are charging for the catalog whether you buy something
>or not.

That's bullshit. I just got one free when I bought a $4 extention cable.
- Mike

4671. Spam From Bill's 2-Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
Message-ID: <35ED9902.11313C25@bills2way.com>
Source record: 145345

I know some folks in the enws Group hate this, but once in a while
it can't hurt.

New BC-235XLT $189.95

New BC-895XLT $209.95

Free UPS ground if you mention this post and order by
September 7, 1998

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Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
http://www.bills2way.com
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4672. RS Pro2004 repair - will they disable cellular?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@MCS.COM
Message-ID: <6sk66okkc1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 145346

I have an RS PRO2004 scanner with the cellular mod. It's worked fine
for years, but evidently lightning or static finally got to it, as it
will no longer receive VHF. It receives UHF and 800Mhz fine...
I'd like to take it to RS for repair - they only charge $50 labor.

However, I have some questions:
1) Will they even touch a scanner that's been modified?
2) Will they do component-level repair, or just replace the whole board?
3) Will they re-block the cellular band?
4) Can they replace the CPU with one that won't accept the mod?

What are your expeiences in this regard?
Thanks!
- Mike

4673. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul@nospam.hsh.com
Message-ID: <Eyo8MI.5AB@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 145347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

In rec.radio.scanner G McCoy <gmccoy@home.com> sez:
: Alleycat wrote in message <35e7a0a9.8101592@news.cadvision.com>...
:> gburnore@databasix.com (Gary L. Burnore) wrote:
:>> kibblesnbits@askme.net (Alleycat) wrote:
:>>
:>>> This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
:>>> someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
:>>> familiar with the laws in each?
:>>
:>> Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it.
:>
:> Babalooey! So a person travelling through each state would
:> have to purchase or get hold of a book of laws, sit down and read
:> the the entire book before proceeding to the next state, and then
:> do the same in the next one, and the next?
:>
:> That's nuts. Do American tourist bureaus send out "driving
:> books" to those who ask in advance, or is there some kind of
:> national "driver's" book they could purchase somewhere? It's
:> easy to say "ignorance of the law is no excuse." but when a
:> tourist has to locate a licensing office or police station to
:> find a book, and then pull over to the side of the road to read
:> it before proceeding....
:> Besides, he could be fined on the way, so what other options does
:> he have?
:>
:> It;'s easy for you when you come to Canada. We've only got 10
:> provinces here and our laws are pretty well the same in nine .
:> But you've got a lot more states and, in spite of the fact that
:> you don't have more than one official language to create barriers
:> between people, your laws still differ "much" more than ours.
:>
:> Ok, be REASONABLE here. Tell me seriously what judges and LEOs
:> would expect tourists to do to ensure they didn't get a ticket.
:> Don't give me the "stay home Canuk" answer. I want a "serious"
:> answer here. -- Alleycat

: To Alleycat

: I take it you are from Canada well so am I.

: The simply answer to your question (if I understand it) is : IGNORANCE OF
: THE LAW IS NO EXCUSE. This can be found in section 19 of The Criminal Code
: of Canada.

:
: As far as what is expected of tourists my response is driving
: is a privilege. There is an implicit understanding that when
: someone goes for the drivers licence that they will take on the
: responsibilty of knowing what the laws are regardless of they
: drive. If a person fails in their responsibility then they open
: themselves up to a conviction.

Fortunately, it's usually not quite as simplistic as that.
Ignorance may not be an excuse, but it can certainly be part of
your defense.

The answer, actually, is closer to this: when you drive outside
your home area, you are expected to behave in a reasonable manner
and in accordance with generally accepted rules of the road. The
word "reasonable" has a specific legal meaning in American law
and, I expect, in Canadian law as well. A driver is reasonably
expected to, for example, drive on the right (not the left) side
of the road, obey posted speed limits, follow traffic signs, stop
at red lights, obey the directions of a duly appointed law
enforcement officer, not drive drunk, not use your feet to steer,
etc.

However, you may not be convicted and/or fined for infractions
which you, as a stranger, could not _reasonably_ be expected to
know about -- such as a town ordinance which prohibits a right
turn on red but didn't post a sign to tell you, or chewing
tobacco while operating a motor vehicle, or some such. If the
judge doesn't agree, well, you can appeal.

: As a note while ignorance is not a defence it can be help in
: having the penalty (eg. fine) reduced. So while a conviction is
: still registered there maybe no fine.

This would be the "guilty with an explanation" portion of your
court appearance. Ignorance may not be an excuse, but it is
usually a mitigating factor.

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Paul Havemann,
who regrets the need to remove 'nospam' to reply by email.

"If he can step free of legal trouble, including obstruction of
justice, Mr. Clinton can tackle the task of doing something
positive with his remaining days in office. That would involve
a full, ungrudging, verifiable explanation to the American
people about what has gone on with regard to Ms. Lewinsky and
the other matters under investigation. It should also, in our
view, include an executive order to Attorney General Janet Reno
to appoint a special counsel to look into campaign finance. A
Bill Clinton who was not burdened by secrets as to personal conduct
and who had nothing to hide on campaign money would probably

feel almost weightless..."
-- NY Times editorial, July 29, 1998

4674. Re: RS Pro-2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: harleyfxd <harleyfxd@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35ED90C0.26FC@erols.com>
Source record: 145348

Todd Zabel wrote:
>
> I have a Pro-2026 that I use in my car. It's switched through the ignition
> and after a few days my freqs disappear. Apparently this scanner does not
> have a battery (I've looked for it). It charges a cap to keep the memory
> when the power is off. What a stupid design for a mobile scanner. Is there
> any way to wire in a battery? Or, I've been thinking of getting a mobile
> trunck-tracker to replace it. Any good recommendations (that has a backup
> battery)? I need at least 100 channels and would like to be able to dump
> the freqs to a computer for backup.
> Thanks!
>
> ---
> --
> Todd E. Zabel
> ICQ: 5891127
> Amateur Radio: N9JXA
> Email: tezabel@tezabel.com
> WWW: http://www.tezabel.com
> --
> "Eccl. 10:2 A wise manï¿½s heart {directs him} toward the right, but the
> foolish manï¿½s heart {directs him} toward the left. "-NASV

I have a couple of these 2026's and on the ealier model, it has the
extra orange wire that they expect you to run to B+ in order to keep
from loosing memories. I added an internal battery to the scanner and
clipped the stupid wire leading out of the case. I can't remember what
battery I used, but if you email me, I will pull the cover off and send
you the particulars. I think I did this several years ago and it has
never lost memory again and really does not spend much time plugged up
to a power source.
73's

John

4675. Re: pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35ece995.1304233@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Wed, 02 Sep 1998 08:08:56 +0000, paul <pburke@centuryinter.net>
wrote:

>HI ALL
>Dose any body know mods can be done to a pro 2035?
>
>thanks paul
>
Well, for starters....
1) S-meter
2) Center Tune Meter
3) Extended Delay
4) Auto Tape Record Switch
5) Extended memory
6) Data-Tone Squelch
7) SCA Decoder
Basic mods from internet and the book "THE ULTIMATE SCANNER"
8) Computer interfacing
Optoelectronics OS535
http://www.optoelectronics.com/
PROgramit Interface
http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/
Boondog Automation ISA card interface
http://www.boondog.com/
9) Remote Control (see PROgramit's page)
There are others that can add a few features, but they don't readily
come to mind.

Wiggie

4676. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sk7lm$ji7@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145350

At *your* store, maybe. I bought a $1.69 RF connector, and they charged me
for a catalog.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Michael Borowiec wrote in message <6sk5mgkes1@Mars.mcs.net>...
>In article <1998082321090300.RAA24982@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
>MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote:
>>>From: emoney250@aol.com
>>
>>>Heck, just buy something (I
>>>forget what they minimum limit is) and get a FREE catalog (yes, nothing
is
>>>free).
>>
>>The point is that they are charging for the catalog whether you buy
something
>>or not.
>
>That's bullshit. I just got one free when I bought a $4 extention cable.
>- Mike

4677. New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <3f4_9809021300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145351

-=> Quoting Jenni Lynn to All <=-

JL> I think my boyfriend is cheating on me and I've heard that you can
JL> hear people on their cordless phones. He has one of the cheap one's
JL> from radioshack and he lives 3 floors down from me in a condo. What
JL> kind of scanner do I need to get for this? Are they expensive? Thanks
JL> for any help you can give me.

Write to Ann Landers or Dear Abby.

They're the ones who give better
advice in situations like this.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

4678. Re: DISCRIMINATOR TAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: corriegriffiths@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6skcbghge1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145352

In article <6s7v3oavt1@hornet.fibr.net>,
"Cyber357" <cyber357@nwol.net> wrote:
> I need info on discriminator tap for the PRO-2004.
>
> Steve Baker
>
> cyber357@nwol.net
>
>

I need to tap my Alinco DJ-X10 as the audio stage is junk. Has anyone got any info ?

Here is your info required :-

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-Bill Cheek-

NFM DISCRIMINATOR CHIPS - BASEBAND AUDIO - SQUELCH GATE DATA
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There is a growing interest in tapping the baseband audio out of various scanners for decoding of a variety of esoteric signals, including CTCSS, SCA, FSK, RTTY, FAX, etc. By and large, such signals cannot be take from TAPE REC jacks, headphone jacks, and EXT SPEAKER jacks because of the voice-band filtering that is done between the signal source and these output jacks.

Therefore, it is necessary to tap the "baseband audio" directly at the output of the discriminator chip for your scanner. The below Table shows a list of scanners, the discriminator chip(s) used in the scanner, circuit symbols of those chips, and three pins of general interest on the chips: RF-Input, Scan Control, and, of course, the baseband audio pin.

Even though your scanner may not be listed, if you can find its discriminator chip, it will be listed with one or more scanners below, the pins of which will be the same for your unlisted scanner! Corrections and additions to this list are requested. See my mail and

other addresses at the end of this file.

SCANNER DISCRIMINATOR CHIP PINS OF INTEREST
Updated 7/25/96

SCANNER	NFM CHIP TYPE	SYMBOL	Pin	Pin	BASEBAND
CKT	RF-in		SCAN	AUDIO	
Not known	MPS5071	n/a	16	13	9
AR-1000	TA-7787AF	IC-4	16	none	9
AR-2002	MC-3357P	IC-4	16	13	9
AR-2500	TA-7761P	IC-13	Please verify?		9?
AR-3000	MC-3357P	?	16	13	9
AR-800	MC-3361N	IC-200	16	13	9
AR-900	MC-3361N	IC-201	16	13	9
AR-950	MC-3361N	IC-201	16	13	9
BC-100XL	MC-3359P	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-100XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-200XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-205XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-250	?	IC-3	16	13	9
BC-2500XLT	TK-10930VTL	IC-201	24	-	12-FM 13-AM
BC-3000	NFM/AM TK-10930V	IC-202	24	-	12-NFM 13-AM
BC-3000	WFM TK-10489M	IC-203	20	16-17	11
BC-350A	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
BC-400XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-560XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-700A	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
BC-760XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-2	18	15	10
BC-800XLT	MC-3359P	IC-1	18	15	10
BC-8500XLT	MC-3361BP	IC-9	16	13	9
BC-855XLT	TK-10421M-2	IC-401	20	16	11
BC-890XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
BC-950XLT	NJM-3359D-A	IC-2	18	15	10
HX-1000	TK-10420	U-201	16	13	9
MR-8100	NJM-3359D-A	IC-3	18	15	10
MX-5000	MC-3357P	IC-4	16	13	9
MX-7000	MC-3357P	IC-4	16	13	9
PRO-2002	MC-3357P	IC-101	16	13	9
PRO-2003	MC-3357P	IC-104	16	13	9
PRO-2004	NFM/AM TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9 (TP4)
PRO-2004	WFM KB4419A	IC-1	1	?	6 (TP3)
PRO-2005	NFM/AM TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9 (TP2)
PRO-2005	WFM KA2243N/HA12413	IC-1	1	-	10 (TP1)
PRO-2006	NFM/AM TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9 (TP2)
PRO-2006	WFM KA2243N/HA12413	IC-1	1	-	10 (TP1)
PRO-2011	TK-10420	IC-1	16	13	9
PRO-2020	MC-3357P	IC-101	16	13	9
PRO-2021	TK-10420	IC-2	16	13	9
PRO-2022	MC-3361N	IC-1	16	13	9
PRO-2023	NJM-3359D-A	?	18	15	10

PRO-2024 MC-3361N IC-2 16 13 9
PRO-2025 NJM-3359D-A IC-1 18 15 10
PRO-2026 NJM-3359D-A IC-7 18 15 10
PRO-2027 MC-3361N IC-2 16 13 9
PRO-2028 NJM-3359D-A IC-2 18 15 10
PRO-2030 NJM-3359D-A IC-3 18 15 10
PRO-2035 NFM/AM TK-10420 IC-2 16 13 9 (TP2)
PRO-2035 WFM KA2243N/HA12413 IC-1 1 - 10 (TP1)
PRO-2042 NFM/AM TK-10420 IC-2 16 13 9 (TP2)
PRO-2042 WFM KA2243N/HA12413 IC-1 1 - 10 (TP1)
PRO-23 MC-3361BD IC-1 16 13 9
PRO-26 NFM/AM TK-10930V IC-14 24 - 12-NFM 13-AM
PRO-26 WFM TK-10489M IC-16 20 16-17 11
PRO-31 TK-10420 IC-1 16 13 9
PRO-32 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9
PRO-34 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9
PRO-35 TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
PRO-36 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9
PRO-37 TK-10420 IC-101 16 13 9 (TP103)
PRO-38 MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10
PRO-39 MC-3361N IC-201 16 13 9
PRO-41 MC-3359P IC-1 18 15 10
PRO-42 MC-3361N IC-2 16 13 9
PRO-43 TK-10427/-10420 IC-301 16 13 9
PRO-44 MC-3361N IC-201 16 13 9
PRO-46 TK-10421M-3LT IC-401 20 16 11
PRO-51 MC-3361BD IC-1 16 13 9
PRO-60 ? IC-301 16 13 9
Icom R-1 NFM TK-10487 DET-A IC-1 20 Q1 11
Icom R-1 WFM TA-7787AF DET-B IC-1 16 7 9
R-1600 NJM-3359D-A IC-2 18 15 10
R-4030 TK-10421M-2 IC-401 20 16 11
SR-15 TK-10421D-2 IC-1 16 13 9
TurboScan 2 3130-6056-502 U-201 18 ? 10 or 16
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Please let me have your input and feedback on the above information and Table, especially for additions and corrections, and I will repost it periodically..

Included below my signature line is a *.BMP graphic of a "typical" NFM discriminator chip to assist those who might have difficulty in identifying the one in their scanner. Save this message to a *.TXT file and then run UUDECODE on it to retrieve the archive file, TK10930.ZIP. Run PKUNZIP on that file and then use any graphic viewer to review the image (not copyrighted).

Thanks,

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| Bill Cheek E-mail: bcheek@cts.com FidoNet: 1:202/731 |
| COMMtronics Engineering Compuserve: 74107,1176 |
| World Scanner Report Voice Phone: (619) 578-9247 1:30pm-5:30pm |
| PO Box 262478 BBS & FAX: after 5:30pm & before 1:30pm |
| San Diego, CA 92196-2478 24-hrs, weekends/holidays |
| WWW home page: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek |
| FTP Sites: ftp://ftp.cts.com/pub/bcheek |
| ftp://ftp.cts.com/users/crash/b/bcheek |
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-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4679. Re: Spam From Bill's 2-Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6skaa4$r4e@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145353

In <35ED9902.11313C25@bills2way.com> Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
writes:
>
>I know some folks in the enws Group hate this, but once in a while
>it can't hurt.
>
>New BC-235XLT $189.95
>
>New BC-895XLT $209.95
>
>Free UPS ground if you mention this post and order by
>September 7, 1998
>
>--
>====================================
>Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
>mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
>http://www.bills2way.com
>====================================

So mr bill, what is this?

Is this some commercial advertisement?

Is this some ad for "many units to sell?"

Is this designed to entice people to
want what you have , not knowing if
you offer a guarantee?

is this designed to whet people's
reasons for having wet dreams not
knowing how soon you "let it go"
out to us?

mr. bill, please, if you are going
to "sneak one in on us" then at least
sneak the full box of goodies you
want to have us open ....

bill conduit
etc.

4680. Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Evert <nospam@nospam.gov>
Message-ID: <35EDABE9.6BC3441B@nospam.gov>
Source record: 145354

With alot of cities switching to digital trunked radio systems, we need to put pressure on the manufacturers to start making digital capable scanners. The only one I've seen is by AOR but isn't available yet.

Tom

4681. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6skbdj$7pp@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

KC7ZRU <KC7ZRUnospam@cyberhighway.net> wrote:
>Part 97.403:
>97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
>means of radiocommunication at its disposal ...

Again I ask, at an "amateur station," just what equipment would be
at one's disposal? (You might want to look up the definition of
"amateur station" in Part 97 prior to answering. You won't find
any mention of out-of-band gear.)

>... to provide essential
>communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
>and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems
>are not available.

"Normal communication systems" at an "amateur station:"
amateur band transceivers and telephone.

Jeff KH2PZ

4682. question about sportcat 150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6skbr7cqn1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145356

I have heard that you can not program high and low limits for the sportcat to do searches. Are these limits preset? If so, what presets are in the scanner? Is it fire, police, weather only, or will it also include buisnesses, walkie talkies, etc. Would anyone recommend this as a good scanner? Thanks for the info.

4683. Re: BC 2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090221162400.RAA28220@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145357

I think you have the specifications for the BC3000.As far as i am aware the BC2500 doesn't have data skip, selectable mode(AM,WFM,NFM) or programmable scan delay

4684. Re: New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35EDB5B9.EE53203B@mindspring.com>
Source record: 145358

ANY scanner that allows you to program the frequencies (as opposed to inserting crystals) you buy, including ones from the pawn shop, will work in the frequency band you will probably need to monitor. You will want at least 25 channels on the scanner and a better antenna. The frequencies you need can be found at any decent scanner site. Please keep in mind that listening to telephone conversations without permission in illegal. If you did happen to overhear something and disclosed it to anyone, theoretically you could be arrested. If you would like more help just email me.

Jay

Jenni Lynn wrote:

> I think my boyfriend is cheating on me and I've heard that you can
> hear people on their cordless phones. He has one of the cheap one's
> from radioshack and he lives 3 floors down from me in a condo. What
> kind of scanner do I need to get for this? Are they expensive? Thanks
> for any help you can give me.

4685. Re: New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <drayf@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35EDBADB.D6E647D7@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145359

Jenni,
If you will e-mail me direct, i`ll try to
help.....Darrell

Jenni Lynn wrote:

> I think my boyfriend is cheating on me and I've heard that you can
> hear people on their cordless phones. He has one of the cheap one's
> from radioshack and he lives 3 floors down from me in a condo. What
> kind of scanner do I need to get for this? Are they expensive? Thanks
> for any help you can give me.

4686. Re: New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1057620af29dbb34989745@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145360

I monitored a psycho neighbor once during our time living next door to them. It turned out that she was having multiple affairs behind his back. As a result he took on a distant girl friend on the side. What a saga. LOL. Mr. Spelling could use some of this stuff on Melrose Place.

4687. Radio Shack freq counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35EDBB9A.1D32@hotmail.com>
Source record: 145361

1)Is this thing any good?
2)How far can it pick up freq's? Almost bought one today but I wanna make sure they work ok.
3)Or would the Opto Scout be a better buy?
I'm looking for a cheap alternative to the Opto Xplorer if anyone knows of one. Basicly something that picks up freq's and DTMF.... Any help would be appreciated.

Shan (dazed & confused)

4688. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell <drayf@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35EDC121.CE72FEC9@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145362

Anyone have any info on this aor digital scanner? Darrell-Roa-
noke, va.

Tom Evert wrote:

> With alot of cities switching to digital trunked radio
> systems, we need to put pressure on the manufacturers to
> start making digital capable scanners. The only one I've
> seen is by AOR but isn't available yet.
>
> Tom

4689. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35EDBC70.23B7@hotmail.com>
Source record: 145363
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I got mine for free today. Went in there and asked them where the free coupons were like on last years catalog. The next thing I know, I'm walikg out of there with a free catalog.....thought it was pretty cool.

4690. Re: MN State Parks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Schmidt <bryschmidt@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35EDB86E.D916F5B4@mindspring.com>
Source record: 145364

try 151.1900

Danno wrote:

> Anyone know the Frequencies used by the MN State Parks personnel?
> Email me

4691. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6skhka$196k$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 145365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6skbdj$7pp@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> KC7ZRU <KC7ZRUnospam@cyberhighway.net> wrote:
|> >Part 97.403:
|> >97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
|> >No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
|> >means of radiocommunication at its disposal ...
|>
|> Again I ask, at an "amateur station," just what equipment would be
|> at one's disposal? (You might want to look up the definition of
|> "amateur station" in Part 97 prior to answering. You won't find
|> any mention of out-of-band gear.)

There is no definition of "amateur station" in Part 97. (at least in my copy dated March 19, 1996)

You also won't find mention of SWR meters, microphones, tables, chairs, CW keys, power supplies, etc. in Part 97. Is it your contention that these are not permitted to be at the disposal of an amateur station?

|>
|> >... to provide essential
|> >communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
|> >and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems
|> >are not available.
|>
|> "Normal communication systems" at an "amateur station:"
|> amateur band transceivers and telephone.
|>
|> Jeff KH2PZ
|>

--
de KB5YAC
Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
--
All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

4692. pro60 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave's Online Gaming Service <dogs@madmzone.com>
Message-ID: <35EDC404.8D730963@madmzone.com>
Source record: 145366

hi

looking for a pro 60 handheld scanner from radio shack.
please email price
Steve

4693. Re: Drop the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd6c6$193def80$41dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 145367
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John,
Is that an echo we hear?

Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org> wrote in article <35EC48AA.B05@parg.org>...
>
> And I haven't seen YOU post anything related to scanning either. All
> I seen you post is your whinning & bellyaching. Don't you ever get
> tired of causing trouble?
>

4694. Re: Tech toyz micro counter question!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd6c6$9c29dda0$41dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 145368
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Yep, I got one. Works great if you make your own antenna.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Rick <chyzy@megsinet.net> wrote in article
<35EC95F9.D6E15CF5@megsinet.net>...
> Has anyone used one of these?.......or are they a waste of money?......
>
>

4695. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd6c5$c8defc00$41dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 145369

John,
What goes around, comes around. See what you started?

Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote in article <35ED8F5F.707B@parg.org>...

> Never mind, this whole thing is stupid!

4696. Re: Seeking Disposition Codes for Virginia Beach Police Dept.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: vanr86@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090223020900.TAA06481@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145370
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>Hello, I am in search of disposition codes and the 10 codes used by
>the Virginia Beach, VA Police Dept.

If you get this information I would like to add it to my web page. You might want to check it out www.geocities.com/bourbonstreet/bayou/2208. You might also check out www.geocities.com/thetropics/paradise/5341/rp2.html The guy that runs this page lives on the Southside.

Van
Van
KF4CDN

Check out the
Hampton Roads Scanner Page
www.geocities.com/BourbonStreet/Bayou/2208

4697. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: aellery@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090223062300.TAA10723@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145371
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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>
Subject: Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance
>From: "cenick"
>Date: Wed, Sep 2, 1998 13:38 EDT
>Message-id: <6sjvs7$qmg@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
>
>Are you sure?
>Sam Maynard wrote in message <35f25d4d.42447679@news>...
>>Is that in US dollars?
>>
>>I bought my Pro-2042 for $169 about 3 or 4 months ago. I think they
>>went as low as $150.
>>
>>Sam
>>
>>On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 16:48:58 GMT, warrior@iconn.net (Lou (Soo)
>>Papineau) wrote:
>>
>>>I just picked up a PRO-2041 for 119.95
>>>
>>>I saw the PRO-2042 is also on clearance for
>>>249.95 (from 399.99).
>>>
>>>Lou
>>>
>>
>
>
>

I bought my PRO-2042 on May 1, 1998 and the clearance price was $299. Maybe
I'm shopping at the wrong RS or perhaps we have model confusion.

Allen
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4698. Re: Tech toyz micro counter question!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: O9's <onines@jps.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd6e1$92802820$58388ed1@ibm-clone>
Source record: 145372

If you could stand a dumb question, where do you get one of these? Tx.
Steve, AC6FR

Curlinob <curlinob@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980902023719900.WAA04114@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
> >Has anyone used one of these?.....or are they a waste of money?.....
>
> I have the micro counter, I also own a Opto Scout. I think the Tech Toy
is
> worth thr $99 I paid it. The Scout performs better and is better built,
but
> costs four times the price, also the Scout is very noticeable when freq
hunting
> while the Micro counter is not so conspicuous. The mico counter's case is
a
> little flimsy. Over all I'm happy with the Micro counter.
>
>
>

4699. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie Hewgley <eddieNoSpam@hotcom.net>
Message-ID: <35EDD9ED.67B2D187@hotcom.net>
Source record: 145373
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Skeeter Abell-Smith wrote:
>
> Greg Knox wrote:
> >
> > Where do these rumors get started? The BC235 is NOT being
> > discontinued. In fact I just finished testing the new squelch mod for
> > it not long ago and that improvement hasn't even hit the streets yet,
> > never mind being discontinued.
>
> what squelch mod? What's the effect?
>

It might as well be discontinued. My business in Nashville, Tn uses
Motorola truncked system, and we are having to switch over to Nextel at
the end of the year because Motorola is doing away with the truncked
systems. At least that's what I heard.

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Regards, Eddie Hewgley
The above message is just a sample of my
ramblings. To see more, visit me at:
http://www.hotcom.net/users/eddie

4700. Re: Spam From Bill's 2-Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090223341300.TAA10139@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145374

>Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
>writes:
>>
>>I know some folks in the enws Group hate this, but once in a while
>>it can't hurt.

Oh, I don't know about that Mr. Bill. You're not going to see a dime from me.

Your business acumen is rather startling. You know that posting your commercial message will antagonize some potentila customers, but hell, you decided to do it anyway. Makes me wonder just what you will do or won't do once you glommed onto a fellow's hard-earned bucks.

4701. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <bcarty1@csi.com>
Message-ID: <35EDCA8E.40E3659D@csi.com>
Source record: 145375

David Guna wrote:

> Lets say for example I am riding my mtn. bike down the Virginia Beach
> boardwalk, with my scanner, and I hear something interesting on the
> police channel so I decide to check it out, yet not get in the way at
> all (across the street). Is there any legal issues that I should be
> aware of? I have been doing this for sometime now with out a problem
> (most of the time beating the police to the 10-20) Again I am not
> getting in the way at all, both for my own personal safety, and
> respect to the officers..
>

The only the risk I see is accidently becoming part of the incident by the incident coming over to where you are. But as long as you are not an active participant, and you move when a dully authorized official tells you and you don't cause problem at the scene then there should be no problem.

Just remember though any active situation can quicly get out of hand even if it looks basicly under control. Trust me on this as a responder to emergency incidnets I've seen a lot of harmless looking stuff suddenly turn nasty by just forgetting about brother murphy. So in a word be careful, and do what you've said you've been doing.
Bill Carty

> Thanks for your time,
>
> David
>
> davideguna@vabch.com

4702. Looking for a scanner...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6skpam$a3t$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 145376
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking for a decent scanner for around $50USD or less. I prefer Uniden (but beggars cant be choosers) all it needs to have is aircraft freq. and I prefer it to be modifiable (but beggers cant be choosers, again). Thank you for your help.

Mike

4703. Seeking Disposition Codes for Virginia Beach Police Dept.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davideguna@vabch.com
Message-ID: <%I2H1.2489$bz4.8362482@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 145377

Hello, I am in search of disposition codes and the 10 codes used by
the Virginia Beach, VA Police Dept.

Thanks for your time,
David
davideguna@vabch.com

4704. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd61c$c535aee0$bb685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 145378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

> > When I go to bed at night, I close my eyes, and in the darkness I see:
Re:EMERGENCY Transmission!!

> > DenB.....djmr26@bestweb.net

Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com> wrote in article
<35ECADF7.74@ccnet.com>...
> Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> >
> > <To Rich Mulvey and Curtis Wheeler, also>
> >
> > > No, he can't. I've asked a couple of times, and, after wading
> > >through the sea of back-pedaling, he always comes back with, "Look it
> > >up yourself."
> >
> > Yes, I can.
> >
> > I've decided to look some up for you, and they are below. These are
cases
> > where amateurs have been prosecuted and/or had equipment confiscated.
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>
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384661544&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi

> > tnum=9
>
> A story from someone about "someone" that he thinks called the police
> over "soemthing" and he thinks was prosecuted by the feds. It may have
> been 15 years ago. I could make up a story like that. Would it be
> fact?
>
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>
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383365056&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi

> > tnum=10
>
> This one sounds like the southern CA case. Apparently that ham did not
> make a reasonable attempt to try something else first. And he was NOT
> prosecuted. The story goes that he avoided prosecution by surrendering
> his radio - I wonder what would have happened should he have chose to
> take a chance in court, and if the local authoirties would have taken it
> that far.?

>
> No prosecution.
>
> >
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383370857&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi

> > tnum=20
>
> Another story like yours that just says "it happens all the time".
>
>
>http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383551810&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&h
i
> > tnum=26
>
> Not even close to an example someone someone being prosecuted.
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>
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=383596445&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&hi

> > tnum=27
>
> An irrelavant story about a fireman that stole some 800 MHz gear.
>
> > Other good article:
> >
http://x11.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=384002764.1&CONTEXT=904659991.95223835&

> > hitnum=25
>
> Great article - but it doesn't support your position.
>
> > How's that?
>
> Well Ry - it sucked. Any idiot could have told DejaNews to search for
> the word "prosecuted" in a newsgroups and come up with a list of posts.
> But if you want to use them make a point you should read them first.
>
>
> Regards
>
> --
> Curtis
> "Fast Forward"
>

4705. Re: fla.trunked id's broward county frt lauderdale help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090202573000.WAA07425@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145379

u have a page help me MORON HERE!!

4706. MA police depts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: packy41@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35ecb72c.257668@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 145380

If anyone has the freq and PL codes for Southwick MA police, and
Agawam MA police and fire, it would be a big help! Thanks!

packy41@yahoo.com

4707. Re: Pro-64 mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35ecb566.11536093@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 145381

Ken Plotkin's website has lots of PRO-64 and PRO-2041 information:

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

CATHY

On Tue, 1 Sep 1998 16:01:45 -0400, "dan" <dow1@earthlink.net> wrote:

>i need the mod for the radio shack pro-64 scanner. if any one has it please
>e-mail me at Dow1@earthlink.net.
>
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>dan thanx
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>

4708. Re: CE-232 vs Opto 456/456 lite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35edb954.11130657@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If you would like to see some new software for the CE-232
hers is some info on it

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

Since the OS456 no longer supports any sort of decoding the
only advantage I see that it has is that it can speed up your scan
speed but still will not program your scanner, and the only version
you can get will not work in your 2004 if you have one, the CE-232
will do all this and more and if you have the memory mod done on you
r 2004/5/6 you can even program them.

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 06:07:54 GMT, wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:

>On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 22:35:19 -0600, "Ramon Vega"
><vegar@sprintmail.com> wrote:

>
>>Can anyone provide info on the advantages/disadvantages/likes/dislikes of
>>these two interfaces for the Pro-2006? The Opto seems to have more s/w
>>support while the CE-232 seems to have the advantage of being able to
>>program frequencies into the scanner. Thanks
>>
>>
>I have posted similar items in the past. I think that you can click on
>the following link and find what you are looking for:
>http://x3.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=362449843&CONTEXT=904673447.1387528214&hitnum=3
>
>Wiggie

4709. Re: Radio Shack Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: catz@netrox.net
Message-ID: <35efbcf6.293850938@news.netrox.net>
Source record: 145383

"richard flores" <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> wrote:

>
>I forgot I'm in South Florida. I want 800mhz, Do I need trunking?
>Anything else to look for?
>Rick
>
Some of the systems down here use Motorola systems that you will be
able to pick up with the Pro 90 (Uniden BC235XLT). Some of the other
systems (FHP) use digital trunktracking. Yet still others use
Erickson systems (Coral Gables) which the 90 will not pick up except
in normal scanning mode. Miami Beach is a Type II Motorola and City
of Miami is a type I. Pick up a copy of the South Florida Trunking
Guide from:

scannerdude@juno.com

10 bucks. That will help you out a great deal. One other note: the
Uniden model comes with an extra battery and charger that the RS unit
doesn't have. Other than that (and an attenuator function) they are
the same radio.

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"As nightfall does not come all at once, neither does
oppression. In both instances, there is a twilight.
And it is in such twilight that we all must be aware
of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
become unwitting victims of the darkness."

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas
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http://www.netrox.net/~catz

The Y2K Problem
An Introduction for the Layperson
http://www.miamionthenet.com/y2k.htm

4710. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hose92@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090204192200.AAA14961@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145384

get the new catalog there will be a t t mobile model avaiable soon.looks like
the pro 2046

4711. GOLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: g <g@g.net>
Message-ID: <6sig5u$bt0@news1.snet.net>
Source record: 145385
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Are there any shareware/freeware programs out there that will decode this mode?

-G

4712. POCFLEX and Optolinx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: g <g@g.net>
Message-ID: <6sig33$brv@news1.snet.net>
Source record: 145386
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Has anyone had any luck getting POCFLEX to work with an Optoelectronics Optolinx interface? Mine works fine with other programs like PD203 but doesn't detect any data with POCFLEX.

G

4713. FS: Alinco 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Chamberlain and Rachael Rhoads <mailto>
Message-ID: <35ECD22B.3480@epix.net>
Source record: 145387
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

FOR SALE:

ALINCO DJ-F1T 2M COMPACT HT, GOOD CONDITION. HIGH CAPACITY NI-CAD PACK (GIVES MAX 5 WATTS RF), DUCK ANTENNA AND BELT CLIP. RADIO HAS 40 MEMORY CHANNELS, PLUS CALL CHANNEL AND VFO. EXTENDED TX/RX ENABLED. MEMORY AND VFO SCAN WITH PRIORITY AND TIMED SCAN. BACKLIT LCD DISPLAY AND DTMFKEYPAD. PHONE DIALER MEMORY AND PAGING. MANY OTHER FEATURES. TRICKLE BATT CHARGER. JACKS FOR SPEAKER MIKE AND EXTERNAL 12V POWER SOURCE. FEW SCRATCHES BUT TROUBLE FREE OPERATION (WELL USED BECAUSE IT "USES" WELL). GREAT RADIO. MY BROTHER ALSO HAS ONE AND LOVES HIS. GREAT SENSITIVITY AND I ALWAYS GOT GOOD SINGNAL/AUDIO REPORTS. I UPGRADED TO A NEW HT AND NOW AM NOT USING THE ALINCO ANYMORE.

IN ORIGINAL BOX WITH MANUAL AND SCHEMATIC: $125.00

(I will ship by secure means to satisfacton of buyer!!!)

Chris Chamberlain, N3PVZ
Reading, PA
mailto:ccrc@epix.net if interested.

4714. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Kaye" <dkaye@rci.rutgers.edu>
Message-ID: <6sikk0$t7f$2@newsmonger.rutgers.edu>
Source record: 145388
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

If everyone is upset with CEI's shipping policies simply do not buy from them! It is CEI's prerogative to charge what they feel is prudent. Conversely, it is our right to buy from any establishment that we wish. I mean if you ate in a restaurant and felt the food was not worth the money you would probably not eat there again. I choose not to buy from CEI. But that is only my opinion. If others want to shop with them so be it. Oh, BTW Ken if I ever need 600 BC-235's I might then consider calling CEI. Just my .04.

Dave

4715. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Kaye" <dkaye@rci.rutgers.edu>
Message-ID: <6sikqq$t94$2@newsmonger.rutgers.edu>
Source record: 145389
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Dave

4716. FS:Mobile VHF Motorola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Chamberlain and Rachael Rhoads <mailto>
Message-ID: <35ECD6A8.937@epix.net>
Source record: 145390
Cross-posted to: misc.emerg-services,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

USED RADIO FOR SALE

Motorola Radius 8 Channel VHF Mobile Radio. Perfect condition, no operating problems. Used for Fire/Rescue Service in my personal vehicle. 136-172 MHz frequency range. Dealer programable. With Radius microphone and power cable. GREAT DEAL!!!

$300.00

(I can arrange for pre-shipping programming for small additional fee)

EXTRA!!! Glass mount VHF-HI antenna (used) for above radio. Flat black, cellular "look-a-like" style. Only needs antenna remount kit (or double sided tape!!) Great reception and low profile!! Perfect condition. Paid $40.00 new. Will toss in for $15.00.

mailto:ccrc@epix.net for more information

Chris Chamberlain N3PVZ
Reading PA

4717. Question: Help identify transmission on a cell modified Pro-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <35ecdac6.9028786@news>
Source record: 145391
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I did the switchable cell mod on my Pro-64 as described on http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/ging.htm . While switched to "Cell Mod" mode, I came across some (what I think is an electric company) transmission and after each transmission are some variable tones. The frequency I get this on is 42.400 MHz, which is CHP Santa Ana Dispatch (Purple) Channel.

I recorded one of the transmissions to a .WAV format. It's probably not protocal to upload any files to this newsgroup. Anybody interested in listening to this recording and try and i.d the tones for me and/or tell me what frequency I'm really listening too? I can email the file to anyone that's interested.

Thanks,
Sam

4718. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35ECDD94.5ED3@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 145392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Karl Beckman wrote:
> No, Cliff, as I stated in my original posting, 97.403 applies ONLY to
> "these rules," that is Subpart E entitled Providing Emergency
> Communications.

Well, I'm not a lawyer *either*, but as a lawyer explained to me, if that were true they'd have said "this Subpart" or "this section" instead of "these rules". "These rules" is ambiguous, but though it might seem that it could be stretched to mean the whole of 47 CFR (FCC regs), just about any court would hold the narrowest logical interpretation, i.e. Part 97.

> It does NOT allow operation outside amateur bands, and
> it requires that normal communications be out of service due to natural
> disaster before "Out of class" operating priveledges apply.

It doesn't prohibit operation outside amateur bands, and it does say that Part 97 doesn't prohibit same under conditions of emergency. It says absolutely nothing about "natural disaster" or "operating privileges".

> Note that
> we're not talking about the original Communications Act of 1933 - that
> has long since been superceded by 47CFR, which is itself regularly
> updated and modified.

Nope again. We aren't talking about the Communications Act, true, but that Act was not superseded by 47 CFR at all and could not be superseded by anything in the Code of Federal Regulations (which basically consists of "operating manuals" for Congressionally-created government agencies, and rules by and for those agencies).

I believe it was the Act of 1934, but I'll chalk that up to key proximity.

> Separate rules, NOT part of Part 97, apply to operating on the public
> safety frequencies in question and the issue of type acceptance. They
> ALL are binding!

I said that. :-)

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

4719. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090205403800.BAA22995@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145393

As long as the activity is in plain view while you are standing on public property then you should be ok, assuming that you don't interfere either deliberately or accidentally with the officers.

JW

4720. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090205375300.BAA26775@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145394

>Thanks for the info. Did MT do a review of the mobile or have anyother data
>in
>addition to basic specifications. In other words, did they offer any
>opinions
>of the mobile unit?
>
No, nobody has done any reviews. I find it interesting that the mobile is
triple conversion. Previous RS and Uniden mobiles have all been dual
conversion, and very susceptible to images and intermod (just ask the Pro-2046
in my car!).

JW

4721. Atlanta Area Anyone??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35ED197F.24AA065F@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145395

Is there any clubs or anything around here???
Im new at the scanning scene as some of you may know by some of my postings. Imm looking far anyone in the area who could point me to some cool frequencies to check out. I have found a few of the local dispathes and Marta stuff....and some EMS. I was wodering if anyone could let me know what they found. I have already checked on the web for frequecies but most seem to be really OUTDATED......
so let me know...

scott

4722. Re: cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_alpha1 <kaliber@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35ED05E3.98FB5F80@pacbell.net>
Source record: 145396
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello me_fitz .....
There are an array of considerations when listening to cellular
(where its legal ..like there in Canada) .....considerations like
general scanning ...listening to (or following) the same conversation
as it hops site to site .....mapping sites to locate users ..mapping
sites to follow users .....using Banpaia DDI to identify mobile
phone numbers .....cheap and easy DDI's ...cellular activity monitors ..
(units kinda like trunking monitors ...except for cellfones) .....and
zillions of other listening interests. Do NOT use WIDE fm to listen
to cellular ..as some that posted here suggested ...they are
misinformed. Here are a few sites that can get you started ....
the Motorola Bible ..(found with-in some of these url's) is an
excallent overall text about cellular freqs and band construction.
http://radiophone.dhp.com/ DrWho's older site .....
http;//home.pacbell.net/kaliber/cellpage.html my links on cell
http://homepages.ihug.co.nz/~ugh/ DrWhos' new pages
http://www.crossbar.demon.co.uk/ ..ph.uk's home page ....

There are many more ....like IOpht and banpaia ..etc ...but
these will get you started.....

a_alpha1 - TIgEas LAiR

email me if you want specific info on particular topics...

me_fitz@iname.com wrote:

> Can anyone recommend a good FAQ on listening to cells and/or a cell channel
> guide fro Vancouver BC?
>
> Thanks.

4723. Re: Free Pro-64 Freq download software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <e9s6UeI19GA.222@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145397
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Go to this home page, Cathy DeViney wrote an Excel Macro works very well.
Just make certain to load the math libraries described in the spreadsheet
instructions. If they are included the calculations will yield a result
something like "#NAME" in the first column.

Ivan Ivanovich

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

Highcove Family wrote in message <35EB5A64.3135@worldnet.att.net>...
>I was wondering if anyone knew of any freq download software for the
>Pro-64 that is free? I know Programmit and Radio Manager are popular,
>but I do not need any of the advanced options. Would it be possible to
>do it with some kind of Excel macro? (Somebody help me out, I'm in over
>my head)

4724. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Messick <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35ED3993.1DBF139@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145398

See the way I see it is this....There are all sorts of waves floating around us and penetrating us everyday. If there is a way to detect these waves...we have a right to see what they are.......

ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF YOU AGREE
> RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT BANING THEM.
>
> THANKS.
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4725. Re: BC895XLT Memory Clearing Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eRpUs0k19GA.155@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145399

"Someone" <hellawaitsyou@afterlife.com> asked for:
> ... the code that clears the entire memory of my trunk tracker..

Press Manual & 2 & 9 during power-on.

4726. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <OfnE1pl19GA.154@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145400

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6shtdm$3i7@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>...

<<<Cut out stuff here>>>

> they are not up on the subject and have no idea
> what is on the horizon
>

Ever go into Wal Mart, Circuit City, Lowes or some other mass merchandising store to ask about product lines? Let's face it folks the menial jobs in the service industry are not permanent place for employment. Every electronics oriented Newsgroup beats up on this dead issue of clueless RS employees to death. Maybe it is about time to let it drop.

> or the distance to the toilet.....
>

Exactly how far is it, expressed both in feet and meters to a tolerance of +/- 1 unit, from the precise place where you sitting right at the moment this message is read. Then answer the question in 25 words or less as to why any one would care.

<<< and here >>>
>
> so, who knows about the new mobile scanner.
> from Radio Shack.
>

Got basic information I needed to purchase from the sales flier. Picked up a Refurbished PRO-90, model # 20-520 at the RS Outlet store in Groveport OH for $149.95. The salesperson, named Tom, was a Ham with over 20 years of electronic warfare expertise. He owned a PRO-90 to listen to Columbus trunking system, and showed me basic operation.

Ivan Ivanovich

4727. Clearing Channels from BC200xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Polcyn <rob_polcyn@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6sj6rp$ha4$1@news.iag.net>
Source record: 145401

Could someone please refresh my memory on how to clear all the channels on my BC200xlt. I have done this before but for the life of me cannot recall how I did it.

Thanks.

4728. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sj8b9$p7n$0@207.18.224.97>
Source record: 145402
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On Wed, 2 Sep 1998 01:16:26 -0400, "David M. Kaye"
<dkaye@rci.rutgers.edu> wrote:

>If everyone is upset with CEI's shipping policies simply do not buy from
>them! It is CEI's prerogative to charge what they feel is prudent.

And of course, in addition to not buying from them, we also have the
prerogative to discuss those reasons on the internet.

4729. RS Pro-2004 Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry L Sherwood <BARRYSHERWOOD@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sj8nv$8bhm$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145403

I am in need of a schematic of the Radio Shack Pro-2004 scanner. Anyone have one of these? I would be willing to pay a reasonable price for a good copy of the schematic.

Thanks
Barry

4730. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35ED2B21.562527CE@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 145404

JTWard01 wrote:
> No, nobody has done any reviews. I find it interesting that the mobile is
> triple conversion. Previous RS and Uniden mobiles have all been dual
> conversion, and very susceptible to images and intermod (just ask the Pro-2046
> in my car!).

I'm sure this is all part of the push to appease the FCC/CTIA with
all scanners being triple conversion with the 60dB image rejection
specs Uniden has offered up.

Part that scares me is that the 2066 has 150 channels...just like
the PRO-91...which is the worst performing TT made thus far.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

4731. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrior@iconn.net
Message-ID: <35ee395c.2889517@news.iconn.net>
Source record: 145405
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 02 Sep 1998 01:21:32 GMT, geovet@thevision.net (George
Vetterle) wrote:

->It's pretty hard to beat a deal like that on a 400 channel scanner.
->If you haven't already done so, check out Ken Plotkin's Scanner
->Page for info on the PRO-64/2041.
->
->http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

Thanks! Now only if I can find a memory mod.......

Lou

4732. TO JW (WAS: Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
Message-ID: <6sjgmn$eo4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145406

Screw you, asshole. Get a life and quit worrying about me. What, do you flame every person who asks for a cell mod? What the hell do you think a scanner is for? EAVSDROPPING DICKHEAD! I have a boss and a wife already. I don't need some two-bit self promoted airwaves marshall telling me what to do. If you don't have a useful reply to my post then shut the hell up. No one wants to listen to you lecture me. If what you have to say on a cellphone is so damn important, get 35 cents and use a payphone. That's what the cops do when they don't want to use the radio. If the cops can figure that out why the hell can't you? It's not my responsibility to ensure the confidentiality of your conversations, it's not the government's, it' YOURS!!. Why don't YOU GROW UP, get a clue and figure this out for youself.

> >Maybe that's 'cause it doesn't exist! Grow up and quit eavesdropping on
> private
> >conversations.
> >
> >JW
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4733. Re: Buying from Communications Electronics, Inc. can be a BAD BAD BAD experience!! Beware or get burned.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35ED4898.403F@mc.net>
Source record: 145407
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Blake Bowers wrote:

> And of course, in addition to not buying from them, we also have the
> prerogative to discuss those reasons on the internet.

There is a BIG difference between a logical discussion and just repeating the same meaningless nonsense over and over and over again.

Just do business with some one else if there polices don't sit with you!

It is really that simple...Did CEI or anyone else FORCE any of you to do business with them??? I don't think so.

If you have a brain and can read then you get what you get..IT"S your decision!

Enough of this... Actually it is really funny to watch some of you blowing a "nut" over this...Have fun..be happy..

4734. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rizm@nullspamgate.net
Message-ID: <35ed41cd.377662214@news.gate.net>
Source record: 145408

After you read the "written law" I think the important thing is "installed." If I had an alarm intalled, or a radio installed, they wouldn't just leave it on the seat. It gets mounted to the dashboard which is part of the vehicle frame. So I would think, having the scanner on the seat would be fine. I usually have mine laying on the console with an antenna connected and a power lead connected. I've heard that this could also be defined as installed. I guess sometimes you just can't win. When you live in a police state, anything they want can be defined by them and for them.
Rich

On Sun, 23 Aug 1998 10:10:12 GMT, catz@netrox.net (Catz) wrote:

>
>I have heard different things about using a scanner in a car in
>Florida (Miami in particular, Dade County).
>
>Some people have told me it is flat out illegal unless one has an
>amateur ham license. If this is the case, I would be curious as to
>exactly what level license one would need to operate legally.
>
>Others have told me that it is perfectly legal to do so providing the
>scanner is not permanently mounted in the car.
>
>I'm trying to figure out if anyone knows what the real scoop is on
>this and if they have a statue they could point me to on the web
>verifying same.
>

4735. RS Pro-2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Zabel <tezabel@tezabel.com>
Message-ID: <6sjisf$bs3@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 145409

I have a Pro-2026 that I use in my car. It's switched through the ignition and after a few days my freqs disappear. Apparently this scanner does not have a battery (I've looked for it). It charges a cap to keep the memory when the power is off. What a stupid design for a mobile scanner. Is there any way to wire in a battery? Or, I've been thinking of getting a mobile trunck-tracker to replace it. Any good recommendations (that has a backup battery)? I need at least 100 channels and would like to be able to dump the freqs to a computer for backup.
Thanks!

Todd E. Zabel
ICQ: 5891127
Amateur Radio: N9JXA
Email: tezabel@tezabel.com
WWW: http://www.tezabel.com

"Eccl. 10:2 A wise man¹s heart {directs him} toward the right, but the foolish man¹s heart {directs him} toward the left. "-NASV

4736. Re: Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35ed4eec.212340@n3.idirect.com>
Source record: 145410

Hi Scott

Take for instance a normal walkie talkie, when the "Talk" button is pressed, the talkie is programmed to transmit on a fixed frequency, let's say, for example, 153.650... all the other talkies are also set to listen on to that frequency and will receive the transmission.

Now, with trunk tracking, the talkie (or, for that matter, the transmitting device) has several frequencies programmed in it that it can use to transmit on, and all the other talkies also have that set of frequencies preprogrammed on it to "listen" on to.

So, what decides which frequency of this set to transmit on ?
A computer. It transmts sub-audiable tones instructing all the talkies to change their listening and transmitting frequencies to another, and these signals are sent as often as a few seconds or as far as a day or two, it depends on the type of organization.

WIth a computer in control, it enables several companies to share the same trunk frequencies while the computer takes care that they don't conflict. so, while listening on your local police chasing a nutcase on the highway on 500.0Mhz (for example), the computer might instruct their talkies to jump to another frequencies, while also instructing the talkies of the construction workers across the street to start using the 500.0Mhz frequency.

So, you can either start searching all the frequencies until you find the police officer again, which is usually time consuming, or get a trunktracker which will find it for you by also utilizing the computer-generated signal that tells there talkies which frequency to go to :)

Hope that was of help.

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 17:47:53 -0700, Scott Messick
<gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu> wrote:

>Could someone please give me a quick, breif explination of what A trunk
>tracker is....
>

Mina Naguib
a.k.a. Dafrog
http://dafrog.cjb.net

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my

email address.

4737. Re: Need Help With BearCat 210 scanner!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospam-shoop@tctc.com>
Message-ID: <6sjivh$ga5$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 145411

The 210 is easy to program. I have an old 210xlt 40 channel so I hope this will help.

First you need to get some frequencies for the area you live in. You can get a starter list from this site: http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm

When you get a few frequencies for your area, turn the scanner on. hit MANUAL. Press 1 then MANUAL. This will put you on channel 1. Type in a frequency and hit the ENTER key. I then hit the DELAY key which will keep it from scanning for 2 seconds after someone transmits so you can here a response. Now hit 2 and then MANUAL. You are now on channel 2 and ready to put in a frequency for this channel. Just keep repeating the process over and over until all the channels are full.

The scanner range for the one you have doesn't cover the 800 mhz range but you will probably get stuff in the 150.0 - 156.0 range and the 450.0 and 465.0 range.

You can scan just between those ranges by hitting MANUAL then say put in 150.0 hit LIMIT then hit 157.0 and hit LIMIT now hit SEARCH. Now you can search between those frequencies for new ones.

The WX button is your local weather.

The L/O is lock out. When your scanning and you don't want to hear a channel then hit that button on that channel and it will skip over it during a scan.

Some very common frequencies that work almost everywhere:
Ambulance 155.340
Police to Police 155.370
Red Cross 42.42 - Never heard any thing on that one yet.
Other Police stuff 155.055, 155.475

I hope this helps you out. the 210 was one of my first scanners and I still use it. Good luck and if you need any more help just let me know....

Brian
http://www.tctc.com/~shoop/brian.html

miliman9@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6shecf$1l6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I need to know how to scan different channels on a Bearcat 210 scanner.
>I'm am just 14 and trying to get into the hobby of Scanning.Please Help!!!!
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4738. pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul <pburke@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <35ECFD18.566D319E@centuryinter.net>
Source record: 145412

HI ALL
Dose any body know mods can be done to a pro 2035?

thanks paul

4739. Re: Keynote Pagers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <6sjln4$iqj@acmey.gatech.edu>
Source record: 145413
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always
take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4740. Re: MA police depts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tinwhistler@webtv.net
Message-ID: <7993-35ED53A2-6@newsd-152.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145414

Paxton wrote:

>If anyone has the freq and PL codes for
>Southwick MA police, and Agawam MA police
>and fire, it would be a big help! Thanks!
>packy41@yahoo.com

Paxton,the Agawam(MA) police can be found at 153.9800 or 155.7900
The Southwick(MA)police are at 154.8150 or 155.8500 Good luck,Ken

4741. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <35f25d4d.42447679@news>
Source record: 145415
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Is that in US dollars?

I bought my Pro-2042 for $169 about 3 or 4 months ago. I think they went as low as $150.

Sam

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 16:48:58 GMT, warrior@iconn.net (Lou (Soo) Papineau) wrote:

>I just picked up a PRO-2041 for 119.95
>
>I saw the PRO-2042 is also on clearance for
>249.95 (from 399.99).
>
>Lou
>

4742. Re: TO JW (WAS: Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090215004000.LAA23581@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145416

>From: jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
>Date: 9/2/98 8:20 AM EST
>
>Screw you, asshole. Get a life and quit worrying about me. . . . . (drivel snipped).

Ha, Ha, Ha. I knew I'd get someone's dander up with that reply. As easy as pushing a button.

JW

4743. Wanted: AOR 3000A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robbin Olson <rolson@cpinternet.com>
Message-ID: <35ED5CC3.34FC@cpinternet.com>
Source record: 145417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I would like to purchase a AOR 3000A with full coverage. If you have one that you are interested in selling, please contact me at:

rolson@cpinternet.com

Thank you for reading this posting.

Robbin Olson

4744. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sjn6f$q3i@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

... and it's almost scary.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn 2212-98

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

DenB wrote in message <01bdd61c$c535aee0$bb685ed1@oemcomputer>...
>> > When I go to bed at night, I close my eyes, and in the darkness I see:
> Re:EMERGENCY Transmission!!

4745. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sjnrk$sui@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Nope, and I was discussing the intentional listening of digital and
encrypted signals, not the interaction thereof.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Blake Bowers wrote in message <6si8dj$r9d$0@207.18.224.48>...
>On 1 Sep 1998 14:11:37 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>I believe that digital constitutes encoded or encrypted communications.
Even
>>though digital is not encrypted, it still may consitute as so.
>>
>Believe all you want. You are wrong.
>
>Do you believe HAM Packet is encrypted?
>

4746. Re: pro-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090215141600.LAA24753@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145420

>Subject: pro-2035
>From: paul <pburke@centuryinter.net>
>Date: 9/2/98 1:08 AM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35ECFD18.566D319E@centuryinter.net>
>
>HI ALL
>Dose any body know mods can be done to a pro 2035?
>
>thanks paul

Do a 5Khz spaced search on NFM from 1105 to 1125 Mhz (with a good outdoor antenna on it) and you may never think of doing mods on it again. Wink Wink nudge nudge, say no more, say no more.
However, paralleling a additional IF filter just like the originals across the two 10.7 IF filters will make the wide FM not quite SO wide & more useful for TV audio & satellite weather, though it hurts FM music fidelity a bit (like the FM broadcast band function on the 2035 is worth much in the first place....).
Neutrodyne

4747. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sjo0t$eu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try Dave, K4CC (k4cc@aol.com) -- he will back me up.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Curtis Wheeler wrote in message <35EC0B0F.DED54418@ccnet.com>...
>Ryan - it does not say that. It says "when normal
>communications system are not available". It is not
>"normal" to try every frequency, channel, PL, etc. It is
>not "reasonable", which would be the true legal test, to do
>so since it would cause unnecessary delay in getting help.
>Each case would have it's own circustances that would have
>to be weighed.

4748. Re: Clearing Channels from BC200xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Polcyn <rob_polcyn@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6sjpeb$k0t$1@news.iag.net>
Source record: 145422

Thanks!!!

Bud wrote in message <35ed65b0.11506603@news-server>...
>On Wed, 2 Sep 1998 06:20:24 -0400, "Rob Polcyn"
><rob_polcyn@nospam.yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>Could someone please refresh my memory on how to clear all the channels on
>>my BC200xlt. I have done this before but for the life of me cannot recall
>>how I did it.
>
>Press and hold the 2, 9, and Man keys while turning on the radio.
>
>
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.

4749. Re: R10 Decertifed, too easy to modify for cell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35ED68A9.6B3A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Joost,
In a reply to a message I recently posted, you said that
modifying the R10 was fairly simple. However, I checked your page, and
I remembered why I didn't try it before. You warn on your page that
only very experienced people should try it, as it requires sautering
down to a 3mm level. Also, I don't think that Radio Shack (the largest
electronic parts retailer in the U.S.) carries those particular
resistors, though I could be wrong. Could you straighen me out on this
one, and tell me whether it is or is not recommended for a lightweight
amateur like me to try this mod?

Joost wrote:
>
> Jeff Miller:
> Is the Rumor I saw on I believe www.strongsignals.net that the RC10
> has been decertified due to "modifiability" true? Was just curious
> since I have one.
>
> Greg Renner:
> Yes, that the PCR 1000 and a couple of other units. Too easy to
> modify for cell.
>
> <tdragonn@blarg.net>:
> too easy to modify for cell?, what is the mod?!?
>
> You may have an IC-R10 that is not blocked in any way (like mine). As
> far as I know there are three models: the US-model (cell blocked), the
> French model (FM broadcast 88-108 MHz) blocked and the European model
> (not blocked in any way).
>
> See my page for more IC-R10 details :
> http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
>
> Regards,
>
> ================================
> Joost van Stuyvenberg
> Utrecht, The Netherlands
> stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
> ================================
> for IC-R10 information see:
> http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
> ================================

4750. Re: New York City / Long Island Area Breaking News Mailing List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith@Knip.co
Message-ID: <6sjq7gdve2@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 145424

>I just setup a Mailing List, that will allow Users to POST messages about
>BREAKING NEWS in the New York City / Long Island area..
>
>
>If you want to join the List, go to:
>
>http://www.onelist.com/archives.cgi/LINews
>
>You may have to setup an Account with the Listserv,
>if so, go to:
>
> http://www.onelist.com/register.cgi?listname=linews
>
>
>This Mailing list has the Option of having messages saved and
>only sent to you 1 time a day (Digest Version)

Keith
N2NJS

Enjoy,
Keith

|==>
| KEITH@KNIP.COM == Internet Email Address
| HTTP://WWW.KNIP.COM == WWW Page URL Address
| N2NJS@AMSAT.ORG == HAM Radio AMSAT Email
| N2NJS@KC2FD.NY.USA.NA == Ham Radio AX25 Packet Address
|==>

4751. BC 2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dimitri Vekris <dv@no_spam.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd689$ebeccbf0$2ae22b8e@INFOSEC>
Source record: 145425
Cross-posted to: tor.forsale,ont.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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BC 2500XLT 400 Channel Continuous Band Handheld Scanning Radio

Covers Virtually Every Frequency from 25 MHz to 1.3 GHz
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400 Channels
Includes 800 MHz Cellular (30 kHz steps)
Includes Aircraft Band
Turbo: Scan & Search
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Data Skip Function
Rechargeable Ni -Cad Battery Pack Included
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Automatic Store
Automatic Sorting
Selectable Mode (AM, WFM, NFM)
Programmable Scan Delay
Headset Capability

Make any reasonable offer.

I don't like spam.
Please reply to --> dv@interlog.com <--

4752. New York City / Long Island Area Nreaking News Mailing List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith@Knip.co
Message-ID: <6sjq5edve1@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 145426

I just setup a Mailing List, that will allow Users to POST messages about
BREAKING NEWS in the New York City / Long Island area..

If you want to join the List, go to:

http://www.onelist.com/archives.cgi/LINews

You may have to setup an Account with the Listserv,
if so, go to:

http://www.onelist.com/register.cgi?listname=linews

This Mailing list has the Option of having messages saved and
only sent to you 1 time a day (Digest Version)

Keith
N2NJS

Enjoy,
Keith

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|================================================>
| KEITH@KNIP.COM == Internet Email Address
| HTTP://WWW.KNIP.COM == WWW Page URL Address
| N2NJS@AMSAT.ORG == HAM Radio AMSAT Email
| N2NJS@KC2FD.NY.USA.NA == Ham Radio AX25 Packet Address
|================================================>
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4753. Re: RD800 Antenna ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Miguel Puchol <mpuchol@eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6shv6s$m25$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 145461

The RD800 antenna will improve reception in the above 800 MHz range, so I think it's worth the buy.

Cheers,

Mike

MrG1stD escribi&#65533; en mensaje <19980901162624400.MAA19484@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> I have a Uniden BC235 Trunktracker, the reception is sometimes poor. I am
>considering buying the RD800 antenna from Optoeletronics. Has anyone used this
>antenna and is it worth the purchase ?
>
>TIA
>
>Bill

4754. Re: The truth about BC was Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ec93a4.14796959@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145462
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 30 Aug 1998 11:08:45 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>This post I am replying to that calls for Bill Cheek to be invited back
>because he is a valuable resource simply isn't true. Bill has ripped off the
>ideas of others and then promoted them as his own in some cases. The most
>glaring example recently was when he promoted Winradio programming by
>showing that he wrote a piece of software that did something. I found the
>original piece as a bit of Winradio documentation on their Web site. All
>Bill did was change the frequency data in one line. This is equivalent to a
>newbie writing 'Hello World" and then adding his name and then declaring he
>now was an original programmer who would for a fee teach you how to program.
>His posts related of computers etc. in his newsletter are of similar nature
>and it amazes me that people are willing to pay for it. What a waste of
>paper!
>
>He comes from the world of CB where he was a hero among those with
>absolutely no knowledge.
>He has moved into the world of the internet and scanners with the demise of
>interest in CB. There Bill Cheek still impresses those with a general lack
>of technical knowledge.
>His posts to USENET still sound like the trash talk you still can hear on CB
>at its worse.
>The heroes of the scanning hobby today are those that are developing the
>MTRUNK and trunktracker programs and the hardware ideas that lead to the
>Bearcat Trunktracker line. That is original work that has benefit us.
>
>For technical mods one would be better suited to read "Nuts and volts", Qst,
>73, etc.
>
>Why anyone would define the right of Bill cheek's trash talk back here is
>beyond me. The right to free speech has its limits. For example who whould
>defend the right of a fool to holler fire in a crowed movie theater if it
>resulted in the death of innocent women and children. Didn't he have the
>right to freely say what ever he wanted? That is an obvious example of the
>foolishness of defending the idea that free speech should have no limits.
>
>73 de ki4je <<==
>
>
>
>Tim Thompson wrote in message <35E7DB93.59C@sccoast.net>...
>>Zombie Wolf wrote:

>>>
>>>
>>> and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>>Hear, hear. How many of the Cheek haters have mods HE developed in their
>>scanners? People are so one-way it amazes me we ever learned to walk
>

I would like to publically apologize to Victor Healey for *misreading*
his Amateur Callsign and misidentifying him as someone with a similar
call. Victor is really Victor. Sorry for any inconvenience caused by
my mistake.

George Vetterle

4755. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ec9caa.17107050@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145463
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 16:48:58 GMT, warrior@iconn.net (Lou (Soo)
Papineau) wrote:

>I just picked up a PRO-2041 for 119.95
>
>I saw the PRO-2042 is also on clearance for
>249.95 (from 399.99).
>
>Lou
>

It's pretty hard to beat a deal like that on a 400 channel scanner.
If you haven't already done so, check out Ken Plotkin's Scanner
Page for info on the PRO-64/2041.

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

4756. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ee9900.80612790@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145464

On 1 Sep 1998 14:14:46 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Hmm, Jack, then what's this about:
>
>"My newsreader displays a summary of deleted incoming e-mails by
>author...if you upgraded from that crap you use, you might find some
>more advanced features do exist in a newsreader!"
>
>Is it your newsreader or your email client? U-pick. Why (how) would a
>newsreader filter email?

http://www.forteinc.com/

You really should get out more..

>73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
> http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn 2212-98
>
>Experience is the worst teacher.
>It gives the test first and teaches after.
>
>Jack wrote in message <35eb04c5.502111@news.bell.net>...
>>I said E-MAIL is filtered, not newsgroup posts! Please read the
>>messages more carefully in the future.

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Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4757. FS - 10 Channel Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: maxgeos@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090201201901.VAA21577@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145465

For Sale -
$ 10.00 U.S. Dollars OBO plus COD charges

10 Channel Direct Entry Handheld Scanner
Realistic PRO - 38
Model # 20-139

Frequency Range : 29-54, 136-174, 406-512 Mhz

Still in good condition w/ whip antenna & original box
Great for listening in to the Weather, local UHF / VHF radio
frequencies.

Email - maxgeos@aol.com

4758. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ec9979.16289986@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145466

On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 01:07:41 -0700, KA0SSF <KA0SSF@parg.org> wrote:

>sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> Mackey continues to electronically stalk Bill even after Bill has apparently
>> left the news group. He is one sick individual.
>
>I have done nothing to stalk Cheek. Rather YOU have been making
>posts like this one to stalk ME!

I don't see Sal making posts about your activities in other news
groups as you are doing with Bill Cheek. It sure looks like you're
stalking him to me. I'm not sure about the laws regarding such in
your state, maybe you should check up on them. I'd hate to see
you get in trouble.

4759. scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ic725@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6si97c$230$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145467

YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF YOU AGREE
RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT BANING THEM.

THANKS.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4760. Re: fla.trunked id's broward county frt lauderdale help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ef9ee6.82123035@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145468

On 1 Sep 1998 18:13:11 GMT, gqcat@aol.com (GQCat) wrote:

>any good scanner buff's know of updated id's for b.s.o and frt lauderdale
>
>any other trunked info a great help to me also
>trunked scanner buffs
>thanks.......ron

My site has quite a few! Check it out.

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http://broward.home.ml.org

4761. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f0a1b8.82844769@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145469

On 1 Sep 1998 22:45:10 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:

>
>
> i called various RS people
> and they spoke:
>
> "trunktracker, what's that?"
>
> "we have one model left. what model do you
> want to buy?"
>
> "no, i have no information about that?"
>
> "no, we don't know about any mobile trunktracker
> scanner coming out in October as reported by a
> source on rec.radio.scanner"
>
> they are not up on the subject and have no idea
> what is on the horizon
>
> or the distance to the toilet.....
>
>
> so, who knows about the new mobile scanner.
> from Radio Shack.
>
> their present TT base scanner is on sale
> for 200 bucks....300 channels. BASE.
>
> bill conduit
> etc.

PRO-2066 Cat# 20-195 $219.99
29-54 108-174 406-512 806-823.9375 851-868.9875
896.1125-956.0
Curious that the catalog says it includes CB! Must be like a service search with only the 40ch or something...or maybe the final specs will be different then the catalog...?

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4762. Re: Stuff for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ripcord@hurontel.on.ca
Message-ID: <35eda851.46746958@news.hurontel.on.ca>
Source record: 145470
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Is this USD or Cdn?

On Tue, 1 Sep 1998 00:45:49 -0400, "Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net>
wrote:

> a.. I have for sale the following:
> b.. AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps,1000 channels $275.00
> c.. RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new) $140.00
> d.. RCA CB Copilot 14T304 (40 channel) $ 40.00
> e.. Uniden CB 510XL (40 channel) $ 40.00
> f.. AMD K-6-233 processor (new) $125.00
> g.. Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE64 $ 90.00
> h.. OR BEST OFFER !!!!!
> i.. I will come down to meet reasonable offers
> j.. I would like to sell these Items. If you are interested e-mail me at
> k.. altman@ctel.net

4763. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6si8dj$r9d$0@207.18.224.48>
Source record: 145471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 1 Sep 1998 14:11:37 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>I believe that digital constitutes encoded or encrypted communications. Even
>though digital is not encrypted, it still may consitute as so.
>
Believe all you want. You are wrong.

Do you believe HAM Packet is encrypted?

4764. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6si8vp$sk8$0@207.18.224.48>
Source record: 145472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

On 1 Sep 1998 14:37:43 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

><To Rich Mulvey and Curtis Wheeler, also>
>
>> No, he can't. I've asked a couple of times, and, after wading
>>through the sea of back-pedaling, he always comes back with, "Look it
>>up yourself."
>
>Yes, I can.
>
>I've decided to look some up for you, and they are below. These are cases
>where amateurs have been prosecuted and/or had equipment confiscated.

Ryan,

Did you read any of these, before you posted them? They are messages
from THIS thread, and none of them had any proof of the incidents.
(Although I am personally familiar with one, and it does nothing for
your arguement)

I think these people are asking for REAL instances!

4765. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090202155700.WAA00509@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145473

>While the RS unit is made by Uniden there was a small note in Monitoring
>Times
>a month or two ago that said Uniden had specifically said they have no plans
>to
>market a mobile TT under their own name.

Thanks for the info. Did MT do a review of the mobile or have anyother data in addition to basic specifications. In other words, did they offer any opinions of the mobile unit?

4766. Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davideguna@vabch.com
Message-ID: <EP2H1.2490$bz4.8364991@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 145474

Lets say for example I am riding my mtn. bike down the Virginia Beach boardwalk, with my scanner, and I hear something interesting on the police channel so I decide to check it out, yet not get in the way at all (across the street). Is there any legal issues that I should be aware of? I have been doing this for sometime now with out a problem (most of the time beating the police to the 10-20) Again I am not getting in the way at all, both for my own personal safety, and respect to the officers..

Thanks for your time,

David

davideguna@vabch.com

4767. Need FREQUENCIES !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jaypeggin@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090202331700.WAA03436@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145475

Hi, Taking a ɾaod trip from Buffalo NY to Dayton Ohio next week...any one know any good frequencies to listen to during the cruise? Ohio State police mabey? Thanks,Dan9125@aol.com

4768. Re: Tech toyz micro counter question!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: curlinob@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980902023719 00.WAA04114@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145476

>Has anyone used one of these?.....or are they a waste of money?......

I have the micro counter, I also own a Opto Scout. I think the Tech Toy is worth thr $99 I paid it. The Scout performs better and is better built, but costs four times the price, also the Scout is very noticeable when freq hunting while the Micro counter is not so conspicuous. The mico counter's case is a little flimsy. Over all I'm happy with the Micro counter.

4769. Re: FS:Mobile VHF Motorola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Chamberlain and Rachael Rhoads <mailto>
Message-ID: <35EF526E.1C32@epix.net>
Source record: 145177
Cross-posted to: misc.emerg-services,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

THE RADIUS VHF MOBILE RADIO HAS BEEN SOLD

4770. Re: Newbie needs some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Anderson <phil.anderson@sk.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <35EF551E.3B67050A@sk.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 145178

Where in Canada ??? I'd like to find a new scanner that doesn't have the
cell blocked out!

PA>

Baba Baba Baba Booey wrote:

> On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 00:02:09 GMT, smokebowl babbled on about Newbie
> needs some help proclaiming:
>
> >I am sort of new to the scanner world here, I used to always borrow a
> >friends bc200xlt that I did the cellular mod to, What I am trying to
> >find out is what is a good scanner that can recieve cellular or easily
> >be modified to recieve? any help would be appreciated
>
> Depends on where you live. Off the shelf new scanners are probably
> hard to come by unless you dig if you are in the USA because of their
> laws against monitoring cell phones. Here in Canada there is no such
> restriction and any good radio store should have them (NOT Radio
> Shack). Older models seem easier to modify, but that doesn't mean new
> models are impossible. I know nothing of electronics so I can't give
> any pointers. Speaking of the USA, while I believe the spectrum should
> be open for all to hear, some countries may have laws limiting you to
> do so. If you insist, then be sure of your local laws and if you
> choose to overstep them -- don't get caught. It's not worth it.
>
> **********
> Sean & Mona: a great tradition since 1996
> Running on Internet Explorer 5.0
> ~~~~~~~~~~
> Churches should stay out of politics or be taxed!
> **********
>
> [Posted with Agent 1.5. For info, email agent-info@forteinc.com.]
>

4771. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6snl5e$t10$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have learned that the catalog price will be changed to $0.00 in the point of sale system at RadioShack. I would imagine this would happen as soon as the programmers can download the new price into the store's computers.

So all your complaining was heard by the powers that be at RadioShack.

Now, can you find something else to whine about?

4772. Base Radio Scanner FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35ef5eb8.0@carrera>
Source record: 145180
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,ubc.ads.for-sale

BC 800XLT Base Scanner 40 Ch,800MHz,Weather Search,mint non smoker cond,c/w
manual,box and bill of sale,
Asking $150 CDN funds $100. US funds
Located Langley BC(604)533-3567
Can ship Canada or US

4773. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6snne3liu1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 145181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Most of the 'Shacks never charged their regular known customers
for the catalog anyway.

Pete

John Habbinga wrote in message <6snl5e$t10$1@news4.wt.net>...
>I have learned that the catalog price will be changed to $0.00 in the point
>of sale system at RadioShack. I would imagine this would happen as soon as
>the programmers can download the new price into the store's computers.
>
>So all your complaining was heard by the powers that be at RadioShack.
>
>Now, can you find something else to whine about?
>
>

4774. Re: Can't leave Bill Cheek alone, can y'all?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EF6656.1BB0@parg.org>
Source record: 145182

CBRambo wrote:
> Bill has been gone from here for several days...and yet, this newsgroup is
> still filled with talk about him.

Wouldn't it be best if people would just DROP the Cheek issue?

4775. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EF67C4.1FEF@parg.org>
Source record: 145183

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> > Please, just drop the Bill Cheek issue. He is gone & no longer a
> > problem.

> This shows right along that you were and are still the problem mackey, you
> keep posting your crap every day of the week and Bill is no longer on here.

Yea right, I ask people to stop & let the issue drop & say that is the
problem?????!!!!!!!!!!

You are demented if you really believe that.

4776. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EF6853.6B18@parg.org>
Source record: 145184

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> Sad how most people are so stupid to create your
> excitement, isn't it?
>
> People...quit him. Then he will oooze away.
> Slime runs in his family so if you allow no
> more threads written about him he will just
> oooze to the level he is good at: below
> living.

While the comments of Cheek's family are not necessary, you have made a good point!

Bill Cheek has gone away some time ago. Lets do as Mr. Conduit states & allow Cheek to "oooze' away.

4777. Re: Can You Help me? - Need info on a BC3000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35eeb35c.439072@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145185
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 2 Sep 1998 22:56:06 GMT, vanr86@aol.com (VanR86) wrote:

>>. I have
>>my BC3000xlt set up so I can download frequencies from my computer to
>>the scanner with the PROgramit interface. It works fair right
>>now...software enhancements with PROgramit will help in the future.
>>
>
> I have never heard of PROgramit. Can you send me some information on it.
>Where to buy it, cost, how does it work, etc.?
>
>Thanks,
>Van
>Van
>KF4CDN

Go to http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/ for info on PROgramit

Wiggie

4778. Re: Optoelectronics OS535 mod's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35efb6da.1333366@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145186
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 3 Sep 1998 11:13:42 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: Gary <72064.367@CompuServe.COM>
>
>>Any one know of any mod's to restore full tuning coverage to the
>>OS535?
>>I am guessing this will be some kind of hardware mod because my
>>software will send frequencies in the forbiden band but it won't
>
>I haven't heard of any. However, depending when you obtained the interface, you
>may be able to "unlock" it by entering a 20-digit code into Probe, Scancat or
>other program.
>
>I swapped e-mail with someone a couple of months back who bought an Opto (new)
>and was able to unlock it. That's not supposed to happen, but apparently it
>did...

Or you can figure out how to burn a new CPU for it. It takes the same
coding as the Intel 8051. Sorry I don't have all the info exactly on
it right now...it still is packed away in storage.

Wiggie

4779. BC760XLT Service Manual Wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "." <promocom@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6snro1$9bp@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145187

Hi!
I'm looking for a Service manual or even just a Schematic diagram for th
Bearcat BC760XLT scanner. Also I need a operation manual too.

Thanks! Bill

4780. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6snpu2vgv1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145188

Neutrodyne wrote in message
<19980904031828000.XAA28383@ladder03.news.aol.com>...

>yeah but there's an $18 shipping and handling fee for carrying it out of
the
>stockroom ;)
>Neutrodyne
>

See, I knew you could still find something to whine about.

4781. Recording

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <45a_9809032300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 145189

-=> Quoting Homer to All <=-

Ho> Can anyone help me with cassett or open reel recorder mods to extend
Ho> rec time to 5 hours or so?

Use a voice activated recorder so the
tape is moving only when there is a
radio transmission occurring.

An external VOX-style relay could be
used on your existing recorder(s) if
it has a "remote" input.

___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
--
|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

4782. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wapcutthispart@ica.net
Message-ID: <35ef2cac.425723@news>
Source record: 145190

"Ivan Ivanovich" <iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:

>Ever go into Wal Mart, Circuit City, Lowes or some other mass
>merchandising store to ask about product lines? Let's face it folks
>the menial jobs in the service industry are not permanent place for
>employment. Every electronics oriented Newsgroup beats up on this
>dead issue of clueless RS employees to death. Maybe it is about
>time to let it drop.

Do any of those chains have a national advertising campaign that
uses the phrase "We've got answers."? When they do, we'll bash
them too (for false advertising).

>Picked up a Refurbished PRO-90, model # 20-520 at the RS Outlet
>store in Groveport OH for $149.95. The salesperson, named Tom, was
>a Ham with over 20 years of electronic warfare expertise. He owned
>a PRO-90 to listen to Columbus trunking system, and showed me basic
>operation.

One has to wonder why Tom is working at RS! Check back in a year
and let us know if he's still there...

...Andy

*** Remove anti-spam text to reply directly ***

4783. FS: Kenwood TK-340

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmi@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <35eddde0.15260803@24.128.44.7>
Source record: 145238

Kenwood TK-340 UHF in mint ++ condition. Alphanumeric screen w/DTMF keypad. Comes with a KSC-5 charger. Both pieces have seen next to no use at all. Have original paper work and boxes for both. $275

If interested please contact via e-mail or call 978-848-5426

4784. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6skp4v$p25$0@207.18.224.52>
Source record: 145239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 2 Sep 1998 15:22:28 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Nope, and I was discussing the intentional listening of digital and
>encrypted signals, not the interaction thereof.

Well, you are still wrong. Digital, and encrypted are two different
things.

4785. Re: BC895XLT Memory Clearing Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: entrtaenu@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090300381500.UAA21500@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145240

I know that for the BC200xlt its hold buttons 2,9, and MANUAL while turning the scanner on and off

4786. Re: Upstate N.Y. scanning clubs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6skp9l$4ff$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 145241

In article <35f162be.28187340@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam]albany.net (Jeff) wrote:
>Any clubs in upstate N.Y.? If so, where?

I think there's one in the Hudson valley but forgot where. I poke around and
see what I can find. Where are you anyway?

Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
*Changing soon to: http://www.idsi.net/~trandall/index.html
Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

4787. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ede89d.11549903@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145242

On Wed, 02 Sep 1998 11:33:03 -0700, KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

<snip>

>Never mind, this whole thing is stupid! Just drop the Bill Cheek issue!

It is stupid, kind of like whipping a dead horse. Why do you keep
responding to the threads?

4788. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6skp7a$icm@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
>|> KC7ZRU <KC7ZRUnospam@cyberhighway.net> wrote:

>|> >Part 97.403:
>|> >97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>|> >No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
>|> >means of radiocommunication at its disposal ...

>|> Again I ask, at an "amateur station," just what equipment would be
>|> at one's disposal? (You might want to look up the definition of
>|> "amateur station" in Part 97 prior to answering. You won't find
>|> any mention of out-of-band gear.)

>There is no definition of "amateur station" in Part 97. (at least in my
>copy dated March 19, 1996)

Each part which deals with a specific radio service begins with
definitions. For the ARS, the definitions are found in S97.3.
You're supposed to know Part 97 forward and back, Mickey.

>You also won't find mention of SWR meters, microphones, tables, chairs,
>CW keys, power supplies, etc. in Part 97. Is it your contention that
>these are not permitted to be at the disposal of an amateur station?

You'd be a miracle-worker if you were able to transmit with a table.
This discussion is in regard to legal definitions; if folks are
going to quote from Title 47 they need to know the FCC's definition
of each and every term that appears in what they're quoting.

Jeff KH2PZ

4789. School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Red Star <"Red Star"@skatesurfsnow.com>
Message-ID: <35EDF5E7.64390DEB@skatesurfsnow.com>
Source record: 145244
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Note: Timothy Lanni was a 6 year old boy who was killed while crossing
the street after getting off the bus.

For Immediate Release: April, 20, 1998
Contact: Lorraine Albrecht
Phone: (916) 319-2432

STROM-MARTIN SCHOOL BUS SAFETY BILL GETS NOD FROM THE
ASSEMBLY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

SACRAMENTO -- Assemblymember Virginia Strom-Martinï¿½s clean up legislation
for the Lanni School Bus Safety Act was given the vote of approval by the
Assembly Transportation Committee today. AB 2375 allows the local school
district bus drivers to transport students more safely.

Strom-Martinï¿½s legislation creates certain exemptions to the 1997 Lanni Act,
which school buses to turn on their flashing red lights whenever students
exit a school bus. Traffic in both directions is required to come to a stop
until the flashing red lights are turned off. In some instances, strict
compliance with the Lanni Act actually creates a more dangerous situation
for motorists and students.

ï¿½Because of certain road conditions and locations, it can be even more
dangerous to require traffic in both directions to stop when students
unload.
Last yearï¿½s law was aimed at curbing potential dangers to students unloading
buses. I introduced AB 2375 to further the spirit of that law and address
the specific safety concerns of parents, school administrators and board
members, as well as the California Highway Patrol. This legislation will
help the school districts to comply with the intent of the Lanni Act and
also provide the safest possible environment for their students,ï¿½ stated
Strom-Martin.

ï¿½Many legal bus stops were eliminated along rural highways throughout the
state because of the threat of increased rear-end accidents and collisions.
This action resulted in children being forced to walk further distances
along these highways where truck traffic is heavy,ï¿½ explained Strom-Martin.

My office and those of my legislative colleagues were inundated with urgent
pleas from parents to do something before a child is hurt.ï¿½

AB 2375 would provide exemptions to existing law for bus stops on a divided
or multi-lane highway. It would further exempt conditions where the roadway
surface is covered by snow or ice, where a school bus is broken down or when

students require more time to board or exit the bus.

Finally, it exempts loading zones on or adjacent to the school grounds. In addition to the specific waivers, AB 2375 will allow school boards will be able to seek waivers for other bus stops they believe would be more dangerous if the bus activated its flashing red lights.

http://www.assembly.ca.gov/demweb/members/a01/press/p0198008.htm

CALIFORNIA CODES
VEHICLE CODE SECTION 22454-22454.5

22454. (a) The driver of any vehicle, upon meeting or overtaking, from either direction, any schoolbus equipped with signs as required in this code, that is stopped for the purpose of loading or unloading any schoolchildren and displays a flashing red light signal and stop signal arm, as defined in paragraph (4) of subdivision (b) of Section 25257, if equipped with a stop signal arm, visible from front or rear, shall bring the vehicle to a stop immediately before passing the schoolbus and shall not proceed past the schoolbus until the flashing red light signal and stop signal arm, if equipped with a stop signal arm, cease operation.
(b) The driver of a vehicle upon a highway with separate roadways need not stop upon meeting or passing a schoolbus which is upon the other roadway. The driver of a vehicle need not stop upon meeting or passing a schoolbus when the schoolbus is stopped at an intersection where traffic is controlled by a traffic officer or official traffic control signal, or when the schoolbus is stopped at a place where traffic is controlled by a traffic officer or official traffic control signal.
(c) (1) If a vehicle was observed overtaking a schoolbus in violation of subdivision (a), and the driver of the schoolbus witnessed the violation, the driver may, within 24 hours, report the violation and furnish the vehicle license plate number and description and the time and place of the violation to the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction of the offense. That law enforcement agency shall issue a letter of warning prepared in accordance with paragraph (2) with respect to the alleged violation to the registered owner of the vehicle. The issuance of a warning letter under this paragraph shall not be entered on the driving record of the person to whom it is issued, but does not preclude the imposition of any other applicable penalty.
(2) The Attorney General shall prepare and furnish to every law enforcement agency in the state a form letter for purposes of paragraph (1), and the law enforcement agency may issue those letters in the exact form prepared by the Attorney General. The Attorney General may charge a fee to any law enforcement agency that requests a copy of the form letter to recover the costs of preparing and providing that copy.
(d) This section also applies to a roadway upon private property.

22454.5. Notwithstanding Section 42001, a person convicted of a first violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred fifty dollars ($150) or more than two hundred fifty dollars ($250). A person convicted of a second separate violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) or more than one thousand dollars ($1,000). If a person is convicted of a third or subsequent violation of Section 22454 and the offense occurred within three years of two or more separate violations of Section 22454, the Department of Motor Vehicles shall suspend the person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle for one year.

4790. Anyone From Motorolla Read This NG...seriously. About TT being discontinued

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sku2n$5lu@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145245

is there someone who is familar with
this rumor as to if it is real or if
it is a rumor as it is spewed forth
on this venue....where things come up
and are forgotten three days later.

What support is there to this statement
made on other postings that Motorolla
will discontinue TT's at end of year.

What does this mean?

What about the Police/Fire agencies who
bought into this system at millions of
bucks....?

the operative phrase is MOTOROLLA will
discontinue....not Uniden

what will this mean for municipalities
who are about to convert to TT systems...?

what is the rumor about NEXTEL? How
do they enter this equation begun?

bill conduit
etc.

4791. FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090302344600.WAA03115@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145246

ANYONE WITH INFO ON FLORIDA TRUNK TRACKER ID UPDATE AS TRUNKTRAKER IS USELESS
ON UPDATING FOR THE SCANNER BUFF'S THAT ARE OUT HERE
THANKS RON

4792. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f8014f.11126040@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145247

On Tue, 1 Sep 1998 12:14:24 -0700, <me_fitz@iname.com> wrote:

>Well, actually there is a mod. I came across it just the other day but I
>can't remember the URL. Just start searching Alta Vista, Yahoo, HotBot, etc.
>and you'll find it...I did and I wasn't even looking for it! :)

I would like an extended delay mod for the PRO-60. I would also like
the pro-64's computer interface in the PRO-60. That is the only way
you could make that awesome scanner better!

>PS. JW: grow up and let people do what the fuck they wanna do...besides, if
>its so private, use a damned land line...
>
>JTWard01 wrote in message
><1998090115295400.LAA14123@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>>Anyone out there know a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60? I have
>looked
>>>everywhere but can't find one. TIA
>>>
>>Maybe that's 'cause it doesn't exist! Grow up and quit eavesdropping on
>private
>>conversations.
>>
>>JW
>

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4793. Is it possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f901ae.11221686@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I want to force my PRO-37 to stay in am all the time...or at least
sometimes other then when it wants to. Anyone ever heard of doing
something like this?

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Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4794. 138-144am scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fb0221.11336152@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone know of a cheap dual conversion model that covers this band in
AM?

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4795. Re: Upstate N.Y. scanning clubs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35ee0301.12718664@news.albany.net>
Source record: 145250

On Thu, 03 Sep 98 00:53:43 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:

>In article <35f162be.28187340@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam]albany.net (Jeff) wrote:
>>Any clubs in upstate N.Y.? If so, where?
>
> I think there's one in the Hudson valley but forgot where. I poke around and
>see what I can find. Where are you anyway?
>

Tri-city area. Near all three, Schenectady, Albany, Troy (kinda far
from Troylet).

4796. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <35edffb2.3450430@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145251
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

"Brian" <brian_usenet@cizone.com> wrote:

>Just because Motorola is discontinuing their trunked systems (can anyone
>confirm this?) doesn't mean every user of a Motorola trunked system will go
>out and buy a new one. I'm guessing that some will for support reasons, but
>support will still be available for a long time from third-party sources.
>Also, new trunked systems aren't exactly inexpensive.
>
>Uniden will produce a scanner that scans Motorola trunked systems as long as
>they still exist and people have a need to listen to them.

Motorola-owned SMR's in the 800 band have been disappearing for a
while now that Nextel is converting them into their digital IDEN
systems, this is not news. As for the public safety systems being
gobbled up, I doubt this will happen, county or city run Smartnet or
Smartzone systems have more failsafes built into them than your
run-of-the mill IDEN system, and these agencies can control the system
more than a Nextel-owned system. It is rather cold that these SMR
users are having to be pushed onto an IDEN network at a much higher
cost, and IMHO having to put up with compressed digital 1's and 0's
instead of good 'ol fashioned analog waves. Any of you ever listened
to those crappy IDEN radios? Sometimes good, but a lot of times just
marble-mouth garble.

Creeper
www.inetnow.net/~creeper/scanner.htm

4797. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090303215700.XAA14062@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145252

For mods to RS scanners try this URL: http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods.html

good luck!

BP

4798. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35ef0b88.52255717@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145253

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

4799. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35f10ea7.53054694@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145254

Went into a Radio Shack in Niagara Falls New York today and
got 2 catalogs for $3.50, well nit did cost me $3.50 but that was to
get back into Canada, but the catalogs she just gave us, never asked
any questions.

On 01 Sep 98 21:58:32 , Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
(Joe Nicholson) wrote:

>
> > Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
> > noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
> > because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
> > the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
> > don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
>
> Was this a franchise store or a company-owned store?
> Different animals, different policies.
>
>___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12

4800. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090303460300.XAA14059@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145255

Tom was asking about scanners that would recive digital voice I presume.The only way that is likley to happen is if the APCO or smlilar standard is widely adopted as a digital voice format, as opposed to deliberatly encrypted voice wich would be unlawful to listen to and probably unlawful for the manufacturer to make or sell.

BP

4801. tapping into discriminator output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <mhawra@total.net>
Message-ID: <35EE185E.4994905F@total.net>
Source record: 145256
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can someone give help me with tapping into the baseband audio on the Pro 34 scanner. I built an interface (allinone) and I'm not sure on how to tap into the base band audio. I know it's pin 9 what do I do?
Thanks
Mark

4802. California Fire Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Red Star <"Red Star"@skatesurfsnow.com>
Message-ID: <35EE18CB.41CA771E@skatesurfsnow.com>
Source record: 145257
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

There are several fires are burning in California.

What frequencies should I have my scanner tuned to?

CALIFORNIA CODES
PENAL CODE SECTION 402

402. (a) Every person who goes to the scene of an emergency, or stops at the scene of an emergency, for the purpose of viewing the scene or the activities of police officers, firefighters, emergency medical, or other emergency personnel, or military personnel coping with the emergency in the course of their duties during the time it is necessary for emergency vehicles or those personnel to be at the scene of the emergency or to be moving to or from the scene of the emergency for the purpose of protecting lives or property, unless it is part of the duties of that person's employment to view that scene or activities, and thereby impedes police officers, firefighters, emergency medical, or other emergency personnel or military personnel, in the performance of their duties in coping with the emergency, is guilty of a misdemeanor.
(b) Every person who knowingly resists or interferes with the lawful efforts of a lifeguard in the discharge or attempted discharge of an official duty in an emergency situation, when the person knows or reasonably should know that the lifeguard is engaged in the performance of his or her official duty, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

(c) For the purposes of this section, an emergency includes a condition or situation involving injury to persons, damage to property, or peril to the safety of persons or property, which results from a fire, an explosion, an airplane crash, flooding, windstorm damage, a railroad accident, a traffic accident, a power plant accident, a toxic chemical or biological spill, or any other natural or human-caused event.

4803. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mullaney <john@minutemancomm.com>
Message-ID: <35EE1741.CD260834@minutemancomm.com>
Source record: 145258

Both of the Uniden Trunk Trackers so far, the 235 and the 895 have been triple conversion. There selectivity and image rejection are superb. I'm sure the radio shack clones are the same so I see no reason why the mobile version would be any different. I'm sure its just a 895 without the power supply and a different case.

JTWard01 wrote:

> >Thanks for the info. Did MT do a review of the mobile or have anyother data
> >in
> >addition to basic specifications. In other words, did they offer any
> >opinions
> >of the mobile unit?
> >
> No, nobody has done any reviews. I find it interesting that the mobile is
> triple conversion. Previous RS and Uniden mobiles have all been dual
> conversion, and very susceptible to images and intermod (just ask the Pro-2046
> in my car!).
>
> JW

4804. Re: California Fire Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6sl9b4$b9p@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145259
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <35EE18CB.41CA771E@skatesurfsnow.com> Red Star <"Red
Star"@skatesurfsnow.com> writes:
>
>This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
>--------------0EB0DD28A67C8016DC5DE690
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>
>There are several fires are burning in California.
>

search the 151 to 152 freq's

search the 44 to 45 freq's

search the 154 to 155 freq's

search the 33 to 34 freq's

or go down to radio shack and
buy yourself a Police Call book
on frequencies.....

12.95

bill conduit
etc.

4805. Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cozyelm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980903054341 00.BAA00344@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145260

OK, I have the scanner and I have the antenna. NOW what is the best way to get the coax to the radio? I live in a mobile home, I don't want to string it thru the window and leave the window partly open (security reasons) Not even with a stick wedged in the runner of the window. So what other options do I have besides just drilling a hole and running the cable thru it. I would not mind this so much but I would like something more professionaly done. Any help you guys can offer will be appreciated.

Jim Peters
cozyoak@aol.com

4806. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35ee37aa.6452862@news.albany.net>
Source record: 145261

On 3 Sep 1998 03:46:03 GMT, bpowell632@aol.com (BPowell632) wrote:

>Tom was asking about scanners that would recive digital voice I presume.The
>only way that is likley to happen is if the APCO or smlilar standard is widely
>adopted as a digital voice format, as opposed to deliberatly encrypted voice
>wich would be unlawful to listen to and probably unlawful for the manufacturer
>to make or sell.

Which way is it going. I'd hate to lose this hobby if I could listen
too the action bands. Also, isn't there a constitutional thing about
being albe to hear our police?

4807. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6slfkt$t1c@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145262

In <35EE3959.2C3B@parg.org> KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> writes:
>
>Charlie Dwenger wrote:
>> What goes around, comes around. See what you started?
>
>Sad how some of these people are so desperate to create excitement,
>isn't it?

Sad how most people are so stupid to create your
excitement, isn't it?

People...quit him. Then he will oooze away.
Slime runs in his family so if you allow no
more threads written about him he will just
oooze to the level he is good at: below
living.

Permit him to be silent by being silent yourself.
he is not the subject of anything worthwhile. You
know it. I know it. He knows it.

Now that you know it...be silent about him and
his fallacious existence.

Quiet. Silence. Allow him to go away.

bill conduit
etc.

4808. Need help with ID'ing TV station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Stone <mstone@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <6slfomip1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 145263

Hey there all.. I need help with ID'ing a tv station. I am in the Toronto, Canada area and was flipping through the stations when I came across a set of colors bars on Channel 36. Now all the color bars are ID'ed with are the letters 'CTS' in the lower right hand corner. I am using a pair of rabbit ears with an 10db amplifier and this station is coming in clear as a bell. Any ideas what the heck this is.

Thanks in advanced,
Matthew <mstone@interlog.com>

4809. Re: CHP freqs KA 4993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35EE5629.2C3B35C4@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 145264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Temecula is on what's called TAN-1 and the new Blue (39.14) is BLUE-1.
I show Riverside & Rancho Cucamonga on the GREEN (42.54 Base & 42.24
Car) Has this changed ??? If so what color is the new freq and what is
the mobile freq ???

Thanks,
Mike

Eric Pekarek wrote:
>
> Mike Derryberry wrote in message <35E9ABCA.D3E5F793@MCIONE.net>...
> >According to my sources, the only place the 39mhz freqs are currently being
> >used is CHP Border Division in Southern California. This is comfirmed my
> the
> >CHP PAO at my local office. That's not to say they will not use the 39mhz
> >freqs in other areas in the future.
> >
> >Mike
> >
> >
> >Sergeant Rock wrote:
> >
> >> On Fri, 28 Aug 1998 21:34:42 -0700, "Mike Derryberry"
> >> <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >The CHP picked up the old LA Sheriff 39mhz freqs for use in southern CA
> >> >only. The only place the are now used is in the Border Division.
> >> >
> >> >Yes the CHP is now using radar statewide. Look out if flying low down
> >> the
> >> >highway ...
> >> >
> >> >Mike
> >> The CHP uses the 39 MHZ freqs statewide & has for a very long time.
> >> Long before LASD went to UHF.
> >>
> >> Sgt. Rock
> >the C.H.P. are starting to test and use 39. what ever. Riverside is now
> >using 39.68 and Rancho Cucamonga Ontario are using 39.88 Temecula
> >are using 39.80 the new blue is 39.14

4810. Re: question about sportcat 150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35EE745E.3E4B2A3@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 145265

camper wrote:
> I have heard that you can not program high and low limits for the sportcat
> to do searches.

That's true.

> Are these limits preset?

Correct.

> If so, what presets are in the scanner?

Simply breaks down it's entire receive coverage into several
"bands"; don't remember exactly but it's like 29-50, 50-54,
108-136, 136-174, etc.

> Would anyone recommend this as a good scanner?

Decent for getting your feet wet. If you get into it at all, you'll
outgrow it quickly and want MUCH more ;-)

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

4811. Strange sound heard when two triple-conv. RS scanners operated side-by-side

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35ee70e9.41680366@news.jps.net>
Source record: 145266
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Whenever I have my RS Pro-2004 and 2035 scanning 800 Mhz at the same time I hear a whine coming from the one that is at a higher volume setting. This only occurs when the scanner that is at a lower volume is stopped on an active frequency. When the "quieter" scanner is scanning and the "louder" scanner is on an an active frequency I hear a "beep-beep" every time the "quieter" scanner completes a scan cycle, or whatever you want to call it when the scanner scans an entire bank of freqs. I first noticed this when I did the beep disable mods on my 2006 and 2035 (I had cut the appropriate wire and taped the ends), so I figured it might be some kind of weird side-effect of cutting the wire. I cut the wire completely off and applied silicone to the tiny end that was still in the connector. This may have helped ever so slightly, but maybe not (placebo effect, anyone?). I also did the beep disable mod on the 2004, but I didn't remove the wire like I did on the other two scanners because I'm not really sure if I need to. Has anyone else encountered this situation with two triple-conversion scanners operated side-by-side? BTW, I use Radio Shack's telescoping indoor base antenna with the center load on all three of these units. Because they all have a BNC connector, I use a Motorola-to-BNC adaptor on all of them.

Remove "nospamno" to email.

4812. Re: Bill cheek will be back - Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980903111101801.HAA09109@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145267

>From: "Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net>

>Don't you miss him and his daily invective?

Well, not really. However, you, Mackey, Petri and the rest of the
Mack-Butt-Heads are filling in for Cheek quite nicely. The guy is gone. Why
don't you just shut about already?

4813. V: AOR-8000 Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Denzer <peter.denzer@kassel.netsurf.de>
Message-ID: <6sls3h$9jj$3@station1.compoint.de>
Source record: 145268
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,de.alt.radio-scanner,hannover.funk.amateurfunk,hannover.funk.cb-funk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.scanner,z-netz.telecom.amateurfunk

Verkaufe AOR-8000 Interface (Homemade)
alle wichtigen Funktionen, mit allen mir bekannten
Software (aus dem Internet) getestet.
Preis: VB oder Tausch gg.-Scanner relevanten Utensiel
(z.B. Baycom o.�.)
Bei Interesse Email....gr�sse, Peter

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*** Ich traue niemandem, der
5 Tage lang blutet, und n i c h t
daran stirbt ! ***

4814. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35ee7dd2.875956@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145269

On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 02:44:47 GMT, ccreeper@inetnow.net (The Creeper)
wrote:

>"Brian" <brian_usenet@cizone.com> wrote:
>
>>Just because Motorola is discontinuing their trunked systems (can anyone
>>confirm this?) doesn't mean every user of a Motorola trunked system will go
>>out and buy a new one. I'm guessing that some will for support reasons, but
>>support will still be available for a long time from third-party sources.
>>Also, new trunked systems aren't exactly inexpensive.
>>
>>Uniden will produce a scanner that scans Motorola trunked systems as long as
>>they still exist and people have a need to listen to them.
>
>Motorola-owned SMR's in the 800 band have been disappearing for a
>while now that Nextel is converting them into their digital IDEN
>systems, this is not news. As for the public safety systems being
>gobbled up, I doubt this will happen, county or city run Smartnet or
>Smartzone systems have more failsafes built into them than your
>run-of-the mill IDEN system, and these agencies can control the system
>more than a Nextel-owned system. It is rather cold that these SMR
>users are having to be pushed onto an IDEN network at a much higher
>cost, and IMHO having to put up with compressed digital 1's and 0's
>instead of good 'ol fashioned analog waves. Any of you ever listened
>to those crappy IDEN radios? Sometimes good, but a lot of times just
>marble-mouth garble.
>
>Creeper
>www.inetnow.net/~creeper/scanner.htm

Now Really, just marble-mouther garble?
This is what happens when you don't "fully quiet" the digital
repeater.., it's only getting bits and pieces, but it still passes
them on.
This is a very rare instance with the IDEN radios I use, and I
challange anyone to find a more versitale system for the common public
user...I can use my radio hundreds of miles from other users, and
still have crystal clear comm's with them.
Yeah, I can talk 1000's of miles with my HF rig, but not nearly as
reliable, predictable, or practical.
And the SMR's sucked......I used them too, you were lucky to get
coverage over an entire metro area.......using the one or two tower
method.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm

Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

4815. Re: Anyone From Motorolla Read This NG...seriously. About TT being discontinued

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6slvso$516$0@207.18.224.138>
Source record: 145270

On 3 Sep 1998 02:14:47 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:

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>
> What support is there to this statement
> made on other postings that Motorolla
> will discontinue TT's at end of year.
>
???Motorola does not make TrunkTrackers.

> What about the Police/Fire agencies who
> bought into this system at millions of
> bucks....?
>
> the operative phrase is MOTOROLLA will
> discontinue....not Uniden
>
>
Are you wondering if Motorola will stop making
trunking systems? Nah. Too much money
there. In fact, new trunking radios being introduced
constantly.

4816. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <GJXA$tAQCo71Ew0z@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 145271

In article <6sh0eqhdh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, jkirkham@eng.miami.edu
writes

Hi,

>Anyone out there know a cellular mod for a Radio Shack PRO-60? I have looked
>everywhere but can't find one. TIA
>

As with most of the most recent RS (mfr by Uniden & GRE) and Unidens own
sets the frequency "coverage" is controlled by the main IC rather than a
Matrix of Diodes as found on sets such as the PRO-43.

The US PRO-60 uses a CPU that has the US cell frequencies blocked out,
the version sold here in the UK and elswehere in Europe uses a different
CPU (the only different component between the two "models") that does
not have the frequencies used by US cellular blocked out.

The only way to restore the frequencies used by US Cellular and allow
keyboard entry is replace the main IC (a 100 pin'ish surface mount
chip).

The PRO-60 however does not have programmable increment steps and you
would find if you did replace the IC then it would step through the
800MHz frequencies in 12.5KHz increments. US cellular uses 30KHz.

Hope this helps.

Cheers,
/--\
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Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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4817. Re: Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: baf@texas.net.antispam
Message-ID: <OJvH1.11$h6.53217@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 145272

Jim --

This is a problem commonly faced in running TV antennas from roof to rec room, so have a look at the books in Radio Shack and local electronics stores about running antenna lines. There are a few points you MUST consider. The main one, in order to keep on living, is not to let the antanna line serve as a way of bringing lightening into the living room. Next in importance is not letting the coax serve as a way of introducing water into your walls (easy, you make sure there is a "drip loop" in the cable where it enters, so that water, with the help of gravity, flows down and AWAY from the entry point (which is on the side, not the roof, natch), not toward it), and third, the entry point should not serve as a conduit for insects, spiders, snakes, etc. Grommets, caulking, careful drilling, and paint all help here.

Good luck.

BAF (to respond by email, delete the .antispam)

In article <1998090305434100.BAA00344@ladder03.news.aol.com>, cozyelm@aol.com says...
>
>OK, I have the scanner and I have the antenna. NOW what is the best way to get
>the coax to the radio? I live in a mobile home, I don't want to string it thru
>the window and leave the window partly open (security reasons) Not even with a
>stick wedged in the runner of the window. So what other options do I have
>besides just drilling a hole and running the cable thru it. I would not mind
>this so much but I would like something more professionaly done. Any help you
>guys can offer will be appreciated.
>
>Jim Peters
>cozyoak@aol.com
>

4818. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090313270500.JAA21033@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145273

I've modified my 60 to work with the CE-232 interface for auto programming. It works very well and with the same PER file as the Pro 43.

4819. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eOEkeO019GA.359@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145274

John Mullaney <john@minutemancomm.com> wrote:
> ... the 235 and the 895 ... selectivity and image rejection are superb.

Much as I like my BC895, I have to quibble about that. While I have yet to encounter any significant imaging, selectivity leaves something to be desired. In bands with 12.5 kHz channel separation, bleed-over can be a real problem. In Atlanta, allocations are cheek-by-jowl in many bands and even a moderately strong signal will show up on adjacent channels.
Likewise, the local intermod problems in the 460 MHz region will overcome the 895's front-end (admittedly, every receiver except the PRO-2005 has been defeated by our transit authority, which even hetrodynes with itself).

Nonetheless, the TT is a great radio. If I weren't downtown in one of the highest communication density cities in the country (I think we have more cell phones than bathtubs <g>), I'd probably never notice the limitations.
/* barry /&

4820. Re: question about sportcat 150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fulcrum@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6smc76$k3m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145275

The SC 150 is a good scanner for taking on trips or to the Race or whatever, and searching all of a band for traffic. It has like 10 or so search bands that are preset. All you do is select the band and it starts searching. It however is not good to keep as your "main" scanner. Programming channels is a pain in the butt and the audio is not that great. It is a good radio for finding active frequencies in an unfamilliar city or whatever. That's what I use it for anyway, i'm sure someone will disagree with me.

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In article <35EE745E.3E4B2A3@ralvm.rtp.com>,
Rich Wells <n2mca@strongsignals.net> wrote:
> camper wrote:
> > I have heard that you can not program high and low limits for the sportcat
> > to do searches.
>
> That's true.
>
> > Are these limits preset?
>
> Correct.
>
> > If so, what presets are in the scanner?
>
> Simply breaks down it's entire receive coverage into several
> "bands"; don't remember exactly but it's like 29-50, 50-54,
> 108-136, 136-174, etc.
>
> > Would anyone recommend this as a good scanner?
>
> Decent for getting your feet wet. If you get into it at all, you'll
> outgrow it quickly and want MUCH more ;-)
>
> Strong Signals,
> Rich Wells N2MCA
> http://www.strongsignals.net/
>

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4821. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090314432400.KAA23956@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145276

>Subject: Re: New Radio Shack Catalog
>From: jabba@iaw.on.ca (Jabba T. Hutt)
>Date: 9/2/98 8:38 PM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35f10ea7.53054694@news.iaw.on.ca>
>
> Went into a Radio Shack in Niagara Falls New York today and
>got 2 catalogs for $3.50, well nit did cost me $3.50 but that was to
>get back into Canada, but the catalogs she just gave us, never asked
>any questions.

You forgot to get your hand stamped on the way out?
Neutrodyne

4822. How to get PRESET on YUPITERU 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Aad J. van Strien" <Aad-van.Strien@klm.nl>
Message-ID: <6sm8vlsqg1@ns0.klm.nl>
Source record: 145277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi scan freaks,

anyone here who knows how to turn on the PRESET mode on a YUPITERU MVT-9000?
My manual does not list it, and applying procedures as available from the
internet yield no result.

Thanks on advance for your time.
Greetings from the Netherlands.

Aad J. van Strien

4823. Re: MOD FOR RS PRO-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35EEB221.5238@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145278

How did you do this? Is it something a smalltime amateur like myself
might be able to do?

Pro43 wrote:
>
> I've modified my 60 to work with the CE-232 interface for auto programming. It
> works very well and with the same PER file as the Pro 43.

4824. Re: Cables and connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Hennigan <dennis@top.monad.net>
Message-ID: <6smfvr$5iv$1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 145279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

For scanners the BEst combo would be to use a 9913 50 Ohm cable with a type N connector.

In reality the difference between 50 and 75 ohm cables for receiving AND the difference between BNC/UHF/N connectors will not be noticable to the listener...

For the higher frequencies cable loss becomes the biggest factor. So if you want to listen to the higher bands (ie 800MHz) with a long cable run of more than 50 feet use a 9913 style cable, otherwise any 50 or 75 ohm cable will work just fine.
I would also stay with the connector style used on the antenna, UHF if I remember correctly.

Dennis WA1HOG
ARRL New Hamshire
Technicial Coordinator
wa1hog@nh.arrl.org

4825. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0309981245090001@pm62-14.magicnet.net>
Source record: 145280

In article <35ee37aa.6452862@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam]albany.net (Jeff) wrote:

> Which way is it going. I'd hate to lose this hobby if I could listen
> too the action bands. Also, isn't there a constitutional thing about
> being albe to hear our police?

There is not mention of people listening to the police in the Constitution.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it. Nothing cost anything.

4826. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0309981248190001@pm62-14.magicnet.net>
Source record: 145281

In article <EP2H1.2490$bz4.8364991@firenze.visi.net>, davideguna@vabch.com
(David Guna) wrote:

> Lets say for example I am riding my mtn. bike down the Virginia Beach
> boardwalk, with my scanner, and I hear something interesting on the
> police channel so I decide to check it out, yet not get in the way at
> all (across the street). Is there any legal issues that I should be
> aware of? I have been doing this for sometime now with out a problem
> (most of the time beating the police to the 10-20) Again I am not
> getting in the way at all, both for my own personal safety, and
> respect to the officers..
>

Just be aware that suspects are many times near or at the crime scene. You
would not want the police to suspect you in any way.

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

4827. Re: New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0309981254210001@pm62-14.magicnet.net>
Source record: 145282

In article <35ec12c2.49841663@nospam.com>, jlynn@nospam.com wrote:

> I think my boyfriend is cheating on me and I've heard that you can
> hear people on their cordless phones. He has one of the cheap one's
> from radioshack and he lives 3 floors down from me in a condo. What
> kind of scanner do I need to get for this? Are they expensive? Thanks
> for any help you can give me.

Just knock on his door at 3 in the morning. That is a lot cheaper.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

4828. Re: How to get PRESET on YUPITERU 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <aT2dREA5hs71EwXu@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 145283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6sm8vlsqg1@ns0.klm.nl>, Aad J. van Strien <Aad-
van.Strien@klm.nl> writes

Hi Ad,

>anyone here who knows how to turn on the PRESET mode on a YUPITERU MVT-9000?
>My manual does not list it, and applying procedures as available from the
>internet yield no result.

If you have a "Export" version of the MVT-9000 (MVT-9000EU) then the
"PRESET" feature is not available on this version and not detailed in
the manual.

This feature is controlled via a Surface Mount component on the Logic
PCB. To the right of the main CPU is a location marked "P".

On the Japanese domestic model (which has PRESET) this component is
missing, on those without "PRESET" this is in place. To enable the
"PRESET" feature remove this component (make sure its the correct
one !)

The "PRESET" mode is aimed at the Japanese market and not ideal for use
here in Europe. I'd suggest you leave it as it is really.

Hope that helps.
Cheers,
/--\
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Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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4829. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6smnilsai1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 145284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6skp7a$icm@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
|> >jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> >|> KC7ZRU <KC7ZRUnospam@cyberhighway.net> wrote:
|>
|> >|> >Part 97.403:
|> >|> >97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
|> >|> >No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any
|> >|> >means of radiocommunication at its disposal ...
|>
|> >|> Again I ask, at an "amateur station," just what equipment would be
|> >|> at one's disposal? (You might want to look up the definition of
|> >|> "amateur station" in Part 97 prior to answering. You won't find
|> >|> any mention of out-of-band gear.)
|>
|> >There is no definition of "amateur station" in Part 97. (at least in my
|> >copy dated March 19, 1996)
|>
|> Each part which deals with a specific radio service begins with
|> definitions. For the ARS, the definitions are found in S97.3.
|> You're supposed to know Part 97 forward and back, Mickey.
|>

OK, it's there. I missed it because I was searching for "amateur station"
not "Amateur station". I gotta change my default to be case insensitive
on searches.

I was wrong on the "no definition" part, sorry.

" (5) Amateur station. A station in an amateur radio service consisting
of the apparatus necessary for carrying on radiocommunications."

It seems to me that a transmitter that can transmit on any frequency
falls quite nicely into this definition. How do you read into this that
other equipment is forbidden? If I "roll my own" transmitter out of
components, I don't think there is a requirement in Part 97 that it be
physically incapable of transmitting outside the ham bands. Is such a
"roll your own" transmitter forbidden to be part of an "amateur
station?"

What about all the people who have radios that can transmit on the old
220 MHz band. The FCC reduced the size of this band a while back. Do
the hams with radios still capable of transmitting on the frequencies
that aren't part of the ham bands any more have to throw their radios

away? Is such a radio excluded from the definition of "amateur station?" It is capable of out-of-band transmission.

Even if you can somehow read into this that out-of-band capable equipment is excluded from the definition of "Amateur station", the relevant paragraph does not discuss equipment that is included in the definition of "Amateur station", it discusses "any means of radiocommunication at its disposal". If other equipment is "at its disposal" even if it's not "part" of the station, it's permitted per 97.403.

"S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are not available."

As a sappy example, if you come upon an unconcious policeman in need of immediate medical help, who has had a car wreck, and "normal communication systems are not available.", you may use his police radio to call for help per 97.403, even if this radio is not included in the definition of your "amateur station."

|>
|> >You also won't find mention of SWR meters, microphones, tables, chairs,
|> >CW keys, power supplies, etc. in Part 97. Is it your contention that
|> >these are not permitted to be at the disposal of an amateur station?
|>
|> You'd be a miracle-worker if you were able to transmit with a table.
|> This discussion is in regard to legal definitions; if folks are
|> going to quote from Title 47 they need to know the FCC's definition
|> of each and every term that appears in what they're quoting.
|>
|> Jeff KH2PZ

What do you mean when you say,

"Again I ask, at an "amateur station," just what equipment would be at one's disposal? (You might want to look up the definition of "amateur station" in Part 97 prior to answering. You won't find any mention of out-of-band gear.)"

Are you saying that an amateur station may not have an out-of-band capable station "at one's disposal" because it doesn't fall within your interpretation of the definition of "amateur station"? The things I mention aren't part of the definition either. Why am I allowed to have these things "at my disposal" and not a radio capable of out-of-band transmission? Please provide a quote from the rules that differentiates between an out-of-band capable radio and other equipment that's not part of the definition of "amateur station".

Do you contend that a radio that is capable of out-of-band transmission is not allowed to be included in the definition of "amateur station?"

Please quote the rule that forbids this.

Do you contend that an amateur station is forbidden to have equipment other than that included in the definition "amateur station" at its disposal? Please quote the rule that forbids this.

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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

4830. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6smo4isai2@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 145285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

348000020998184705000l@news2.transport.com>
Organization:
Keywords:

In article <txjonesy-ya023480000209981847050001@news2.transport.com>, txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom Jones) writes:
|> bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
|>
|> > On 1 Sep 1998 14:11:37 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
|> > <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
|> >
|> > >I believe that digital constitutes encoded or encrypted communications. Even
|> > >though digital is not encrypted, it still may consitute as so.
|> > >
|> > Believe all you want. You are wrong.
|> >
|> > Do you believe HAM Packet is encrypted?
|>
|> Isn't there some subtle difference of definition between the two?
|>
|> Something along the lines of; encoding and decoding, such as digital/ASCII,
|> is legal, and decrypting a code such as PGP is not?
|>
|> --
|> ��
|> ��To de-SPAM my email address, delete� �
|> ��the last 3 letters from the alphabet��
|> ��

For ham radio communications, the distinction is "messages in codes or ciphers intended to obscure the meaning thereof,". There are some slight restrictions, embellishments, etc., but the "intent to obscure" is the key point. You can see the FCC Ham radio rules at

http://www.arrl.org/field/regulations/news/part97/

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de KB5YAC
Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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4831. Re: Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R0309981305310001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 145286

In article <1998090305434100.BAA00344@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
cozyelm@aol.com (Cozy Elm) wrote:

> OK, I have the scanner and I have the antenna. NOW what is the best way to get
> the coax to the radio? I live in a mobile home, I don't want to string
it thru
> the window....

Why not drill a hole through the floor inside the mobile home, immediately
next to the wall? Run the cable out from under your mobile home to the
antenna.

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

4832. Trenton Search & Rescue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vance LaSalle <lasalle@ican.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd76a$f58cea00$305d9a8e@vance>
Source record: 145287

If anyone knows what the frequency the search and rescue planes out of trenton Ontario use please let me know.

Thanks, Vance

4833. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd76f$87d707c0$8801010a@mikey>
Source record: 145288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I REALLY have to wonder. I mean, if I were buying $10 worth of parts,
and they refused to give me the catalog, I'd just walk out.

Mike
N1DVJ

jkirkham@eng.miami.edu wrote in article
<6sh6fs$o54$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> They started this a few years ago. The original idea was to charge 3
bucks
> for the catalog, then include a 3 dollar coupon with the catalog towards
a
> purchase.
>
> I went in one day and spent like 300 bucks on a scanner and some other
stuff,
> and asked for a catalog. They refused to give me one for free!! I
couldn't
> believe it! I tried to reason with the guy but he said that they were
> considered store inventory and had to charge for them.

4834. Re: R10 Decertifed, too easy to modify for cell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35eeeb27.505275@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 145289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi, "Highcove-family" :-)

>In a reply to a message I recently posted, you said that
>modifying the R10 was fairly simple. However, I checked your page, and
>I remembered why I didn't try it before. You warn on your page that
>only very experienced people should try it, as it requires sautering
>down to a 3mm level.

That's correct. The modification is very simple in theory, with which I meant the fact that only 2 resistors need to be soldered into the unit. The difference between a blocked and an unblocked IC-R10 is, thus, only 2 resistors. On my page however, I warn anyone that is about to do the mod that soldering SMD components (SMD=Surface Mounted Device) is difficult. The parts are extremely small and it's easy to make mistakes or damage the unit. This is the practical side of the mod. But, on the other hand, you might find someone (a handy neighbour or a shop owner or so) that can solder the resistors for you. He/she should be able to do so in about 10 minutes.

Nevertheless, I can understand your confusion on what I call 'easy'....

>Also, I don't think that Radio Shack (the largest
>electronic parts retailer in the U.S.) carries those particular
>resistors, though I could be wrong.

This is not completely true. SMD resistors are available at lots of places and 10k is a *very* general value for any type of resistor. They should cost about $ 0.25 each or so.

>Could you straighen me out on this
>one, and tell me whether it is or is not recommended for a lightweight
>amateur like me to try this mod?

This mainly depends on your soldering techniques and the equipment you own. If you have 'surgeon hands' and a special SMD soldering iron you should be all set. Please note that I did NOT do the mod myself, since I have the European model.

Thanks for your comments,

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Joost van Stuyvenberg
Utrecht, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
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for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
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4835. Re: Anyone From Motorolla Read This NG...seriously. About TT being discontinued

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35EEEEFE.6CA1@ibm.net>
Source record: 145290

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Are you wondering if Motorola will stop making
> trunking systems? Nah. Too much money
> there. In fact, new trunking radios being introduced
> constantly.

Are you aware of the Dolphin deal?

Big digital changes happenin', brutha'!

Cheers!

4836. Re: Multiple Trunks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <35EEEEE1.6F893080@fnal.gov>
Source record: 145291

Joshua Carroll wrote:

> Is there a scanner out there that can scan multiple trunks.
> Say City A has 5 freqs City B has 5 freqs and so does City C.
> To listen to them, I have to put them in seperate banks (a RS Pro-91)
> and can listen to them seperatly. Is there a scanner that I could
> program all the cities that can fit in one bank and scan all three
> cities??
>
> Also, is there a trunk-scanner that can allow for Trunk and Conventional
> scanning. Some cities I drive thru are trunked, some are not.
>
> Any Help appreciated,
> mailto:jcarroll@nol.net

Not that I'm aware of.

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--> Rick Colombo@fnal.gov

4837. RS-232 Cable for BC 895XLT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: deshi135@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35eef41c.7084566@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145292

Hello all,

I need a RS-232 cable for my 895XLT. Would any of you be able to give me Radio Shack part numbers for the construction of the cable and a "What goes where" for connecting both ends? Can I get all I need to make the cable from RS? Also is there a max. length for the cable?

Thanks in advance for the help.

4838. Boycott Radio Shack (Tandy is member of CTIA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Red Star <"Red Star"@skatesurfsnow.com>
Message-ID: <35EEF998.3DD8D1EE@skatesurfsnow.com>
Source record: 145293
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I boycotted Radio Radio Shack because RS's Parent company, Tandy,
is a member of the Cellular Telephone Industry Association (CTIA)
that forced the Electronic Communications Privacy Act 1986 (ECPA) onto us.

I decided to boycott RS when a RS Droid was explaining to another customer
"with this radio, you can tune to the police and listen to all the things
they don't want the public to know about". When I asked if that was a
newer radio that could intercept cellular communications, the droid became
upset and began shouting at me "IT'S ILLEGAL TO EAVESDROP ON CELLULAR" ect.

The other customer got a worried look on his face and quietly sneaked
out of the store while the droid, now gritting his teeth and clenching
his raised fist, continued to shout, "IF YOU LISTEN TO CELLULAR, YOU
WILL KNOW ALL THE THINGS THEY DON"T WANT THE PUBLIC TO KNOW ABOUT!"

I just wanted to listen to the radio, I didn't want to get involved in
a political issue.

4839. Re: Need help with ID'ing TV station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjdurkin@mmm.com
Message-ID: <35EEF8BD.816EF113@mmm.com>
Source record: 145294

Matthew Stone wrote:

> Hey there all.. I need help with ID'ing a tv station. I am in the
> Toronto, Canada area and was flipping through the stations when I came
> across a set of colors bars on Channel 36. Now all the color bars are
> ID'ed with are the letters 'CTS' in the lower right hand corner. I am
> using a pair of rabbit ears with an 10db amplifier and this station is
> coming in clear as a bell. Any ideas what the heck this is.
>
> Thanks in advanced,
> Matthew <mstone@interlog.com>

This was discussed on the AMFMTVDX mailing list at qth.net. Here's what
Saul Chernos said:

Subject: [AmFmTvDx] Forget DXing 36 in Toronto area.

Crossroads Television System is on the air testing on TV-36. Licenced to
Burlington ON, they use the tower of CHCH 11 Hamilton. Seem to be weak,
so maybe reduced power. test pattern and gospel music. They're supposed
to be multi-faith, in accordance with Canadian regulations. I've heard
the program Director is Jewish, so it will be interesting to see what
evolves.

They're running on a plus offset, and Mike Reid says they're a bit off
that on the ICOM. I can't tell from my TV set. Signal is indeed weaker
than I'd expect...

I don't know if 36 will run 24 hours or sign-off periodically. So 36 may
be down the tubes for DXers in this area.

Opinions expressed herein are my own and may not represent those of my employer.

4840. DJX10, R10, Z1A, Syntor web pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: baptpdc@we.mediaone.net
Message-ID: <35eefd48.17254386@nntp.we.mediaone.net>
Source record: 145295
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

My web pages are back up for the Alinco DJX10, Icom R10, Icom Z1A and Motorla Syntor/X.

http://people.we.mediaone.net/baptpdc/radiomods.htm

-bap

4841. Good Deal on Trunktracker from Bill's Two Way IMHO -- Re: Spam From Bill's 2-Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <V8DH1.683$S66.2074409@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145296
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You folks amaze me. Here is a gentleman who politely mentions a deal he wishes to offer in simple terms.
You flame him immediately.
Are you anti business or anti capitalism which is the backbone of the USA?

In earlier posts you find a person was making constant self promotional posts about an import radio card and you defend him as if he had a god given right to spread self-serving misinformation here in USENET. What values do you have? BTW how do you count yourself a friend of Bill Cheek if you are anti business? Haven't you been in contact with his views lately? He stated that a post like yours is what is wrong with USENET as it obviously anti business. In my opinion Bill cheek is mad that many of us have boycotted his books and hardware offers because of his abuse of us hobbiests, the USENET and the Internet in general.

PS I notice Bill Nadzam is a ham which should confer some respect on him on that fact alone. The price he has on the two trunktracker models is fairly good by the way compared to Radio Shack units if the shipping isn't too high. I notice that he offers free shipping for a few days. One can save 4% to 8% also by avoiding the sales tax.
Bill Nadzam has a popular radio at a very good price in my humble opinion.
He is doing us a favor by mentioning it for our benefit.

73 de ki4je

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6skaa4$r4e@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>...
>In <35ED9902.11313C25@bills2way.com> Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
>writes:
>>
>>I know some folks in the enws Group hate this, but once in a while
>>it can't hurt.
>>
>>New BC-235XLT $189.95
>>
>>New BC-895XLT $209.95
>>
>>Free UPS ground if you mention this post and order by
>>September 7, 1998
>>
>>--
>>====================================
>>Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
>>mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com

>>http://www.bills2way.com
>>====================================
>
>
> So mr bill, what is this?
>
> Is this some commercial advertisement?
>

4842. Wanted:GP-350 Walkie Talkies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: allcity@shore.net
Message-ID: <6sn1ic$1tb$1@orthanc.reference.com>
Source record: 145297

I'm looking for 2 Motorola GP-350 4 watt, 2 chan. walkie talkies.
UHF 438-470 with antenna, belt clip, external mic.and battery.

I can pay $500

Pete
781 233 2322
Also interested in used surveillance equipment.

Posted using Reference.COM http://WWW.Reference.COM
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4843. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12356-35EEF69B-67@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145298

I have been doing that for over 20 yrs I have never had a big major
problem every now and then they might ask me what Iam doing and I
tell them the truth
as to what Iam doing
I asked a cop what he thought about people with scanners and he tld me
that they really don't care.

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4844. Indianapolis RCA Dome freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Wendt <wendt@indy.net>
Message-ID: <35EEFD5D.6DF8@indy.net>
Source record: 145299

Does anyone know where I could find the security freqs for the RCA Dome in Indianapolis, say a Web page, etc? I work there part time and would love to be able to listen in. The Motorola HTs they use only say Ch 1, etc.

4845. Wanted:GP 350 Walkie Talkies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: allcity@shore.net
Message-ID: <6sn29o$5k4$1@orthanc.reference.com>
Source record: 145300

I'm looking for 2 Motorola GP-350 4 watt, 2 chan. walkie talkies.
UHF 438-470 with antenna, belt clip, external mic.and battery.

I can pay $500

Pete
Allcity Security
781 233 2322
Also interested in used surveillance equipment.

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4846. Re: Tech toyz micro counter question!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Meyers <hcs@777gs.verio>, net
Message-ID: <6sn0l2$1pm$1@nntp.gulfsouth.verio.net>
Source record: 145301

O9's wrote in message <01bdd6e1$92802820$58388ed1@ibm-clone>...
>If you could stand a dumb question, where do you get one of these? Tx.
>Steve, AC6FR

http://www.optoelectronics.com/

4847. Re: Trenton Search & Rescue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980903211134400.RAA06336@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145302

Last night they were using 282.80 UHF for on scene comms and 5.717 USB for long range coordination.

John Ward
Brandon, Florida

4848. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <ixDH1.687$S66.2087546@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145303

FWIW the Georgia State police are switching to a digital system like Nextel.
It is owned by the Southland Corp which I think is a big natural gas energy
supplier but I am not sure.
They are selling their excess system capacity to GA.
It is going to cost GA only an additrional $300 million to do the state as
most of the towers etc. are already in place.
They have been testing the new system since May when the Metro GSP VHF
repeater in Atlanta fell into general disuse.

The GSP will have digital paging and phone calls in addition to the normal
state police comms.

This digital system must be pretty good for the whole state to switch.

The 235 xlt can not monitor such a system.

73 de ki4je

The Cb Guy wrote in message <35ee7dd2.875956@news.earthlink.net>...
>On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 02:44:47 GMT, ccreeper@inetnow.net (The Creeper)
>wrote:
>
>>"Brian" <brian_usenet@cizone.com> wrote:
>>
>>>Just because Motorola is discontinuing their trunked systems (can anyone
>>>confirm this?) doesn't mean every user of a Motorola trunked system will
go
>>>out and buy a new one. I'm guessing that some will for support reasons,
but
>>>support will still be available for a long time from third-party sources.
>>>Also, new trunked systems aren't exactly inexpensive.
>>>
>>>Uniden will produce a scanner that scans Motorola trunked systems as long
as
>>>they still exist and people have a need to listen to them.
>>
>>Motorola-owned SMR's in the 800 band have been disappearing for a
>>while now that Nextel is converting them into their digital IDEN
>>systems, this is not news. As for the public safety systems being
>>gobbled up, I doubt this will happen, county or city run Smartnet or
>>Smartzone systems have more failsafes built into them than your
>>run-of-the mill IDEN system, and these agencies can control the system
>>more than a Nextel-owned system. It is rather cold that these SMR
>>users are having to be pushed onto an IDEN network at a much higher
>>cost, and IMHO having to put up with compressed digital 1's and 0's
>>instead of good 'ol fashioned analog waves. Any of you ever listened

>>to those crappy IDEN radios? Sometimes good, but a lot of times just
>>marble-mouth garble.
>>
>>Creeper
>>www.inetnow.net/~creeper/scanner.htm
>
>
>Now Really, just marble-mouther garble?
>This is what happens when you don't "fully quiet" the digital
>repeater.., it's only getting bits and pieces, but it still passes
>them on.
>This is a very rare instance with the IDEN radios I use, and I
>challange anyone to find a more versitale system for the common public
>user...I can use my radio hundreds of miles from other users, and
>still have crystal clear comm's with them.
>Yeah, I can talk 1000's of miles with my HF rig, but not nearly as
>reliable, predictable, or practical.
>And the SMR's sucked......I used them too, you were lucky to get
>coverage over an entire metro area.......using the one or two tower
>method.
>The Cb Guy
>http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
>Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

4849. Re: Multiple Trunks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090321163800.RAA06965@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145304

Josh wrote: >> Is there a scanner out there that can scan multiple trunks.
>> Say City A has 5 freqs City B has 5 freqs and so does City C.
>> To listen to them, I have to put them in seperate banks (a RS Pro-91)
>> and can listen to them seperatly. Is there a scanner that I could
>> program all the cities that can fit in one bank and scan all three
>> cities??

Josh Check out the Optoelectronics Opto com and Opto trakker at:
http://www.optoelectronics.com/
Note: FCC approval still pending I think!

4850. Wanted: R7000 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cgt01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090321193900.RAA04102@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145305

To All:

Please advise condition and price expectations ... (will pay fair market price ...)

Sincerely,

Colin Trass N1KYX

4851. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090321270800.RAA05094@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145306

I wishI knew wich way it will go digital format voice or "encrypted" as for listening those who paid for the system ought to be able to listen to the non confidential/routine stuff but most in the business do not think that way and most of the public doesn't care so we are probably out of luck.

BP

4852. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6sn5q3knt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145307

In article <35EE392B.52E7@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> George Vetterle wrote:
> > It is stupid, kind of like whipping a dead horse. Why do you keep
> > responding to the threads?
>
> Funny, I was think of asking YOU that question!
>
> Please, just drop the Bill Cheek issue. He is gone & no longer a
> problem.
>

This shows right along that you were and are still the problem mackey, you keep posting your crap every day of the week and Bill is no longer on here.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4853. fs or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: STACEY@DIGISCAPE.COM
Message-ID: <6sn1pfqln1@osh2.datasync.com>
Source record: 145308

I HAVE TWO P100s UHF 2CH RADIOS
ONE OF THE RADIOS HAS A DTMF KEYPAD ASKING $165
THE OTHER HAS A PLAIN COVER ASKING $145
BOTH FOR $300
OR WILL TRADE ONE OF THE RADIOS FOR A SCANNER HAND HELD SCANNER THAT WILL SCAN

CELLULAR

OR FOR A HANDHELD FREQ COUNTER

4854. Re: DROP Bill Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35EF1070.20CA@parg.org>
Source record: 145309
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Sumbody sed:
> > > Just like on the Scan-L mailing list
> > > where he was warned several times before he was kicked off.
>
> And from another a few days ago.

Tell us more, what happened?

4855. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sn44l$fdp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145310
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I doubt that Motorola is discontinuing their trunking systems. I *heavily*
doubt that.

Can you cite where you heard this?
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Eddie Hewgley wrote in message <35EDD9ED.67B2D187@hotcom.net>...
>It might as well be discontinued. My business in Nashville, Tn uses
>Motorola truncked system, and we are having to switch over to Nextel at
>the end of the year because Motorola is doing away with the truncked
>systems. At least that's what I heard.

4856. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sn3fh$bvp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Take a look at http://www.afn.org/~gars/fcc/p97-e.html#401 for a complete
article regarding emergency communications.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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It gives the test first and teaches after.

Jeffrey Herman wrote in message <6skp7a$icm@news.Hawaii.Edu>...
>>There is no definition of "amateur station" in Part 97. (at least in my
>>copy dated March 19, 1996)
>
>Each part which deals with a specific radio service begins with
>definitions. For the ARS, the definitions are found in S97.3.
>You're supposed to know Part 97 forward and back, Mickey.
>
>>You also won't find mention of SWR meters, microphones, tables, chairs,
>>CW keys, power supplies, etc. in Part 97. Is it your contention that
>>these are not permitted to be at the disposal of an amateur station?
>
>You'd be a miracle-worker if you were able to transmit with a table.
>This discussion is in regard to legal definitions; if folks are
>going to quote from Title 47 they need to know the FCC's definition
>of each and every term that appears in what they're quoting.
>
>Jeff KH2PZ

4857. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sn3j4$cl0@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

However, almost every digital system is encrypted. Some exceptions are
paging and cheaper digital 900 MHz cordless phones.
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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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It gives the test first and teaches after.

Blake Bowers wrote in message <6skp4v$p25$0@207.18.224.52>...
>On 2 Sep 1998 15:22:28 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Nope, and I was discussing the intentional listening of digital and
>>encrypted signals, not the interaction thereof.
>
>Well, you are still wrong. Digital, and encrypted are two different
>things.
>

4858. Healey Shut Up!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090322001400.SAA09463@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145313

From: "Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net>
Date: 9/3/98 4:40 PM Eastern Daylight Time
Message-id: <V8DH1.683$S66.2074409@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
>.You folks amaze me. Here is a gentleman who politely mentions a deal he
>wishes to offer in simple terms.
You flame him immediately.
Are you anti business or anti capitalism which is the backbone of the USA?

Nope, some people are just sick of getting spammed here and in junk e-mail. I deleted the remainder of your thinly disguised diatribe against your apparent arch enemy. Why don't you shut the hell up already? I can't speak for any one else but I'm sure there are at least a few people here who want to stick to the subject at hand. If you find that so difficult, why not go someplace else?

4859. Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sn3mv$d25@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Maybe the article on the URL below will clear things up:

http://www.afn.org/~gars/fcc/p97-e.html#401

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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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It gives the test first and teaches after.

4860. Can't leave Bill Cheek alone, can y'all?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090322152200.SAA14793@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145315

God, this would be funny if it wasn't so pathetic...

Bill has been gone from here for several days...and yet, this newsgroup is still filled with talk about him.

Can't leave it alone, can you? Face it...you all dearly miss Bill and his contributions to our hobby.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4861. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ken M." <pobox-dc*@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35EF1582.1AD5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
> Maybe the article on the URL below will clear things up:
>
> http://www.afn.org/~gars/fcc/p97-e.html#401

Yes, it's quite clear to me:
****
> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
> not available.
****
If you have a Ham license, a police radio, and see a threat to life or
property -- it's perfectly legal to use the police frequency.

This is what several have stated before.

(ken)

NOTE: To reply to this message replace (*) with (-).

4862. RS Pro-2038

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Singer <seaquest@ici.net>
Message-ID: <35EF1BC4.2CC66751@ici.net>
Source record: 145317

Hello,
Does any one know of a mod for the RS Pro 2038 scanner?
If any one knows of one could you please E-mail me here, Thanks Jim

seaquest@ici.net

4863. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sn6sr$cq0$0@207.18.224.70>
Source record: 145318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 3 Sep 1998 22:01:08 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>However, almost every digital system is encrypted. Some exceptions are
>paging and cheaper digital 900 MHz cordless phones.
>--
BRRRRRRRPPPPPPPPP. No. Negative. Wrong. Incorrect.

MANY digital systems, even the majority, are strictly digital. Some,
are encrypted.

Take for instance NEXTEL. Digital. No encryption.

And on, and on.

Your inexperience is showing.

4864. WTB: Icom 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <35ef2105.357473308@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 145319

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WTB: Icom 7100 Receiver
Reply E-Mail with price and condition.
Thanks,Rich.
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4865. WANTED!!!! ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: unitygm <unitygm@wamusa.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd794$a4e2caa0$af049dd0@default>
Source record: 145320

Wanted Icom R7000,R7100,or maybe R9000 if price is reasonable. Prefer dead or damaged units but consider all. Similar Yaesu or Watkins Johnson or the like also.

unitygm@litchfieldil.com

4866. Dual band base antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck k <chuckk@kerrlake.com>
Message-ID: <35EF295D.5CDE5F29@kerrlake.com>
Source record: 145321

Dual band fiberglass base station antennas

Model K1480 Model K1481
144-148 435-450 144-148 435-450
6DB 2mtr 8DB 70cm 8.3DB 2mtr 11DB
70cm
200 watts 200 watts
Height 98" Height 16'9"

$69 + Shipping $99 + Shipping

Stainless steel radials
Includes all mounting hardware

Chuck
kb2ahz
804-372-0614

4867. FRS radio mod question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: michaeldr1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090323483700.TAA27440@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145322

Was wondering if it is possible to "tweek and tune" an FRS radio to use with another frequency like business radio, police or security. I looked at some of these radios in a store the other day and was curious. If anyone knows, please advise.

Michael

4868. Re: System outage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <35EEBC54.D01D1F77@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 145323
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Motorola had nothing to do with the move to 800, it was the wonderful FCC, when every major city and county requested new frequencies in their old bandplans the FCC said no way and made them move to 800.
BTW The entire eastern Maricopa county (Phoenix area) 800 system was down for 5 days a few weeks ago and it was interesting to hear all the PD users(County probation, Scottsdale PD, Gilbert PD etc.) crammed on one channel with that annoying no access tone every 30 seconds.

Long live Low Band.

Mike
WB8VLC
Phoenix

4869. Want: BC-760-XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <0SGH1.3$bi2.4659@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 145324

Hi All,
I am looking for a clean BC-760-XLT Mobile Scanner...

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks,
Boyd

4870. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35EF4E50.348A@ibm.net>
Source record: 145325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Blake Bowers wrote:
> Take for instance NEXTEL. Digital. No encryption.
> Your inexperience is showing.

Blake, since they can't decode it on their ICOM, it
must be encrypted. :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

4871. Re: FS: Alinco 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Chamberlain and Rachael Rhoads <mailto>
Message-ID: <35EF523B.41FD@epix.net>
Source record: 145326
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

THE ALINCO RADIO HAS BEEN SOLD!!!!!!

4872. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F09C34.4E4@parg.org>
Source record: 145077

Bud wrote:

> Then WHY are you still in this newsgoup? It IS supposed to be about
> scanners, NOT about personal agendas.

Good point Bud, then WHY are YOU on here pushing your agenda?

And WHY are you on here forging messages from Cheek?

I guess another series of complaints to abuse@rr.com & abuse@san.rr.com
are in order due to your trouble making & forging.

> Guess another series of complaints to teleport.com and MCI.net are in
> order.

Yea, I saw the report/response to your original set of complaints
to parg.org where 9 of 10 examples you showed of my behavior were
actually posts from OTHER people, NOT ME!! (One of them was YOU cursing
at ME!!!!) I think PARG forwarded their findings to YOUR ISP!!!

Bud, If you're smart, you'll back off & let this all drop. I suggest
you learn from Bill's mistakes.

4873. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sq6i8$b26$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145078

RadioShack doesn't charge for the catalogs.

CBRambo wrote in message
>
>Not this year. The head honchos in Fort Worth must have needed the extra
>moneyfor new hairpieces this year.

4874. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Reuschlein <jayr@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#VwslQH29GA.105@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145079

OK, everyone. I've sent their Customer Relations department on their Web page a message asking what their policy should be for catalog sales. Will let everyone know when/if I get a response.

Jason

John Habbinga wrote in message <6sq6i8$b26$1@news4.wt.net>...
>RadioShack doesn't charge for the catalogs.

4875. Our friends down under [was: EDACS Scanner...]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sq7ra$8vsg$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The clearly bright but sometimes spurious Ryan Faricy wrote...

>BTW: The world doesn't revolve around Australia, so I recommend you post
>VALID information for the US when necessary. You post incorrect cellular
and
>cordless frequencies all the time.
>
>If you need to post for Australia, do so in the Australia Scanner
newsgroup.

Ryan:

When I was your age (sixteen), I sometimes said things which I regret to this day. Please understand that I offer this in a constructive manner.

Like so many young men nearing adulthood, you have yet to fully appreciate the world around you. This is clearly elucidated in some of your postings. While your comments reflect your high IQ, they at times do not reflect the social grace which will be required for you to prosper in adulthood. Have no fear - you are not alone, for I am one of many who have traveled that path.

Ryan, you speak of your faith (Jehovah's Witness) as well as your desire to attend USC.

How then, would you feel if your postings were to be reviewed by church elders or an admissions officer at the college? Does the bellicose posting above reflect your true nature?

I sincerely doubt it.

I can assure you however, that at least one prominent USC graduate has read your words. Did he get the right impression? Would he want you to attend his alma mater? A school well known for its international relations? Well?

The Aussies I know would be the first to admit that the world does not revolve around their island nation. It is equally as ridiculous for you to think that the world revolves around ours. When someday you have a chance to travel, meet and truly know those from other cultures, you will have a grasp of what I am saying. Were it not for the valiant sacrifices of the Australian military, you and I might be living in a far different world.

The newsgroups you have posted to are:

"rec.radio.scanner" and "alt.radio.scanner"

They are by their very existence an international forum. The letters "U.S." appear nowhere in their title or FAQ.

Ryan, rather than getting somewhat rankled and firing off a hasty response, please take a moment to print this letter. Take a day or two to think about it. Don't bother to reply to anyone other than the soon-to-be man who looks back at you in the mirror.

Then, think and more importantly *act* in a manner befitting those of your faith and education. You owe it to them and yourself.

If you should be fortunate to attend USC, you will no doubt graduate with honors. There will be a moment however, as you walk towards the podium to accept your diploma, that you will encounter a tall man with gray hair. The crowds will easily part for him as he approaches you, simply to ask "Did you get the message?"

-BH-

4876. Re: Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Fairleigh <mikef@sky.net>
Message-ID: <YI1I1.250$4S5.6653308@alpha.sky.net>
Source record: 145081

I don't know if they still have it, but years ago Rat Shack sold a through-the-wall device for coax (or other cable). You drilled a hole the correct size for the tube, and then screwed the supplied flanges onto both sides to seal up the hole. Of course, it was sized to fit in standard stud walls, and I'm not familiar with the wall construction of mobile homes.
--
Mike Fairleigh
mikef@sky.net
...Always remembering their sacrifices.

Jack wrote in message <35f5875d.35319797@news.bell.net>...
>On 3 Sep 1998 05:43:41 GMT, cozyelm@aol.com (Cozy Elm) wrote:
>
>>OK, I have the scanner and I have the antenna. NOW what is the best way to get
>>the coax to the radio?

4877. The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F0A967.4F71E3E1@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145082

KA0SSF wrote:

> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> > > Please, just drop the Bill Cheek issue. He is gone & no longer a

> Yea right, I ask people to stop & let the issue drop & say that is the
> problem?????!!!!!!!!!!
>
> You are demented if you really believe that.

So what are *you* doing now-a-days John? I see you're still actively forging away with your little fantasy support group.

And Bill Cheek's FAQ's on scanners really burns your butt, doesn't it? What is it about those posts that bother you? They look like they're all about scanners. Why are you jumping all over them? Are you saying they weren't written by Bill?

No, that's not it. Bill wrote them. I've seen them before. I compared them to previous posts that I saved last year. They're identical. Bill Cheek wrote them.

You know that too.

What's the problem?

You friggin' loon.

4878. Kenwood RZ-1??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: windbrkr@erols.com
Message-ID: <MPG.105a7432e0d22e5c9896d6@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145083

Can anyone advise what a *used* Kenwood RZ-1 wideband scanning receiver might be worth right now? This is not a museum piece, lacking its original box and having been used in a mobile installation.

Thanks, Bob

4879. Re: Recording

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F0AC2E.77D7A89@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145084

Joe Nicholson wrote:

> -=> Quoting Homer to All <=-
>
> Ho> Can anyone help me with cassett or open reel recorder mods to extend
> Ho> rec time to 5 hours or so?
>
> Use a voice activated recorder so the
> tape is moving only when there is a
> radio transmission occurring.

There's another way that most people don't think of; use a VHS VCR that has the SLP setting for longer play. That can extend recording time for up to six hours on one VHS tape. I used to record party tapes with six hours of music from my cassette tapes to the audio track of the stereo VCR VHS tape.

Six hours of continuous audio recording (super quality), and none of the chirps, blips, and cuts that VOX switching can cause.

The down side is that you've got six hours of tape to review to find what you're looking for.

If you need all six hours, VHS audio track recording is cheap and easy.

But VOX switching is probably better if you just want the transmissions.

4880. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sq8sh$ca2$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145085

Maybe no one understands me. RadioShack no longer charges for their catalog. If you want one, then go to RadioShack and ask for one. They will give you one.

>Jason Reuschlein <jayr@msn.com> wrote in article
><#VwslQH29GA.105@upnetnews05>...
>> OK, everyone. I've sent their Customer Relations department on their Web
>> page a message asking what their policy should be for catalog sales.
>Will
>> let everyone know when/if I get a response.

>>
>>

4881. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sqc5femp1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 145086

$19.95 for three years. And the cool thing is that if your catalog gets broken and they can't fix it, then you get a new one, even if it is a year 2000 catalog.

BTW, they are calling it the Extended Service Option in the new catalog.

CBRambo wrote in message
<19980905033025OO.XAA13528@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Yes, but do they offer a Tandy Service Plan on the catalog?
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4882. SCANNERS FOR SALE!Pro26,2046

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Smith" <rusty@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <35F0C015.5D60A5F3@direct.ca>
Source record: 145087

Hello there,
Selling,
PRO-26 HAND HELD SCANNER,200 channels,25-1300Mhz cell
blocked,hyperscan,weather,air etc.works great
Asking $165

PRO-2046 MOBILE SCANNER,100 channels 800 Mhz,use as base or put it under
the dash,sells for $229 in 97 catalog,
Asking $95

Thanks Russ

4883. S.F. Bay area Trunk freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince
Message-ID: <6sqemn$cg2@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145088

I notice no San Francisco Bay Area topics in this Newsgroup. I would like to hear from other hobbiest to share frequencies and reports. I have just purchased a 895 XLT and listen to alot of trunked communications in Alameda County (ALCO).

How about it?

Vince

4884. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F0CD62.FDF31ED4@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 145089

Then why do you continue to hang out in a scanner related newsgroup ???

Mike

> KA0SSF wrote:
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>
> (besides, I never claimed to be a resource for scanners!)
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4885. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F0DF94.3AD6@parg.org>
Source record: 145090

Mike Derryberry wrote:
> Then why do you continue to hang out in a scanner related newsgroup ???

Because I am dedicated to the art of radio & want to keep it
safe for others in the future without getting tainted.

So Mike, why do you continue to hang out in a scanner related newsgroup
???

4886. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wapcutthispart@ica.net
Message-ID: <35ef2cf6.499707@news>
Source record: 145091

David Guna <davideguna@vabch.com> wrote:

>Lets say for example I am riding my mtn. bike down the Virginia
>Beach boardwalk, with my scanner, and I hear something interesting
>on the police channel so I decide to check it out, yet not get in
>the way at all (across the street). Is there any legal issues that
>I should be aware of? I have been doing this for sometime now with
>out a problem (most of the time beating the police to the 10-20)
>Again I am not getting in the way at all, both for my own personal
>safety, and respect to the officers..

Thousands of scanner listeners do this every day without incident.
If there are no local/state laws about mobile scanner use, you
should be fine. If it is a PI or PD, just don't get run over by
the vultures (tow trucks).

Since you act responsibly at scenes, I doubt you'll have any
problems. As a "first responder", you should be prepared to make
accurate observations (from a safe distance) when warranted.
Suspect/vehicle descriptions, tags, direction of travel, etc.,
can go a long way towards making a copper's job easier.

...Andy

*** Remove anti-spam text to reply directly ***

4887. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35f1ec79.3369734@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145127

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

4888. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: digital_persona@softhome.net
Message-ID: <35f0f092.232029@digitalnews9.faster1.net>
Source record: 145128
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Another forged message by thekat@san.rr.com (Bud)

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:42:12 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
wrote:

>Path: newscene.newscene.com!novia!newsfeed.nyu.edu!news-nyc.telia.net!newsfeed.internetmc
i.com!204.210.0.20!news.san.rr.com!not-for-mail
>From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
>Subject: Scanning FAQ 2
>Message-ID: <35f06f02.9948619@news-server>
>X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
>X-No-Archive: yes
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 581
>Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:42:12 GMT
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.210.49.227
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 03 Sep 1998 21:42:12 PDT
>Organization: TWC Road Runner, San Diego, CA
>Xref: newscene.newscene.com alt.radio.scanner:92066 rec.radio.scanner:150208
>
>Sep 3, 1998 SCANRADS.FAQ 09/03/1998
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> -Bill Cheek-
> Author
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>NOTE: This Frequently-Asked-Questions (FAQ) file or article is one of a
> seies of FAQs that I regularly publish. The complete list of FAQs

> is given below. If this one doesn't answer your questions, try
> one or more of the following additional FAQs:
>
>1. Scanner Modifications FAQ: SCANMODS.FAQ
>2. Scanner Data Decoder FAQ: SCANDATA.FAQ
>3. Scanner Performance FAQ: SCANPERF.FAQ
>4. Scanner S-Meter FAQ: SCANSMTR.FAQ
>5. Scanner Radios FAQ: SCANRADS.FAQ <--- This FAQ
>6. Administrative FAQ: ADMIN.FAQ
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>Bill Cheek's Scanner Radios
>Frequently Asked Questions File
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>01: What is the best scanner money can buy?
>02: Okay. so what is the best real scanner money can buy?
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>Contents
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>01: What is the best scanner money can buy?
>
> Your question is not answerable as it's phrased, because there are
> several classes of radios that are loosely called "scanners". A
> list of those classes or types is as follows:
>
> A. World Class Receivers: arguably, this class of receivers
> includes radios from Icom, Kenwood, Yaesu, Alinco,
> Watkins-Johnson, and WiNRADiO. These are receivers ONLY, but by
> virtue of their cost, and/or excellence, and/or primary
> purpose, and/or technical design, and/or limited market
> distribution, I don't call them "scanners". They're good for a
> lot of the same things that scanners are good for, but they're
> still not 'scanners'.
>
> B. Ham/Amateur Radios: includes all ham transceivers that have
> general coverage "scanning" receivers that cover any portion of
> the spectrum above and below 30 MHz. Despite the fact that
> these receivers can "scan", their primary appeal is to the ham
> radio community, and therefore aren't "scanners".
>
> C. Scanners are receivers that are legally imported into and sold
> within the United States. Scanners that meet my definition of
> of the word, cover at least 30 MHz and up, with memory scan,
> band search, priority, delay, and lockout functions, and which
> are widely marketed, either by mass-merchandizing or which are

> routinely advertised in a variety of radio and electronics
> related publications.
>
> D: Foreign scanning receivers of the type included in (C) above
> and otherwise excluded from (A) and (B), and which are not
> certified by the FCC for importation and sale in the USA.
>
> NOTE: I routinely support by bench testing, product reviews, and
> development of modifications only those receivers that meet my
> defintion of 'scanners' as discussed in (C) above. While there
> may be an occasional exception, I do not deal to any
> appreciable extent with radios in any class other than (C).
> Therefore, when I render an opinion or a rating of a 'scanner',
> it applies exclusively to Category (C) and does not detract
> from or reflect upon receivers in Categories (A), (B, and (D).
> Here is why:
>
> 1. Category (A) is too expensive or too narrowly distributed
> or too specialized for the mainstream, typical hobbyist.
>
> 2. Category (B) is too specialized, both by specific interest
> communities and by law. That is, ham radios are solely for
> the amateur radio community, despite any appeal to other
> markets.
>
> 3. Category (D) is illegal in the USA for one, and two, it is
> very difficult or impossible to acquire service manuals and
> parts/repair support for receivers in this class. There is
> little I can do to support these radios, so I usually just
> ignore them, despite how "good" they may be.
>
> 4. My primary objective is to meet the technical needs of the
> greatest number of hobbyists and to do the most possible
> good and stay within the law.
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>02: Okay. so what is the best real scanner money can buy?
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> Well, by the time I answer that, something new will come down
> to make me a liar or change my mind. I don't have a simple
> answer for that question, but let me try in so many words or
> less. It's kind of complicated, you see. I am going to discuss a
> handful of scanners that come close.
>
> PRO-2004
> ========
>
> My *favorite* scanner of all time is the PRO-2004, first
> introduced by Radio Shack in late 1986. Its market life ended

> in May, 1989, when the PRO-2005 replaced it. I like the PRO-2004
> for its innovations, size, ease of operation and because nothing
> like it has come out since. Here are some of its attributes and
> characteristics:
>
> Large, readable LCD display! AGC-controlled front-end
> Sloping, tactile keypad! Seven bandpass filters
> All- metal (shielded) case Double-balanced mixers
> Large roomy interior Modularized with each major
> Modern design, even though a mix of section on a separate board
> wired and surface mount components Continuous coverage, 25-520 MHz
> Easy to modify for added features & & 760-1300 MHz (after cell mod)
> improved performance User-selectable AM/NFM/WFM modes
> Good performance, anyway, right out User-selectable Search steps
> of the box Lock-out Review
> Triple-conversion Sound Squelch
> 400-channels, expandable to 25,600 Can be retrofitted for computer
> or more! interface/control/data
>acquisition
>
> I don't necessarily recommend the PRO-2004 for others anymore
> because it is old now and Tandy no longer supports it with spare
> parts and service manuals. You get one that fails and it just
> might stay failed. Still....I think the PRO-2004 is the finest
> scanner of all time, and I can fix 'em when mine break down.
>
> For whatever it's worth, the PRO-2004 can be upgraded/modified to
> include most of the specs of the PRO-2006.
>
> PRO-2006
> ========
>
> My next favorite scanner of all time is the PRO-2006, also from
> Radio Shack, that replaced the PRO-2005 in May, 1990. The 2006
> is a slightly evolved and slightly downgraded version of the
> PRO-2004. You will see very few differences with the schematic
> diagrams held side by side. Essentially, they are siblings, and
> almost clones. But there are differences. The differences that
> I don't like include:
>
> Smaller LCD display Smaller physical size/weight
> Vertical, rubber button keypad Plastic case
> Difficult access to CPU Board Condensed, congested main board
> and LCD Display area
>
> The differences that I like include the following:
>
> Improved Squelch circuit Improved AM mode selectivity
> Faster CPU (has additional AM IF filter)
>

> The foregoing are pretty much the sum and total of the differences
> between the PRO-2004 and the PRO-2006. Unquestionably, the PRO-2006
> is the better choice for most hobbyists because Tandy still supports
> the 2006 with spare parts and service. That, and the 2006 is
> probably more reliable and less prone to failure than the 2004. So
> MY personal preference for the 2004 is not in any sense of the word
> a recommendation. It is only my preference, and largely because I
> can service and maintain the unit. For those who can't do that, the
> PRO-2006 is the hands down winner.
>
> The PRO-2006 had an active market life from May, 1990 to roughly
> April, 1994, when no more units were brought into the USA, thanks to
> the Act of Congress that outlawed "easily cellular modifiable"
> scanners. New PRO-2006's surfaced for about a year, thanks to a
> "grandfather clause" in the TDDRA of 1994, but by the end of 1994,
> they were pretty much all gone.
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>
> PRO-2005
> ========
>
> The PRO-2005 replaced the PRO-2004 in May 1989, and was replaced by
> the PRO-2006 a year later in May, 1990. It had a very short market
> life, with good reason as we will see below.
>
> This unit doesn't rank on my list of preferences. It's essentially
> a PRO-2004 without the goodies. It's identical in appearance to the
> newer PRO-2006, but retains the slower CPU of the PRO-2004. Gone are
> the large LCD display; metal cabinet; and sloping tactile keypad.
>
> It's not that I dislike the PRO-2005 - it's a darn good radio in all
> respects. In fact, there are few differences among the PRO-2004/5/6,
> period. But when it comes to choices, the 2004 is my preferred and
> the 2006 is my second choice.
>
> Aside from the physical appearances and redesign of the boards, the
> only difference between the PRO-2004 and 2005 is an improved AM-IF
> selectivity in the 2005 by virtue of an added ceramic IF filter.
>
> The short market life of the 2005, coupled with the improved and
> faster PRO-2006 puts the 2005 in a unique category. If you have
> one, enjoy it and keep it....it's a good radio. If you don't have
> one, then don't get one unless it's clean and cheap.
>
> Interesting, but the PRO-2005 can be easily upgraded to a PRO-2006
> in a couple of ways. The most feasible is to replace the CPU IC-501
> and Clock Resonator CX-501 with the parts for a PRO-2006, and then
> rewire the keyboard diode matrix DA501-DA504, to agree with how
> they're wired in the PRO-2006. Voile! You've got a PRO-2006 for
> all intents and purposes. The Logic boards are otherwise the same

> between the PRO-2005 and 2006. And since Tandy still stocks parts
> for the PRO-2006, this seems a practical approach for an upgrade.
>
> Another way to upgrade a PRO-2005 to a 2006 is to replace the Logic
> and CPU Board with one for a 2006....probably the easier way.... but
> last I knew, Tandy wouldn't sell whole boards to the public. So to
> replace the CPU and CLock Resonator and rewire the diode array
> remains the practical approach, I guess.
>
> The only other significant difference between the PRO-2005 and 2006
> is IC-10, a CMOS bilateral switch in the Squelch circuit. This can
> be easily retrofitted into the PRO-2005 to complete the upgrade. The
> back issues of the monthly WORLD SCANNER REPORT deal with this
> upgrade in detail.
>
>NOTE: It is even possible to upgrade the PRO-2004 to a PRO-2006 by
>grafting a 2006 CPU and Clock resonator into the 2004's Logic Board.
>Trouble is, the PRO-2004 used a 64-pin DIP CPU while the PRO-2005/6 use
>a 72-pin surface mount CPU. Still, the pin functions of all three are
>identical, with one unused pin in the 2004's CPU and nine unused pins in
>the 2005 and 2006 CPUs. The 63 pin functions of all three CPUs are
>identical. And, in fact, I did successfully graft a 2006 CPU into one of
>my PRO-2004's, but it was a job that I don't know how to translate into
>words to tell others how to do it. If you are interested in converting
>your PRO-2004 to a PRO-2006, contact me privately and we'll see......
>
> PRO-2042 and PRO-2035
> ======================
>
> Would you believe these two fine radios are also clones of the
> PRO-2004/5/6 series? They are! Not exact clones, but mighty close!
> The PRO-2035/2042 don't have cellular capability, thanks to the
> TDDRA of 1994 that forbade "easy cellular modifications", and there
> is a whole new redesign of the boards and physical layouts, such
> that you'd need a schematic diagram to see all the similarities of
> these five radios. Still, the designs are very close, and as such,
> the PRO-2035/2042 rank up there on the list of my favorite radios.
>
> The only significant differences between the PRO-2042 and the older
> PRO-2035 are in the firmware on board the CPU. The 2042 has more
> conveniences than the 2035, but otherwise they are the same rig.
> Both are excellent radios if you can do without cellular coverage.
>
> NOTES ON ALL FIVE RADIOS: PRO-2004/5/6 AND PRO-2035/2042
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>
> All five of these rigs are capable of some hot-shot modifications,
> including many thousands of extra channels of Extended Memory and
> Search Banks. Literally, dozens of cool mods can be done to these
> five radios, and among my three books and eight years of the monthly

> WORLD SCANNER REPORT, these rigs are well covered.
>
> The PRO-2004/5/6 are especially accommodating of the CE-232 Scanner/
> Computer Interface, a smart 2-way RS-232 controller and data
> acquisition interface with legendary power and capability to make
> scanning easier and more fun. The CE-232 works in 1-way controller
> and AutoProgrammer mode with the PRO-2035 and 2042
>
> PRO-43
> ======
>
> Another member of the PRO-2004/5/6/203/2042 family is the handheld
> PRO-43. While the above five base scanners can be called 'siblings',
> the PRO-43 isn't, but it is a 'kissing cousin'. The PRO-43 shares
> enough of the circuitry and specs of the Big 5 that it is one of my
> favorite handheld scanners....perhaps THE favorite. It is the only
> Radio Shack handheld scanner to ever come with the military aero
> band. That alone is pretty awesome.
>
> The PRO-43 is capable of many mods and hacks, including continuous
> coverage from about 8 MHz to 1 GHz. Yes, shortwave! Not that it
> works very good down that low, but the mod does unleash the force.
> The PRO-43 is a very cool radio and certainly the last of its kind.
> There are newer and snazzier handhelds out and about, but when it
> comes to more steak and less sizzle, the PRO-43 is hard to beat.
>
> The PRO-43 works with the CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface in 1-way
> controller and AutoProgrammer mode.
>
> PRO-64 and PRO-2041
> ===================
>
> The PRO-64 (handheld) and PRO-2041 (base) are electronic clones of
> each other, (electronically identical) and what I would call 'second
> cousins' to the family of the PRO-2004/5/6/2035/2042 and a first
> cousin of the PRO-43.
>
> Good as these scanners are, they're even better when you consider
> that they come with a built in computer interface. Five bucks worth
> of parts and a free program lets you program these scanners with 400
> channels of frequencies in about 45-seconds! Now ain't that slick!
>
> The PRO-64 and PRO-2041 are well covered in the monthly WORLD
> SCANNER REPORT, where we've found these two rigs to be eminently
> hackable and modifiable.
>
> PRO-26 and BC-3000XLT
> =====================
>
> There is no relationship of the PRO-26 and BC-3000XLT to the family

> of the PRO-2004/5/6/203/2042/43/64/2041. That "family" was made by
> GRE-Japan while the PRO-26 and BC-3000XLT were made by Uniden in
> Taiwan. The PRO-26 and BC-3000XLT are close clones of each other,
> however. They are not identical, but you'd have to study their
> schematic diagrams for a while to spot the differences. For all
> practical purposes, they are alike.
>
> Some say the BC-3000 is a little better than the PRO-26, but that's
> not cut and dried. These two radios are great performers and have
> excellent potential for mods and hacks. Forget cellular; it ain't
> going to happen shy of the low-rent "VD" mod or replacement of their
> CPUs with European versions. Neither of these so-called cell mods
> are acceptable in my books and they all cost a lot of money, time,
> and trouble for sub-par results. <Gack>
>
> UNIDEN SCANNERS
> ===============
>
> Uniden is best known for selling lots of sizzle and not so much
> steak. Generally speaking, especially in their base scanner line,
> you buy software more so than hardware. All radios nowadays are
> microprocessor and firmware based, but Uniden takes this concept to
> the ultramax! Software is cheap compared to hardware. Not since
> the Muntz TV's of the 1960's have I seen such sparkling, glittering
> chassis on the outside and near vacuums on the inside.
>
> Uniden has made some good radios in their time, including the
> BC-200XLT, BC-205XLT, BC-3000XLT, and the PRO-26. The common factor
> here is that these four are handheld scanners. Uniden seems
> incapable or unwilling to make comparable quality base scanners,
> though their latest offering of the BC-9000XLT might well be a
> sleeper. At least, it comes with more firmware frills and sizzle
> than any prior offering.
>
> In general, I don't recommend Uniden scanners. Read my lips now;
> I don't advise against them....I just don't whoop them up. I'm not
> comfortable with their marketing tricks and hype. Uniden goes after
> the masses with a hokey glitz and glamor, the price of which is
> included in the cost of the scanner. You end up buying software,
> sizzle, glitz, and glamor. In my opinion, the "steak" is tough and
> you don't get much.
>
> As usual, there are exceptions.....
>
> THE TRUNKTRACKER SCANNERS
> =========================
>
> So far, Uniden is the only manufacturer so far of TrunkTracker
> scanners, including the PRO-90, BC-235XLT, BC-895XLT, and now, the
> PRO-2050. The PRO-90 and BC-235XLT are identical clones and the new

> PRO-2050 in a base package might well be a clone of these two. The
> PRO-2050 is not a clone of the BC-895XLT, despite both being base
> scanners.
>
> I'll have to hand it to Uniden on their TrunkTrackers. The TT
> radios seem to be a fair mix of sizzle and steak, and they certainly
> do track the Motorola trunked systems. The BC-895XLT may even be
> computer controllable though Uniden doesn't support it, but I hear
> that 3rd parties may be offering control software for it.
>
> Basically, I'm not sold on this first generation of TrunkTrackers,
> despite the fact that they work and the public seems to have
> accepted them. I'll tip my hat, that's for sure, but I'm all for
> waiting to see what GRE-Japan comes up with. And we all know that
> "Version 1.0" of anything these days isn't the best that can be
> done. So I am waiting for the competition to gear up and/or for the
> 2nd generation of TrunkTrackers to come.
>
> Someone has to buy into the first generations of new stuff. If
> you are so disposed, you won't get any argument from me. If you have
> a conservative "wait and see" attitude, you'll find me in your
> company.
>
> AOR SCANNERS
> ============
>
> AOR seems not want to sell very many scanners in the USA. They have
> a yo-yo, switchy-swatchy pattern to their marketing and technical
> support. Their service manuals are both expensive and deplorable.
> AOR seems to serve a cultist, elitist, niche scanning community.
> Despite that their top of the line radios might well be second to
> none, I just don't support them.
>
> If you have an AOR scanner and like it, I can understand why. But
> you are a minority and AOR apparently doesn't want to do anything
> about it. I prefer to serve the majority, and so there is little
> more I can say about AOR scanners.
>
> NEW PLAYERS IN THE SCANNER GAME
> ===============================
>
> Relm and Sony are new players on the scanner scene. I don't know
> anything about these rigs yet; the Sony is much too new, and the
> Relm just doesn't have much of a market penetration yet. People say
> it's a good radio; maybe they're right, and maybe they're just
> defending the wisdom of their purchase. I think both are doomed to
> bit-player and niche status, but time will tell.
>
> Meanwhile, with rare exception, I give my stamp of recommendation
> only to those radios that have withstood the test of time. The

> johnny-come-lately's may well be good scanners, but if that's true,
> then they will pass the test of time. AOR's AR-8000 is one such
> example. It's been around for some time and continues to do well
> despite a more advanced model recently announced.
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>
> YUPITERU SCANNERS
> ==========
>
> It is illegal to import "Yupi" scanners into the USA, because they
> are not certified by the FCC for sale here. Furthermore, Yupiteru
> seems to not give a whit about the US market, so why should I give a
> hoot about them? There is also the question about sending good USA
> money to markets that do not return some benefits to our community.
>
> Not only that, but service and support for Yupiteru radios are
> either nonexistent or at best, 3000 miles away. However, you can't
> get a service manual for these scanners. You buy a Yupi and you risk
> running afoul of the law; as well as having dead meat on your hands
> should the unit ever fail.
>
> Some people claim the Yupi radios are the best they've ever used.
> I hear little of anything bad about them. So the issues you have to
> deal with are patriotic ones, and those of service and support, and
> last, but not least, legal issues. So far, no one's been nailed for
> importing a Yupi scanner, but somewhere, someday, someone's going to
> be the first. Could it be you?
>
>
> WORLD CLASS RADIOS
> ==========
>
> There is a class of radio, not properly called a scanner, but
> without a name or a home anywhere else. I call them "world class
> radios" for lack of a better term. These include wide coverage
> receivers from Icom, Kenwood, and Yaesu.
>
> Kenwood and Yaesu seem to have slithered out of this market realm,
> leaving Icom pretty much uncontested at this time. Kenwood's RZ-1
> and Yaesu's FRG-9600 are much too old to be real competition now,
> but these are classics, and if you can snag one cheap, you may have
> a deal that's worth it.
>
> Icom has a number of entries in this class, including the R-9000,
> R-7000, R-7100, R-10, R-1, etc. I don't count these rigs in my
> recommended lists because they really don't fill the defintion of
> "scanner" in the important ssense of the word, and their cost is way
> out of proportion to scanners as we know them. Most of these rigs
> certainly qualify as "great" radios, but they are not scanners.
>

> COMPUTER-BASED RADIOS
> ======================
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> A new class of radio has recently emerged....computer-based
> receivers, of which there are two: Icom's PCR-1000 and the
> WiNRADiO WR-1000i. This class of radio is characterized by their
> total worthlessness without a computer. These radios depend on a
> computer as an integral part of the operation.
>
> Several new and upgraded versions of WiNRDiO have been announced,
> and will be coming to market soon. Icom apparently isn't going to
> announce anything new until well into 1999
>
> The PCR-1000 follows Icom's tradition of speed. If it weren't so
> slow, it would have no speed at all. It's slower than a slug. But
> it does go portable by virtue of operation and control from an
> RS-232 serial port. And it does have some impressive technical
> specs for its coverage of LF into UHF. A little pricey, the
> PCR-1000 has made its mark and its loyal users appear to be
> satisfied with it in most respects aside from speed (or the lack
> thereof...)
>
> WiNRADiO Model WR-1000i cruises at 50-cps, and along with its
> standard RF Spectrum Scope and optional Digital Suite, is probably
> the better buy at a price significantly lower than the PCR-1000, and
> with a very powerful control program that's regularly updated and
> released FREE to downloaders.
>
> The WR-1000i covers 500 kHz to 1300 MHz, less cellular, but there
> are ways to deal with that. I can't tell you how, but if you look
> around, you should discover it.
>
> The specs for the Icom PCR-1000 and WiNRADiO WR-1000i are easily
> examined at the companies' Web sites, so I'll dispense with pitting
> one against the other. Both are great radios, but if you are
> undecided, you really need to do some homework and not take anyone's
> word for validating your decision. The Icom loyalists are too
> anxious to defend their choicess while WiNRADiO just doesn't have a
> lot of market penetration yet.
>
> Still, my choice is for the WiNRADiO, maybe because the hardware and
> software are undergoing constant upward revision and the company is
> very responsive to its customers. Just send them an e-mail and see
> for yourself. Then send Icom an e-mail...if you can.
>
> WiNRADiO has a high-end model, the WR-3000i, that isn't certified
> for sale in the USA. That, and its $2000 price tag make it
> pointless to discuss it here, but some people have come by one and
> speak highly of its awesome capabilities, including visual DSP!
>

>
>SUMMARY: As you can see, I really can't recommend a "best radio for the
>money". I have my preferences, and I told you about them. Take 'em
>with a grain of salt, or take 'em to the bank, I don't care. What
>matters more is that you be exposed to a diversity of thought and
>opinion. I am not a "company man" who minces words and wonders why we
>all can't get along. I deal in straight shooting and am happy to leave
>it to future generations to figure out why we all can't get along.
>
>Meanwhile, try to understand the differences between the various classes
>of radios and even the differences between manufacturers before choosing
>the radio of your dreams. All too often, the best today is not the best
>tomorrow, or the best up front is not the best overall. Maybe there is
>no single "best". For a fact, many scannists nowadays own and operate
>two or more radios.
>
>One thing to keep in mind...or get in mind....is that the entire face
>and nature of radio are changing, from the politics to the technology to
>the very content. What was good for and applied to radio of yesteryear
>is not good for or applicable to radio of tomorrow. Change is apparent
>everywhere. Be aware of those changes and learn how to cope with them
>and how to go with the flow.
>
>There is less to listen to these days and I don't see that trend changing
>any time soon. It's only going to get "worse" as more and more radio
>services see the economics and privacy of cellular, PCS, and other means
>of digital communications.
>
>But these very changes mean new opportunities in the offing. One example
>is how for many years, it took an expensive, sophisticated 3rd party
>instrument to decode RTTY, FAX, and CW. Now a couple bucks worth of
>parts and some free software do all that and much more. (See my Scanner
>Data Decoder FAQ or SCANDATA.FAQ.) There may be less to listen to, but
>there sure is more to decode.
>
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>
>That's it for now. I will keep this FAQ updated. If you see things
>that need to be added to it, by all means, let me know. If this FAQ
>fails to address your question(s), then hit me with 'em again, but be
>specific. And be detailed with symptoms and observations if you need
>tech support on mods or troubleshooting and diagnosis. Use e-mail if
>you can.
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>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
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>Thanks.

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> series of FAQs that I regularly publish. The complete list of FAQs

> is given below. If this one doesn't answer your questions, try
> one or more of the following additional FAQs:
>
>1. Scanner Modification FAQ: SCANMODS.FAQ
>2. Scanner Data Decoder FAQ: SCANDATA.FAQ
>3. Scanner Performance FAQ: SCANPERF.FAQ
>4. Scanner S-Meter FAQ: SCANSMTR.FAQ
>5. Scanner Radios FAQ: SCANRADS.FAQ
>6. Administrative FAQ: ADMIN.FAQ
>
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>Frequently Asked Questions File
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> has been repaired several times. Is it fixable?
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> and automated control, as well as for programming of
> the memory channels by the computer? Can the
> interface acquire data from the scanner and send it to
> the computer?

>20: What's a 'discriminator output' and a 'data slicer'
>21: What books have you written, generally what topics do
> they cover, are they still in print, what do they cost,
> and are they available to order at any web site?
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>QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
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>
>01: How do I restore cellular in my scanner ?
>
> Forget it, pal. It ain't going to happen. The TDDRA of 1994
> (an Act of Congress) expressly forbids the manufacture or
> importing into the USA of "easily modified for cellular" scanners
> after April, 1994. Manufacturers were required to remove cellular
> capability from the scanners' CPUs altogether. Sorry, cellular
> coverage is not possible if your scanner was made or imported after
> March, 1994.
>
> But here is a list of all those pre-1994 scanners of which I am
> aware that ARE capable of cellular restoration:
>
> PRO-2004 BC-855XLT *3 Regency 4030
> PRO-2005 BC-200XLT Regency 1600
> PRO-2006 BC-205XLT
> PRO-2022 BC-760XLT *4
> PRO-2026 *2 BC-700XLTA *4
> PRO-2027 BC-890XLT *4
> PRO-2030 BC-950XLT
> PRO-2032 BC-2500XLT *3
> PRO-34
> PRO-37
> PRO-39
> PRO-43 *1
> PRO-46 *2 *5
> PRO-51 *2
> PRO-23 *2
>
> Note 1: Date of Mfg code 1A4, 2A4, xA3, xA2 (label in
> battery compment), or no "A" in the serial no.
>
> Note 2: Date of mfg code 1A4, 2A4, -A3, -A2 (label on
> back).
>
> Note 3: Date of mfg code must not end in the letter
> "D", except for OAID.
>
> Note 4: Date of mfg code must not end in the letter
> "D".

>
> Note 5: Units with date code of 5A4 can tune cellular in
> 30 kHz Steps using a keyboard entry sequence.
>
> For instance, PRO-43's imported before March, 1994, are
> modifiable, while some brought in during March and all
> thereafter are impossible to modify. Date codes of any
> -A2 or -A3 and only 1A4 and 2A4 are assured of being
> modifiable. 3A4 and up probably aren't.
>
> The above list does not include those scanners that were
> naturally capable of receiving the full 800 MHz band,
> without modification. The below list of radios had
> relatively continuous coverage that includes cellular:
>
> J.I.L. SX-400 Yaesu FRG-9600 AOR-8000 *
> Regency MX-4000 AOR-950 Icom R-7100 *
> Regency MX-5000 AOR-1000 Icom R-1
> Regency MX-7000 AOR-1500 Icom R-100
> Yaesu FRG-9600 AOR-2500 Icom R-9000
> Kenwood RZ-1 AOR-3000 * Icom R-7000
> Uniden BC-800XLT
>
> * pre-1994 only
>
> Some of these radios, if still current, had the cellular
> removed by the factory after March, 1994. There may be
> possibilities of restoring cellular in later models of the
> AR-8000, AR-3000, and ICOM radios by replacing an EEPROM
> or reprogramming one, but that is beyond the scope of this
> FAQ, and in general, should not be considered feasible.
>
>==
>02: What about cellular restoration ads for post 3/94 scanners?
>
> Yes, I used to see magazine ads to "restore" cellular or to
> "unlock 800 MHz" in newer scanners. Gasp! This is almost a
> deception. See, these ads were for the "VD" mod.
>
> Virtual Downconversion - better than a venereal disease, but not
> by much. To my way of thinking, it is an inferior method of
> "unlocking" the cellular bands because:
>
> A. They're not really unlocked. VD is a trick of turning off one
> oscillator and turning on another. Typically, they set the
> scanner to the 400 MHz band, and then turn off the normal 400
> MHz Local Oscillator and turn on the one for 800 MHz to make
> cellular receivable on the 400 MHz display.
>
> B. There is no logical correlation between the actual cellular

> frequency and the displayed frequency. It varies from one
> radio to the next, but suppose 880.000 MHz comes in. It might
> be received/ displayed on 432.6775 MHz. Duh....??
>
> C. The full cellular bands of 823.950-849.000 and 868.950-894.000
> are not available by this method. In fact, only a small part
> of one or the other (often not both) is available, like maybe
> 10-20 MHz of the total.
>
> D. There is no 30 kHz stepping. You're limited to the default
> CPU "rules" for the band in which the cellular appears,
> typically 5 kHz or 12.5 kHz.
>
> E. The exact results of the VD mod, generally described above,
> depend on the scanner. Results vary from one to the next.
> None are what I'd call "good" or even acceptable.
>
> The good thing that can be said for the VD mod is that it is the
> ONLY way to get any cellular at all from post March-1994
> scanners. So, the advertisements that you may have seen are not
> exactly "fraud".....but you sure don't get much.
>
>==
>03: Are any mods available for my scanner ?
>
> You may have the wrong impression about scanner modifications
> and hacking. Mods are not "available" in the sense that they
> can be found on a store shelf, or laying on the top of someone's
> mind who can tell you in so many words or less how to turn that
> a Snakebite X101 scanner into a fire-breathing, rip-snorting
> behemoth of a TurboWhopper.
>
> All scanners can be modified for something; generally a
> dozen or more things. But only a few scanners have
> anything written about them in detail. And you have to
> know where to LOOK. You can't just up and ask for "mods".
>
> Well, you *can*, but you won't get a substantive reply.
>
> It takes me several days to several weeks and sometimes
> MONTHS to work up and write about a hotshot mod for a
> decent scanner, and after THAT level of effort, it's not
> possible to make it "available" off my fingertips. Continue
> reading below. There are answers to your question.
>
>==
>04: What mods do you have for my scanners?
>
> I wish I knew what people mean by: "what mods do you have..."
> I don't "have" mods, exactly.....

>
> I wrote three books and seven years worth of the monthly WORLD
> SCANNER REPORT that feature mods for a variety of scanners.
> With over 900 scanners ever marketed, I don't pretend to cover
> them all.....just, a fraction.
>
> Many of "my mods" can work with most any scanner.... but there is
> no way I can write explicit instructions for more than the bench
> models on which I develop mods. I can and do offer hints on
> how to apply these mods to other scanners but again, not having
> the scanner in front of me and not having the Service Manual,
> there is little I can do other than hint.
>
> I have to leave it to the user to study the published materials
> and then ask specific questions to which I am happy to provide
> specific answers...if I can. That's about as good as it gets.
>
> You are strongly encouraged to thumb through my books and through
> the back and current issues of the WORLD SCANNER REPORT to see
> what interests you and to pick topical material from which you
> can phrase specific questions that have possibilities of reply.
>
> As it is, all I can say at this point is that DOZENS of mods are
> possible for your scanners, but I have to leave it to you to do
> the legwork and research. And when you have specific questions,
> then I can answer them.
>
>===
>05: Can you send me "the mod" for my scanner?
>
> Well, what is "the" mod? There are dozens of possible mods
> for your scanner. Regardless, the answer in general is no, I
> don't "send" mods. I have published hundreds of mods for various
> scanners and other radios in my books; in the monthly World
> Scanner Report, and some as text files on my Web and FTP sites.
> You are free to exhaust these resources to your heart's content.
>
> Due to the overwhelming flood of requests for this kind of
> information, I can't do personal and custom research on each
> of these requests. There just isn't time in the day for that
> workload. If it's free information you want, try my Web and
> FTP sites. If you don't mind paying for better quality info,
> then try my books and/or the monthly World Scanner Report.
>
> Lastly, you can try the Usenet REC.RADIO.SCANNER newsgroup where
> Others and I often publish modification information. It's free if
> you have a connection to the Internet and a Usenet reader/editor
> program.
>
>===

>06: Where can I find mods for my Brand-X scanner ?
>
> Mostly you can't. There are only a handful of scanners ever
> made that were worth focused research and development.
> Those scanners include:
>
> PRO-2004 PRO-2005 PRO-2006 PRO-2035 PRO-2042
> PRO-2022 PRO-43 PRO-34 PRO-37 BC-200XLT
> PRO-26 PRO-39 BC-3000 PRO-64 PRO-2041
>
> You can find occasional articles and files on "mods" for other
> scanners not mentioned above, but they are the exception to
> the rule. Start by looking at my Web and FTP sites, and peruse
> quick-links to other sites from my WWWeb Sites:
>
> http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek
>
> or:
>
> http://204.210.11.204
>
> or:
>
> ftp://204.210.11.204/mod_info/
>
> My Web Sites have quicklinks to dozens of other sites that may
> contain a file or two on generic "Snakebite" scanners. But don't
> get your hopes up.
>
> Now here is the problem: I am one of the few, (if not the ONLY)
> engineers seriously committed to scanner mods.
>
> Yet, there are over 900 scanners on the historical list now. It
> is physically impossible to dedicate attention to any but a few.
> I have to choose among the more popular scanners, you see.
>
> The above list of scanners reaches out to tens or hundreds
> of thousands of owners. There is no time left to work on
> generic "SnakeBite" scanners that have little to offer, even
> after hours of hard work! But take cheer and read on.......
>
>==
>07: So you mean there are no mods for my scanner ?
>
> More or less I mean that, but, that's not to say yours can't
> be modified. It can! It's just that there is nothing published
> for it; nothing in the way of step-by step instructions with
> graphics, photos, and details.
>
> No one would go to the time and trouble, you see? The

> preponderance of published hacking information is for those
> scanners listed in Question 05 above. Other scanners just aren't
> interesting enough for professional investigation.
>
> An engineer who is capable of designing super-hacks for that
> "SnakeBite" scanner isn't going to own one! Instead, he will own
> one in the Question 05 list, one that is eminently capable of
> some very powerful modifications in the first place.
>
> Now I said your "SnakeBite" can be hacked. It can.
>
> But you are more or less on your own in the sense that I cannot
> direct you to a "shopping list" of mods from which you can pick
> and choose. There is no such list. Any hope for you is to first
> figure out what you want to do, and ask me a specific question.
>
> I can give you a few answers in advance:
>
> No.
>
> No, your scanner is likely not capable of cellular; scanners made
> or imported after March, 1994, are not cellular-capable. Most scanners
> are not likely to be capable of extra memory; additional frequency
> coverage; and things of that nature that pretty much require factory
> design in the first place. (See ahead for Memory Modifications)
>
> Yes.
>
> Yes, your "SnakeBite" may be capable of certain mods, a few
> of which include the following: (You wanted a list?)
>
> 1. Tape Recorder Jack
> 2. Automatic Tape Recorder Switch (beats VOX!)
> 3. Extended Delay
> 4. Tone Decoder-Rejector Countermeasure
> 5. CTCSS mod
> 6. S-Meter
> 7. Scanner-to-Shortwave Interface
> 8. Carrier-On-Indicator
> 9. Audio Improvements
> 10. Beep volume or disable
> 11. Squelch Improvements
> 12. Remote Controller
> 13. Discriminator output for data decoding
> See Question 18 - this can be done to all scanners
> 14. Event or "hit" Counter
> 15. Shielding of plastic cases
> 16. External DC power
> 17. Improved Adjacent Channel Rejection
> 18. Speed up of SCAN & SEARCH modes

> 19. Back light modifications
>
> Then, maybe...depending....on the scanner.... the following
> digital and/or esoteric enhancements.....???
>
> 20. Interfacing to a computer
> 21. Subsidiary Carrier (SCA)
> 22. Extended Memory to 25,600-channels & up
> 23. 54-88 MHz restoration
> 24. Data/Tone/Noise Rejection
> 25. Cellular restoration (See Question 01)
>
>==
>08: So how can I do some of these mods?
>
> That's a problem. No one has written them up for any but a few
> scanners. About the only way I can think of is to get one or
> more of my three books and a subscription to the WORLD SCANNER
> REPORT. Research and study up on the mods we've developed for
> other scanners, and then compare the procedures for that specific
> scanner to yours. Often, when I write up a mod, I give hints on
> how to apply it to other scanners.
>
> Also, if you ask me *specific* questions, I can give specific
> answers. If you ask "how to do a memory mod", I'll have to refer
> you to something already in print or published somewhere. If you
> are doing a memory mod and run into trouble, then I can help you
> with that trouble.
>
>==
>09: Memory mods? How can I increase the programmable channels?
>
> That depends on what kind of memory storage is used by your
> scanner. There are three kinds:
>
> 1. On-board CPU RAM (Random Access Memory)
> 2. Static Random Access Memory (SRAM)
> 3. EEPROM Electrically Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory.
>
> The first kind is most prevalent and there is no way to expand
> that kind of memory. It is, however, usually limited to scanners
> with 50 channels or less of programmable memory. 100-channels
> and up are usually done by methods 2 or 3. So your first step is
> to determine what kind of memory is used by your scanner.
>
> EEPROM memory is expandable, but very difficult under most
> circumstances. SRAM is the easiest and offers the largest
> expansion capabilities. For example, the PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and
> PRO-2006 can be expanded to 25,600 programmable channels (and
> more)! The PRO-32, PRO-34, PRO-37, PRO-39 & PRO-2022 can go to

> 12,800- channels and beyond. The BC-760XLT, BC-560XLT, and a few
> others can be taken to 6,400 channels and more. The PRO-2035 and
> PRO-2042 can be taken to 16,000 channels and beyond. The PRO-2041
> and PRO-64 are good for upwards of 25,600 channels.....
>
> My Extended Memory Modifications are amply documented in
> excruciating detail in my books and in the WORLD SCANNER REPORT,
> complete with diagrams, photos, and many pages of instructions
> such that most casual hobbyists who know a soldering iron from a
> tire iron can do the work. This kind of mod is not suited to
> being given out in an e-mail or a forum message in so many words
> or less. You will need to acquire the instructions before
> doing the work.
>
>==
>10: How do I tell a SRAM chip from an EEPROM from CPU RAM?
>
> If you can't do this on your own or after the below explanation,
> you are probably not a candidate for such a wild adventure at
> this stage of your hacking career.
>
> Most CPUs hold a small amount of RAM (random-access- memory),
> sufficient to store anywhere from 10 to 50, maybe a hundred
> channels or so. This is the case for most scanners, so there is
> no way to increase that memory. Fortunately, there are two other
> methods of RAM used by a few scanners that offer possibilities
> for expansion.
>
> EEPROM: The least common and least expansive is EEPROM
> (electrically erasable programmable read-only-memory). The
> PRO-43, PRO-26, BC-2500XLT, BC-200XLT, BC-100XLT and BC-3000XLT,
> for example, use EEPROM programmable memory. It is possible to
> expand EEPROM-types of memory, though not by such huge proportions
> as the SRAM type. EEPROMs are usually tiny little chips with
> 8-pins.
>
> SRAM: A handful of scanners use a separate SRAM (static
> random-access-memory) chip for storage of frequencies and custom
> channel settings. It is this type of memory that can be easily
> and economically expanded by factors of 2, 4, 8, 16 and even 64
> times the original volume! Scanners known to employ SRAM memory
> include the following:
>
> PRO-2004 PRO-2021 PRO-32 BC-760XLT
> PRO-2005 PRO-2022 PRO-34 BC-950XLT
> PRO-2006 PRO-2032 PRO-37 BC-590XLT
> PRO-2035 PRO-2041 PRO-39 BC-600XLT
> PRO-2042 PRO-64
>
> There may well be other scanners that use SRAM memory, but either

> I forgot about them or don't know. If you're curious about your
> scanner's potential for memory expansion, you can just about
> forget it for those with fewer than 100-channels. The CPU's RAM
> easily handles 10 to 100 channels or so. If your scanner is not
> on the above list, but has 50 or more channels, then look over
> its schematic diagram and parts list or scrutinize its Logic/CPU
> Board for any of the following types of SRAM chips:
>
> uPD446G-15 TC-5517CF-20 LC-3517BM-15
> CXK5864BP MB-8416-20LPF BR6265BF HY6264
>
> or something similar, disregarding the last few digits and
> letters. An SRAM chip is generally characterized by a rectangular
> shape with 24 to 32 pins, each of the longest sides holding half
> the pins. An SRAM chip in a schematic diagram will be
> characterized by eighteen or more of its pins going straight to
> the CPU chip. Any chip with less than 24-pins is not likely to
> be an SRAM; neither is any chip in a square format. SRAMs are
> rectangular (DIP or SMT) with 24 to 32 pins. Pinout notations of
> SRAM chips will include mystic codes such as:
>
> A0, A1...A9, R/W, CE, I01, I02...I08, OE, etc.
>
>==
>11: My scanner has an SRAM; how do I do the mod?
>
> Get the published instructions for Extended Memory Mods. These
> instructions are much too detailed to include as basic text
> file, and in most cases, the articles are copyrighted anyway.
> Start by reviewing my free Table of Contents and Index to the World
> Scanner Report where you will find articles on memory mods. Get at
> least one of my books to supplement the WORLD SCANNER REPORT. The
> ULTIMATE SCANNER book is a good choice.
>
> The Table of Contents and Index to the World Scanner Report can
> be found on my Web and FTP sites. They're also contained in my
> product information files:
>
> PRODINFO.ZIP or PRODINFO.EXE
>
> I can send these files by e-mail upon request, or they can be
> downloaded from my Web and FTP sites.
>
> Since all SRAM chips are much alike, my instructions for one
> scanner generally apply to all, and are not too difficult to
> follow, provided you can find the SRAM chip in the first place.
>
>==
>12: Do you do scanner modifications like memory mods?
>

> Sure. Contact me privately and we can go from there. One note,
> though: I don't do cellular mods anymore. The FCC has gotten
> persnickety about that sort of thing. In general, I don't do
> speedup mods anymore because they cause more problems than the
> speed increase is worth.
>
>
>==
>13: I'm not interested in all your mods - just one. Will
> you photocopy the information for me?
>
> Not if it's in a copyrighted publication. My publishers own the
> copyrights to my books and my company owns the copyrights to
> material published in the World Scanner Report. It would be
> unethical, illegal, or both, for me to make copies.
>
> If your budget is tight, you can in many cases get basic
> information for free from my Web and FTP sites and the real hard
> core stuff for $5/up by purchasing specific copies of the World
> Scanner Report. It is not always necessary to buy my information
> order to do the mods. On the other hand, my published mods are
> NOT the low degree sort of thing you find on BBS's and Internet
> sites with a few sentences or paragraphs and maybe an ASCII drawing
> if you're lucky.
>
> My mods are detailed and well documented with graphics, including
> schematic diagrams, photos, and illustrations. This kind of work
> doesn't come for free, though.
>
> On the other hand, there may be no cost if all you want are the
> simple mods like the cellular mod to the PRO-2006.
>
>==
>14: So how do I restore cellular in the PRO-2006?
>
> 1. Remove the top cover of the scanner.
>
> 2. Look down inside the front panel behind the #3 key of the
> keyboard, and clip the exposed leads of the two coppery
> colored diodes standing on end. One restores cellular and
> the other gives a FREE 25% speedup of the SCAN function.
>
> 3. Replace top cover.
>
> See, that's the kind of stuff that comes for free. My FTP site
>
> ftp://204.210.11.204/mod_info/
>
> contains hordes of hacks of that degree of detail. Help
> yourself. But if you don't find what you want, then consult

> my books, World Scanner Report, and magazine articles.
>
>==
>15: How can I install the military aero band in my scanner?
>
> You can't, and that's that. If your scanner didn't come with the
> military aero band (220-400 MHz), then there is no way under the
> sun of "restoring" it. You can't restore what ain't there.
>
>==
>16: How can I modify my scanner to follow trunked systems?
>
> You can't, and that's that. Each trunked system is as different
> as night and day with respect to other trunked systems, even from
> the same vendor.
>
> It is possible for the hobbyist to gain some skill and fortitude
> in following trunked system conversations. These techniques are
> scattered around in various written works, from books, magazine
> articles, and prefaces in frequency directories...to text files
> on various BBS's and Internet archives. These techniques, hints,
> tips, and kinks cannot be recited here in so many words or less.
> One good starting point might be the preface material in any
> recent edition of Radio Shack's POLICE CALL books. But in a
> word, you cannot alter your scanner to follow trunked signals.
>
> Uniden's and Radio Shack's TrunkTracker series of scanners are
> specifically designed to follow certain trunking systems. Keep
> an ear posted to the newsgroup forums for news of these
> interesting scanners as they come to market.
>
> There is some interesting software appearing around the Internet
> these days....that may be useful in trunk following, but I really
> can't discuss anything substantive at the moment.
>
> See Question 18 for more info on this possibility.
>
>==
>17: Can my scanner be interfaced to a computer for remote and
> automated control, as well as for programming of the memory
> channels by the computer? Can the interface acquire data from
> the scanner and send it to the computer?
>
> In a word, yes. Many scanners "can" be interfaced to a computer
> for one-way control and automated programming of the memory
> channels. These scanners include:
>
> PRO-2004 PRO-2005 PRO-2006 PRO-2035 PRO-2042 PRO-2041
> PRO-2022 PRO-34 PRO-37 PRO-39 PRO-43 PRO-26
> PRO-64

>
> Probably quite a few others are possible.
>
> There are three scanners that are capable not only of the one-
> way mode of remote control and automated programming, but also of
> a "data acquisition" mode where the scanner sends its display
> (channel, freq, bank, mode, delay, lockout) and other data to the
> computer for automated logging and data processing. These
> scanners are the PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and PRO-2006.
>
> Several companies make scanner/computer interfaces, including
> Optoelectronics and COMMtronics Engineering.
>
> Each interface has its own unique characteristics, advantages,
> and limitations, but all are "good" in the sense of freeing the
> operator from much of the labor and drudgery of scanning. The
> Optoelectronics interfaces are generally limited to the
> PRO-2005/6 & PRO-2035/2042.
>
> A "roll your own" computer interface was published in the World
> Scanner Report, V2N1-V2N6. Another more powerful one was
> published in my 3rd book, THE ULTIMATE SCANNER (Cheek3).
>
> COMMtronics Engineering's CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface is in
> its fourth year and continues to be a front-runner and state of
> the art. For more info:
>
> http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek/CE232inf.htm
>
> http://204.210.10.52/pub/intrface/
>
> John Montalbano KA2PYJ, seems to have designed a nice
> one-way interface and control software. I can't vouch
> for it, but go to the following URL and see for yourself.
>
> http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/
>
>==
>18: What's a 'discriminator output' and a 'data slicer'
>
> Ahhh, I'm glad you asked. This one is hotter'n a $2 pistol
> these days. For gory details, including detailed instructions
> on how to take advantage of this hot, new interest, see my file
> or regularly posted newsgroup article with the SUBJECT:
>
> "Scanner Data Decoder FAQ" SCANDATA.FAQ
>
> DISCRIMINATOR OUTPUT
> ====================
>

> But to answer your question in so many words or less,
> every scanner has a Discriminator, a circuit usually
> little more than a chip, the purpose of which is to
> detect narrow band FM (NFM) signals. NFM is the mode
> most commonly used above 30 MHz, whether for voice or
> data transmissions. Regardless, if it's an NFM signal
> of any type, the Discriminator converts that signal into
> audio. It's low-level audio, but nevertheless audio.
>
> If it's a voice signal, you'll hear and understand it
> as this signal out of the Discriminator gets filtered
> and amplified up to speaker volume levels. If it's a
> data signal, well you'll hear that, too, but you won't
> understand it. Data signals are raucous, nasty sounds
> that'll send you scrambling to hit the SCAN or arrow
> keys mighty quick.
>
> BASEBAND AUDIO
> ==============
>
> Unless, of course, decoding that data is among your interests. If
> it is, then there are a couple more things you need to know. First,
> this Discriminator Output signal is also known as the "baseband
> audio". The chief characteristics of the baseband audio are
> (1) low level, typically between .2-.8 volts, AC), and (2) they're
> unfiltered.
>
> Unfiltered? Well, yes. See, the human voice band is considered to
> be 300 Hz - 3000 Hz. Signals above and below that range are not
> considered essential to the successful transmission of voice, so to
> simplify the design of the audio preamplifier and power amplifier in
> the receiver, and to cut down on noise and hash, cheap and simple
> filters are used to eliminate signals below and above that band. And
> for voice, it's no big deal. All communications receivers,
> including scanners have some kind of voice band filtering between
> the output of the detector/discriminator and the headphones or
> speaker.
>
> DECODING DIGITAL DATA
> =====================
>
> Trouble is....data signals, especially high speed data above
> 2400-bits/sec (bps), have a bandwidth somewhat wider than the voice
> band. This simply means that you cannot successfully decode high
> speed data by tapping the signal off the speaker or headphone jacks.
> You have to take the signal for decoding right off the output of the
> Discriminator. Therefore, since decoding data is getting to be
> interesting and of wide appeal these days, you'll hear a lot of talk
> about "discriminator outputs" and "baseband audio taps"; one and the
> same thing.

>
> DATA SLICERS or DECODER INTERFACES
> ==================================
>
> Last, but not least, in order to decode data signals, you need a bit
> of extra hardware and some software. The software is more fully
> discussed in my regular article titled SCANNER DISCRIMINATOR DATA.
> The extra bit of hardware that's needed is referred to as a "data
> slicer" or, as I call it, a "Data Decoder Interface".
>
> The Input of this decoder interface or data slicer is fed from the
> scanner's Discriminator Output. The Output of the decoder interface
> goes straight to one of the computer's COM or serial ports. Fire up
> the computer and the software; turn on the scanner and tune in a
> data channel, and you're in business.
>
> For a circuit diagram and construction details, as well as how to
> identify and locate the Discriminator in your scanner, see my
> regular newsgroup article titled SCANNER DATA DECODER FAQ. That'll
> get you started on the cool, neat, fun world of decoding digital
> data off the airwaves. You can also get the file from my FTP site
> at: ftp://204.210.11.204/montimes/scandata.faq
>
>
>21: What books have you written, generally what topics do
> they cover, are they still in print, what do they cost,
> and are they available to order at any web site?
>
> BOOKS
> =====
> Scanner Modification Handbook, Vol-1, ISBN 0-939780-11-9
> Scanner Modification Handbook, Vol-2, ISBN 0-939780-14-3
> The Ultimate Scanner (Cheek3) ISBN 1-56866-058-8
> Prices & details at: http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/bksmh.htm
> incl Tables and: http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/bkulscan.htm
> of Contents
>
> Available from leading mail order radio dealers everywhere
> as well as many radio shops and electronic supply houses.
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>
> MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
> ====================================
> "The World Scanner Report"
> Published 10x/yr since Jan 91
> (Subscriptions & back issues available)
> Table of Contents at: http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/wsrtofc.htm
> Keyword Index at: http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/wsrindex.htm
>
>==

>
>That's it for now. I will keep this FAQ updated. If you see things
>that need to be added to it, by all means, let me know. If this FAQ
>fails to address your question(s), then hit me with 'em again, but be
>specific. And be detailed with symptoms and observations if you need
>tech support on mods or troubleshooting and diagnosis. Use e-mail if
>you can.
>
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>
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>COMMtronics Engineering/World Scanner Report \/
>Box 262478 ~ San Diego ~ CA ~ 92196-2478 /\
>bcheek@cts.com / \
>http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/bcheek / \
>-- ---
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>
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.

4890. Re: mobile scanner antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: swagner@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <6sp2h3$1u2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145130

I used that antenna in the Chicago area with my PRO-43 and got significantly
better reception than with the antenna supplied with the unit. Easy to install
and stands up to car washes.
In article <35eccf7b.21473774@netnews.worldnet.att.net>,
bladey@blade.net (Bladerunner) wrote:
> I was wondering if anyone has used the Radio Shack mobile "cellular
> look-alike" glass-mount scanner antenna (20-011). It has the
> frequency coverage that I'm looking for without appearing too
> obtrusive.
>
> Please post any experiences or comments in this newsgroup. Any help
> is appeciated.
>
> Thanks.
>
> Alan
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4891. Re: Best base scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1059a751b3b1dd4098974c@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145131

After having spent many hundreds of dollars on antennas from Diamond, Austin, Antenna Specialist, Radio Shack and others, without hesitation the finest performing antenna without "holes" in it's performance was the Channel Master "Monitenna". This is a vertical dipole basically and if mounted the right way has "virtually" omnidirectional performance from 30 to 1300mhz. I even used to use it a bit with my shortwave receivers as well. I had a Grove preamp on it for the real tough stuff. I lived on the coast in Half Moon Bay California which had a mountain range (the Coast range about 1500ft) blocking all of the Bay Area reception. This antenna allowed me coverage of not only the San Francisco Area but also right down to San Jose. With the booster even Oakland. For 50 bucks you get the antenna, 50ft of RG6 cable and I believe the best performing scanner antenna out there period. I have tried virtually all of them from 50 to 400 dollars and this performed the best. If you want to know how I mounted this guy email me and I can fill you in on the details.

4892. Re: Indianapolis RCA Dome freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu
Message-ID: <35effb70.6253652@news.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 145132

On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 15:34:37 -0500, David Wendt <wendt@indy.net>
wrote:

>Does anyone know where I could find the security freqs for the RCA Dome
>in Indianapolis, say a Web page, etc? I work there part time and would
>love to be able to listen in. The Motorola HTs they use only say Ch 1,
>etc.

The best source I know of for Indiana freqs is here:
http://members.iquest.net/~aeverhart/

I'm not sure I've ever seen freqs for the RCA dome, though.

Charles Welborne
First Responder At-Large
Emergency Management volunteer
West Lafayette, IN
cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu

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I do not, of course, speak for my employer.

4893. Re: R8500 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6sount$knf@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 145133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6snrf6ahg1@nuhou.aloha.net>,
Curt Knight <cak@aloha.net> wrote:

>I have an Icom R8500 that has developed the following symptom:
>on power up it operates normally for a few seconds,
>then the "receive" indicator goes out and the audio disappears.
> After a few more seconds, the frequency
>display begins to blink. The manual does not seem to be helpful.
>It seems to me that this is probably an LO in marginal lock,...

I have an ICOM R8500 but haven't (yet) had the problem you describe.

Check for bad ground connections on the printed circuit boards,
unseated connectors on the internal cables, etc.

Then, check the reference oscillator crystal.
I've repaired ICOM R7000 and R7100 receivers and an IC275H
transceiver and each had the reference oscillator crystal go bad
or age too far off frequency.
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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

4894. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <35F00E26.104812F9@fnal.gov>
Source record: 145134

David Guna wrote:

> Lets say for example I am riding my mtn. bike down the Virginia Beach
> boardwalk, with my scanner, and I hear something interesting on the
> police channel so I decide to check it out,

Legally, I don't think they can do anything, but you'd have to do
something for them to even notice you in the first place. Personally,
when I hear a call and I'm out and about, I use that info to "avoid" the
area.

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--> Rick Colombo@fnal.gov

4895. FOR SALE: BC2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dimitri Vekris <dv@no_spam.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd818$d3343270$2ae22b8e@INFOSEC>
Source record: 145135
Cross-posted to: tor.forsale,ont.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

F O R S A L E

BC 2500XLT 400 Channel Continuous Band Handheld Scanning Radio

Covers Virtually Every Frequency from 25 MHz to 1.3 GHz
In mint condition with box.

400 Channels
Includes mod for cellular coverage (with 30 kHz steps)
Includes Aircraft Band
Turbo: Scan & Search
One Touch Weather
10 Priority Channels
Channel Lockout
Data Skip Function
Rechargeable Ni -Cad Battery Pack Included
Frequency Transfer
Automatic Store
Automatic Sorting
Selectable Mode (AM, WFM, NFM)
Programmable Scan Delay
Headset Capability

Make a reasonable offer.

I don't like spam.
Please reply to --> dv@interlog.com <--

4896. New Web Page for Iowa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Grams <egrams@iastate.edu>
Message-ID: <35F0130B.CF18B8DC@iastate.edu>
Source record: 145136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have just set up a web page with information on radio communications in Iowa. This is the only site that I have seen that has many trunked systems for central Iowa listed with ID's. I will keep adding more frequencies and things as time goes on. Please visit this site and bookmark it, or put links to it. I would appreciate all of the exposure

that this web page can get. Thanks.
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~egrams

4897. Iowa Frequencies And Trunked Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Grams <egrams@iastate.edu>
Message-ID: <35F01425.A5883565@iastate.edu>
Source record: 145137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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http://www.public.iastate.edu/~egrams

4898. Question about images

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hotcrab@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sp76m$905$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145138

My apologies if this has been asked before, but while listening to images (of, say, cellular base transmissions) on my PRO-26 I have noticed that sometimes I hear only one side of a conversation, sometimes two. It also seems that it isn't dependent upon which (cellular base) freq the conversation is taking place; I'll be monitoring a specific freq, listening to a one-sided conversation, and then the next call intercepted will be two-sided.

Is this a quirk of the individual's phone, their cellular service, the cell site transmitter, or my scanner (effects of triple conversion)? Or is that just the nature of images?

Thanks for your help.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4899. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8139-35F0136C-12@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145139

From my understanding of it has long has the transmission are not
encrypted in the 1st place than it is legale to listen too ...
But has that ever stoped any body???

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4900. Re: Can't leave Bill Cheek alone, can y'all?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8138-35F01075-26@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145140

It would be nice If they would drop it but they are not going to..
since I have been reading this news group their has been more crap and
BS than talk about scanners This News group reminds of the CB
Channel war days back in CB times just a endless watse of time

born to be wild (thats my theam)

4901. RS Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael William <rockman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6sp7bd$447@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145141

The latest RS mail flyer (not the catalog), shows a frequency
counter for $79.99. Supposed to work from 1 to 1300 Mhz.

Does anybody have one of these?
How do you like it?
I'm also interested in finding out other sources for affordable
counters.

Thanks for your input.
--
Michael William
rockman@ix.netcom.com

4902. Swiss Air Crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: BULTACO <bultaco@talon.net>
Message-ID: <6sp82kgcu3@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 145142

About 1:00PM EST CAMFLANT 5696 USB announced also 123.1VHF and 381.8UHF.
Communications have been with Coast Guard.
Anybody know what this is??

yabyum@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6soqh2$la8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>5.696 was also awfully busy last night. Dunno what that exactly is (sorry,
>still a newbie here :)), but lots of rescue action going on on that
>frequency.
>
>
>In article <__zH1.20$i16.1429840@news.optonline.net>,
> "Bob" <rfa@nassau.cv.net> wrote:
>> Try 5.717 USB Quite a few rescue aircraft operating there.

4903. Re: BC895XLT Memory Clearing Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35f0062b.67324347@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 145143

On Tue, 1 Sep 1998 19:22:56 -0700, "Someone"
<hellawaitsyou@afterlife.com> wrote:

>I'm looking for the code that clears the entire memory of my trunk tracker..
>I saw it a while back but forgot what it was.. Its something similar to
>pressing, 1-9-E and turning the scanner on, or pretty darn close

On the BC235 & BC895,

Depress the following buttons while turning on radio:

2,9, and Manual.

This produces "Uniden" message on display for about 8 seconds and
CLEARS ALL RADIO MEMORY.

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
--oOO--(_)---OOo--
The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

4904. Re: Can't leave Bill Cheek alone, can y'all?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090417340500.NAA24399@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145144

>From: Mrchess@webtv.net (dave archer)

>This News group reminds of the CB
>Channel war days back in CB times just a endless watse of time
>
>born to be wild (thats my theam)
>
I wonder if they spelled differently back in the day. For instance, today an educated person would write: "That's my theme." But heck, pointing out something like is just an endless waste of time.

4905. Re: Question about images

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35f027c6.8151913@usenet.idirect.com>
Source record: 145145

It has nothing to do with the image,

Using my frequency counter and several analog friends' phones, I found
that it mainly depends on the phone, or the cellphone company. two of
my friends had the exact same phone but one of them I could only
receive his voice transmitted from the phone, while the other I could
hear the other side too.

Just my two cents. maybe the phones are configurable and each company
configures them differently.. I'm not sure.

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 17:15:03 GMT, hotcrab@my-dejanews.com wrote:

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>say, cellular base transmissions) on my PRO-26 I have noticed that sometimes I
>hear only one side of a conversation, sometimes two. It also seems that it
>isn't dependent upon which (cellular base) freq the conversation is taking
>place; I'll be monitoring a specific freq, listening to a one-sided
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>site transmitter, or my scanner (effects of triple conversion)? Or is that
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>
>Thanks for your help.
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>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

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Mina Naguib
a.k.a. Dafrog
http://dafrog.cjb.net

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
email address.

4906. Re: Strange sound heard when two triple-conv. RS scanners operated side-by-side

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f2287a.11037432@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145146
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 10:57:50 GMT, mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
(Pursuit10851) wrote:

> Whenever I have my RS Pro-2004 and 2035 scanning 800 Mhz at the
>same time I hear a whine coming from the one that is at a higher
>volume setting. This only occurs when the scanner that is at a lower
>volume is stopped on an active frequency. When the "quieter" scanner
>is scanning and the "louder" scanner is on an an active frequency I
>hear a "beep-beep" every time the "quieter" scanner completes a scan
>cycle, or whatever you want to call it when the scanner scans an
>entire bank of freqs. I first noticed this when I did the beep disable
>mods on my 2006 and 2035 (I had cut the appropriate wire and taped the
>ends), so I figured it might be some kind of weird side-effect of
>cutting the wire. I cut the wire completely off and applied silicone
>to the tiny end that was still in the connector. This may have helped
>ever so slightly, but maybe not (placebo effect, anyone?). I also did
>the beep disable mod on the 2004, but I didn't remove the wire like I
>did on the other two scanners because I'm not really sure if I need
>to. Has anyone else encountered this situation with two
>triple-conversion scanners operated side-by-side? BTW, I use Radio
>Shack's telescoping indoor base antenna with the center load on all
>three of these units. Because they all have a BNC connector, I use a
>Motorola-to-BNC adaptor on all of them.

I have to say that your problems are most definitely from your antenna
situation, you need to get the antennas away from the radios with good
coax cable.
I have a pair of 2006's stacked on top of a 895XLT and don't get any
inter-radio interferance..but they all have high quality coax going to
antennas far away!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

4907. Re: Boycott Radio Shack (Tandy is member of CTIA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <35f81f20.8544786@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145147
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 20:18:47 GMT, Red Star <"Red
Star"@skatesurfsnow.com> wrote:

>I boycotted Radio Radio Shack because RS's Parent company, Tandy,
>is a member of the Cellular Telephone Industry Association (CTIA)
>that forced the Electronic Communications Privacy Act 1986 (ECPA) onto us.

And if you had commented on the recent NPRM concerning scanner design
(they wanted to pot the interior of the scanner), you'd know that
Tandy hired a law firm to make comments as well. These comments
basically said everything we've been saying all along.

The CTIA is getting criticism from within. Tandy is a member because
many other Cellular Telephone issues, such local anti-cellular zoning
laws, are of concern to them. The anti-scanner legislation is but a
very small piece of the puzzle. The folks who run CTIA are like many
industry "leaders" --they're ignorant of what they're actually doing.

Get with the program. If you feel bound to boycott Tandy for
something they do not have control over, then write a letter telling
them what you're doing, and why. Put up or shut up.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4908. Re: RS Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35f0293e.8527820@usenet.idirect.com>
Source record: 145148

When I was shopping for a counter, I found that the radio shack one, although not as costly, was :

1) EXTREMELY HEAVY, and very bulky too
2) You MUST fully extend the antenna for it to give you anything decent
3) The antenna was huge
4) It's not something you'd want to carry with you in the outdoors..
5) It is very, very sensitive to the slightest stray frequency, I don't recall a sensitivity adjustment, but I had to stick the antenna to the antenna of a wireless phone before the reading stopped flickering so I could get something.

My two cents.

My advice ? I have an Opto Cub, its not as good as the scout, it has no memory (just a capture mode, you reset it and if capture is on it will freeze on the next strongest frequency), but it does an excellent job at detecting... within that price range you might also be interested in the Opto TechToyz

On Fri, 4 Sep 1998 10:16:45 -0700, "Michael William" <rockman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>The latest RS mail flyer (not the catalog), shows a frequency
>counter for $79.99. Supposed to work from 1 to 1300 Mhz.
>
> Does anybody have one of these?
> How do you like it?
>I'm also interested in finding out other sources for affordable
>counters.
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> Thanks for your input.
>--
>Michael William
>rockman@ix.netcom.com
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4909. Re: re - alinco dj-x10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Gray <rgray@ball.com>
Message-ID: <35F02D32.1609F214@nospam.com>
Source record: 145149
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In addition to Marvin's question, are there any modifications documented
for this radio?

marvin_d_c@hotmail.com wrote:

> I see that TECH AMERICA has the Alinco DJ-X10 receiver listed for $400.
> Does anyone have any experience with this radio? Is the price about as
> good as I'd find anywhere else?
>
> -

4910. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Green Dragon <grndrgn@zebra.net>
Message-ID: <35F0323F.2CCE6A4D@zebra.net>
Source record: 145150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

Privacy on the radio will last only as long as it takes for
some scanner buff to discover your radio traffic.
Especially if you don't want to worry about repeater fees.
Your best bet for radio privacy would be one of the digital
radio/telephone services that use a combination of repeaters
and telephone lines. Our district attourney's office here
in central Alabama uses such a system. Thier handheld 2
channel radios have nationwide coverage because they tie
into the telephone system whenever they can't get a direct
radio to radio signal.

Thomas Rowan wrote:
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> I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at
> least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and
> no repeater fees . Can I find anything in the 30 - 50 mhz range that
> will do the trick ? Or another frequency ? Any info is appreciated !

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Green Dragon (IBA 503) Central Alabama 27.115mhz
grndrgn@zebra.net
http://www.zebra.net/~grndrgn

4911. Re: RS Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35F037AA.71BA@qsl.net>
Source record: 145151

Mina Naguib wrote:
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> although not as costly, was :
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> 3) The antenna was huge
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> 5) It is very, very sensitive to the slightest stray frequency, I
> don't recall a sensitivity adjustment, but I had to stick the antenna
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> flickering so I could get something.
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> My two cents.
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> My advice ? I have an Opto Cub, its not as good as the scout, it has
> no memory (just a capture mode, you reset it and if capture is on it
> will freeze on the next strongest frequency), but it does an excellent
> job at detecting... within that price range you might also be
> interested in the Opto TechToyz
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Amen....
I have had a CUB for over 3 years and love it. I paid around $140 for
mine but have seen them at times for $99. I have owned several Startek
freq counter that cost over $300 and they were not near as good as the
CUB! The Radio Shack is ok for someone that just want to use it every
now and then for radio tuning but other than that...its a piece of junk!
Makes one hell of a paper weight though!

If you can afford the Scout.....now thats one hell of a freq counter.

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http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub frequency counter and the CTP De-scrambler.
Humor on "how to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

Top 100 ham sites @
http://www.webfringe.com/host/w5www/

4912. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackt21262@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090419243500.PAA09522@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145152

>bject: Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres
>From: bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers)
>Date: 9/4/98 7:45 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <6sojtm$47m$1@207.18.224.108>
>
>On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:
>
>>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
>>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
>>what the frequencies are!.
>>You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2
>>thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
>>:-)).
>
>No, commercial radios are MUCH cheaper than that, as are modified
>HAM radios.
>

Why would anyone except a squirrel want to transmit on a police frequency? Use a cell phone, go to a pay phone, or apply for the police department.

4913. FS: Radio Shack Pro-39 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryking@lucent.com
Message-ID: <6sphqhnmm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145153

FOR SALE: Radio Shack Pro-39 Hyperscan 200-Channel direct entry programmable handheld scanner. Scans all legal frequencies for 30 MHz thru 960 MHz. Hyperscan search and scan, 10 channel monitor bank, priority channel, lockout function, scan delay, and LCD display with backlight. Keyboard lock prevents accidental programming changes. Memory backup circuit keeps frequencies stored in memory even if you change the batteries. Belt clip, detachable flex antenna, BNC jack for mobile or outdoor base antenna, earphone jack. There's also a built in Ni-Cd recharging circuit. 5 3/4 X 2 3/4 X 1 5/8" Requires 6 "AA", rechargable batteries or AC adapter. Will even include Ni-Cd batteries and AC adapter.

This unit is brand new, in the box. Paid $300 for radio, another $11 for adapter and $15 for Ni-Cds. Will sacrifice for $200. Picture, detailed features description and specs available upon request.

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4914. N. Korean transmission??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Macchiarolo <Christopher.Macchiarolo@cpmx.mail.saic.com>
Message-ID: <35F04EF9.BBFE0761@cpmx.mail.saic.com>
Source record: 145154

Supposedly, N. Korea launched a satellite that is transmitting songs and propaganda at 27Mhz. Has anyone heard this???

4915. CT-17 (R10)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F04CF0.1471@hotmail.com>
Source record: 145155

I just got my Icom R10 today and was getting ready to hook it up to my puter and noticed in the instruction manual that I didn't have one of these devices. As you can probably tell, I'm kinda new to this radio. First question, What is it, What does it do, And do I really need it? What else am I gonna need to hook it to my puter? Any other help on this subject would be appriciated. Please e-mail replys if you could...

Thanks in advance,
Shan

4916. FRT LAUDERDALE @B.S.O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090420565400.QAA17093@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145156

ANY UPDATE ON TRUNKED ID FOR EITHER OF THESE DEPT'S
I HEAR ALOT OF NEW ID'S AND CAN'T PLACE THEM.......HELP

4917. Re: Best base scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: SHANEKLUG <SHANEKLUG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35F056A4.22EB@prodigy.net>
Source record: 145157

80498@altavista.net wrote:
>
> I tried a search on this subject, but did not really find too much.
>
> What is the *best* scanner base antenna that you have used? You may wish to
> include the specific frequencies that you listen to in the subject of your
> post to keep things clear.
>
> Lets go!
>

Well like probably 75% of scanner listeners.. i listen to puplic safety (uhf, vhf and 800mhz)... for my uhf and vfh i use a Comet GP 9 which is a dual band ham antenna... i actually have two... since the 2 meter and 70cm bands are right next to the public safety bands this ant works awesome... i get excellent ground wave for several counties in each direction... i live in the center of Oakland co MI... i get all the way up to saginaw co on and all the way down to monroe co and some agencies in wood co OH.... when the DX is coming in i get TONS of DX... i also regularly get Cleveland FD on 153.95... I also use a cushcraft 13 element 2 meter beam ant... works great for DX also.. for 800mhz i have a 6 ele beam that i can pick up trunk systems from all the surrounding counties also...

Shane KC8IRW

4918. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: pinhead@jps.NOSPAM.net
Message-ID: <MPG.105a045523279cfe989697@news.jps.net>
Source record: 145158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35EFA8EC.7B74@bellatlantic.net>, Trowan@bellatlantic.net
says...
> I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at
> least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and
> no repeater fees . Can I find anything in the 30 - 50 mhz range that
> will do the trick ? Or another frequency ? Any info is appreciated !

Consider 2 meter. Even though they are outside your requested
frequency range, they will give you the distance you want quite
consistently and they are much more affordible than most other HAM
equipment. Also, all you need is the no-code license to use the band
so it is easy to use it legally. Check out the offerings from Alinco
and Icom and then go to AES to get a real price. Good luck.

4919. Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0409981732500001@pm63-30.magicnet.net>
Source record: 145159

In article <35ed41cd.377662214@news.gate.net>, rizm@nullspamgate.net (Rich Vignola) wrote:

> After you read the "written law" I think the important thing is
> "installed." If I had an alarm intalled, or a radio installed, they
> wouldn't just leave it on the seat. It gets mounted to the dashboard
> which is part of the vehicle frame. So I would think, having the
> scanner on the seat would be fine. I usually have mine laying on the
> console with an antenna connected and a power lead connected. I've
> heard that this could also be defined as installed. I guess sometimes
> you just can't win. When you live in a police state, anything they
> want can be defined by them and for them.
> Rich

I know. It seems like the US is getting to be like the old Russia more and more. Think about it, can you imagine it being not legal to listen to radio waves in the US in the 50s. They would have all said that is for Russia...not the US!

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it. Nothing cost anything.

4920. Re: Hi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Smitty <dschmidt@sternrubber.com>
Message-ID: <35F05F20.F10@sternrubber.com>
Source record: 145160

mike hays wrote:
>
> Hi anyone in Arkansas??

heck yeah.....just about everyone who lives there.
--
"Smitty"
From the Rubber Room
On the Minnesota Prairie

My opinions are not necessarily those of my employer.

4921. Re: Swiss Air Crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090421493400.RAA27278@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145161

>About 1:00PM EST CAMFLANT 5696 USB announced also 123.1VHF and 381.8UHF.
>Communications have been with Coast Guard.
>Anybody know what this is??
>
That would be CAMSLANT, which stands for Communications Area Master Station Atlantic. 5.696 and 8.983 are the U.S. Coast Guard aviation primary HF frequencies. 123.100 is a common search and rescue VHF freq., while 381.800 is a common USCG UHF freq.

John Ward

4922. Re: Scanning in St. Petersburg - Tampa - Largo, FL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980904220119 00.SAA25521@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145162

Bob,
I live in Brandon, and i have several freqs for tampa, and a few for st pete.
here is a link to a freq search, and a link to a radio shack mod page. Enjoy!

FREQUENCY SEARCH
http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm

in the transmitter city block, type in city name
in the trans.state block, type in state's abbreviation
in the radio service block, type in pp

feel free to email teal9425@aol.com if needed
****
radio shack scanner mod page
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods.html
****

4923. DJ-X10T info.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: marvin_d_c@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35F08ECC.4A80@hotmail.com>
Source record: 145163

I had posted a message asking for info on the ALINCO DJ-X10 receiver, which TECH America is selling for $400 in their new flyer. The responses I got were encouraging, so I drove over and took a look at it. I ended up buying one on the spot! What convinced me was that it was picking up cell frequencies without any modification, even though they are supposedly locked out on the X10T version (which this one is). I noticed that another radio with a higher serial number didn't pick up cell (if you punch in 888, it comes back as 895). The serial number on the one I got was 000895, so it's early in the run, and maybe that is the difference.

Even more interesting, while I was "playing" with it at home, I did a reset and lost the cell function. With some more experimenting, I got it back, lost it again, and got it back again. Needless to say, I quit screwing around while it was still working! As best as I can tell, the secret is to have it turned on, hold the power button down, and quickly use a toothpick to push the little recessed reset button next to the power switch. The unit goes off, and usually restarts automatically, sometimes with cell enabled. Not always, but once it's enabled, it seems to stay that way if you turn the radio off or change batteries. Maybe someone else has more to say on the matter, but for now I'm pleased that mine works as-is. In fact, it's so sensitive that it picks up cell signals with the antenna disconnected!

Now the bad part... When I got back, I found a message saying that the DJ-X10T was available for $359 from: www.aesham.com

Even with shipping, that would be a lot cheaper than what I paid, especially with tax added in. On the other hand, I've got it, it does cell, and another one might not....

By the way, it's not that I care so much for cell coverage. In recent years, it's gotten so loaded with "hi, be home soon, see you then..." calls that it's not worth listening to. I just don't like to have the bozos in Washington dictating what I can and can't listen to in the privacy of my own home. Especially when those same bozos have demonstrated that they can't tell the difference between right and wrong in their own lives!

All in all, it looks like a nice radio, although it's going to take a LONG time to wade thru the instruction manual....

4924. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: WD0FWP <rankj@iland.net>
Message-ID: <6spndm$p1g$1@news.corpcomm.net>
Source record: 145164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

You may want to look at GMRS. This has all the advantages of CB with-out the restrictions of ham radio.
You can use it for both commercial and personal use, and
there is a lot of used UHF equipment available at reasonable prices.
Any local radio shop can give you information.

pinhead@jps.NOSPAM.net (Philo) writes: > In article <35EFA8EC.7B74@bellatlantic.net>, Trowan@bellatlantic.net
> says...
> > I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at
> > least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and
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> consistently and they are much more affordible than most other HAM
> equipment. Also, all you need is the no-code license to use the band
> so it is easy to use it legally. Check out the offerings from Alinco
> and Icom and then go to AES to get a real price. Good luck.

4925. Re: Can the 235XLT deal with iDEN? (QAM/TDMA) wireless information superhighway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <35f05cac.70362631@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145165
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Mullaney <john@minutemancomm.com> wrote:

>But boy dosen't that audio sounds like hell!! I think they may have gone a
>little to narrow on the old digital bandwith...

No Kidding, IDEN sounds pretty ugly. I believe the digital public
safety version (ASTRO) sounds a lot better because it's not compressed
as much.

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>< snip> Red Star wrote:
>
>> iDEN Technology Overview
>>
>> Building on more than 50 years of developing wireless communications
>> products-from two-way dispatch radios to pagers to cellular phones-Motorola
>> has developed an innovative digital technology known as iDEN-Integrated
>> Dispatch Enhanced Network. It enables users to take full advantage of the
>> benefits of the wireless world by integrating four communication services
>> into one network, using one phone.
>>
>> Motorola"s concept of integrated wireless business communications offers
>> advanced capabilities that bring together the capabilities of dispatch
>> radio, full-duplex telephone interconnect, short message service and <snip>

4926. Re: How to get PRESET on YUPITERU 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James F. Boehner, MD" <jboehner@scescape.net>
Message-ID: <YBZH1.123$2X4.92300@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm not sure if this answers your question, but N2MCA has rewritten the MVT-9000 manual, and you might find it helpful!

http://www.strongsignals.net/data/mvt9k_og.htm

I was impressed with his work! He also has an excellent review on the scanner!

http://www.strongsignals.net/data/mvt9k_og.htm

Don't miss it!

'73 de Jim N2ZZ

Aad J. van Strien wrote in message <6sm8vlsqg1@ns0.klm.nl>...
>Hi scan freaks,
>
>anyone here who knows how to turn on the PRESET mode on a YUPITERU MVT-9000?
>My manual does not list it, and applying procedures as available from the
>internet yield no result.
>
>Thanks on advance for your time.
>Greetings from the Netherlands.
>
>Aad J. van Strien
>
>

4927. SCANNER WEBSITE AND MOD PAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090422212800.SAA01623@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145167

Hi all,
here is a good webpage for those of you who have not seen it. it links to radio shack mods, as well as others, and also has links to laws. also includes a frequency search by state, enjoy

4928. SCANNER WEBSITE AND MOD PAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090422234600.SAA28483@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145168

Hi all,
here is a website that contains links to radio shack mods, as well as others.
also links to laws, and frquency search by states.

http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/scanner.html#mods

4929. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F0544F.6DCF@parg.org>
Source record: 145169

George Vetterle wrote:
> Mackey doesn't know anything about scanners.

Thank you George! Going by the logic previously presented that
would also mean I know nothing about stalking!

(besides, I never claimed to be a resource for scanners!)

4930. Re: Legal Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: davideguna@vabch.com
Message-ID: <pE_H1.3218$bz4.9560080@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 145170

davideguna@vabch.com (David Guna) wrote:

>Lets say for example I am riding my mtn. bike down the Virginia Beach
>boardwalk, with my scanner, and I hear something interesting on the
>police channel so I decide to check it out, yet not get in the way at
>all (across the street). Is there any legal issues that I should be
>aware of? I have been doing this for sometime now with out a problem
>(most of the time beating the police to the 10-20) Again I am not
>getting in the way at all, both for my own personal safety, and
>respect to the officers..

>Thanks for your time,

>David

>davideguna@vabch.com

Thank you all for your responces.. Both emailed, and via the
newsgroup..

-David

4931. Chicago Land Freq. Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Wise" <robweis@ync.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd859$cffd12c0$7014b9ce@jen>
Source record: 145171

I am interested in the police and fire freq. used in the Chicago area,
especially Schaumburg vicinity.

Thanks
R. Wise
robweis@ync.net

4932. Re: PRO series scanners - Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35efc65e.922903@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145172
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 14:03:56 GMT, "Jerry" <tex@usaor.net> wrote:

>What are the basic differences in all the PRO series scanners?
>I have a PRO-39 which I have had for a few years and it works great. But
>I guess I have always thought that in anything, the higher the number
>the better the product. Does this apply to scanners? Am I missing a
>lot by not having a newer scanner? Thanks for the help.
>
>
Unfortunately, the numbering system on the Pro series scanners does
not relate to the improvement of the product. The Pro-39 is a very
good scanner. It is a dual conversion scanner that was replaced later
by the Pro-43 which is a triple conversion scanner. Both scanners are
made by GRE which has made the majority of Radio Shack scanners.
Uniden makes scanners for RS also and has produced quite a few of RS's
latest line of products. Basically you will have to know the features
of a certain model and know the capabilities of the other scanners
before you can successfully decide whether one is better than the
other.

Wiggie

4933. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: No One <NoOne@NoWhere.com>
Message-ID: <6spu57$qaq@andromeda.peganet.net>
Source record: 145173
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

I should like to point out that AAA publishes annually a digest of Motor Laws giving details on the motoring laws for each state. They are issued to officers on my department every year.

Bill Stewart
Police/Fire dispatcher

paul@nospam.hsh.com wrote in message ...
>In rec.radio.scanner G McCoy <gmccoy@home.com> sez:
>: Alleycat wrote in message <35e7a0a9.8101592@news.cadvision.com>...
>:> gburnore@databasix.com (Gary L. Burnore) wrote:
>:>> kibblesnbits@askme.net (Alleycat) wrote:
>:>>
>:>>> This is probably a stupid question, but what would happen if
>:>>> someone were to travel through all the States and they weren't
>:>>> familiar with the laws in each?
>:>>
>:>> Ignorance of the law is no excuse for breaking it.
>:>
>:> Babalooey! So a person travelling through each state would
>:> have to purchase or get hold of a book of laws, sit down and read
>:> the the entire book before proceeding to the next state, and then
>:> do the same in the next one, and the next?
>:>
>:> That's nuts. Do American tourist bureaus send out "driving
>:> books" to those who ask in advance, or is there some kind of
>:> national "driver's" book they could purchase somewhere? It's
>:> easy to say "ignorance of the law is no excuse." but when a
>:> tourist has to locate a licensing office or police station to
>:> find a book, and then pull over to the side of the road to read
>:> it before proceeding....
>:> Besides, he could be fined on the way, so what other options does
>:> he have?
>:>

4934. Help w/ particular freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: warrior@iconn.net
Message-ID: <35f0081b.13950898@news.iconn.net>
Source record: 145174
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Looking up frequencies for the local town, the PerCon
Coorporation Database search gave me these freq.

928.6813
952.6813

When I try to plug them into my scanner (PRO-51)
they enter as:

928.6875
952.6875

I haven't tried them yet, but anyone have some advice?

Lou

4935. Re: Scanning in St. Petersburg - Tampa - Largo, FL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Stephen Zajac" <szajac@prismnetwork.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd861$a1802880$b159b5cd@stephen-j.-zaja>
Source record: 145175

Check this website: http://home.earthlink.net/~ddsradio/scanner.htm

Bob Hale <rmhale@concentric.net> wrote in article
<6spb0j$3ar$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
Hello Scanners -

I recently purchased a PRO-2050 and love this little scanner and am
interested in any live and good freq's for the St. Petersburg - Tampa -
Largo, FL areas...

Can anyone help with any good suggestions...

Thanks,

Bob Hale

4936. Uniden 855 xlt problen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jon <jfevor@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6sq4no$5i0$1@news.toolcity.net>
Source record: 145176

Hiall ,
Seems as if I lost the long range receive on my radio, still receive some aircraft freqs.
and can still pick up my own cordless phone abt 250' away other than that its dead !
dont think it got hit by lightning can anyone tell me which chip controls the front end?
I used to repair power chips on stereos years ago if I had thepart ## could probly fix this one,,,any help ? Thanks

4937. Re: RS Pro-2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090400041200.UAA29562@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145191

I clipped the orange wire and put a stick-on 9v batt clip on the back and ran the wire through a small exsiting hole that was perfect for it, batt lasts about 2 years and can be replaced without opening the scanner, works great, 9v is more than enough to hold memory

4938. Newbie needs some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: smokebowl@hempseed.com
Message-ID: <35ef2dbb.3563870@news.flash.net>
Source record: 145192

I am sort of new to the scanner world here, I used to always borrow a friends bc200xlt that I did the cellular mod to, What I am trying to find out is what is a good scanner that can recieve cellular or easily be modified to recieve? any help would be appreciated

4939. FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulegan@interlog.com
Message-ID: <35ef3641.1554623@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 145193

Near mint condition. Excellent working condition. Orginal packaging
and manual. Comes with battery, antenna and recharger. Purchased in
Apr.98, but seldom used. Price new $520. including taxes. Will sell
for $340 or obo.
email paulegan@interlog.com

4940. Can the 235XLT deal with iDEN? (QAM/TDMA) wireless information superhighway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Red Star <"Red Star"@skatesurfsnow.com>
Message-ID: <35EF4A1E.E07108EF@skatesurfsnow.com>
Source record: 145194
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

iDEN Technology Overview

Building on more than 50 years of developing wireless communications products-from two-way dispatch radios to pagers to cellular phones-Motorola has developed an innovative digital technology known as iDEN-Integrated Dispatch Enhanced Network. It enables users to take full advantage of the benefits of the wireless world by integrating four communication services into one network, using one phone.

Motorolaï¿½s concept of integrated wireless business communications offers advanced capabilities that bring together the capabilities of dispatch radio, full-duplex telephone interconnect, short message service and future data
transmission.

The iDEN technology is based on a variety of proven RF technologies. Motorola engineers took these technologies and enhanced them in order to gain the increased capacity necessary to support a fully optimized, wireless digital network. The technology offers increased spectral efficiency and full-service integration, two of the main benefits of digital communications.

IMPROVED SPECTRAL EFFICIENCY

The capacity to accommodate crowded markets and worldwide growth is a critical component of iDEN. The development of this spectrally efficient technology allows multiple communications to occur over a single analog channel. This expansion of the network gives users greater access to the network and provides space for new and expanded services to be added without rebuilding the infrastructure.

iDEN represents the most advanced step toward the development of an integrated,
wireless business communications system that can satisfy the long-term capacity demands of the marketplace. The increased capacity is due to a combination of unique technologies-Motorolaï¿½s VSELP vocoding technique and QAM modulation process-as well as the TDMA channel splitting process.

MOTOROLAï¿½S VSELP - CODING SIGNALS FOR EFFICIENT TRANSMISSION

The driving force behind the expanded capacity of iDEN is the reduced transmission rate needed to send information. Motorola has developed a vocoder (short for voice coder) technology that compresses voice signals into digital packets of information that are time assigned, transmitted, and

received on the iDEN network. This vocoder, known as VSELP (Vector Sum Excited
Linear Predictors), compresses the voice signals to reduce the transmission rate needed to send information.

In addition, VSELP provides for clear voice transmission by digitizing the voiceï¿½s essential elements, thus providing high-quality audio under conditions
that might have resulted in a distorted analog voice.

If a speech segment gets lost over the radio channel, the VSELP decoder even can ï¿½repairï¿½ the effect through speech extrapolation. The result is less distortion and interference (e.g., break-up, static, fading) as users move toward fringe coverage area, enhancing the clarity and quality of iDENï¿½s
voice communications.

QAM MODULATION

While the VSELP compresses the signal and reduces the transmission rate, the QAM (Quad Amplitude Modulation) increases the density of the information.
Modulation is the process of adding information to the radio wave that alters
the size and speed of the radio wave to represent the information content of the signal. More advanced modulation, like QAM, can increase the density of the information put on the signal.

QAM modulation technology was specifically designed to support the digital requirements of the iDEN network. Motorolaï¿½s unique QAM technology transmits information at a 64 kilobit per second rate. Higher transmission rates mean squeezing more information onto existing channels, resulting in increased spectral capacity. No other existing modulation technology transmits as much information ina narrow band channel.

MULTIPLIED CHANNEL CAPACITY

Another key element of the iDEN network is the time-proven technology of Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA). TDMA is a technique for dividing the wireless radio channel into multiple communication pathways.

In the iDEN system, each radio channel (which uses approximately 25 kHz of radio spectrum) divides into six distinct communication pathways. During transmission, voice and data information is divided into packets. Each packet
is assigned a time frame and then transmitted over the network. At the receiving
end, the packets are reassembled according to their time assignments into the original information sequence.

THE ADVANTAGE OF INTEGRATION

More than any other criteria, the user of the wireless information superhighway
will demand multi-functional devices that are easy to use. With this in mind,
Motorola designed a comprehensive technology to support integrated wireless business communication services.

With the iDEN network, users need only one phone to access voice dispatch, full-duplex telephone interconnect, short message service and future data transmission capabilities. This integration capability provides business users with flexible communications capabilities that allow users to access information in the most efficient and convenient way no matter where they are
in the system.

For additional details on iDEN technology check out
Motorolaï¿½s iDEN web site at http://www. motorola.com/iden.

NOTE: this article was copied from:

http://www.nextel.com/information/technology/supporttech.shtml

4941. NY/NJ Scanner Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: frunner@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35ff4916.3162978@news.ios.com>
Source record: 145195

Scanner people are invited to join the NYDXA scanner and SWL net held each Wednesday at 8 PM Eastern on the 147.360 repeater in NYC. Those of you who are just listeners can e mail the net on an e mail address that is given during the net. We also publish a monthly newsletter distributed via e mail in the Adobe Acrobat format. All are welcome!

See you there!

4942. police freqs change?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090402292700.WAA21294@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145196

I live in an area where there were some police freqs that were very active, but now on some of them, there is nothing but a few beeps, such as the ones you hear when you scan freqs for pagers. Is it possible that the freqs changed? what is the best way to search for the new channel that they transmit on? thanks for the help.
teal9425@aol.com

4943. Re: Scanner World - followup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: leo435@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090402523400.WAA24617@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145197

scott, I have ordered several items from scanner world and have had excellant service

4944. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35ef8311.3401889@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 145198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know what the frequencies are!.
You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2 thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck :-)).
Even after that, get ready to spend thousands on Lawer fees, and/or Fines, as it is VERY illegal to own a radio that will TX on police bands and even more illegal to do it!

Later

On 27 Aug 1998 04:44:22 GMT, "oh_no" <oh_no@nospam_smartt.com> wrote:

4945. Re: EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35ef55b5.1872280@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 145199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

:I've heard this a few times myself!
:
:--
:73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
:SkyWarn 2212-98
:
:Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
:Neither did I.

That must be because it runs so fast that you never need consider it.

4946. Re: police freqs change?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35ef83d8.3600773@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 145200

Well, either that, or they are surveillance frequencies.
The local police here go on surveillance 'missions' that may last for
a week and you don't hear them for a month or two. When the frequency
is active, it's active. When it's not, it's not !
The beeping may be intermod.
Later
Mike

On 4 Sep 1998 02:29:27 GMT, teal9425@aol.com (Teal9425) wrote:

>I live in an area where there were some police freqs that were very active, but
>now on some of them, there is nothing but a few beeps, such as the ones you
>hear when you scan freqs for pagers. Is it possible that the freqs changed?
>what is the best way to search for the new channel that they transmit on?
>thanks for the help.
>teal9425@aol.com

4947. THANKS PORKY FOR THE YUPI MVT9000;IT'S AWESOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090403115500.XAA27419@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145201

I recently recieved a ABSOLUTLY MINT CONDITION YUPITERU MVT9000 FROM a gentleman named PORKY. Ijust want to say thanks and GOD BLESS PORKY.

4948. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: r1c1w@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090403152200.XAA27933@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145202

Barry,
For what its worth I've changed the 455 kHz filter in my PRO-2035 to reduce the interference between 12.5 kHz separated channels. I listen to our 900 MHz trunked SMR systems and couldn't really use the radio effectively until I changed it. Still picks up the regular channels just fine. 12.5 kHz UHF channels are just catching on around here (New Orleans) and we'll soon be putting up a commercial trunked system using the splinter channels. Waiting to see what problems we encounter with adjacent channel interference.
Bob
R1C1W@aol.com

4949. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090403182800.XAA28383@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145203

>Subject: Re: New Radio Shack Catalog
>From: "John Habbinga" <habbinga@wt.net>
>Date: 9/3/98 7:56 PM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <6snl5e$t10$1@news4.wt.net>
>
>I have learned that the catalog price will be changed to $0.00 in the point
>of sale system at RadioShack. I would imagine this would happen as soon as
>the programmers can download the new price into the store's computers.
>
>So all your complaining was heard by the powers that be at RadioShack.
>
>Now, can you find something else to whine about?

yeah but there's an $18 shipping and handling fee for carrying it out of the
stockroom ;)
Neutrodyne

4950. SBE unit with controls on mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdiq@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6snq7vaon1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Check out a great SBE unit for sale, with modifyable PLL and all controls (volume/squelch/channel up-down/channel display) right on the microphone.

Available here:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=28669139

or click HERE

<img src=http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Thinktank/3978/cb07.jpg">

Thanks!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4951. Trunked Radio System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Herzog <Herzog@contractor.com>
Message-ID: <35EF6041.8050E4A9@contractor.com>
Source record: 145205
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Joseph Watts wrote:
>
> what is a turnked radio system

For organizations where instant, effective and private communications
are a vital part of everyday operation, a trunked two-way radio system
provides the coverage, channel efficiency, security and flexibility needed.

Simply put, trunking permits a large number of users to share a relatively
small number of communication paths - or trunks. Commercial telephone
communication is a wireline version of trunking.

This sharing of communication paths is managed automatically by a computer.
Channel selections and other decisions normally made by the radio user are
made by the central controller, a computerized switch. Channel assignment
is automatic and completely transparent to the individual users.

Trunking offers many benefits, including faster system access, better
channel efficiency, more user privacy and the flexibility to expand. Because
of its
flexibility, a trunked system can expand along with your operation,
to accommodate a growing number of users and restructuring of talkgroups.
And it can be continuously upgraded with software.

With trunking large quantities of users will no longer need to share a
common RF channel and compete for air time. In addition, users won't need
to monitor a channel in order to make a call on their own.

click here ---> http://www.mot.com/LMPS/RNSG/trunking/index.html

and here ---> http://www.trunktracker.com

4952. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4aus1@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090404292700.AAA04310@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145206

Really wish this Ryan kid would stop trying to be a know it all... Its getting annoying to get these annoying false answers all the time....

Jason

4953. R8500 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cak@aloha.net
Message-ID: <6snrf6ahg1@nuhou.aloha.net>
Source record: 145207

I have an Icom R8500 that has developed the following symptom: on power up it operates normally for a few seconds, then the "receive" indicator goes out and the audio disappears. After a few more seconds, the frequency display begins to blink. The manual does not seem to be helpful.

It seems to me that this is probably an LO in marginal lock, but since I'm not particularly familiar with this receiver, it is also conceivable that I have it in some odd mode, so I am looking for suggestions before I dig into it. I have tried resetting the CPU - no change.

Curt Knight
cak@aloha.net

4954. Re: 235XLT Discontinued?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mullaney <john@minutemancomm.com>
Message-ID: <35EF77B0.9073BCDD@minutemancomm.com>
Source record: 145208
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

They are in Massachusetts too...
But of course this is just their company owned trunking systems. This way they can sell the frequencies to Nextel for big bucks and still supply all the radios. They loose the hassles and make more money.

I don't think many people bought their trunk trackers to listen to these commercial systems. They bought them to listen too the massive public safety systems that aren't going anywhere fast...

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> I doubt that Motorola is discontinuing their trunking systems. I *heavily*
> doubt that.
>
> Can you cite where you heard this?
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy
> Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
> Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
> SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
> ICQ: 2865322
>
> Experience is the worst teacher.
> It gives the test first and teaches after.
>
> Eddie Hewgley wrote in message <35EDD9ED.67B2D187@hotcom.net>...
> >It might as well be discontinued. My business in Nashville, Tn uses
> >Motorola truncked system, and we are having to switch over to Nextel at
> >the end of the year because Motorola is doing away with the truncked
> >systems. At least that's what I heard.

4955. Re: Can the 235XLT deal with iDEN? (QAM/TDMA) wireless information superhighway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mullaney <john@minutemancomm.com>
Message-ID: <35EF787C.DF0CA8BA@minutemancomm.com>
Source record: 145209
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

But boy dosen't that audio sounds like hell!! I think they may have gone a
little to narrow on the old digital bandwith...

< snip> Red Star wrote:

> iDEN Technology Overview
>
> Building on more than 50 years of developing wireless communications
> products-from two-way dispatch radios to pagers to cellular phones-Motorola
> has developed an innovative digital technology known as iDEN-Integrated
> Dispatch Enhanced Network. It enables users to take full advantage of the
> benefits of the wireless world by integrating four communication services
> into one network, using one phone.
>
> Motorolaï¿½s concept of integrated wireless business communications offers
> advanced capabilities that bring together the capabilities of dispatch
> radio, full-duplex telephone interconnect, short message service and <snip>

4956. List of the rec.radio newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6sntdu$3u1@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145210
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.info,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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Archive-name: radio/personal-brief-introduction

In an effort help ensure a poster's article reaches the appropriate
audience, below is a list of the rec.radio newsgroups. In most cases,
a group's name will explain its purpose. Cross-posting should rarely
be necessary.

rec.radio.broadcasting (devoted to the broadcast industry; moderated)
rec.radio.cb
rec.radio.info (periodic informational bulletins; moderated)
rec.radio.scanner
rec.radio.shortwave
rec.radio.swap (for buying, selling, and trading; not a discussion group)

rec.radio.amateur.antenna
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors (tube-type communications equipment)
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc (packet, pactor and other digital modes)
rec.radio.amateur.dx (long-distance amateur communications)
rec.radio.amateur.equipment (questions, comments regarding commercially-
built amateur gear; not for buying/selling)
rec.radio.amateur.homebrew (devoted to home-building ham gear)
rec.radio.amateur.policy (issues include code, restructuring, local
restrictions in conflict with FCC R&R)
rec.radio.amateur.space (satellites, meteor scatter, EME)
rec.radio.amateur.misc (any topic not covered in the above groups)

(At least two other English language radio hierarchies exist, prefixed
with "uk" (United Kingdom), and "aus" (Australia), in place of "rec.")

Again, cross-posting should rarely be necessary. Many times, a long-
running thread results from a single cross-posted article, and the
contents of such a thread drift further and further away from being
"on-topic" in the various NGs that receive each and every followup.

For more detailed information, see "Guide to the Rec.radio Newsgroups"
posted on the 15th of each month.

Jeffrey Herman (KH2PZ / KH6)
(rec.radio.amateur working-group)
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4957. Re: How to get PRESET on YUPITERU 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Aad J. van Strien" <Aad-van.Strien@klm.nl>
Message-ID: <6sntmd$ss4$1@ns0.klm.nl>
Source record: 145211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello Jonathan,

thanks for your information. I do feel comfortable with my MVT-9000 anyway, but hoped to find PRESET an enhancement of its power and flexibility. Now I know it is not, I will leave the P-chip in place and wait for more details on the computer-programmable PRESET (sort of ...) in the AOR AR-8200.

Aad J. van Strien

"If I didn't scan it, it wasn't on air"

4958. CB Radio Story Ezine Posted - September Issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dougd@lrbcg.com
Message-ID: <35ef86cf.22487968@199.190.65.4>
Source record: 145212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

For those who subscribe to "CB Radio Story Ezine", the September Issue
should be in your emailbox.

If you don't subscribe you can read it in the 'archives' at:

http://www.lrbcg.com/dougd/cb.htm

Submissions Wanted.

rec.radio.cb FAQ is also posted on this site.

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Sandusky CB Club - Sandusky Ohio
http://www.lrbcg.com/dougd/cbclub2.htm
CB Radio Story Ezine (subscribe)
http://www.lrbcg.com/dougd/cb.htm
ICQ# 319635

4959. Re: New scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Railsback <100102.2312@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ueJXll819GA.338@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145213

>Write to Ann Landers or Dear Abby.
>They're the ones who give better advice in situations like this.

You mean they're scanner experts, too?

4960. Re: Can't leave Bill Cheek alone, can y'all?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090406295600.CAA14436@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145214

In article <35EF6656.1BB0@parg.org>, KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> writes:

>
>CBRambo wrote:
>> Bill has been gone from here for several days...and yet, this newsgroup is
>> still filled with talk about him.
>
>Wouldn't it be best if people would just DROP the Cheek issue?

Like you did?
"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4961. Best base scanner antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: 80498@altavista.net
Message-ID: <6so3p6$oo3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145215

I tried a search on this subject, but did not really find too much.

What is the *best* scanner base antenna that you have used? You may wish to include the specific frequencies that you listen to in the subject of your post to keep things clear.

Lets go!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

4962. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35ef9798.1202363@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145216

On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 06:33:56 GMT, willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>
>
> sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>> Mackey continues to electronically stalk Bill even after Bill has apparently
>> left the news group. He is one sick individual.
>
> Some say scanners are for electronic stalking.
>

Mackey doesn't know anything about scanners.

4963. Re: 800Mhz Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rquinn3@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090407423200.DAA17691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145217

I think Ramsey has what you want although I have no experience with that product, they had excellent customer service the last time I delt with them (3-4 years ago).

4964. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rquinn3@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090408043200.EAA21766@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145218

I went into a RS I hadn't bought anything from in a while(it's in a mall and I was just killing time while my girlfriend was shopping) and I realised I needed about a foot of RG8. I was told that they dont sell cable by the foot anymore. I was visibly schocked and the guy said he might have some in the storeroom he was going to send back. He came out later with about 3 feet of cable and said to just stick it in my pocket. I asked about buying a catalog because I felt bad about not paying for it. He then went to the front got a catalog and a RS bag and said "come back soon". I got a catalog and my cable all for 0.00!
From the desk of Rquinn3
KCUF 101.5 FM El Paso, TX

4965. Re: Radar jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rquinn3@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090408325300.EAA22609@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145219

Ok. I am a EE and my field is radio engineering.My senior project was a doppler shift generator. It calculated the incoming radar freq. and re-transmited that plus the doppler shift at whatever you wanted to set it to. Not really all that complicated but it did require a really neet antenna that one of my profs designed for me and the need not to go faster than about 10-15 miles +- the speed you are traveling. (Idid get an A) .It is really a work of art and if anyone is interested I will send a better description and some of the parts you might need. It might be kind of expensive to build. This is very illegal to use though but I think it would be hard to grid you in a moving vehicle. Some of the posts seem intelegent enough but what about the rest of you guys. READ UP!
Thanks RQ
From the desk of Rquinn3
KCUF 101.5 FM El Paso, TX

4966. Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35EFA8EC.7B74@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 145220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,,rec.radio.cb,,rec.radio.scanner

I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and no repeater fees . Can I find anything in the 30 - 50 mhz range that will do the trick ? Or another frequency ? Any info is appreciated !

4967. Re: Newbie needs some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobodies@home.now
Message-ID: <35ef9c05.3258479@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 145221

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 00:02:09 GMT, smokebowl@hempseed.com (smokebowl) wrote:

>I am sort of new to the scanner world here, I used to always borrow a
>friends bc200xlt that I did the cellular mod to, What I am trying to
>find out is what is a good scanner that can recieve cellular or easily
>be modified to recieve? any help would be appreciated
>

If you really want to go to the trouble to
"mod" up a way to listen to cell phones,
find an older cell phone for cheap at a
garage sale or flea market. All of the older
motorola bag phones, brick phones and
flip phones can be put into "test mode"
in a couple minutes with nothing more than
paper clip. In test mode you can tune the
phone to any cell freq. you want.

Used cell phones can be had for a few
bucks if you're good at scrounging and they
were originally designed for this purpose,
unlike a general purpose scanner. Look for
a file, "Motorola Bible" available at dozens of
sites around the net for complete instructions.

Of course, cell eavesdropping is unethical, illegal (in the US),
and gets boring pretty fast (so I've heard). Maybe this info
will save a classic scanner or two from "death by cell mod".
Plus you get to feel like"Macguiver" when you first tune the
phone with a paper clip.

4968. Re: Can the 235XLT deal with iDEN? (QAM/TDMA) wireless information superhighway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ufGsCY#19GA.128@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Red Star <"Red Star"@skatesurfsnow.com> copied from a Nextel blurb:
> ... that alters the size and speed of the radio wave ...

Motorola's got sub-space communication !

4969. Re: Newbie needs some help-WHY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28144-35EFC34A-6@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145223

Most cellular will be going digital anyway.In fact I read in the paper that 75% are already digital.Not only that but most of the conversations are as boring as hell-that's what I have been told:)

4970. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6sojtm$47m$1@207.18.224.108>
Source record: 145224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:

>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
>what the frequencies are!.
>You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2
>thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
>:-)).

No, commercial radios are MUCH cheaper than that, as are modified
HAM radios.

>Even after that, get ready to spend thousands on Lawer fees, and/or
>Fines, as it is VERY illegal to own a radio that will TX on police
>bands and even more illegal to do it!

It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
bands.

4971. Re: Pc conection for a Alinco DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickfinch@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sovchsvq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145225

Does the ICOM OPC-478 plug directly in the RS232 port of the PC or is some other hardware required. The Alinco site says the 'connections on the interface end require a stereo reducing adapter'. Surely there is a 9/24 pin RS232 plug on this end?

Or am I missing something?

Thanks for your help.

In article <vKwC1.73$lg.406497@news20.bellglobal.com>,
"Mike Anderson" <NOSPAManderson@.pei.sympatico.ca> wrote:
> Javier,
> I bought an ICOM OPC-478 programming cable , and it works great. The cable
> should be readily available to you through mail order. You can get some
> software from Alinco's home page.
> http://alinco.com/DJX10SOFTWARE/DJX10.shtml . I found the shareware version
> of the software slow to read/write 1200 channels + PMS and all radio info,
> but it is supposed to be faster in the registered version. The registered
> version also has more features.
>
> I hope this helps.
>
> Mike
>
> zipi@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6rbrngsfk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >I want to know how conect one alinco dj x10 scanner on my computer (PC).
> >-Eschematic diagram of connections
> >-Software
> >-Web's links
> >-And DJ-X10 scanner electric diagram (if it's posible)
> >
> >Tanks and sorry for my poor english language.
> > In my country it's imposible buy the alinco's cable conection
> >
> >
> >Javier Garmilla
> >JGARMILL@teleline.es
> >Vitoria
> >Spain
> >
> >-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> >http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
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4972. Re: Can the 235XLT deal with iDEN? (QAM/TDMA) wireless information superhighway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1059b768f5c881129896ce@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 145226
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35EF4A1E.E07108EF@skatesurfsnow.com>, Red Star <"Red Star"@skatesurfsnow.com> says...
> iDEN Technology Overview
>
> Building on more than 50 years(BS SNIPPED!)
>
> iDEN represents the most advanced step toward the development of an
> integrated,
> wireless business communications system that can satisfy the long-term
> capacity demands of the marketplace.

Yeah sure,and I'm king of the universe.I have to ask a couple of questions to Motorola and whoever else is behind this sorry excuse for a "communications system".
First: In the Toledo Ohio area,the system goes down almost DAILY,usually around 6AM or so,we get "no service",or Wait;Connecting",or the party you are trying to call "not available".When it does work,it sounds like shit,worse than an old FM tuner I had sounded after it got zapped by a lightning strike!THe question is,how the hell did you release such a pitiful product,and how do you have the nerve to say on the box "Chrystal Clear"?Damn,I'd hate to hear what you think is bad!Most of the time,the TX audio is over or undermodulated(usually over),and we have to repeat ourselves all the time,it's really annoying....
Second:This is a case of a good idea being destroyed by a bad execution.Why didn't they wait until the system was WORKING RELIABLY,with ACCEPTABLE AUDIO,not like you are drowning or screaming into the radio?Why the lousy ALC?it doesn't seem like it should be that hard to at least get the audio LEVEL right.Now about the "speaker",if you can call it that.If you set the volume so you can hear it in a noisy environment,you hear the "ping" ,and then hear"rahhhhrahhh rrraahhh rrah rrah",you have to have them repeat it,after you push the buttons a couple of times,and then you USUALLY CAN understand it,IF they aren't overmodded,then you have to repeat it AGAIN!I have to fight the impulse to just take the thing and smash it to pieces!This morning,I tried to call 3 different people and NONE of them heard me!Then after a couple of minutes,it was working.Of course.
If Motorola keeps putting out stuff like this,and the Toledo trunk radio system(sounds great too),they deserve to be put out of business!
End of rant.....

Barry

4973. Help with PRO-2006 MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: packrat@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <6sseua$lt7$1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144977

I need a little help, obviously. I recently put together the equipment for the computer interface mod for my PRO-2006 that I found at John Montalbano's website. I finally hooked it up tonight, but it doesn't appear to be working correctly. I tried to e-mail John Montalbano before, but my message got returned.

I'm wondering if anybody would be willing to e-mail me to help me figure this thing out. With everything wired up, the keypad on the scanner doesn't function. If I desolder the interface, disconnecting it from the scanner, the scanner seems to behave normally. Does anybody have any experience with this stuff that they might be willing to share? I'd greatly appreciate the help.

My e-mail address is:

packrat@nbnet.nb.ca

Thanks in advance!

BTW, if you post a reply to this, I'm unlikely to get it. I'll try, but my IP's news server is about 6 hours behind and the server it gets its information from deletes it after 6 hours. :(

4974. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090522513300.SAA17875@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144978

In article <35f1bc92.72410701@news.bell.net>, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) writes:

>
>>A ham radio aquaintance was pinched by the Alachua County SO for
>>speeding and nearly received a second citation for having his HTX-202
>>in the car if he didn't have his amateur radio licence with him.
>
>When did it become an offense for someone to carry a ham radio around
>if not licensed in the service? I think the cop was yanking his chain!

The cop probably didn't know what the radio was and assumed it was a scanner. And this is the problem (among others) with these sorts of laws: a police officer is not a communications expert. Most of them do not know the difference between a handheld scanner, a handheld ham radio, or an Archer Space Patrol walkie-talkie. If it "looks" like a scanner and the cop is either having a bad day or needs one more ticket to fill his monthly quota, you get the citation and/or confiscation of your equipment. Then, the financial burden is on YOU to take time off of work and go to court to prove your innocense.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

4975. Re: Scanner INFO 1: Hey BILL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F1C011.7B92@parg.org>
Source record: 144979

allsafe wrote:
> Hey Bill, Can you go ahead put me down for THE ULTIMATE SCANNER (Cheek3) and
> charge it to my account? (Same shipping address).
> Maybe you could ship it with that other hardware I ordered.

Allsafe -

Don't waste your breath. That is not Bill, it is a forge of Bill done
by Bud Jamison.

4976. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dalyrimple@poundhouse.com
Message-ID: <dalyrimple-0509981602440001@pdx41-a48-20.teleport.com>
Source record: 144980
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

x-no-aarchive: yes In article <35F1A49C.54E@yahoo.com>, Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com> wrote:

> Hey John, I've just got one question and then you are free to go about
> your business:
>
> *** Who the hell cares? ***

Wait a minute.....is this the same Smalley who swore he would not post in this group anymore, but only in a.r.s? What gives? Please go back....

4977. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f3c0d6.73502579@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144981
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 00:23:02 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>Tom Jones wrote:
>> SO WHAT IS IT THAT MAKES YOU THINK THE POST(S) WERE FORGED?
>> Please point the 'giveaway' out to me - I really can't spot it - I'm not
>> just jerking your chain... :-)
>
>No problem Tom! If you know what to look for, it is easy to see
>the "giveaway" of the forge that Bud Jamison did of Cheek.
>
>See the two messages I have attached below. The first one is the forged
>post of Cheek that Bud Jamison wrote. The second is a real post from
>Jamison. Notice that the "X-newsreader" is IDENTICAL!!!! Notice that
>the "NNTP-POSTING-HOST" is IDENTICAL!!!! Now for the real
>CLINCHER & proof of guilt - Bud Jamison forgot to change his
>signature file that is automatically attached to the end of his
>messages!!!!!! (TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.) Cheek
>has NEVER had a signature file like that!!!!!!
>
>
>**
> From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
> Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner, rec.radio.scanner
> Subject: Scanning FAQ 2
> X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
> Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:42:12 GMT
> NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.210.49.227
> NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 03 Sep 1998 21:42:12 PDT
> Organization: TWC Road Runner, San Diego, CA
>SNIP
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.
>
>**
> From: thekat@san.rr.org (Bud)
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
> Subject: Re: DROP the Cheek !
> X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
> Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 22:56:11 GMT
> NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.210.49.227

> NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 15:56:11 PDT
> Organization: TWC Road Runner, San Diego, CA
>SNIP
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.
>**********
>
>After reviewing the above, you will see that Bud Jamison is
>guilty of being a liar & forger.
>
>And just to add one more nail into the coffin of guilt for
>Bud Jamison, I sent a test message to "bcheek@san.rr.com".
>The test message bounced back as the user unknown. See
>below!
>
>
>Subject: Delivery Notification: Delivery has failed
> Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 17:51:51 +0000 (GMT)
> From: PMDF e-Mail Interconnect <MAILER-DAEMON@internetmci.com>
> To: ka0ssf@parg.org
>
>This report relates to a message you sent with the following header
>fields:
>
> Message-id: <35F0281F.6687@parg.org>
> Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 10:49:19 -0700
> From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
> To: bcheek@san.rr.com
> Subject: test
>
>Your message cannot be delivered to the following recipients:
>
> Recipient address: bcheek@san.rr.com
> Reason: Remote SMTP server has rejected address
> Diagnostic code: smtp; 550 <bcheek@san.rr.com>... User unknown
> Remote system: dns; san.rr.com
>(TCP|208.159.126.155|1316|204.210.0.1|25) (mail-atm.san.rr.com ESMTP
>Sendmail 8.8.7/8.8.8; Fri, 4 Sep 1998 10:51:50 -0700

I thought once you cleansed the newsgroup of your nemesis we could get
back to the topic! What happened? If you continue to post off topic BS
people might start contacting abuse@mci.com to complain about you!
I'm not trying to insult you, just trying to help you avoid losing
another isp due to abusive behavior and off topic posting. GOOD LUCK!

4978. Anyone know 895 mod ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Groves <jeff@ksnt.com>
Message-ID: <6ssibi$n7r$1@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144982

Does anyone know any mods for the BC895XLT yet ?

4979. Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: RONALDPURDUE <RONALDPURDUE@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35F1D28D.221@prodigy.net>
Source record: 144983

Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have the similar problem?

4980. Why Sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John D. Cruckshank" <f1rst@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35F1D37D.C93EBB53@erols.com>
Source record: 144984

Robert,

Why do you want to sell the radio? It is susposed to really be one of
the best scanners available. Did it not do the job of tracking?

John

4981. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35F1F143.6C97@prodigy.net>
Source record: 144985
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

PDoddy wrote:
>
> I guess the reason i'm selling this jem of a scanner is because i've had so
> many it's no biggie to me.What can be next, can't tell you. I recieved this
> unit in ABSOLUTE MINT condition with box,manual, charger, nicads, car 12v
> cigarette lighter. To my shame i have one bobo.I accidently put a scrash on the
> face while sitting in my car.I have to be honest.Other wise it's a bute to say
> the least. Coverage 531khz-2039mhz, awesome band scope, duplex recieving
> capabilities,trple conversion, must I go on.IF interested please e-mail
> pdoddy@aol.com.OH THE PRICE $450.00.

Why are you selling this scanner all of a sudden??? Didn't you just post
the following message recently:

Email: pdoddy@aol.com
Date: 1998/09/04
Forums: alt.radio.scanner
I recently purchased a Yupi9000 from Porky, and when I recieved it on
Tuesday and opened the box wowwwwwwwwwwwwwww. ABSOLUTLY MINT AND NO
SCRACHES.I am happy to say the YUPI9000 is truly and awesome scanner.
I'm still in my figuring out how to operate stage.To save the best for
last the MVT9000 Is truly the MERCEDES OF HANDHELD SCANNERS.THANKS
AGAIN PORKY PERFORMANCE IS BREATHTAKING.

4982. Re: Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.Peters" <fires@cjnetworks.com>
Message-ID: <35F1F80B.5600@cjnetworks.com>
Source record: 144986

Digital Persona wrote:
>
> On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 19:08:45 -0500, RONALDPURDUE
> <RONALDPURDUE@prodigy.net> wrote:
>
> >Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have
> >ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have
> >the similar problem?
>
> Why don't you ask Grove where your CD is?
> I have ordered from them at least ten different times, and have never
> had any trouble with them.
The Co-ax that I ordered from Grove set a record for quick delivery.

4983. BC-890 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Blackmore <ve1xyz@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <ZonI1.63$ZY.55374@HME2.newscontent-01.sprint.ca>
Source record: 144987
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello,
Has anyone successfully modified the Uniden BearCat BC-890 XLT for full 800 Mhz restore. If so, please let me know where you found it.
I checked the listing at QRZ.COM but it is does not give many details about this mod.

Thanks,
Paul.

4984. Re: Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <35F2000D.A635B749@mich.com>
Source record: 144988

RONALDPURDUE wrote:

> Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have
> ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have
> the similar problem?

If you haven't even bothered to follow-up with Grove Enterprises about
it, the problem is mostly on your end, not theirs! They're often
overpriced, but have excellent customer service.

--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

4985. $2100 2GHz RF ANALYZER WITH COMPUTER SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmarie <stmarie@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <1snI1.396$r4.1579490@news.axxsys.net>
Source record: 144989

http://torfino.com/p201.htm

4986. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F2046F.BF03F2C1@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144990

John Mackey wrote:
>
> Mike Derryberry wrote:
> > Then why do you continue to hang out in a scanner related newsgroup ???
>
> Because I am dedicated to the art of radio & want to keep it
> safe for others in the future without getting tainted.
>

Boy, I almost fell over laughing at that one. You keeping it safe,
that's a good one.
Safe from what ??? Yourself ???

>
> So Mike, why do you continue to hang out in a scanner related newsgroup
> ???

I'm here because (unlike you) I am a scanner hobbiest. I have several
scanners and enjoy sharing information with other hobbiests (again,
unlike you).

BTW, when was the last time you posted something related to scanners &
scanning ???
Post about Bill Cheek don't count. Although, I'm sure you miss having
someone to flame on a daily basis.

Mike

4987. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F205C9.BDC43268@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144991

John Mackey wrote:
>
> allsafe wrote:
>
> > And Bill Cheek's FAQ's on scanners really burns your butt, doesn't it? What is
> > it about those posts that bother you?
>
> I don't care either way about Bill's FAQ's. But they aren't Bill's
> posts. Someone else besides Bill Cheek (it was Bud Jamison) forged the
> posts under a previous ID of Bill Cheek (Before Bill was kicked from his
> ISP
> for abuse). PLUS, when Bud made the forged posts of Cheek he posted
> copyrighted material, a clear legal violation.
>
> > Are you saying they weren't
> > written by Bill?
>
> No! I believe they were written by Bill, but they were not posted by
> Bill. Someone attempted to forge Cheek & post his copyrighted material.
>
> > Bill wrote them. I've seen them before. I compared them to
> > previous posts that I saved last year. They're identical. Bill Cheek wrote
> > them.
>
> I agree, Cheek wrote them. But someone else posted them using a old &
> no longer valid identity of Cheek. That was Bud Jamison!
>
> So what is your problem?

John, if you didn't care either way about Bill's FAQ post then why are
you harping and complaining about it ????????? Did you ever think there
were posted by Bud at Bill's request ???? It's a possibility since you
got Bill's ISP account yanked.

Think about it ....

Mike

4988. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F208AF.7E22437F@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144992

I don't know why everyone gripes about Radio Shack. The one I shop at near my house has smart, friendly & knowledgeable people working there. They have gone out of there way for find discontinued scanners at great prices for me. One guy can answer just about any question you can think of about computers.

All for not much more than minimum wage. That's not bad in my book. I know not all stores are like this, but don't lett the bad stores and sales people ruin it. Keep looking!!!

Mike

LightManJK wrote:
>
> My local store has people expierenced in different areas. If I am lucky the
> radio buff is there when I need to buy something. He has trunk ID info as well
> as being able to draw plans to build simple antennas. He will give out valuble
> info to anybody.

4989. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F20C32.1C618680@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144993

Florida's scanner laws ned some serious re-working. Thank goodness
California cops don't really care about scanners in cars and couldn't do
anything about a scanner anyway. Just don't use it in the commission of
a crime and you are fine.

I think if I lived in Florida, I would be doing some serious letter
writing to my state "politicions"

Mike

Jack wrote:
>
> On 05 Sep 1998 05:09:58 PDT, sjk1@usa.net (Steve King) wrote:
>
> >A ham radio aquaintance was pinched by the Alachua County SO for
> >speeding and nearly received a second citation for having his HTX-202
> >in the car if he didn't have his amateur radio licence with him.
>
> When did it become an offense for someone to carry a ham radio around
> if not licensed in the service? I think the cop was yanking his chain!
>
> >As a result, I always keep a copy of my licence with me. As for the
> >police, it all depends on the officer, I guess. Some may not care.
> >Some may care a lot. Take your chances if you wish.
>
> Good idea if you have a BC895XLT mounted in your vehicle!
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org

4990. Re: CT-17 (R10)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Birwin <birwin@nortix.com>
Message-ID: <35f14998.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 144994

I recommend the shareware product
"Radio Manager" found at
http://www.interplaza.com/bensware/rm.htm
and supports many different radios.

And I really like the OptoElectronics "OptoLynx"
found at
http://www.optoelectronics.com/optolinx98.htm
and is currently at $109. That may be a little
spendy, but it's a great little unit and will support
three different radios at once.

I just got re-started in radio and I acquired both
of these within the last 30 days.

Shannon Young wrote in message <35F04CF0.1471@hotmail.com>...
>I just got my Icom R10 today and was getting ready to hook it up to my
>puter and noticed in the instruction manual that I didn't have one of
>these devices. As you can probably tell, I'm kinda new to this radio.
>First question, What is it, What does it do, And do I really need it?
>What else am I gonna need to hook it to my puter? Any other help on this
>subject would be appriciated. Please e-mail replys if you could...
>
>Thanks in advance,
>Shan

4991. Re: Wanted: R7000 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Birwin <birwin@nortix.com>
Message-ID: <35f14d0f.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 144995

What is fair market price ?
(honest question)

CGT01 wrote in message <1998090321193900.RAA04102@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>To All:
>
>Please advise condition and price expectations ... (will pay fair market
price
>...)
>
>Sincerely,
>
>Colin Trass N1KYX
>
>
>

4992. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F21260.4B28@parg.org>
Source record: 144996
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jack wrote:

> I thought once you cleansed the newsgroup of your nemesis we could get
> back to the topic! What happened?

Infortunately, people are still causing problems here, some under the
name
of Bill. In all fairness, I would not want to see him unjustly
punished.

> If you continue to post off topic BS
> people might start contacting abuse@mci.com to complain about you!
> I'm not trying to insult you, just trying to help you avoid losing
> another isp due to abusive behavior and off topic posting.

That is fine. I have never lost an ISP account yet for any reason
so I am not worried about it. Thanks for your concern.

4993. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F217C9.41C6@parg.org>
Source record: 144997
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> > Cheek has NEVER had a signature file like that!!!!!!

> How would you know that if you didn't sta;lk Mr. Cheek like they all say you
> do? You really are a sick person, Mr. Sickey Mackey. Merry

It's easy & is certainly not stalking. Do a search for
"(TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.)" on dejanews.
It come up as a match for Bud Jamison MANY times but not at all
for Bill.

4994. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F217DF.655F@parg.org>
Source record: 144998
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Tom Jones wrote:

> Well, you may be right - or not, on this issue... like I said, I'm not
> really sure. However, that ver of Forte is a fairly common reader, but I
> really don't know what the significance of the following number sequence is.

Hmmm, the coincidences between Bud's post & the forges add up!

> Also, the posting host would be the same, no matter who posted out of that
> domain, the only change would be any varience due to dynamic assignation of
> IP# by the server,from it's customary range, wouldn't it?

Correct! Notice that both IP#'s were the same for Bud & the forged
messages!

> Now, I'm not POSITIVE about all that, and I might have it backwards in
> fact- not being an expert on the subject, so please let me know where I've
> adopted the wrong idea, there.

You're basically on track.

> As to the sig file - well, that does seem like pretty strong evidence, alright.

YEP!

> I'm not trying to defend OR condemn the alleged action by Bud Jamison ... I
> just want to know the truth.

That's cool, I can respect that!

4995. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F20FF0.4546@parg.org>
Source record: 144999

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You are either a stupid man or do not read very well. Mr. Cheek's faq's say
> it is okay for them to be given away free of charge as long as they are not
> edited.

Merry-

Then why didn't he post them under his own ID rather than forging
a defunct ID of Bill?

Why can't you just accept the facts & let this issue drop?

4996. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F210E6.5F97@parg.org>
Source record: 145000

George Vetterle wrote:
> You have stated in the past that parg.org does not have a news server.
> If that is, indeed, the case, why would they need a newsmaster?

There is a webmaster, postmaster, & newsmaster for the parg.org system
to
address areas of concern or abuse for PARG.

For example, when Richard Kendrick & Blake Bowers was forging PARG.ORG
e-mail addresses & using it to create problems on usenet, the webmaster
took action. The fact that parg.org does not have their own news server
makes little difference in matters like that.

Lets just drop this thread, OK? Is it quite boring.

4997. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F21351.5E95@parg.org>
Source record: 145001

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> You are not very smart and are a liar too Mr. Sickey Mackey. You are the one
> who wanted more details when somebody saoid Mr. Cheeks got kicked off an
> newsgroup. You are not a very good liar because you are pretty stupid.

In all fairness to Mr. Cheek, I don't want to see him unjustly accused.
I asked the person who made the statement (of Cheek getting kicked off
a NG or list) to post details to prove his accusation. We have yet to
see
proof, so we can only conclude that there was no basis in that
accusation.

Apparently, you don't believe in being fair & making people back their
words with facts.

This is all getting quite old, please drop it for the good of this NG.

4998. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F21417.50E1@parg.org>
Source record: 145002

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> I'm here because (unlike you) I am a scanner hobbiest. I have several
> scanners and enjoy sharing information with other hobbiests (again,
> unlike you).

True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.

> BTW, when was the last time you posted something related to scanners &
> scanning ???

About 2 weeks ago. How about yourself?

now please, drop this issue for the good of the NG.

4999. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F21727.2774@parg.org>
Source record: 145003

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> John, if you didn't care either way about Bill's FAQ post then why are
> you harping and complaining about it ????????? Did you ever think there
> were posted by Bud at Bill's request ????

Either it was a forge with intent to deceive by Bud or it was a post of
Bill's
with intent to deceive. The e-mail address used on the post was invalid
& was revoked by the ISP due to repeated abuse by the user. Bill has an
account at cts.com & has made other newsgroup posts elsewhere within the
last few days so he could post from a legit account if he wanted to!

> It's a possibility since you got Bill's ISP account yanked.

I did not get Bill's account yanked, I do not have that authority.
I was one of the many people who complained to Bill's ISP about
his behavior, Bill's ISP of "San Diego Road Runner" (san.rr.com)
made the decision to "yank" his account due to his behavior after
he received several warnings. Just like Bill was removed from the
Scan-L mail list by Peter Laws after several warnings due to his
behavior only a few weeks ago.

Think about it .... and lets let this issue drop!

5000. BC 100 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <Bolt@pe.net>
Message-ID: <35F22343.59CE@pe.net>
Source record: 145004

100 channel programmable hand held11 band coverage:

10 meter ham 29.0-29.7 MHz
Low Band 29.7-50.0 MHz
6 Meter "Ham" 50.0-54.0 MHz
Aircraft 118-136 MHz
Military Land Mobile 136-144 MHz
2 Meter "Ham" 144-148 MHz
High Band 148-174 MHz
Federal Government 406-420 MHz
70cm "Ham" 420-450 MHz
UHF Band 450-470 MHz
"T" Band 470-512 MHz

AC/DC Adapter
Flexible Antenna
Leather Case
Operating Guide
Last one - $100 includes shipping Bolt@pe.net

5001. Looking for D4 programmer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Birwin <birwin@nortix.com>
Message-ID: <35f19269.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 145005
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all,
I'm looking for a D4 programmer to collaborate
via email on scanner control software utilizing CI-V.
--
Thanx in advance.....................
Bill

Birwin@NOSPAM@Nortix.com
http://www.nortix.com
{--Please remove @NOSPAM before replying directly--}

5002. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F0E6D5.13F0@parg.org>
Source record: 145027
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Tom Jones wrote:
> SO WHAT IS IT THAT MAKES YOU THINK THE POST(S) WERE FORGED?
> Please point the 'giveaway' out to me - I really can't spot it - I'm not
> just jerking your chain... :-)

No problem Tom! If you know what to look for, it is easy to see
the "giveaway" of the forge that Bud Jamison did of Cheek.

See the two messages I have attached below. The first one is the forged
post of Cheek that Bud Jamison wrote. The second is a real post from
Jamison. Notice that the "X-newsreader" is IDENTICAL!!!! Notice that
the "NNTP-POSTING-HOST" is IDENTICAL!!!! Now for the real
CLINCHER & proof of guilt - Bud Jamison forgot to change his
signature file that is automatically attached to the end of his
messages!!!!!! (TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.) Cheek
has NEVER had a signature file like that!!!!!!

****
From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner, rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Scanning FAQ 2
X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:42:12 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.210.49.227
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 03 Sep 1998 21:42:12 PDT
Organization: TWC Road Runner, San Diego, CA
SNIP

TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.

Thanks.

****
From: thekat@san.rr.org (Bud)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: DROP the Cheek !
X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 22:56:11 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.210.49.227
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 15:56:11 PDT
Organization: TWC Road Runner, San Diego, CA
SNIP

TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.

Thanks.
****

After reviewing the above, you will see that Bud Jamison is guilty of being a liar & forger.

And just to add one more nail into the coffin of guilt for Bud Jamison, I sent a test message to "bcheek@san.rr.com". The test message bounced back as the user unknown. See below!

Subject: Delivery Notification: Delivery has failed
Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 17:51:51 +0000 (GMT)
From: PMDF e-Mail Interconnect <MAILER-DAEMON@internetmci.com>
To: ka0ssf@parg.org

This report relates to a message you sent with the following header fields:

Message-id: <35F0281F.6687@parg.org>
Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 10:49:19 -0700
From: KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org>
To: bcheek@san.rr.com
Subject: test

Your message cannot be delivered to the following recipients:

Recipient address: bcheek@san.rr.com
Reason: Remote SMTP server has rejected address
Diagnostic code: smtp; 550 <bcheek@san.rr.com>... User unknown
Remote system: dns; san.rr.com
(TCP|208.159.126.155|1316|204.210.0.1|25) (mail-atm.san.rr.com ESMTP Sendmail 8.8.7/8.8.8; Fri, 4 Sep 1998 10:51:50 -0700

5003. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F0E485.2FA6@parg.org>
Source record: 145028

Tom Jones wrote:

> however, I think Mackey is a product of abnormal psychology. As long as
> he'e around, the thread will never be allowed to die.

Funny, I went a week with out posting on this NG & you
& the other fools on this NG kept your stupid posts going &
trying to stir up more problems.

> If he has to, probably through forged posts, he will bring ol' Bill back as

I don't forge. Besides, Bud Jamison is already forging Cheek so there
would be no need.

5004. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F0E4CE.60E0@parg.org>
Source record: 145029

Tom Jones wrote:
> Why is it that EVERYONE knows how to interpret the above comments of Mr.
> Conduit, everyone that is,

Has "EVERYONE" appointed YOU to speak for them on how they "interpret"
the comments?

I thought not!

5005. Scanner INFO 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill CHeek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Message-ID: <0G6I1.2311$KK4.7691469@news.san.rr.com>
Source record: 145030

AN OVERVIEW OF THE CE-232 SCANNER/COMPUTER INTERFACE
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WHAT IS THE CE-232?
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The CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface is a 2.5" x 3" electronic board with a socketed 68HC11 microprocessor and seven IC's that goes between the COM1 or COM2 port of an IBM-PC/XT/AT/386/486/Pentium-compatible computer and a supported scanner.

The CE-232 is a -smart- RS-232 Interface controller AND powerful data acquisition system for some scanners and at least a drudgery-free automatic programmer and remote controller for all supported scanners.

FEATURES AND BENEFITS for all supported scanners
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AUTOPROGRAMMER (all supported scanners)
REMOTE KEYBOARD CONTROL (all supported scanners)
AUTOLOGGER (PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006 only)
AUTOREJECT (PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006 only)
AUTOLOOKUP (PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006 only)
SCRIPT AUTOMATION (primarily for the PRO-2004/5/6, but
can work to a limited extent with other
supported scanners)
ENHANCED USER FACILITIES (primarily for the PRO-2004/5/6, but can work to a limited extent with supported scanners)

COMING SOON: Windows95/98/NT control program and support for the CE-232's eight 8-bit A/D converters

The CE-232 offers the above very powerful capabilities that are described below in greater detail. This Overview article and any other files mentioned below can be downloaded from our FTP site at:

ftp://204.210.11.204/ce232/Info/

AUTOPROGRAMMER (all supported scanners)

The CE-232 eliminates the drudgery and hard labor of scanning by its ability to "AutoProgram" up to 999 memory channels from a

plain ASCII text file in a short time, error-free and exactly the
way you want it.

For more information on the AutoProgrammer, see:

Article Title	Text filename
CE-232 AUTOPROGRAMMER	1_autpgm.txt

REMOTE KEYBOARD CONTROL (all supported scanners)

The CE-232 also allows control of the scanner from the computer's
keyboard; a strong plus for handheld scanners and those with
hard-to-operate keyboards, like the PRO-43, PRO-2035 and PRO-2042.

The CE-232 is a one-way controller and AutoProgrammer like
described above for MANY scanners, including the PRO-2042,
PRO-2035, PRO-2022, PRO-43, PRO-39, PRO-37, PRO-34, PRO-26, etc.

For more information on the Remote Control feature see:

Article Title	Text filename
CE-232 REMOTE CONTROL	2_rmctrl.txt

FEATURES AND BENEFITS for the PRO-2004/5/6 Scanners

The CE-232 is a TWO-WAY controller and data acquisition system for the
time-honored PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and PRO-2006 scanners which have unique
circuitry that allows the CE-232 to do a LOT more than just AutoProgram and
Remote Control, including log data on "hits", reject undesirable signals,
look up data about a certain frequency, and much more described below.

AUTOLOGGER (PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006 only)

The CE-232 acquires and logs data to a file with the AutoLogger
feature. The AutoLogger creates plain ASCII text files that are
easy to export to a database or just to use in original form.
Most every aspect of the scanner's operation can be AutoLogged,
notably including channel, frequency, date, time, and duration of
the transmission; but much more, too.

For more information on the AutoLogger, see:

Article Title	Text filename
CE-232 AUTOLOGGER	3_autlog.txt

AUTOREJECT (PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006 only)

The CE-232 can AutoReject "birdies" and any other undesired signal
so that the Search and Scan functions won't be disrupted by the
scanner locking onto signals that don't interest you.

For more information on the AutoReject feature, see:

Article Title	Text filename
CE-232 AUTOREJECT	5_reject.txt

AUTOLOOKUP (PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006 only)

The CE-232 can LookUp and display information about the
frequencies that are programmed into the memory channels. If you
have all 400-channels programmed, or even a hundred, there's no
way to remember right off what each frequency is assigned to. The
AutoLookUp feature can lookup the information and show it to you
on screen, within an instant of the scanner stopping on that
signal.

For more information on the AutoLookUp, see:

Article Title	Text filename
CE-232 AUTOLOOKUP	4_lookup.txt

SCRIPT AUTOMATION (primarily for the PRO-2004/5/6, but can work to a
limited extent with other supported scanners)

The CE-232 comes with a Script language of about 40 commands, six
operators and a handful of parameters that let you automate the
entire process of scanning and searching!

A Script resembles a DOS batch file or a simple BASIC program, but
it's easier than either. Automation of scanning and searching
doesn't take the fun out of it; to the contrary, it opens up a
world of radio that you may never have had the time for in the
past.

Scripts can make logical decisions based on IF - THEN - ELSE - AND
- OR logic, so "IF this happens, THEN do that; ELSE do something
different". There is no real limit as to what you can accomplish
by scanning with a Script.

For more information on Script Automation, see:

Article Title	Text filename
CE-232 SCRIPTS	7_script.txt

ENHANCED USER FACILITIES (primarily for the PRO-2004/5/6, but can work
to a limited extent with supported scanners)

The CE-232 offers several special features that can't be described very well because they are reserved for the User to decide how and for what they are used. Here is a brief explanation, though:

USER SWITCHES: Four solid state switches are on the CE-232 board for the User's pleasure. These are SPST switches that can be controlled from the PC keyboard, or by automation from a Script. In other words, the User Switches can control a host of other mods and unique circuits. If you want something to be turned on at 3:00AM on September 30, 1998, so be it - a script can do it for you! The status of each User Switch is AutoLoggable for a permanent record.

INPUT STATUS: Six input binary registers or ports are available on the CE-232 for the User's purposes. The Status Input bits accept 0v and +5v, and thus, serve a lot like "idiot lights" in a car. These six bits are displayed in the main screen of the CE-232 control program. If you need an indicator that can also be recorded and AutoLogged (like for an S-meter!), then the Input Status bits will do nicely!

INBYTE BITS: Eight more input binary bits or ports, exactly like the STATUS INPUT bits described above, are available for the User's purposes. The only difference is that the INBYTES are not displayed on the main operating screen, though there is another screen on which their status can be viewed. Like the Status Input bits, the INBYTES can be AutoLogged, tested and read by a Script; and decisions made in an automated manner.

OUTBYTE BITS: Eight output binary bits or ports on the CE-232 board are available for the User's purposes. Just the opposite of (B) and (C) above, the OUTBYTES are user-controllable logic-level outputs of 0v and +5v. If you need a logic bit to turn something on or off, the OUTBYTES just might be the ticket!

NOTE: each bit of the Status Inputs, InBytes, and Outbytes is independent of all the rest. No one bit will affect the status of any other. Therefore, there are 14 Input bits and eight output bits that are completely available to the User for his purposes. The four User Switches can be used independently as four separate switches, or together to create a 4-bit binary "byte" for sixteen combinations of switches or whatever.

For more information on the User Facilities, see:

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CE-232 USER FACILITIES 6_tools.txt

NEW FEATURES COMING SOON!

Windows95/98/NT Coming soon! A control and data acquisition
program for the CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface
that runs under Windows 95/98/NT. Stay tuned!

ANALOG-TO DIGITAL Coming soon! Support for the CE-232's resident
CONVERTER (A/D): analog-to-digital (A/D) converters. Yes, the CE-232
has eight 8-bit A/D converters just waiting and
begging to enhance your data acquisition needs!
Two uses come to mind right off: S-metering and
Center-Tune metering. And, yes, the A/D outputs
are AutoLoggable! Now it's possible to identify
transmitters by relative signal strength AND by
how much they're off frequency! "Fingerprinting"
comes of age! More on the A/D converters soon!

WHAT ARE THE MINIMUM HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS?

The CE-232 is supported only for the IBM-PC/compatible, however we
know a gentleman who supports it for the Macintosh platform.

The PC platform requires MS-DOS 3.1 or higher, with 512-k RAM (min), a
free COM1/IRQ4 or COM2/IRQ3 port, and a hard disk drive with about
3-Mb of free space. The CE-232 also runs fine in a DOS box under
Windows 3.1, 3.11, and Windows 95/98. The CE-232 can be configured to
run from a floppy disk for old XT/AT's and old laptops that don't have
a hard drive or not enough free space. Floppy disk operation isn't
especially recommended, but there are situations where nothing else
will work.

The scanner must not have been speeded up by any crystal replacement
means. However, diode speedups are okay, as are all other mods that
come to mind right off. We do not support "other mods" to work with
the CE-232, but only because we have no control over what the User
does and doesn't do. But frankly, the only mod we've found over the
years that's incompatible with the CE-232 is the crystal-swap speedup.

WHO CAN BUILD AND INSTALL THE CE-232?

Virtually anyone not unduly physically handicapped. Soldering skills
are certainly helpful as is a basic savvy of electronics. I have,
however, guided many a non-technical hobbyist to success at assembling
and installing the CE-232 Interface. The main thing here is PATIENCE
and the ability to read and follow instructions in English. Depending
on your skill level, free time, and patience, the CE-232 is available
in several different ways, one of which will suit most people.

AVAILABILITY

The CE-232 is available in four different ways:

1. Roll your own, by yourself, totally from scratch. The complete plans, schematic diagrams, and PCB layout, including parts list, are presented in THE ULTIMATE SCANNER (Cheek3) by Bill Cheek, ISBN: 1-56866-058-8. This book is sold by mail order radio dealers around the world, and I carry it, too. (autographed)

2. Roll your own from a professional Kit of all essential parts, including PCB, detailed instruction manual, and program disk. I can supply this Kit.

3. Roll your own from an Assembled and Tested Board, with detailed manual, and program disk. I can supply this Kit, as well.

4. I can do everything, from build the CE-232 to install it in your scanner and test it for proper operation.

For more information on availability and prices, see:

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CE-232 PRICES/OPTIONS/AVAIL	9_prices.txt

ARTICLE TITLES IN THIS SERIES

ARTICLE TITLE	FTP FILENAME	COMMENTS
CE-232 INTRO & OVERVIEW	0_oview.txt	This file
CE-232 AUTOPROGRAMMER	1_autpgm.txt	AutoProgrammer Tutorial
CE-232 REMOTE CONTROL	2_rmctrl.txt	Remote Control
CE-232 AUTOLOGGER	3_autlog.txt	AutoLogger Tutorial
CE-232 AUTOLOOKUP	4_lookup.txt	AutoLookUp Tutorial
CE-232 AUTOREJECT	5_reject.txt	AutoReject Tutorial
CE-232 USER FACILITIES	6_tools.txt	User Features Intro
CE-232 SCRIPTS	7_script.txt	Script Tutorial
CE-232 TECHNICAL SUPPORT	8_suppt.txt	Tech Support Info
CE-232 PRICES/OPTIONS/AVAIL	9_prices.txt	Prices & Availability
CE-232 DEVELOPER'S INFORMATION	devdoc.txt	Programmer's Information
CE-232 WARRANTY & FINE PRINT	warranty.txt	Warranties & disclaimers
CE-232 PRODUCT BROCHURE	ce_broch.zip	All the above, Zipped

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5006. Scanner INFO 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill CHeek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Message-ID: <SG6I1.2312$KK4.7691799@news.san.rr.com>
Source record: 145031

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UNDERSTANDING AND MAKING AUTOPROGRAMMER FILES
FOR THE CE-232 SCANNER/COMPUTER INTERFACE

One of the singular greatest advantages and features of the CE-232 Interface is its ability to AutoProgram a scanner's memory banks with FREQUENCIES by CHANNEL NUMBER and other custom settings of MODE, DELAY, and LOCKOUT. Beauty lies in the simplicity by how this is done; that is, from a plain ASCII text file. No proprietary or complex formats here, Bunky; just plain ASCII text. The CE-232 uses a variant of plain ASCII text called a comma-delimited format, but which we call an AutoProgrammer or *.APF file.

If you don't know about ASCII text, there isn't much I can do in this limited space and forum to help. But I will clarify to the extent that any files created with Windows NOTEPAD.EXE or MS-DOS's EDIT.EXE, or (heaven forbid) EDLIN.EXE will, most assuredly, be plain ASCII text files. Most text editors and even word processors are capable of creating plain ASCII text files, but you have to be cautious with word processors because they usually embellish text for printing. The printer control codes, fonts, and other embellishments take this type of text out of the plain ASCII category.

1. The cardinal rule for CE-232 AutoProgrammer files is that they must be in plain ASCII text format (like *.TXT, except that we use the *.APF extension.)

You really need to know a little something about data, databases, data organization, and logic, too. Nothing real weird or horrific, mind you; just some basics. After all, your AutoProgrammer (*.APF) files really are databases if you want to get technical about it.

The simplest of all databases is a table. You know, a block of information, organized into meaningful rows and columns. Now here is the only real technical part to understand and remember: rows are really called records, and columns are really called fields. Here is an example of a table that will mean something to you:

TABLE 1: A FREQUENCY TABLE
A B C D E F G
1 7 21 168.0110 nfm D L Audio Intelligence (Body Bugs);Yellow
2 7 22 168.0620 nfm D L Audio Intelligence (Body Bugs);Green
3 7 23 168.0860 nfm D L Audio Intelligence (Body Bugs);Blue
4 7 24 171.6500 nfm D L Audio Intelligence (Body Bugs);Red
5 7 25 171.9500 nfm D L Audio Intelligence (Body Bugs);Silver

Obviously, this is a frequency table. Rows 1-5 are just Records 1-5. Columns A-G are just Fields A-G. With exceptions of Fields A, B, E, and F,

you can tell at a glance what all this information means. Now consider that Field A is an identifying group number for this table of frequencies.

Field B is the program channel number. Field C, obviously, is the frequency. Field D is the mode setting for that frequency. Field E is an indicator of Delay setting (D if set; blank if not). Field F is an indicator of LockOut setting (L if locked out; blank if not). Finally, Field G is a description. What more do you need to know about a frequency table?

Well, there are a couple of minor things, like limits and restrictions. You'd have a problem making any sense out of the table if the columns or fields weren't the same width, which necessarily restricts the amount of information that a field can hold. Physical width is usually the criteria for fields in tables printed on paper. Number of characters per field is the criterion for computer tables. There are restrictions and limits for all tables of information, and *.APF files are no different.

2. A *.APF file must consist of one or more lines, each to contain not more than 255-characters, maximum. Each line, properly called a record, must end with a carriage return <CR> and a line feed <LF>. (This is normal for text files.)

3. *.APF files are organized just like tables on paper, except that instead of spaces or lines between columns or fields, commas are used to separate one field from the next. Six fields of information are required by a *.APF file with definitions, limits, and restrictions shown as follows:

Field A: (Alpha/numeric; 0-12 chars, max); an optional "filter" field. Used to identify a record or group of records. For example, you might have several different frequency files and want to tell at a glance which record belongs to which group. GOV-DEA might be a chosen identifier for "Government-Drug Enforcement Administration" frequencies.

Field B: (Numeric; 0-3 chars, max); an optional "channel number" field; denotes the channel number that should be programmed with this record

Field C: (Numeric; 9 chars, max); the required "frequency" field, best organized as four digits, decimal, and four more digits, such as: 0121.5000 although any format accepted by your scanner is fine. This could include any of the following: 121.5 121.50 etc. It wouldn't hurt to get in the habit of entering all your frequencies in the "4-dot-4" format, which helps the numbers line up for best visual effect. Leading zeroes are acceptable in Fields B and C, like: 025 and 0171.6500. Leading zeroes help align data and make it look better.

Field D: (Alphameric; 0-3 chars, max); optional field for Mode setting. Only four entries are legit: <blank> which tells the scanner to use the default mode for that frequency, or <nfm>, <am>, or <wfm>. Some scanners, like the PRO-43, won't recognize the <wfm> setting, so it may or may not matter what you put in this field.

Note: What matters is that any entry in this field must be lower case, due to a bug in the CE-232 program. Upper case is ignored. Mode is the only case-sensitive field.

Field E: (Alphameric; 0-1 char, max); optional field for Delay setting. Two entries are legit: <blank> which turns off the Delay, or <D> which turns it on.

Field F: (Alphameric; 0-1 char, max); optional field for LockOut setting. Two entries are legit: <blank> which turns off the L/O, or <L> which locks out the channel.

Fields G and up: (Alphameric/numeric; no special limits other than no line or record can exceed a total of 255 characters, including the total of Fields A-F.) Fields G and up are purely optional and can be in any format or logic that suits your fancy.

4. A CE-232 AutoProgrammer file requires six commas, at a minimum, but ignores any more than six. Commas are used to separate one field from the next. Commas are separators; not starts and ends. The six fields are required in the following form:

aaaaaaaaaaaa,bbb,cccc.cccc,ddd,e,f,g-z.....doesn't matter

Six commas and a legit entry in Field C are required for APF files, but the other five fields are optional. Table 2 shows a minimum legit APF file created from Table 1:

5007. Scanner INFO 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill CHeek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Message-ID: <oH6I1.2313$KK4.7691947@news.san.rr.com>
Source record: 145032

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A TUTORIAL ON
THE CE-232 SCANNER/COMPUTER INTERFACE'S
REMOTE KEYBOARD CONTROL FUNCTION

INTRODUCTION
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The CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface is a 2.5" x 3" electronic board that goes between an IBM-PC/compatible computer and a scanner for a host of very powerful capabilities.

The CE-232 is a -smart- RS-232 Interface controller and data acquisition system for some scanners and at least a drudgery-free automatic programmer and remote controller for all supported scanners.

The CE-232 eliminates a lot of the drudgery and labor in scanning by its ability to "AutoProgram" up to 999 memory channels from a plain ASCII text file in a short time, error-free and exactly the way you want the scanner configured.

The CE-232 also allows REMOTE control of the scanner from the computer keyboard; a strong +plus+ for handheld scanners and those with hard-to-operate keyboards like the PRO-43, PRO-2035 and PRO-2042!

The CE-232 is a one-way controller and AutoProgrammer like described above for MANY scanners, including the PRO-2042, PRO-2035, PRO-2022, PRO-43, PRO-39, PRO-37, PRO-34, PRO-26, etc.

The CE-232 is a TWO-WAY controller, AutoProgrammer and data acquisition system for the time-honored PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and PRO-2006 scanners which have unique circuitry that allows the CE-232 to do MUCH more than just AutoProgram and Remote Control, including AutoLog data on "hits", REJECT undesired signals, LOOKUP data about a certain frequency, and much more.

REMOTE KEYBOARD CONTROL OVERVIEW
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** Operate the scanner from the Computer's Keyboard! **

REMOTE CONTROL FROM COMPUTER'S KEYBOARD:

Virtually all functions of supported scanners can be operated from the PC keyboard. If you have club fingers like I do, this is almost a vital

necessity. I just love my PRO-43 but I loathe operating its keyboard.

The CE-232 displays a replica of the scanner's front panel on your monitor along with a keypad emulator to show the keys to be pressed as if you were operating the scanner in a normal manner. The Figure just below is a reasonable facsimile of the main operating screen of the CE-232:

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| -SCANNER INTERFACE PROGRAM-
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| ________ Search ^ Monitor 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
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| OUTPUT | X |
INPUT |
| STATUS | 3 138.0750 Mhz |
STATUS |
| 0100 | nfm 5 khz |
100110 |
|_____
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| • Delay • mOde • srch dn <+> • 7 • 8 • 9
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•clr<bksp>•|
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| •lockout reView • Reset • monitor<space>• Program • <enter>
•|
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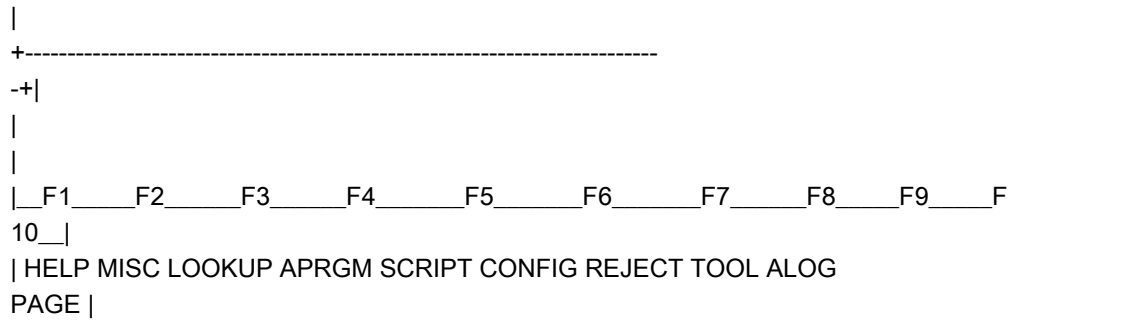

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This Figure doesn't really do justice because of the difficulties of showing screen graphics in an ASCII text message like this newsgroup article. But you get the idea? Well, just in case you don't, in the above example, to operate the scanner from the PC, you'd press <M> for MANUAL; <E> to change SPEED; <O> to change MODE; and <T> to change the STEP increment, etc. For Remote Keyboard Control, the above screen is mostly just a guide to indicate which PC keys control which scanner functions.

That's really all there is to Remote Keyboard Control of a scanner using the CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface. If you can operate the scanner from its own keyboard, then you can be more efficient and relaxed operating it from the PC's keyboard.

NOTE: The CE-232 does not slow down the scanner nor alter its peformance in any manner! Not only can you operate the scanner from the computer's keyboard,
you can also operate normally from the scanner as well. You can even "mix" operations alternatingly between the scanner's keyboard and the PC's.

NOTE FOR PRO-2004/5/6 ONLY: As the scanner operates, the computer monitor displays EVERYTHING that the scanner shows in its LCD display. For all other scanners, that part of the monitor display is just blank. Remote Control is as described, however.

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5008. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmi853@juno.com
Message-ID: <6sqrmggoq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145033

In article <35EF67C4.1FEF@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> dmi853@juno.com wrote:
>
> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> > > Please, just drop the Bill Cheek issue. He is gone & no longer a
> > > problem.
>
> > This shows right along that you were and are still the problem mackey, you
> > keep posting your crap every day of the week and Bill is no longer on here.
>
> Yea right, I ask people to stop & let the issue drop & say that is the
> problem?????!!!!!!!!!!
>
> You are demented if you really believe that.
>
Every post you make about Bill proves I am right and in truth you are the one
who is demented as you cannot stop stalking or posting about Bill.
Admit it mackey you can't live without Bill being in your life.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5009. Re: Healey Shut Up!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090511300000.HAA10434@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145034

>From: txjonesy@tranzsport.com (Tom

>What kind of bullshit is this? Healy should "go someplace else" because he
>has the termidity to notice that SOME amongst us have either no brain or no
>class- or maybe both?

One thing is clear: He has spotted you as having no brain and no class. Alas, he missed pointing out that you are ill-educated and unable to understand a simple declarative sentence. That would explain your irrational ranting, which I have deleted, since it is beneath contempt.

Now, run along and post something about scanners, if you know anything.

5010. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980905113002O1.HAA10439@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145035

From shopping in various RS stores I know that most of the employees are inexperienced and poorly trained. However, my local store stands out as an exception. The three sales people have all been at the store for at least five years, with one having worked there for 11 years. Only the manager is fairly new, having been at this store only two years.
While they are not experts on scanners and shortwave radios one clerk is a licensed ham and another an avid CBer, so they have a basic understanding. The third clerk is the resident computer whiz.

5011. Re: Our friends down under [was: EDACS Scanner...]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35F1278E.573F@mc.net>
Source record: 145036
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Brian Humphrey wrote:
>
> The clearly bright but sometimes spurious Ryan Faricy wrote...
>
> >BTW: The world doesn't revolve around Australia, so I recommend you post
> >VALID information for the US when necessary. You post incorrect cellular
> and
> >cordless frequencies all the time.
> >
> >If you need to post for Australia, do so in the Australia Scanner
> newsgroup.
>
> Ryan:
>
> When I was your age (sixteen), I sometimes said things which I regret to
> this day. Please understand that I offer this in a constructive manner.
>
> Like so many young men nearing adulthood, you have yet to fully appreciate
> the world around you. This is clearly elucidated in some of your postings.
> While your comments reflect your high IQ, they at times do not reflect the
> social grace which will be required for you to prosper in adulthood. Have no
> fear - you are not alone, for I am one of many who have traveled that path.
>
> Ryan, you speak of your faith (Jehovah's Witness) as well as your desire to
> attend USC.
>
> How then, would you feel if your postings were to be reviewed by church
> elders or an admissions officer at the college? Does the bellicose posting
> above reflect your true nature?
>
> I sincerely doubt it.
>
> I can assure you however, that at least one prominent USC graduate has read
> your words. Did he get the right impression? Would he want you to attend his
> alma mater? A school well known for its international relations? Well?
>
> The Aussies I know would be the first to admit that the world does not
> revolve around their island nation. It is equally as ridiculous for you to
> think that the world revolves around ours. When someday you have a chance to
> travel, meet and truly know those from other cultures, you will have a grasp
> of what I am saying. Were it not for the valiant sacrifices of the
> Australian military, you and I might be living in a far different world.
>

> The newsgroups you have posted to are:
>
> "rec.radio.scanner" and "alt.radio.scanner"
>
> They are by their very existence an international forum. The letters "U.S."
> appear nowhere in their title or FAQ.
>
> Ryan, rather than getting somewhat rankled and firing off a hasty response,
> please take a moment to print this letter. Take a day or two to think about
> it. Don't bother to reply to anyone other than the soon-to-be man who looks
> back at you in the mirror.
>
> Then, think and more importantly *act* in a manner befitting those of your
> faith and education. You owe it to them and yourself.
>
> If you should be fortunate to attend USC, you will no doubt graduate with
> honors. There will be a moment however, as you walk towards the podium to
> accept your diploma, that you will encounter a tall man with gray hair. The
> crowds will easily part for him as he approaches you, simply to ask "Did you
> get the message?"
>
> -BH-

Again for our young grasshopper so he may learn from the continous
errors of his ways!

5012. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090513142800.JAA16603@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145037

In article <1998090511300201.HAA10439@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) writes:

> From shopping in various RS stores I know that most of the employees are
>inexperienced and poorly trained. However, my local store stands out as an
>exception. The three sales people have all been at the store for at least
>five
>years, with one having worked there for 11 years. Only the manager is fairly
>new, having been at this store only two years.

There must not be a McDonalds in your neighborhood. They pay more.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5013. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980905131429 00.JAA16604@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145038

In article <35f228dd.5732554@news.cris.com>, sjk1@usa.net (Steve King) writes:

>A ham radio aquaintance was pinched by the Alachua County SO for
>speeding and nearly received a second citation for having his HTX-202
>in the car if he didn't have his amateur radio licence with him.

Ha! Would love to challenge THAT one in court! One harassment and false
arrest lawsuit coming up!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5014. FS MINT IC-R100 unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <jrc@ohio.net>
Message-ID: <35F13E9F.17F1@ohio.net>
Source record: 145039

FS mint r100factory unblocked version. 500 shipped tom N8TYU
jrc@ohio.net

5015. Re: FS MINT IC-R100 unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090513491800.JAA22664@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145040

HELLO MY FRIEND I WILL TRADE YOU a YUPITERU MVT9000 FOR YOUR IC R-100. LET ME KNOW pdoddy@aol.com

5016. OH NO:YUPITERU MVT9000 F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090513531600.JAA23006@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145041

Yes in deeeeeeeeedy I'M selling this JEM of a scanner.IF interested E--MAIL pdoddy@aol.com.$450.00. THANKS TO ALL.HAVE A GREAT LABOR DAY WEEKEND.

5017. Re: Trunk tracker???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-4yMtvxwdEtVv@localhost>
Source record: 145042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John,

Is the G-Wiz board necessary if you utilize E-trunk software and two scanners to follow the Ericsson systems?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

5018. Re: Who saw U.S. Marshal the movie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Kirkland <jwkirkland@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35F14D74.C3208B1C@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145043
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

They used a Opto Scout to get the freq.

Reservoir Dogs wrote:

> Who can tell me in the movie what scanner was use to recive the cell
> conversation that they were monitoring? What device was use to get the
> frequency of the cell? Thanks

5019. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lightmanjk@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090514395000.KAA24155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145044

My local store has people expierenced in different areas. If I am lucky the radio buff is there when I need to buy something. He has trunk ID info as well as being able to draw plans to build simple antennas. He will give out valuble info to anybody.

5020. Re: FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: gqcat@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090515362600.LAA00369@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145045

frt lauderdale area south end id's

5021. Unlocking the BC220XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gibson <jgibson@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <35F15AB6.7C2F@iquest.net>
Source record: 145046

Well, I've done it. Somehow I locked the keypad on my BC220XLT and I don't have the manual to tell me how to get it unlocked.

Please reply if you know how to unlock the keypad on a BC220XLT handheld scanner.

Thanks.
Jim Gibson

5022. Re: Recording

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35f15f47.9552674@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 145047

This could be extended to 8 hours by using a T-160 tape, rather than a
T-120 tape; there is only a small $ difference.

CATHY

>
>Six hours of continuous audio recording (super quality), and none of the
>chirps, blips, and cuts that VOX switching can cause.

5023. BC 9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: texcomm13@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090516233900.MAA05399@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145048

FOR SALE BEST OFFER
BC 9000XLT JUST OUT OF WARRANTY
NOT WORKING
APPARENTLY HAD A SERIOUS VOLTAGE SPIKE
MAIN BOARD IS KINDA BURNT AROUND
INPUT POWER JACK. WALL WART IS FRIED.NO OTHER APPARENT OR OBVIOUS DAMAGE.
WAS A GREAT SCANNER!
NEED TO RAISE FUNDS TO REPLACE IT.

SERIOUS REPLIES ONLY PLEASE

DAVE

5024. Re: Optoelectronics OS535 mod's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-D8Q09WoYmRvF@localhost>
Source record: 145049
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Gary,

> Any one know of any mod's to restore full tuning coverage to the
> OS535?

Try this URL:

> http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html

You'll find what you need.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

5025. CLEVELAND NATIONAL AIR SHOW FREQUENCY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: teeavee@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090518212700.OAA22102@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145050

SOME OF THE FREQUENCIES IN USE ARE AS FOLLOWS.

464.600-OPERATIONS
464.750-PARKING
122.750-PLANE COMMS
124.500-SHOW CONTROL

SCAN FREQS BETWEEN 461.000-465.000MHZ.

POST MORE FREQS IF YOU KNOW THEM

THANKS,TONY

5026. FS: Old Stray 'Cats, Alert WX Rads (ELECTRA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Lovell <electra@tcon.net>
Message-ID: <8ghl1.904$2s.702352@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 145051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi Folks:

Am selling oldie but goodie leftovers from misc. sources
(hamfests, trades, etc.); several of these still floating around the plant.

ELECTRA Bearcat BC-W Weather Alert Radio - 2 available at present
one has 162.400/162.550/162.475 MHz frequency select switch. (one has
162.550 MHz only)
has DC battery (4 C Cell) holder built in; also 110 VAC plug/detachable cord
Alert Indicator (Flashing Bar) - Volume Control Slider
Test Mode - On/OFF Accuator Bar - Telescoping Antenna
1050 Hz National Weather Service Detector Circuit
(turns radio on from squelched monitoring mode)
Monitor Mode LED Indicator
good audio output, rf sensitivity, In working order.
external Motorola type antenna jack

Asking $35.00 each, includes shipping U.S. Mail.

Also seeking a good home (make offer):

2 Bearcat 210XL Scanners (works OK)
1 Compuscan CP2100 (as is, interfaces present)
1 Bearcat 220 (needing a LED display repair, may have)

Please advise if interested.
Sincerely, David A. Lovell
(317) 894-3229 electra@tcon.net
(317) 894-7370 Fax

5027. another forge from Bud Jamison!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F18AFB.1DA7@parg.org>
Source record: 145052

Hey Bud Jamison, you're getting better with your forging!! At least
this time you remembered to remove your signature file before
forging a message for Bill!

But the FTP sites you list for BIll are no longer valid
since Bill was kicked off of his ISP for abuse!

Bill Cheek wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek's Scanner Performance Frequently Asked Questions
>
> Sep 3, 1998 SCANPERF.FAQ 09/03/1998
>
> This article/file is for the benefit of all.
>
> (c) 1995-97 (All Rights Reserved) by:
> Bill Cheek and -COMMtronics Engineering
>
> This file is for personal use only and may NOT be placed on
> a CD-ROM nor any other media that conveys, stores, or
> transports for any monetary cost including shipping &
> handling, without expressed permission of the author. This
> file can only be given away, absolutely free of charge, no
> strings attached. If given away, it MUST be conveyed intact,
> word-for-word with no editing, additions or deletions, except
> as may be authorized in writing by the author.
>
> -Bill Cheek-
> Author
>
> NOTE: This Frequently-Asked-Questions (FAQ) file or article is
> one of a series of FAQs that I regularly publish. The complete
> list of FAQs is given below. If this one doesn't answer your
> questions, try one or more of the following additional FAQs:
>
> 1. Scanner Modifications FAQ: SCANMODS.FAQ
> 2. Scanner Data Decoder FAQ: SCANDATA.FAQ
> 3. Scanner Performance FAQ: SCANPERF.FAQ <--- This FAQ
> 4. Scanner S-Meter FAQ: SCANSMTR.FAQ
> 5. Scanner Radios FAQ: SCANRADS.FAQ
> 6. Administrative FAQ: ADMIN.FAQ
>
> You can download the latest of any of my FAQs directly from my
> Web or FTP sites as follows:
>

> http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/faqs.htm
>
> ftp://204.210.11.204/faqs/
>

5028. Re: Scanner INFO 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F18CA3.7F62@parg.org>
Source record: 145053

Of course, e-mail to the forged address the above post was
claimed to have originated from is bounced back as unknown!

****

Subject:
Delivery Notification: Delivery has failed
Date:
Sat, 05 Sep 1998 19:07:25 +0000 (GMT)
From:
PMDF e-Mail Interconnect <MAILER-DAEMON@internetmci.com>
To:
jmackey@parg.org

This report relates to a message you sent with the following header
fields:

Message-id: <35F18B52.57C4@parg.org>
Date: Sat, 05 Sep 1998 12:04:50 -0700
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
To: Bill CHeek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Subject: Re: Scanner INFO 1

Your message cannot be delivered to the following recipients:

Recipient address: bcheek@san.rr.com
Reason: Remote SMTP server has rejected address
Diagnostic code: smtp; 550 <bcheek@san.rr.com>... User unknown
Remote system: dns; san.rr.com
(TCP|208.159.126.155|1326|204.210.0.1|25) (mail-atm.san.rr.com ESMTP
Sendmail 8.8.7/8.8.8; Sat, 5 Sep 1998 12:07:24 -0700 [PDT])
(mail-atm.san.rr.com Hello pm06sm.pmm.mci.net [208.159.126.155], pleased
to meet you)

Original-envelope-id: 0EYT00E9ORS8XG@PM06SM.PMM.MCI.NET
Reporting-MTA: dns; PM06SM.PMM.MCI.NET

Action: failed
Status: 5.0.0 (Remote SMTP server has rejected address)
Original-recipient: rfc822;bcheek@san.rr.com
Final-recipient: rfc822;bcheek@san.rr.com
Remote-MTA: dns; san.rr.com (TCP|208.159.126.155|1326|204.210.0.1|25)
(mail-atm.san.rr.com ESMTP Sendmail 8.8.7/8.8.8; Sat, 5 Sep 1998
12:07:24
-0700 [PDT])
(mail-atm.san.rr.com Hello pm06sm.pmm.mci.net [208.159.126.155],
pleased to

meet you)
Diagnostic-code: smtp; 550 <bcheek@san.rr.com>... User unknown

Subject:
Re: Scanner INFO 1
Date:
Sat, 05 Sep 1998 12:04:50 -0700
From:
John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Organization:
?
To:
Bill CHeek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
References:
1

test

5029. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dewey R. Watkins III" <drwatkins3@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6ss2oo$6qe$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 145054

I'm interest in buying a PRO-90 (I think that's the 300 channel if I remember correctly). Any good/bad comments anyone ???

Dewey.

R1C1W wrote in message <1998090403152200.XAA27933@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Barry,
>For what its worth I've changed the 455 kHz filter in my PRO-2035 to reduce the
>interference between 12.5 kHz separated channels. I listen to our 900 MHz
>trunked SMR systems and couldn't really use the radio effectively until I
>changed it. Still picks up the regular channels just fine. 12.5 kHz UHF
>channels are just catching on around here (New Orleans) and we'll soon be
>putting up a commercial trunked system using the splinter channels. Waiting to
>see what problems we encounter with adjacent channel interference.
>Bob
>R1C1W@aol.com

5030. Re: MD State Police Air-to-Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dewey R. Watkins III" <drwatkins3@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6ss36c$8ng$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 145055

Don't overlook the fact that MD will use the frequency of the requesting police jurisdiction a lot of times. I've actually heard PG County put an officer in a Park Police copter to coordinate during a search one night.

Jake Brodsky wrote in message <35ef78f5.1858533@news.erols.com>...
>On Tue, 01 Sep 1998 19:57:20 -0400, Brian Shriner
><bshriner@erolsQ.com> wrote:
>
>>Does anybody know what freq the MD State Police use for air to ground
>>comms?

5031. Re: Recording

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dewey R. Watkins III" <drwatkins3@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6ss3r9bqd1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 145056

There is also software (WINTONE PRO) at www.steacksandwich.com that is used as a PL monitor. This program will also log active airtime to the hard drive, of course you need a sound card. You can actually limit the logging to selected PL tones also.

Joe Nicholson wrote in message <45a_9809032300@warpgate.com>...
> -=> Quoting Homer to All <=-
>
>
> Ho> Can anyone help me with cassett or open reel recorder mods to extend
> Ho> rec time to 5 hours or so?

5032. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090519383400.PAA27112@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145057

>Subject: Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)
>From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack)
>Date: 9/4/98 9:56 PM Pacific Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35f4c43d.8825688@news.bell.net>
>
>On 05 Sep 1998 03:30:24 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>
>>Yes, but do they offer a Tandy Service Plan on the catalog?
>
>
>I wonder how much the free catalog is with shipping and handling?

$18 if they have to go behind the counter for it and $36 if they have to go to the stockroom. If they have to ask the manager where it is, that's an extra $12 and if you ask for the free battery discount card at the same time - you don't even want to know!

I'll bet everybody on this, if Charles Tandy and Walt Disney had been able to see what would be going on under their names in 1998, they would have followed A. Atwater Kent's lead and dismantled their companies before they died!
Neutrodyne

5033. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F192FA.380A@parg.org>
Source record: 145058

Bud wrote:

> John Mackey (jmackey@parg.org) has REPEATEDLY posted off-topic messages in
> the rec.radio.scanner newsgroup, and attempted to act as 'netcop', withOUT

So Bud, what do you call your forging of Cheek?

> about it. Parg.org is not about to do anything, since Mr. Mackey holds at
> least the position of postmaster there, any complaint TO that organization
> goes directly to him.

Wrong on at least 2 counts!

First - I am not the postmaster of PARG.ORG.

Second - Complaints do NOT go directly to me as you indicate.

Complaints of newsgroup issues from the PARG.ORG system are handled
by "newsmaster@parg.org", which is NOT me.

5034. Re: Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: neutrodyne@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090519420400.PAA00971@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145059

Depends, a newer modular home, bigger than 24 feet wide will almost always have 2x6 walls instead of 2x4's. So much for "flimsy trailers", huh. I am looking at a RS wall-thru tube & it is long enough to do it, it is made to go through block or other thick walls. You cut the tube down for regular stud walls.
Neutrodyne

5035. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F1937A.65EB@parg.org>
Source record: 145060

Bud wrote:

> On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 00:10:46 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org> wrote:
> > PLUS, when Bud made the forged posts of Cheek he posted
> >copyrighted material, a clear legal violation.
>
> So SUE me, jerkoff. YOU don't own the copyright to them, and you have NO

So Bud by your statement above you are admitting you did the forged
posts
of Cheek!

5036. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F19420.CAB@parg.org>
Source record: 145061

dmi853@juno.com wrote:

> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> > Yea right, I ask people to stop & let the issue drop & say that is the
> > problem?????!!!!!!!!!!
> >
> > You are demented if you really believe that.

> Every post you make about Bill proves I am right and in truth you are the one
> who is demented as you cannot stop stalking or posting about Bill.

So how did my post above have anything to do with Bill?

YOU & BUD JAMISON are the ones keeping the Bill situation alive.
Even Bill has had the sense to drop it!

5037. Re: Long Island

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dg <dg@whowhat.net>
Message-ID: <6ss4q8$l6k@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145062

Otalk2meO wrote in message
<19980822205928OO.QAA04741@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>I'm having trouble finding police and fire frequencies for nassua county
here
>on long island. Any help would be much appreciated. Thanks!!
>
>
>
>Jeff
This is what I got 2yrs ago but still something.
478.7125 Channel 7 Detective
478.7375 Channel 10 Tac
478.9125 Channel 1 Pct. 3,6
478.9375 Surveillence
477.1875 Channel 2 North Admin Data
477.2125 Channel 6 Pct. 4,5
477.2375 Channel 4 Pct. 1,7
477.2625 Channel 8 Highway
477.2875 Channel 5 South Admin Data
477.3875 Channel 3 Pct. 2,8

5038. Will the OYE BOY Make an Appearance this Holiday Weekend?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090520150100.QAA01145@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145063

Just did a quick search on DejaNews for "Eric Oyen." WOW! Over 1600 MATCHES!

Messages 1-25 of about 1600 matches for search eric oyen:

Date Scr Subject Newsgroup
Author

1. 98/08/28 036 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
2. 98/08/31 034 Re: Eric Oyen Et Al..... rec.radio.amateur.mis n7zzt

3. 98/08/31 034 Re: Eric Oyen Et Al..... rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
4. 98/08/31 034 Re: Eric Oyen Et Al..... rec.radio.amateur.mis
KC8JBO 5. 98/08/31 034 Re: OYE BOY Quickly Changes
rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
6. 98/08/30 034 Re: Eric Oyen...The OYE BOY rec.radio.amateur.mis n7zzt
7. 98/08/29 034 Re: Eric Oyen...The OYE BOY rec.radio.amateur.mis
CBRambo
8. 98/08/29 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis CBRambo
9. 98/08/29 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
10. 98/08/29 034 Re: Eric Oyen...The OYE BOY rec.radio.amateur.mis
CBRambo
11. 98/08/29 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
12. 98/08/28 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
13. 98/08/28 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
14. 98/08/28 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis CBRambo
15. 98/08/28 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis CBRambo
16. 98/08/28 034 Re: Eric Oyen Imposter (was: rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
17. 98/08/28 034 Re: Eric Oyen...The OYE BOY rec.radio.amateur.mis
FRG9600
18. 98/08/16 034 Re: Whatever happened to ERI rec.radio.amateur.mis K5pf
19. 98/08/16 034 Re: Whatever happened to ERI rec.radio.amateur.mis K5pf
20. 98/08/16 034 Re: Whatever happened to ERI rec.radio.amateur.mis KC8JBO
21. 98/08/14 034 Re: Whatever happened to ERI rec.radio.cb erhu

22. 98/08/27 033 Eric Oyen Imposter (was: Re: rec.radio.amateur.mis CBRambo
23. 98/08/15 032 Whatever happened to ERIC OY rec.radio.amateur.mis
CBRambo
24. 98/08/15 032 Whatever happened to ERIC OY rec.radio.cb CBRambo
25. 98/08/15 032 Whatever happened to ERIC OY rec.radio.scanner
CBRambo

And that's just the TIP of the proverbial Arizona iceberg! Looks like the OYE BOY has truly achieved USENET celebrity status!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5039. Re: CT-17 (R10)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <35f19ff3.1059349@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 145064

Hi Shannon,

Please take a look at my IC-R10 for a description of how to modify an existing OPC-478 cloning cable to a CT-17 level converter. This 'mod' means swapping two wires...

http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10

Regards,

==================================
Joost van Stuyvenberg
Utrecht, The Netherlands
stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
==================================
for IC-R10 information see:
http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
==================================

5040. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F1A49C.54E@yahoo.com>
Source record: 145065
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey wrote:
>
> No problem Tom! If you know what to look for, it is easy to see
> the "giveaway" of the forge that Bud Jamison did of Cheek.
>
> See the two messages I have attached below. <snip>

Hey John, I've just got one question and then you are free to go about your business:

*** Who the hell cares? ***

I mean really. The guy ain't even darkening the doorstep of this place anymore and you still can't let it go. I can hear it now: "Not while the cheek-a-likes are still here!"

Lemme clue you in on somethin'. Are ya sittin' down? Great. Here it is:

This is a discussion group about scanners. See? And not just any scanners - RADIO scanners. Last I checked it wasn't about Bill Cheek or John Mackey or even me. It's about scanners - something which I have never, ever seen you talk about specifically.

Oh sure, you talked about coax cable, and you listed a frequency or two, but I have yet to see a post about a scanner - ANY scanner. Not in any of the thousands and thousands of messages you have posted here. I looked. I actually read most if not all of your ramblings and not one specifically had to do with scanning. In fact of the maybe 6 messages I'd even consider close to "on-topic", the main motive behind it was not to enlighten the public, but to slam Bill Cheek in some fashion.

Un-frigging-believeable.

I have seen pathetic behavior in my day but this.... this really takes the cake. Tell me John, why do you do this? I just wanna know why. Not in any hopes of changing your behavior, but just so I know what the hell your major malfunction is. Were you somehow traumatized by a radio scanner as a child? Did everyone get scanners for Christmas except you? Did a scannist pick up a phone conversation of yours and use it against you? C'mon John, you can tell us - we're here to help. Really.

Thanks, and have a bandit day.
-Phil

P.S. - my offer to have an on-topic discussion with you is still open. Why haven't you accepted? I know - you didn't receive that post, right?

Yeah. That's gotta be it....

5041. Re: Optoelectronics OS535 mod's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-4irM2dBEpqfS@slip-32-100-170-215.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 145066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Gary,

> > Any one know of any mod's to restore full tuning coverage to the
> > OS535?
>
> Try this URL:
>
> > http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html
>
> You'll find what you need.

My mistake. I read this as a PCR-1000 radio. Sorry.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

5042. Re: Scanner INFO 1: Hey BILL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F1A7BB.6BB3E45E@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145067

Bill CHeek wrote:

> WHO CAN BUILD AND INSTALL THE CE-232?
> _____________________________________
>
> Virtually anyone not unduly physically handicapped. Soldering skills
> are certainly helpful as is a basic savvy of electronics. I have,
> however, guided many a non-technical hobbyist to success at assembling
> and installing the CE-232 Interface. The main thing here is PATIENCE
> and the ability to read and follow instructions in English. Depending
> on your skill level, free time, and patience, the CE-232 is available
> in several different ways, one of which will suit most people.
>
> AVAILABILITY
> ____________
>
> The CE-232 is available in four different ways:
>
> 1. Roll your own, by yourself, totally from scratch. The complete
> plans, schematic diagrams, and PCB layout, including parts list,
> are presented in THE ULTIMATE SCANNER (Cheek3) by Bill Cheek,
> ISBN: 1-56866-058-8. This book is sold by mail order radio
> dealers around the world, and I carry it, too. (autographed)

Hey Bill, Can you go ahead put me down for THE ULTIMATE SCANNER (Cheek3) and charge it to my account? (Same shipping address).

Maybe you could ship it with that other hardware I ordered.

This is the interface I should be building.

Thanks.

5043. FS Motorola powered speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eoC$3rR29GA.395@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145068
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

SSN-2005A amplified speaker used as part of VSP-II cellular hands free kit.
Very good condition, untested. No mounting bracket.

4 available, $15 each or $40 for all. Prepaid or COD/Cash.

Spencer Bahner

spencer12345@msn.com

5044. FS Motorola ASTRO_SABER speaker mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eOE0rtR29GA.377@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have several speaker mics for use with Astro Saber portables. Part number is NMN6234A. Units have 800 mhz antennas but with antenna changed are same as the 450 mhz version.

Excellent condition, untested. These are the rectangular shaped, not round shaped mics.

$45 each or $400 for qty 10. Have 20 total available.

Prepaid or UPS/COD Cash.

Spencer Bahner

spencer12345@msn.com

5045. FS Motorola 800 mhz X-9000 bases

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#bqopvR29GA.169@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145070
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have two more of the Motorola X-9000 trunked/conventional superconsolete base stations for sale. Units are in good shape.

L35FXB series (secure capable- buy both, get free secure boards included)

15 watt. $500 each ($800 for pair) or best offer/trade for MT2000/MTS2000/MCS2000

Prepaid or UPS/COD Cash.

Spencer Bahner

spencer12345@msn.com

5046. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sshj8$li3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145071
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35F0E6D5.13F0@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:
> Cheek has NEVER had a signature file like that!!!!!!

How would you know that if you didn't sta;lk Mr. Cheek like they all say you do? You really are a sick person, Mr. Sickey Mackey. Merry

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5047. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sshr7$ls6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145072

In article <35F19420.CAB@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> YOU & BUD JAMISON are the ones keeping the Bill situation alive.

You are not very smart and are a liar too Mr. Sickey Mackey. You are the one who wanted more details when somebody saoid Mr. Cheeks got kicked off an newsgroup. You are not a very good liar because you are pretty stupid. your are a sick man, too. Merry

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5048. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sshc5$lg0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145073

jmackey@parg.org wrote:

> PLUS, when Bud made the forged posts of Cheek he posted
> copyrighted material, a clear legal violation.

You are either a stupid man or do not read very well. Mr. Cheek's faq's say it is okay for them to be given away free of charge as long as they are not edited. Whoever postred them gave them away free of charge and did not mnake any copyright violations. Mr. Cheek is a smart man and I am glad to read his posts and I don't care who posted them. He knows a lot more than you, Mr. Sickey Mackey. Merry

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5049. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F1BFCD.4A7C@parg.org>
Source record: 145074
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Phil Smalley wrote:

> John Mackey wrote:
> > No problem Tom! If you know what to look for, it is easy to see
> > the "giveaway" of the forge that Bud Jamison did of Cheek.
> >
> > See the two messages I have attached below. <snip>

> Hey John, I've just got one question and then you are free to go about
> your business:
>
> *** Who the hell cares? ***

Tom Jones cares since he asked about it! Look at the message
I was RESPONDING TO where he asked how to tell it was a Jamison
forge of Cheek!

> I mean really. The guy ain't even darkening the doorstep of this place
> anymore and you still can't let it go. I can hear it now: "Not while the

Tell it all to Bud Jamison, he's the who started posting forges of
Bill to this NG. I keep telling them to "DROP the Cheek issue"!

> Oh sure, you talked about coax cable, and you listed a frequency or two,
> but I have yet to see a post about a scanner - ANY scanner. Not in any
> of the thousands and thousands of messages you have posted here.

Then you haven't been paying attention because I have posted several!

> I have seen pathetic behavior in my day but this.... this really takes
> the cake.

You must be referring to when you got fired from Hughes Aircraft a few
weeks ago for using the company internet system to spam this NG.

5050. FS Motorola KDT-480 Mobile Data Terminals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OgvoH3R29GA.112@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145075
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

I have two complete, essentially unused KDT480 mobile data terminals for sale. MDC4800 protocol. I only seem to have one complete set of cables (install kits) but have multiple mounting brackets. These are the CRT based units comprised of the following parts:

CRT Unit- NTN5740
Keyboards- SLN4540
Processor unit- D2711cg
Radio- D2903ag

I also have a three spare radios, and one spare CRT, and one spare keyboard.

Sold as a lot only: $1200 OBO/Trade

Prepaid or UPS/COD Cash.

Spencer Bahner

spencer12345@msn.com

5051. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f1bc92.72410701@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145076

On 05 Sep 1998 05:09:58 PDT, sjk1@usa.net (Steve King) wrote:

>A ham radio aquaintance was pinched by the Alachua County SO for
>speeding and nearly received a second citation for having his HTX-202
>in the car if he didn't have his amateur radio licence with him.

When did it become an offense for someone to carry a ham radio around
if not licensed in the service? I think the cop was yanking his chain!

>As a result, I always keep a copy of my licence with me. As for the
>police, it all depends on the officer, I guess. Some may not care.
>Some may care a lot. Take your chances if you wish.

Good idea if you have a BC895XLT mounted in your vehicle!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5052. Re: BC895XLT Memory Clearing Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f384ae.34632768@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145092

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 15:25:19 GMT, jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu (Jeffrey M. Pryor) wrote:

>On Tue, 1 Sep 1998 19:22:56 -0700, "Someone"
><hellawaitsyou@afterlife.com> wrote:
>
>>I'm looking for the code that clears the entire memory of my trunk tracker..
>>I saw it a while back but forgot what it was.. Its something similar to
>>pressing, 1-9-E and turning the scanner on, or pretty darn close
>
>On the BC235 & BC895,
>
>Depress the following buttons while turning on radio:
>
> 2,9, and Manual.
>
>This produces "Uniden" message on display for about 8 seconds and
>CLEARS ALL RADIO MEMORY.

I would like to point out that it's a good idea to do this when your brand new 895XLT arrives from the factory..before programming it...

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5053. Re: Looking for a scanner...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6sq4vu$ja7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145093
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

$$ 50.00 0r less ????????
Not in this lifetime !

In article <6skpam$a3t$1@tenax.raex.com>,
"Mike Harmon" <dtfh32@raex.com> wrote:
> I am looking for a decent scanner for around $50USD or less. I prefer
> Uniden (but beggars cant be choosers) all it needs to have is aircraft freq.
> and I prefer it to be modifiable (but beggers cant be choosers, again).
> Thank you for your help.
>
> Mike
>
>

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5054. Re: FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f486df.35193793@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145094

On 3 Sep 1998 02:34:46 GMT, gqcat@aol.com (GQCat) wrote:

>ANYONE WITH INFO ON FLORIDA TRUNK TRACKER ID UPDATE AS TRUNKTRAKER IS USELESS
>ON UPDATING FOR THE SCANNER BUFF'S THAT ARE OUT HERE
>THANKS RON

Florida is a REAL big state..and your question is a little
confusing...?

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http://broward.home.ml.org

5055. Re: Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f5875d.35319797@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145095

On 3 Sep 1998 05:43:41 GMT, cozyelm@aol.com (Cozy Elm) wrote:

>OK, I have the scanner and I have the antenna. NOW what is the best way to get
>the coax to the radio? I live in a mobile home, I don't want to string it thru
>the window and leave the window partly open (security reasons) Not even with a
>stick wedged in the runner of the window. So what other options do I have
>besides just drilling a hole and running the cable thru it. I would not mind
>this so much but I would like something more professionaly done. Any help you
>guys can offer will be appreciated.
>
>Jim Peters
>cozyoak@aol.com

Poke your finger through the side and stick the coax in! :) RS has
some plastic wall grommets you could use to make it look more
professional.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5056. Re: Swiss Air Crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6sq18oecc3@supernews.com>
Source record: 145096

Not sure if has anything to do with the Swissair crash. Hear lots of "rescue 17-17" and similar "rescue" calls but they do NOT seem to be associated with the Swiss air crash. Sounds like the Air force Global HFsystem to me.
Heard one report of a cooler on a rope found but no location heard for it.

Tom

In article <6sp82kgcu3@news3.microserve.net>, "BULTACO" <bultaco@talon.net> wrote:
>About 1:00PM EST CAMFLANT 5696 USB announced also 123.1VHF and 381.8UHF.
>Communications have been with Coast Guard.
>Anybody know what this is??
>
>yabyum@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6soqh2$la8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>>5.696 was also awfully busy last night. Dunno what that exactly is (sorry,
>>still a newbie here :)), but lots of rescue action going on on that
>>frequency.
>>
>>
>>In article <__zH1.20$i16.1429840@news.optonline.net>,
>> "Bob" <rfa@nassau.cv.net> wrote:
>>> Try 5.717 USB Quite a few rescue aircraft operating there.
>
>
>

5057. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Death Race 2000 <"Death Race 2000"@pedestriansbeware.com>
Message-ID: <35F08E5F.CCEB30C2@pedestriansbeware.com>
Source record: 145097
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.autos.dodge.trucks,alt.support.road-rage,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher,alt.law-enforcement.traffic

Steve Gerland, click here to email-> mailto:steveg59@primenet.com wrote:

> What does a school bus law have to do with drivers
> becoming enraged at one another? Is there some
> hidden meaning here?

No hidden meaning. The message is clear:

There will be ZERO Tolerance of motorist who engage in your "road rage"
in the presence of school bus drivers, crosswalk guards and children.

> Note: Timothy Lanni was a 6 year old boy who was killed while crossing
> the street after getting off the bus.
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> 22454.5. Notwithstanding Section 42001, a person convicted of a
> first violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not
> less than one hundred fifty dollars ($150) or more than two hundred
> fifty dollars ($250). A person convicted of a second separate
> violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not less
> than five hundred dollars ($500) or more than one thousand dollars
> ($1,000). If a person is convicted of a third or subsequent
> violation of Section 22454 and the offense occurred within three
> years of two or more separate violations of Section 22454, the
> Department of Motor Vehicles shall suspend the person's privilege to
> operate a motor vehicle for one year.

5058. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sq2mh$mid@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

They? Icom?

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

W6RCecilA wrote in message <35EF4E50.348A@ibm.net>...
>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> Take for instance NEXTEL. Digital. No encryption.
>> Your inexperience is showing.
>
>Blake, since they can't decode it on their ICOM, it
>*must* be encrypted. :-)
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

5059. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sq2nu$mti@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

>BRRRRRRRPPPPPPPPP. No. Negative. Wrong. Incorrect.

Inappropriate, insulting, and harsh.

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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Blake Bowers wrote in message <6sn6sr$cq0$0@207.18.224.70>...
>On 3 Sep 1998 22:01:08 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>However, almost every digital system is encrypted. Some exceptions are
>>paging and cheaper digital 900 MHz cordless phones.
>>--
>BRRRRRRRPPPPPPPPP. No. Negative. Wrong. Incorrect.
>
>MANY digital systems, even the majority, are strictly digital. Some,
>are encrypted.
>
>Take for instance NEXTEL. Digital. No encryption.
>
>And on, and on.
>
>Your inexperience is showing.
>

5060. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980905010119000.VAA22122@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145100

In article <zeno-0309981245090001@pm62-14.magicnet.net>, zeno@magicnet.net writes:

>
>In article <35ee37aa.6452862@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam]albany.net
>(Jeff) wrote:
>
>> Which way is it going. I'd hate to lose this hobby if I could listen
>> too the action bands. Also, isn't there a constitutional thing about
>> being albe to hear our police?
>
>There is not mention of people listening to the police in the Constitution.
>
>

The government doesn't care what the constitution says anyway.

H Higgins

| The price of freedom is eternal vigilance. |

5061. Re: Digital Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980905010120000.VAA22128@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145101

In article <zeno-0309981245090001@pm62-14.magicnet.net>, zeno@magicnet.net
writes:

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>In article <35ee37aa.6452862@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam]albany.net
>(Jeff) wrote:
>
>> Which way is it going. I'd hate to lose this hobby if I could listen
>> too the action bands. Also, isn't there a constitutional thing about
>> being albe to hear our police?
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5062. Re: EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sq2j9$m68@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

This is a scanner group -- we talk about scanners.

BTW: The world doesn't revolve around Australia, so I recommend you post
VALID information for the US when necessary. You post incorrect cellular and
cordless frequencies all the time.

If you need to post for Australia, do so in the Australia Scanner newsgroup.

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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Barry O'Grady wrote in message <35ef55b5.1872280@news.fastlink.com.au>...
>"Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ" <jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>:I've heard this a few times myself!
>:
>:--
>:73 de Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ
>: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>:SkyWarn 2212-98
>:
>:Ever notice how fast Windows runs?
>:Neither did I.
>
>That must be because it runs so fast that you never need consider it.
>

5063. Re: Chicago Land Freq. Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6sq2lb$meq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145103

Try http://www.neousa.com/jdopke/cpdzone.html
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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R. Wise wrote in message <01bdd859$cffd12c0$7014b9ce@jen>...
>I am interested in the police and fire freq. used in the Chicago area,
>especially Schaumburg vicinity.
>
>Thanks
>R. Wise
>robweis@ync.net

5064. Re: Scanning FAQ 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35f08f10.2547476@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145104
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 4 Sep 1998 07:32:03 -0500, digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital
Personal Manipulator) wrote:

>On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:39:25 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>[Actually thekat@san.rr.org (Bud)] wrote:
>
>*article snipped*
>
>>=========================END OF FILE===========================
>>
>>
>>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>>
>>Thanks.
>
>Hey Bud, [thekat@san.rr.org (Bud)]
>
>When you forge a message you should remove the sig. that you usually
>have at the end of your messages. I wonder if forging messages is a
>violation of the TOS at san.rr.com. I also hope you had permission to
>post that copyrighted material with the authors name as the sender.
>

Thank you for snipping the extraneous material this time. I take back
what I said about you being Clueless.

5065. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Death Race 2000 <"Death Race 2000"@pedestriansbeware.com>
Message-ID: <35F09118.E2E1AA30@pedestriansbeware.com>
Source record: 145105
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement-traffic,alt.support.road-rage,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Steve Gerland, mailto:steveg59@primenet.com wrote

> What does a school bus law have to do with drivers
> becoming enraged at one another? Is there some
> hidden meaning here?

No hidden meaning here. The message is clear.

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in the presence of school bus drivers, crosswalk guards and children.

Red Star wrote:
>
> Note: Timothy Lanni was a 6 year old boy who was killed while crossing
> the street after getting off the bus.
>
> 22454.5. Notwithstanding Section 42001, a person convicted of a
> first violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not
> less than one hundred fifty dollars ($150) or more than two hundred
> fifty dollars ($250). A person convicted of a second separate
> violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not less
> than five hundred dollars ($500) or more than one thousand dollars
> ($1,000). If a person is convicted of a third or subsequent
> violation of Section 22454 and the offense occurred within three
> years of two or more separate violations of Section 22454, the
> Department of Motor Vehicles shall suspend the person's privilege to
> operate a motor vehicle for one year.

5066. Re: Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35f08bb3.1686472@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145106

On 4 Sep 1998 08:55:07 -0500, digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital
Personal Manipulator) wrote:

>Another forged message by thekat@san.rr.com (Bud)
>
>On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:42:12 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>wrote:
>
>>Path: newscene.newscene.com!novia!newsfeed.nyu.edu!news-nyc.telia.net!newsfeed.internetm
ci.com!204.210.0.20!news.san.rr.com!not-for-mail
>>From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>>Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
>>Subject: Scanning FAQ 2
>>Message-ID: <35f06f02.9948619@news-server>
>>X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
>>X-No-Archive: yes
>>MIME-Version: 1.0
>>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>>Lines: 581
>>Date: Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:42:12 GMT
>>NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.210.49.227
>>NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 03 Sep 1998 21:42:12 PDT
>>Organization: TWC Road Runner, San Diego, CA
>>Xref: newscene.newscene.com alt.radio.scanner:92066 rec.radio.scanner:150208

<snip>

Do you really think it was necessary to repost the whole thing just to
tell us that? Thank you for your contribution, Lackwit.

5067. Re: Scaning FAQ 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35f08d42.2085007@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145107

On 4 Sep 1998 08:57:05 -0500, digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital Personal Manipulator) wrote:

>Another forged message by thekat@san.rr.com (Bud)
>

Posting the headers would have been sufficient but again you post the whole thing. You are not just a Lackwit but a Clueless Lackwit.

5068. Help with Regency ACT-T-K500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jla7839604@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090501351900.VAA23631@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145108

Purchased at a garage sale, no booklet. Need to know how to program it. Any help would be appreciated.

Replies here or E-Mail to: JLa7839604@aol.com

Thanks,
Joe

5069. Re: Swiss Air Crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd871$0e9b3a40$b7685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 145109

> This is one of the primary shortwave (HF) Coast Guard rescue
frequencies--there's lots of scanner-type comms on shortwave too, called
utility monitoring-you might want to look into this.
> Camslant is the Virginia CG base station directing CG helicopters & ships
in search/rescue & more mundane comms-they've got a new name for it now-I
don't recall it at the moment.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

BULTACO <bultaco@talon.net> wrote in article
<6sp82kgcu3@news3.microserve.net>...
> About 1:00PM EST CAMFLANT 5696 USB announced also 123.1VHF and 381.8UHF.
> Communications have been with Coast Guard.
> Anybody know what this is??
>
> yabyum@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6soqh2$la8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >5.696 was also awfully busy last night. Dunno what that exactly is
(sorry,
> >still a newbie here :)), but lots of rescue action going on on that
> >frequency.
> >
> >
> >In article <__zH1.20$i16.1429840@news.optonline.net>,
> > "Bob" <rfa@nassau.cv.net> wrote:
> >> Try 5.717 USB Quite a few rescue aircraft operating there.
>
>
>
>

5070. WTB: Bearcat 9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: captkfd308@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090502151300.WAA29375@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145110

Who's got the best price on the market for this radio...I am interested in one.

CYA

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:CaptKFD308@aol.com
CAPT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
Kingsland Fire Rescue
Kingsland, GA 31548
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm

5071. Re: CT-17 (R10)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <Xu1l1.454$ej4.12754821@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 145111

Shannon:

You don't need the expensive Icom CT-17 interface adapter, unless you want to control more than one Icom radio at a time. Grove Enterprises sells a simple PhonePlug-to-DB9(RS232) plug, interface cable, that will couple your R10 to your PC. I think it cost around $40.00. Icom sells a simple DOS based utility to upload/download frequencies. There are several third party companies that also sell software for the R10.

Bill Crocker

Shannon Young wrote in message <35F04CF0.1471@hotmail.com>...
>I just got my Icom R10 today and was getting ready to hook it up to my
>puter and noticed in the instruction manual that I didn't have one of
>these devices. As you can probably tell, I'm kinda new to this radio.
>First question, What is it, What does it do, And do I really need it?
>What else am I gonna need to hook it to my puter? Any other help on this
>subject would be appriciated. Please e-mail replys if you could...
>
>Thanks in advance,
>Shan

5072. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd876$6da4cf60$b7685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 145112

> They'll probably deny any knowledge of a catalog.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

Jason Reuschlein <jayr@msn.com> wrote in article
<#VwslQH29GA.105@upnetnews05>...
> OK, everyone. I've sent their Customer Relations department on their Web
> page a message asking what their policy should be for catalog sales.
Will
> let everyone know when/if I get a response.
>
> Jason
>
> John Habbinga wrote in message <6sq6i8$b26$1@news4.wt.net>...
> >RadioShack doesn't charge for the catalogs.
>
>
>
>

5073. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3601a7a4.7697142@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145113

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

5074. Re: Newbie needs some help-WHY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd87b$b64082a0$b7685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 145114

> I wonder if the govt will repeal the law prohibiting listening to the
870-890 band once everything is digital? BTW, isn't this what should have
occurred in the first place-scrambling the system to keep eavesdroppers
out? Now digitizing will by and large do the same thing after they take
some of our rights away.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

Bruce K <YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net> wrote in article
<28144-35EFC34A-6@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>...
> Most cellular will be going digital anyway.In fact I read in the paper
> that 75% are already digital.Not only that but most of the conversations
> are as boring as hell-that's what I have been told:)
>
>

5075. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd87c$73c55b20$b7685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 145115

> I think you nailed it there-he had to have a copy of the institution's
name on paper in front of him for it to be the only thing correctly spelled
on the post!
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net> wrote in article
<6sief7$gd8$1@news4.wt.net>...
> I think this guy is one of the 4% that got turned down for a credit card
> from this financial institution and now he is trying to mailbomb them.
>
> >ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> >> YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF
YOU
> AGREE
> >> RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT
BANING
> THEM.
> >>
> >> THANKS.
>
>
>
>

5076. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090503302500.XAA13528@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145116

Yes, but do they offer a Tandy Service Plan on the catalog?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5077. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090503302500.XAA10300@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145117

In article <35F09C34.4E4@parg.org>, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org> writes:

>Bud wrote:
>
>> Then WHY are you still in this newsgoup? It IS supposed to be about
>> scanners, NOT about personal agendas.
>
>Good point Bud, then WHY are YOU on here pushing your agenda?
>
>And WHY are you on here forging messages from Cheek?

And WHY must John Mackey continue this nonsense, even though Cheek is gone from this newsgroup?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5078. scans: $1 each

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pike@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sqgoe$37o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145118

I scan pictures for people for $1 each. I have a special: 15 scans for $7.50.
If you want more info, email me at:
holdenc98@ucsd.com
Please email me here instead of my email address here

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5079. Re: Looking for a scanner...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f1c231.8312826@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145119
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 01:43:26 GMT, scanist@acmenet.net wrote:

> $$ 50.00 0r less ????????
> Not in this lifetime !
>
>

Unless he goes to the pawnshop! Many very capable scanners can be
found there for $50 and under!

>In article <6skpam$a3t$1@tenax.raex.com>,
> "Mike Harmon" <dtfh32@raex.com> wrote:
>> I am looking for a decent scanner for around $50USD or less. I prefer
>> Uniden (but beggars cant be choosers) all it needs to have is aircraft freq.
>> and I prefer it to be modifiable (but beggers cant be choosers, again).
>> Thank you for your help.
>>
>> Mike
>>
>>
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

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5080. Re: Scanning FAQ 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f3c3cb.8712099@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145120
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 4 Sep 1998 22:07:14 -0500, digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital
Persona) wrote:

>On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 01:15:27 GMT, geovet@thevision.net (George
>Vetterle) wrote:
>
>>On 4 Sep 1998 07:32:03 -0500, digital_persona@softhome.net (Digital
>>Personal Manipulator) wrote:
>>
>>>On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 04:39:25 GMT, bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
>>>[Actually thekat@san.rr.org (Bud)] wrote:
>>>
>>>*article snipped*
>>>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>END OF FILE>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>>
>>>>
>>>>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>>>>
>>>>Thanks.
>>>
>>>Hey Bud, [thekat@san.rr.org (Bud)]
>>>
>>>When you forge a message you should remove the sig. that you usually
>>>have at the end of your messages. I wonder if forging messages is a
>>>violation of the TOS at san.rr.com. I also hope you had permission to
>>>post that copyrighted material with the authors name as the sender.
>>>
>>
>>Thank you for snipping the extraneous material this time. I take back
>>what I said about you being Clueless.
>>
>
>That's quite alright, I don't take offense from insults sent by
>mentally challenged people (such as yourself) anyway.
>
>Have a nice day George.....
>
>

Do you have binary access at novia? How is it?

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5081. Re: Newbie needs some help-WHY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: smokebowl@hempseed.com
Message-ID: <35f0c01b.16363033@news.flash.net>
Source record: 145121

On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 03:17:14 GMT, "DenB" <djmr26@bestweb.net> wrote:

>> I wonder if the govt will repeal the law prohibiting listening to the
>870-890 band once everything is digital? BTW, isn't this what should have
>occurred in the first place-scrambling the system to keep eavesdroppers
>out? Now digitizing will by and large do the same thing after they take
>some of our rights away.
I dont believe so, I am in a area where they have the digital phones
and already know of people and devices which can decode this.. just a
matter of hooking something to a scanner, and bang....

>> Dennis
>> djmr26@bestweb.net
>
>Bruce K <YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net> wrote in article
><28144-35EFC34A-6@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>...
>> Most cellular will be going digital anyway.In fact I read in the paper
>> that 75% are already digital.Not only that but most of the conversations
>> are as boring as hell-that's what I have been told:)
>>
>>

5082. Re: Our friends down under [was: EDACS Scanner...]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f2c344.8576618@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 4 Sep 1998 19:31:36 -0700, "Brian Humphrey"
<brian.humphrey@prodigy.net> wrote:

>The clearly bright but sometimes spurious Ryan Faricy wrote...
>
>>BTW: The world doesn't revolve around Australia, so I recommend you post
>>VALID information for the US when necessary. You post incorrect cellular
>and
>>cordless frequencies all the time.
>>
>>If you need to post for Australia, do so in the Australia Scanner
>newsgroup.
>
>
>Ryan:
>
>When I was your age (sixteen), I sometimes said things which I regret to
>this day. Please understand that I offer this in a constructive manner.
>
>Like so many young men nearing adulthood, you have yet to fully appreciate
>the world around you. This is clearly elucidated in some of your postings.
>While your comments reflect your high IQ, they at times do not reflect the
>social grace which will be required for you to prosper in adulthood. Have no
>fear - you are not alone, for I am one of many who have traveled that path.
>
>Ryan, you speak of your faith (Jehovah's Witness) as well as your desire to
>attend USC.
>
>How then, would you feel if your postings were to be reviewed by church
>elders or an admissions officer at the college? Does the bellicose posting
>above reflect your true nature?
>
>I sincerely doubt it.
>
>I can assure you however, that at least one prominent USC graduate has read
>your words. Did he get the right impression? Would he want you to attend his
>alma mater? A school well known for its international relations? Well?
>
>The Aussies I know would be the first to admit that the world does not
>revolve around their island nation. It is equally as ridiculous for you to
>think that the world revolves around ours. When someday you have a chance to
>travel, meet and truly know those from other cultures, you will have a grasp
>of what I am saying. Were it not for the valiant sacrifices of the

>Australian military, you and I might be living in a far different world.
>
>The newsgroups you have posted to are:
>
>"rec.radio.scanner" and "alt.radio.scanner"
>
>They are by their very existence an international forum. The letters "U.S."
>appear nowhere in their title or FAQ.
>
>Ryan, rather than getting somewhat rankled and firing off a hasty response,
>please take a moment to print this letter. Take a day or two to think about
>it. Don't bother to reply to anyone other than the soon-to-be man who looks
>back at you in the mirror.
>
>Then, think and more importantly *act* in a manner befitting those of your
>faith and education. You owe it to them and yourself.
>
>If you should be fortunate to attend USC, you will no doubt graduate with
>honors. There will be a moment however, as you walk towards the podium to
>accept your diploma, that you will encounter a tall man with gray hair. The
>crowds will easily part for him as he approaches you, simply to ask "Did you
>get the message?"
>
>-BH-
>
>
>
This post brought a tear to my eye. I quoted the entire message in
case Ryan somehow missed it the first time around.

5083. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f6c535.9073907@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 5 Sep 1998 01:04:17 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>They? Icom?

In your case he meant through the headphone jack with the soundcard.

>73 de Ryan Faricy
>Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
>Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
>SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
>ICQ: 2865322
>
>Experience is the worst teacher.
>It gives the test first and teaches after.
>
>W6RCecilA wrote in message <35EF4E50.348A@ibm.net>...
>>Blake Bowers wrote:
>>> Take for instance NEXTEL. Digital. No encryption.
>>> Your inexperience is showing.
>>
>>Blake, since they can't decode it on their ICOM, it
>>*must* be encrypted. :-)
>>--
>>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore
>

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5084. Re: Radio Shack idiots (charging for catalog)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f4c43d.8825688@news.bell.net>
Source record: 145124

On 05 Sep 1998 03:30:24 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

>Yes, but do they offer a Tandy Service Plan on the catalog?

I wonder how much the free catalog is with shipping and handling?

5085. How does one enterr a trunked freq on a MVT 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35f0c4f1.45168830@news.albany.net>
Source record: 145125

I keep trying, but the 4th digit keeps getting kick to the curb, and the frequency rounded off. I know with the universal delay the 9000 isn't the best way to monitor trunked systems, but this is for more of a test. There's a police dept. that's farther than most in my area, but definitely should be within range that uses trunking. I want to hear if it would be worth looking into a trunker.

5086. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F0E3F5.43B4@parg.org>
Source record: 145126

allsafe wrote:

> So what are *you* doing now-a-days John? I see you're still actively forging
> away with your little fantasy support group.

Oh yea, what & where have I been forging? (Put up or shut up!)
You won't be able to post any proof because I haven't forged.

> And Bill Cheek's FAQ's on scanners really burns your butt, doesn't it? What is
> it about those posts that bother you?

I don't care either way about Bill's FAQ's. But they aren't Bill's
posts. Someone else besides Bill Cheek (it was Bud Jamison) forged the
posts under a previous ID of Bill Cheek (Before Bill was kicked from his
ISP
for abuse). PLUS, when Bud made the forged posts of Cheek he posted
copyrighted material, a clear legal violation.

> Are you saying they weren't
> written by Bill?

No! I believe they were written by Bill, but they were not posted by
Bill. Someone attempted to forge Cheek & post his copyrighted material.

> Bill wrote them. I've seen them before. I compared them to
> previous posts that I saved last year. They're identical. Bill Cheek wrote
> them.

I agree, Cheek wrote them. But someone else posted them using a old &
no longer valid identity of Cheek. That was Bud Jamison!

So what is your problem?

5087. The Bill Cheek issue!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <547_9809070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144777

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

> You started the issue so you can't just have it drop when people prove you
> are stupid and a liar. Merry

Jo> If someone can prove that I will. It has not happened yet!

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5088. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <548_9809070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144778

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

Jo> I would NEVER want to be like Bill, I would have to lower myself
Jo> beyond imagination!

You couldn't bring yourself up high enough
from the tar pits to equal Bill Creek, you
lying son of a bitch.

Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
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which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5089. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <549_9809070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144779

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

Jo> Cool it & go lay down Blake! (or find a fire to put out somewhere)

john "diarrhea mouth" mackey is a L I A R
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To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
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which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5090. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <54a_9809070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144780

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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> with the low-lifers like YOU.

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5091. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D6FF.3B@parg.org>
Source record: 144877

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> So why do you keep posting stuipid
> messages in a scanner newsgroup Mr Sickey Mackey? Its really true what they
> all say.

For the good of the group.

Why do YOU continue to post stupid messages in the scanner newsgroup?

5092. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D792.5234@parg.org>
Source record: 144878

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You are too caught up with with Mr.
> Cheek to see how sick and stupid you are. Merry

You must be looking in a mirror.

You know that is true as you are afraid to use you real ID becaues
you are ashamed to let people know who you really are & that
you will lose your AOL account.

5093. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D7C4.27E0@parg.org>
Source record: 144879

MAlexder wrote:
> Great! Does that mean you're planning to go over to the ham radio groups and
> stir up trouble over there for a change? See ya!

I often go to the ham radio newsgroups & never have problems there.
Only
here with the low-lifers like YOU.

5094. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D83F.4DC7@parg.org>
Source record: 144880

Bud wrote:

> I doubt it, he KNOWS that Hams are a bit more protective of their
> service, AND more willing to 'take action' against people that lie
> and attempt to disrupt things.

THAT is why I have never had any problems on the ham radio newsgroups
& why YOU & the other trouble makers don't go there!

> I've heard he's already gotten himself
> into lots of trouble with his antics on several repeaters in his area.

That is pretty interesting since I OWN ALL the repeaters I talk on
in Oregon & Iowa. So are you saying I got in trouble with myself?

5095. FS: Icom R-10 and Optoelectronics Scout package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peet Dale <peetd@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <6sumif$l0d$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 144881
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Own the countersurveilance combo that the pros use!

This combo contains the world renowned wideband receiver, Icom R-10. This is the full frequency European unit that has no gaps. I have ad these two for about two months and must sell to pay bills...

FOR MORE INFO and to BID go to:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=29061026

5096. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D986.A3F@parg.org>
Source record: 144882

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> Who SAYS we are "limited to scanners", wacko ? YOU ? I have held an amateur

That statement was directed towards ONE PERSON (Mike Derryberry) & NOT
to anyone else.

Certianly I would respect the experience you mentioned as I have both
my Amateur & Commercial FCC licenses & have operated several modes
& bands both currently & past.

> You know, stay up and burn the
> midnight oil, like Bill cheek does !
SNIP
> BE Bill cheek ! But learn to DELIVER like Bill Cheek !

I would NEVER want to be like Bill, I would have to lower myself beyond
imagination! I have REAL & LEGIT FCC licenses (unlike Bill) and have
never been kicked off of an ISP or mail list server (unlike Bill). I
don't want to be the cause of problems (like Bill).

5097. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D9F4.2182@parg.org>
Source record: 144883

Blake Bowers wrote:

> On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 21:34:46 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:
> >For example, when Richard Kendrick & Blake Bowers was forging PARG.ORG
>
> John, don't try to draw me into your sick crap.

WOW!!!! I simply mention a historical fact & you get all worked up
over it!

Cool it & go lay down Blake! (or find a fire to put out somewhere)

5098. RadioShack PRO90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOSS <Whereever@aol.net>
Message-ID: <6sumtk$h8e$1@usenet48.supernews.com>
Source record: 144884

Cell mods for the Pro 90. Please advise

5099. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Porky <pigsty@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <6sun0kpob1@comet3.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144885

Hi PDoddy(Paul), thanks for the kind words to let people know that I'm a square deal type of person. Sorry to see that you are selling the 9000 so soon but I know it's your past time. To buy, try out and then resell radios. I had hoped you would keep this one for a little while longer but I understand. I enjoyed talking to you on the phone and wish you the best. For all the skeptics, the MVT9000 is a perfect working radio with tremendous capabilities. Paul had told me about the scratch as soon as it happened thinking I'd be upset. As far as selling the radio for more than it's worth, you may shoot for a negotiated reduction, who knows. I know to buy it and have it imported through customs is not that cheap or easy anymore. Good luck Paul....."Porky"

5100. Re: Tv frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6zgp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090619223500.PAA02341@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144886

> I can get TV audio channels 5
>and 6, but they're distorted.

TV and FM Broadcast signals use a wider bandwidth known as WFM (Wide FM) the other transmissions that you hear like those of the police and fire department they use NFM (Narrow FM). NFM is common on all scanners but WFM is found only on the Top-of-the- Line scanners aka PRO-2004/5/6 and the BC9000XLT

Bryan Herbert
BLH Communications-owner
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Amateur Radio-KE6ZGP
LA Co. Disaster Communications Service-F-150
Civil Air Patrol-YOSEMITE 845

5101. Pro 90/91

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dewey R. Watkins III" <drwatkins3@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6sunuhkgf1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 144887

I'm looking for any comments, good AND bad on RS's Pro 90 & Pro 91 besides the $50.00 / 150 channel diffeerence.

Dewey
drwatkins3@erols.com

5102. FT: DX 390

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: joey <clairvoyant1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F2E6A4.5A16@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144888

would like to trade my dx 390 for some sort of desk top scanner...

5103. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090619495300.PAA05294@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144889

>From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>
>I often go to the ham radio newsgroups & never have problems there. Only here
with the low-lifers like YOU.

Well, I've been called worst things (and much more imaginatively, I might add).
Funny, no one has ever called me an electronic stalker, forger, computer
trespasser, liar, impersonator, or any of the other things that are commonly
applied to you.

So, when are you going to stop with the flaming and all of your usual antics,
Mackey? Cheek is gone but you're still at it. Each off-topic post from you
confirms what everyone has long believed. You are a liar. A sick liar, at that.

5104. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F2E9D9.B0ED27E7@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144890

John wrote:
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> Zombie Wolf wrote:
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> > Who SAYS we are "limited to scanners", wacko ? YOU ? I have held an amateur
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> That statement was directed towards ONE PERSON (Mike Derryberry) & NOT
> to anyone else.
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> Certianly I would respect the experience you mentioned as I have both
> my Amateur & Commercial FCC licenses & have operated several modes
> & bands both currently & past.

John, just because I am not a ham radio operator doesn't mean I am limited to just scanners. I have designed and built several commercial two-way radio systems. I have never bothered to get my ham licence since too many of the licenced ham operators I have met over the years are stuck on themselves. Now before thiat statement stirs the pot ... I am not saying all ham operators are like that, Just more than I care to deal with.

I just happen to enjoy scanners and I think I can contribute to others in the scanning hobby. As I seem to recall, I posted ON-TOPIC just this morning RE: LAPD Freqs.

Haven't seen much from you on-topic lately.

Mike

5105. Re: New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmrubin@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35fde42b.26978819@nntp.best.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>
>The Korean Central News Agency, official mouthpiece of the
>world's most secretive regime, said: "Our scientists and technicians
>have succeeded in launching the first artificial satellite aboard a
>multi-stage rocket into orbit." The satellite is now transmitting the
>melody of the immortal revolutionary hymns Song of General Kim
>Il-sung and Song of Kim Jong-il and the morse code signal 'Juche
>Korea' on 27 megahertz."
>
A few years ago, the World Radio TV Handbook listed a North Korean
station intended, apparently, for fisherfolk which carried "coastal
weather reports and words of praise for the Great Leader".

5106. Re: RadioShack PRO90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <xUBI1.489$ej4.13626767@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 144892

No can do!

BOSS wrote in message <6sumtk$h8e$1@usenet48.supernews.com>...
>Cell mods for the Pro 90. Please advise
>
>

5107. Re: Pro 90/91

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <HZBI1.490$ej4.13629652@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 144893

Dewey:

The PRO-90, manufactured by Uniden, is a much better radio than the PRO-91, (GRE manufactured?). I've had both, and the sensitivity, selectivity, image rejection, dynamic range, audio, etc., all appear to be much better with the PRO-90. It's easier to program, in my opinion.

Bill Crocker

Dewey R. Watkins III wrote in message
<6sunuhkgf1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>I'm looking for any comments, good AND bad on RS's Pro 90 & Pro 91 besides
>the $50.00 / 150 channel diffeerence.
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>Dewey
>drwatkins3@erols.com
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5108. Re: cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <no-spam-bmwebb@tima.com>
Message-ID: <6suqhlrrl1@topsy.kiva.net>
Source record: 144894
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

RICHARD FLORES wrote in message
<6sth7n$84fa$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>
>>~~~~~~
>>"Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection.
>>But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp
>>authority over the man, but to be in silence."
>>-Paul the bigot in 1 Timothy2:11-12
>>**
>Can anyone interpret this??
>
>

yes

5109. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <o3CI1.80$a1.2132278@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 144895

Yes it is, It is also cheaper !!!

>Porky wrote in message <6sun0kpob1@comet3.magicnet.net>...
>I know to buy it and have it imported through customs is not that cheap or
easy
>anymore. Good luck Paul....."Porky"
>
>

5110. Re: Tv frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35f8026b.7783890@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144896

On 6 Sep 1998 19:22:35 GMT, ke6zgp@aol.com (Ke6zgp) wrote:

>> I can get TV audio channels 5
>>and 6, but they're distorted.
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>TV and FM Broadcast signals use a wider bandwidth known as WFM (Wide FM) the
>other transmissions that you hear like those of the police and fire department
>they use NFM (Narrow FM). NFM is common on all scanners but WFM is found only
>on the Top-of-the- Line scanners aka PRO-2004/5/6 and the BC9000XLT

That's why I use my PRO-2006 to listen to them and FM broadcast.
Using the handheld to pick up TV audio is only in the direst
circumstances.

I can also pick up *images* of a lot of TV audio channels between
30-50 MHz and up around 478 MHz. Although distorted because of the
explanation above, in case of emergency, they could be used if access
to a base scanner was impossible.

5111. Re: LAPD 506/507 Input Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <uIpHrfd29GA.339@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 144897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"Ed Walsh" <emw-1@NOSPAMatt.net> asked about:
> ... how the LAPD 506/507MHz frequencies work as far as the input
> frequencies are concerned.

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Paired Frequencies

Base/Rptr mobile i/p offset

152-152 MHz 157-158 MHz +5.26 MHz (Taxi)
+5.26/+6.46 (Mobile Phone)
160-162 156-157 -4.6 (Marine VHF)
217-218 219-220 +2 (Marine AMTS)
220-221 221-222 +1
422-425 427-430 +5 (Great Lakes border)
450-465 455-470 +5 (10 MHz segments)
470-509 473-512 +3 (6 MHz segments)
851-896 806-851 -45
935-940 896-901 -39

5112. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35f305b4.22414259@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 144898

20% off of $200 is $40, making the total price $160.
Why are they giving 20% off? Just for applying for a new credit card?
In the past I thought they had given out 10% off coupons.

Curious CATHY

On Sun, 06 Sep 1998 10:30:35 -0400, rpluta@spam.me.not.earthlink.net
(Robert Pluta) wrote:
>
>This month at the RS I see the PRO 2050 is on sale for $200 (U$). Purchase
>it with a RS credit card (which I'm told you can apply for the same day)
>and get 20 percent off. That's the PRO 2050 for $180! Good deal, eh?

5113. Re: Pro 90/91

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6sv0qp$pr7$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144899

Display: Pro-91 has a larger display. Also the Pro-91 displays the channel number of the control frequency and the channel number that a certain talkgroup uses for its transmission. This is lacking on the Pro-91.

Audio: The sound quality of the Pro-90 is better. The Pro-91 has a "hiss" that is annoying. Evidently there is an audio mod for the Pro-91 that is supposed to fix this but I haven't been able to find out too much about it.

Performance: Pro-90 and Pro-91 performance is very similar. At my home the Pro-90 is more affected by interference from strong pager signals than my Pro-91 is.

Batteries: Pro-90 can only use rechargeable batteries, so if they die, then you must wait to recharge them or have an extra battery pack and hope it is charged up. Pro-91 can use regular batteries or NiCd rechargeable batteries. I use high capacity NiCds that I took out of my Pro-26. They are over three years old and still last all day long.

AC power: Pro-90 comes w/ an AC adapter/charger. You have to spend another $7.99 for the AC adapter/charger for the Pro-91.

DC power: Pro-90 cigarette lighter adapter doesn't require a transformer so it usually sells for less than the Pro-91 adapter which needs a transformer.

Programming: Pro-90 can be programmed directly. Pro-91 must be put into the "programming mode." This means there are fewer steps involved in the Pro-90 programming process, but the Pro-91 programming mode makes it harder to accidently erase stored frequencies.

Duplicate entry: The Pro-90 informs you of duplicate entries. The Pro-91 informs you only when programming a trunked system.

Both models are manufactured by Uniden. The Pro-90 is a copy of a Uniden Bearcat model. The Pro-91 is custom manufactured by Uniden to RadioShack's specifications. This means that the RadioShack model follows many of the design characteristics of earlier generations of RadioShack scanners.

BTW: RadioShack has mentioned that it will make and EDACS capable scanner when the technology to price ratio allows.

Dewey R. Watkins III wrote in message
<6sunuhkgf1@winter.news.erols.com>...
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>Dewey
>drwatkins3@erols.com

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5114. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sv5c2$v4m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144900

In article <35F2D638.4BC4@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> No stalking needed, just use dejanews like you use all the time. Or are
> you saying those who use dejanews are stalkers?

No, i use dejanews to get e-mail and read about scanners. I do not use it to carry out a sick obsession like you do. You are a pitiful peron, Mr. mackey. I hope you can get some help for your problem before it tears you up./
Merry

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5115. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sv5hr$v73$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144901

In article <35F2D792.5234@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> You know that is true as you are afraid to use you real ID becaues
> you are ashamed to let people know who you really are & that
> you will lose your AOL account.

Like your other postingst that you make, this makes no sense. Whaqt do you mean about lose your AOL account? i'm glad I do not use my real name because I have seen the sick things you do to the people who prove you to be stupid and a liar. Merry

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5116. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sv5s8vvc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144902

In article <35F2D517.749B@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> Why is it that you won't use your real ID on here. Are you
> ashamed & afraid AOL will pull your account for abuse?

Maybe I don't use my real id for the smae reasons you do not use yours many times. You still make no sense about AOL, but nothing i have seen you post makes any sense so I am not surprised,.
Yo9u can never get better til you admit you are sick Mr. Mackey.
Merry

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5117. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sv660$4e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144903

In article <35F2D986.A3F@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> That statement was directed towards ONE PERSON (Mike Derryberry) & NOT
> to anyone else.

How stupid to send a message to one person on a public newsgroup in which there is hiundreds of people. Mr. Mackey you should learn how to know the difference between a e-mail to one person and a posting on a pubklic newsgroup. Sometimes you seem like a sick man and other times juist stupid. Merry

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5118. Re: Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: SixPak <SixPak@Srintmail.Com>
Message-ID: <35F30AC1.13D5A1D1@Srintmail.Com>
Source record: 144904

RONALDPURDUE wrote:

> Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have
> ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have
> the similar problem?

I had also ordered the CD from Grove. They explained that there were some
problems, and once they were corrected, they would release the CD around
the middle of September.

Don,
Niceville Florida

5119. PRO 27 handheld scanner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Linda Brodsky <ml488740@nassaulibrary.org>
Message-ID: <6sv3pr$5ab@mail.nassaulibrary.org>
Source record: 144905

See Ebay at http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBaylSAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=28625381

5120. Once Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F316D0.5D073711@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144906

Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey).
Edited for the more salient point(s). Compelling nonetheless.

SNIP --- Data From Smally ----

I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed, folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------

Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
APR 98	194	128	27	41	25	12	0
MAR 98	254	240	49	24	50	18	0
FEB 98	200	274	51	27	46	18	0
JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
DEC 97	149	227	32	0	16	1	0
NOV 97	63	65	1	0	10	0	0
OCT 97	48	60	0	0	8	0	0
SEP 97	181	78	0	2	4	0	0
AUG 97	29	2	0	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	2139	2348	201	203	275	266	341

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5121. Re: Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Lee <terrylee@interl.net>
Message-ID: <35F32470.7D2BCDBA@interl.net>
Source record: 144907

RONALDPURDUE wrote:

> Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have
> ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have
> the similar problem?

Yep! I ordered mine in April!
They keep delaying the date when it'll be shipped. Fire off an e-mail to bgrove@grove.net and ask him. You'll get an excuse like I did on why an advertised product in their magazine and WEB site since April isn't ready yet. They even put in their "Whats New" column of their magazine that it was "now shipping" in the June or July issue.

- Terry

5122. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Hardy <rudyh@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <6sv9td$34j$1@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I got one free today. The salesman only verified my name in the computer. He said for inventory purposes.

CommQuart wrote in message <6snne3liu1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>Most of the 'Shacks never charged their regular known customers
>for the catalog anyway.
>
>Pete
>
>John Habbinga wrote in message <6snl5e$t10$1@news4.wt.net>...
>>I have learned that the catalog price will be changed to $0.00 in the point
>>of sale system at RadioShack. I would imagine this would happen as soon as
>>the programmers can download the new price into the store's computers.
>>
>>So all your complaining was heard by the powers that be at RadioShack.
>>
>>Now, can you find something else to whine about?
>>
>>
>
>

5123. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <523_9809061900@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144909

-=> Quoting John to All <=-

Jo> From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

john "diarrhea mouth" mackey is a L I A R
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___ Blue Wave/QWK v2.12
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5124. Re: FRS radio mod question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brian_usenet@cizone.com>
Message-ID: <UzHI1.93$T2.3388831@news.en.com>
Source record: 144910

Most of the FRS radios are controlled by a CPU and are virtually impossible to modify for that purpose. Manufacturers of FRS units do an excellent job making the radios difficult to modify to avoid abuse of the FRS frequencies.

If you're interested in receiving business or police frequencies, buying a portable scanner is best. If you need to transmit on these frequencies (and I assume you hold a license to do so), you should look into buying one of the many radios specifically designed for this purpose. Transmitting without a license on business/police frequencies will get you in some serious trouble very quickly.

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Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
http://www.cizone.com
Computer and Internet features, books, news, free
technical support, and more.
To reply, remove "_usenet" from my e-mail address.

MichaelDR1 wrote in message
<19980903234837OO.TAA27440@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Was wondering if it is possible to "tweek and tune" an FRS radio to use
with
>another frequency like business radio, police or security. I looked at some
of
>these radios in a store the other day and was curious. If anyone knows,
please
>advise.
>
>Michael

5125. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F35044.B5FB0AC0@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144911

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> Florida's scanner laws ned some serious re-working. Thank goodness
> California cops don't really care about scanners in cars and couldn't do
> anything about a scanner anyway. Just don't use it in the commission of
> a crime and you are fine.
>
> I think if I lived in Florida, I would be doing some serious letter
> writing to my state "politicions"

They're tremendously conservative in their police policies down there. Number one, they depend on the tourist trade. They have no real industry other than tourism. So they're looking for any way to avoid any bad publicity.

They got some serious problems down there with crime. My brother is stationed down in Southern FL and he tells me about this latest antic: They got some people waiting for traffic on the interstate (Every day: traffic standstill.) And they wait for it to get backed up, then they just make they're way down the interstate on foot with a gun and just rob each car along the way.

I imagine they're just banging their revolver against each grid-locked driver's window and holding out a burlap bag.

"How often does that happen?" I asked my brother.
"Well,...how often do you think a traffic jam happens down here?" he said.

I'll bet they're enacting laws right and left. It's probably illegal to brandish a TOOTHBRUSH in Florida!

Hey, lawmakers know that one of the most formidable lobbying groups is AARP. Where the hell do ya think they live? They got the time, and you know they're not gonna sit by and ignore what's going on in their own backyard. Can ya see some Florida senior citizen pinning some assemblyman with his walker against the wall of the capitol. "Now looky here young fella, I had my social security check boosted by some young punk with a *toothbrush*. Are ya gonna do something about it or am I gonna hafta call in the AARP?"

A buddy of mine went down to FL for bike week a couple of years ago. He and another rider trailered their hogs down to Daytona. He unloaded the bikes and they took off. A couple of blocks down, a senior citizen turned right in front of them on a 55mph freeway. He pulled out there and froze. My buddy is still walking around with pins in his legs. Turns out that there's some extremely protective insurance regulations regarding liability down there. Bad drivers were able to squeeze some pretty good liability

protections through the FL assembly. Who do you think that group was?

Jack would know about this. What's your take on this?

5126. FS IC-R100 factory unlocked version

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <jrc@ohio.net>
Message-ID: <35F354A5.76FF@ohio.net>
Source record: 144912
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

fs ic-r100 mint -box- man little use,purchased just before blocked version hit the shelf. 500 shipped jrc@ohio.net

5127. Houston Scanning: Power of Houston Show

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "TraceyLevin." <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F3626B.624@swbell.net>
Source record: 144913
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello!

Do you know the best frequencies to monitor during the Power of Houston event? Its a week long show which will have many lasers and fireworks displays, and music too!

The set up crews, and the guys operating the laser and lights would be great to monitor. HPD is too easy.

If you know any of these, please drop me a note. This is my sisters system, so I might miss your reply if you dont mail it to this account.\
Thanks a lot!

Mark

5128. Re: Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "TraceyLevin." <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F36133.C26@swbell.net>
Source record: 144914

RONALDPURDUE wrote:
>
> Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have
> ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have
> the similar problem?

I heard that Grove might be in financial trouble.
I hope not.

5129. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg9jo <kg9jo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6svokg$mq1$1@sol.pdnt.net>
Source record: 144915

There will be some dealers shortly. Edco no longer sells AOR products in
the US. A sticky situation (I hear) with the FCC. AORJA will or has opened
its own dist. site in CA. You should start seeing the scanners soon.
Universal Radio and Hamstation should have them by Mid Semptember.
73's
Darren

bestur@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6sv98i$4b8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Are there any dealers 4 AOR in the US..Specially LasVegas? When I was
Browsing
>www.aorja.com i found 0 american dealers.
>
>Please E-mail me usenetx@iname.com
>remove the X from my e-mail address.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5130. Need San Diego freq (s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35F365E4.7E12@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144916

Will be in San Diego, Ca. for a few days. Would someone be kind enough
to give me a few good frequencies for that area. Thank You Bob

5131. Re: Houston Scanning: Power of Houston Show

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6svoqv$b3j$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144917
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I don't know of any frequencies that are specific to the Power of Houston events. I have a website at http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/ that has lots of Houston area frequencies on it. If you find some good frequencies please forward them to me and I'll make sure they get posted on the web.

TraceyLevin. wrote in message <35F3626B.624@swbell.net>...
>Hello!
>
> Do you know the best frequencies to monitor during the Power of
>Houston event? Its a week long show which will have many lasers and
>fireworks displays, and music too!
>
> The set up crews, and the guys operating the laser and lights would
>be great to monitor. HPD is too easy.
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> If you know any of these, please drop me a note. This is my sisters
>system, so I might miss your reply if you dont mail it to this account.\
>Thanks a lot!
>
>Mark

5132. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg9jo <kg9jo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6svqesnqm1@sol.pdnt.net>
Source record: 144918

There will be some dealers shortly. Edco no longer sells AOR products in
the US. A sticky situation (I hear) with the FCC. AORJA will or has opened
its own dist. site in CA. You should start seeing the scanners soon.
Universal Radio and Hamstation should have them by Mid Semptember.
73's
Darren

bestur@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6sv98i$4b8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Are there any dealers 4 AOR in the US..Specially LasVegas? When I was
Browsing
>www.aorja.com i found 0 american dealers.
>
>Please E-mail me usenetx@iname.com
>remove the X from my e-mail address.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5133. Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Berry <cberry@efn.org>
Message-ID: <35F34AA6.406A77DB@efn.org>
Source record: 144919

I would like to put my 2 meter radio and scanner on the same antenna while isolating the scanner from 2 meter when transmitting. What are your recommendations?

Chuck Berry
n7chs

5134. Swissair Comms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Stallsworth <r.stallsworth@sylvania.sev.org>
Message-ID: <35F2CECC.A242A2EC@sylvania.sev.org>
Source record: 144920

"Swissair Flight 1113/8: Swissair
111 heavy (wide-bodied aircraft) is
declaring Pan Pan Pan (an urgent
message but not a distress call). We
have smoke in the cockpit, request
deviate immediate right turn to a
convenient place. I guess Boston.
CONTROLLER: Would you prefer to
go into Halifax?
SWR111: Affirmative for Swissair
111 ... Prefer Halifax from our
position. (According to the CTSB,
Swissair Flight 111 was 70 nautical
miles from Halifax and 300 nautical
miles from Boston at this juncture.
Aircraft starts a descent from 33,000
feet.)
CONTROLLER: Okay. Active
runway at Halifax is zero-six. Should I
start you a vector (directional
instructions) for six?
SWR111: Yes, vector for six will be
fine, Swissair 111 heavy.
CONTROLLER: Turn left
heading zero-three-zero.
CONTROLLER: You've
got 30 miles to fly to the threshold
(start of
runway).
SWR111: We need more than 30
miles...
CONTROLLER: Turn left ... lose
some altitude...
SWR111: Roger, we are turning left
...
SWR11: We must dump some fuel.
We may do that in this area during
descent.
CONTROLLER: Okay.
SWR111: Okay, we are able to turn
left or right turn toward the south to
dump.
CONTROLLER: Roger, turn left
heading of 200 degrees and advise me

when you are ready to dump ...
SWR111: We are declaring an emergency at time zero-one-two-four (01:24 a.m. Greenwich Mean Time, 9:24 EDT) We are starting vent (dumping fuel) now. We have to land immediately.
CONTROLLER: Swissair 111, you are cleared to commence your fuel dump on that track and advise me when the dump is completed.
CONTROLLER: Swissair 111, you are cleared to start fuel dump.

(There were no further communications from the Swissair Flight 111, the CTSB says. About six minutes later, the aircraft struck the water.)

5135. Value Jet Comms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Stallsworth <r.stallsworth@sylvania.sev.org>
Message-ID: <35F2CF5F.83517030@sylvania.sev.org>
Source record: 144921

COCKPIT VOICE RECORDER

Group Chairman's Factual Report

SUMMARY

A Fairchild model A-I OOA cockpit
voice recorder (CVR), s/n 54227, was brought to
the audio laboratory of the National
Transportation Safety Board on May 26, 1996. The
Cockpit Voice Recorder committee
convened on May 27, 1996. A transcript was
prepared of the entire 31:19 minute
recording.

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

The exterior of the CVR showed
evidence of major structural damage. The outer
case
was compressed and wrinkled along the
longitudinal axis. A hole was punched through
the top of the outer casing and
extended through the structural portion of the
memory
module. The tape and its reel were
slightly dented. A heavy coating of soot covered
the
front portion of the outer casing.
The interior of the recorder and the tape
sustained
only minor impact and no heat damage.
No underwater locator beacon (ULB) was
attached. All four bolts for the ULB
mounting plate had been sheared.

The recording consisted of four
channels of audio information. One channel
contained
the cockpit area microphone audio
information. Two other channels contained the
Captain and First Officer, audio
panel information. The fourth channel contained
interphone and public address
information Timing on the tape was established
using the

known time of several air traffic
control transmission recorded on a cassette tape
provided by the FM.

The recording started at 13:40:29 EDT
and continued until sometime after 14:13:11
EDT, the last verifiable time on the
CVR recording. The recording was interrupted
twice, once for one minute and twelve
seconds and a second time for an unknown
time period. When the recording
started, the pilots were starting engines during
the
push-back procedure. The recording
continued as the crew taxied, performed the
takeoff, and initial climb portion of
the trip. The crew experienced an problem of
unknown origin, declared an emergency
and attempted to return to the nearest airport.
The final segment of the recording
ended at an unknown time.

LEGEND:

RDO -- Radio transmission from
accident aircraft

CAM -- Cockpit area microphone voice
or sound source

ALL -- Sound source heard on all
channels

INT -- Transmissions over aircraft
interphone system

GND -- Radio transmission from Miami
approach control

TWR -- Radio transmission from Miami
tower

DEP -- Radio transmission from Miami
departure control

AA960 -- Radio transmission from
American flight 960

UNK -- Radio transmission received
from unidentified source

PA -- Transmission made over aircraft
public address system

-1 -- Voice identified as
Pilot-in-Command (PIC)

-2 -- Voice identified as Co-Pilot

-3 -- Voice identified as senior
female flight attendant

-? -- Voice unidentified

* -- Unintelligible word

@ -- Non pertinent word

-- Expletive

% -- Break in continuity

( ) -- Quetionable insertion

[ ] -- Editorial insertion

... -- Pause

INTRA-COCKPIT COMMUNICATION

START OF RECORDING

START OF TRANSCRIPT

13:40:29 PA-3 -- [announcement heard
through both the CAM channel and the fourth
CVR channel] *cates you have reached
or are near the exit. the cabin has been
pressurized for your comfort. if
oxygen is ****, the compartment above your seat.
reach up, pull down on the mask until
the tubing is fully extended. place the mask over
your nose and mouth, secure it with
the elastic band and breathe normally. the oxygen
bag may not appear to inflate,
however, oxygen is flowing. for those of you
traveling
with small children, adjust your mask
first and then assist the child. and passenger
seat
cushions on this aircraft may be used
as a flotation device and detailed instructions
may
be found on the safety information
card. smoking is not permitted at any time while
on
board this aircraft. also, federal
law *tampering, disabling, or destroying these
detectors **lavatory. your compliance
with all crew *structions, all placards, light

seat
belt and no smoking signs, is
required. also keep in mind, due to possible
interference
with navigational or communications
systems, the following electronic devices may not
be used during takeoff or landing.
portable compact disk players, portable computers,

and cellular phones which should be
in the off position and stowed. now in preparation

for takeoff, please fasten your
seatbeit, return your seatback and tray tables to
the full
upright and locked position. your
carry-on luggage must be stowed in the overhead
compartments or underneath the seat
in front of you. on behalf of all ValuJet
employees, we'd like to thank you for
selecting us today. we hope you enjoy your
flight.

13:40:41 CAM-2 {Sound of cough}

13:40:51 CAM [sound of several
clicks]

13:41:17 CAM-1 below the line.

13:41:18 CAM-2 cleared to start?

13:41:19 CAM-1 received.

13:41:20 CAM-2 shoulder haness?

13:41:20 CAM-1 on.

13:41:21 CAM-2 parking brakes.

13:41:22 CAM-1 set.

13:41:23 CAM-2 fuel quantity

13:41:23 CAM-1 twenty two three.

13:41:24 CAM-2 twenty two three.

12:41:25 CAM-2 pneumatic crossfeeds?

13:41:26 CAM-1 open.

13:41:26 CAM 2 anti-oollision light.

13:41:27 CAM-1 on.

13:41:29 CAM-2 air conditioning
supply switches?

13:41:30 CAM 1 off.

13:41:31 CAM-2 fuel boost pumps?

13:41:32 CAM-1 on.

13:41:33 CAM-2 ignition?

13:41:33 CAM-1 on.

13:41:33 CAM-2 before start checklist
complete.

13:41:48 CAM-3 do you want me to tell
them *mention***information about
connections

13:41:52 CAM-1 you can tell them as
we get closer ***

13:41:56 CAM-2 oil pressure and N
one.

13:41:57 PA-3 and ladies and
gentlemen 1Or those of you that are all concerned
about
your connections, captain Kubec just
informed me as soon as we get a little bit closer
to Atianta, we're able to re, relay
*messages to them...

13:42:02 ALL [sound of increasing
frequency similar to generator increasing in RPM]

13:42:08 ALL [beep sound similar to
momentary power interruption to CVR]

13:42:08 PA-3 ...we'll give you more
information as we get it. thank you.

13:42:18 CAM-1 they're going put a
stop on us?

13:42:24 CAM-1 OK, we'll be ready in
about two minutes

13:42:27 GND OK thanks

13:42:31 CAM-2 uuuuuh

13:42:37 CAM-1 -- ****

13:42:47 INT-4 -- ground to captain.
set brakes please.

13:42:49 CAM -- [sound similar to
parking breaks being set]

13:42:50 INT-1 -- brakes are set

13:42:51 INT-4 -- thank you

13:42:57 CAM-2 -- **... fuel

13:42:58 CAM -- [sound of increasing
frequency similar to generator increasing in
RPM]

13:43:00 CAM-2 thirty...five

13:43:05 CAM -- [sound of numerous
clicks]

13:43:14 CAM -- [sound similar to two
cabin chimes]

13:43:18 INT-? -- yeah

13:43:19 CAM-1 -- before taxi please

13:43:21 CAM-2 -- electrical panel?

13:43:23 CAM-1 -- set

13:43:23 CAM-2 -- ignition?

13:43:14 CAM-1 -- off

13:43:24 CAM-2 -- pilot static heat?

13:43:25 CAM-1 -- on

13:43:26 CAM-1 -- ice protection?

13:43:26 CAM-1 -- off

13:43:27 CAM-2 -- center tank pumps?

13:43:27 CAM-1 -- on

13:43:28 CAM-2 flight attendant
signal?

13:43:28 CAM-1 given

13:43:29 CAM-2 air conditioning
supply?

13:43:30 CAM-1 auto

13:43:30 CAM-2 door lights?

13:43:31 CAM-1 checked and out

13:43:32 CAM-2 and hydraulic pumps?
are set, before taxi check list complete

13:43:34 CAM-1 OK, I'll pull up a
little. zero two.

13:43:37 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

13:44:01 CAM-2 WINCO?

13:44:01 CAM-1 yes

13:44:22 CAM-1 clear**

13:44:23 CAM-2 clearance****

13:44:32 CAM-1 flaps five please
we'll have to hold short of Zulu

13:44:36 CAM [sound of click similar
to flap handle being moved]

13:44:41 CAM-1 single engine taxi,
please

13:44:42 CAM-2 single engine

13:44:49 CAM-? ***

13:44:52 CAM-2 APU electric and air
is set. air conditinioning uh, supply on the right

side is HP off. air conditioning auto
shutoff is override. ice protection number two is
off. right pneumatic crossfeed open.
number two fuel control level is off.

13:45:09 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

13:45:10 CAM [beep sound similar to
momentary power interruption to CVR]

13:45:22 Zulu is way down by the
end...OKaayy

13:45:31 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

13:45:34 CAM-1 before takeoff check

13:45:35 CAM-2 performance data &
bugs, for a hundred and five thousand flaps five,
V two one forty six

13:45:39 CAM-1 one forty six set
and...

13:45:41 CAM-2 trim?

13:45:43 CAM-1 ...and uh, one point
nine nine across

13:45:45 CAM-2 yeah

13:45:48 CAM-1 ...point nine nine set
cross-checked

13:45:50 CAM-2 trim controls eight
ANU?

13:45:51 CAM-1 eight ANU, set.

13:45:52 CAM-2 flaps and stats are
five and a blue light?

13:45:54 CAM-1 five gauge blue light.

13:45:56 CAM-2 flight controls yaw
damper?

13:45:57 CAM-1 yaw dampers on,
bottoms are checked.

13:45:59 CAM-2 tops are checked,
passenger briefing done ** to the line.

13:46:03 CAM-1 OK, um, let's see
where do we go? three twenty two off Dolphin. it's

a vector to Dolphin.... and I'll set
three twenty two.

13:46:26 CAM-1 after WINCO it was
where?\

13:46:27 CAM-2 [sound of coughing]

13:46:30 CAM-2 WINCO Lakeland
Tallahassee. we gotta LaGrange six.

13:46:34 CAM-1 OK LaGrange OK Atlanta
itself had decent weather. I'm sure it's
(already) changed.... OK, five grand
gets blocked.

13:46:49 CAM-2 yep, three three one
forty.

13:46:51 CAM-1 the departure is?

13:46:52 CAM-2 is uh, nineteen forty
five.

13:46:55 CAM-1 OK...it's my takeoff,
it's my abort, flaps are five, V one min is one
thirty six. runway heading to five.

if we lose on takeoff. depending which runway we
go on, we'll uh, do a visual back
down the runway.

13:47:09 CAM-2 OK, if we go off
fou*uh, twelve then I think it's four hundred
feet.

13:47:12 CAM-1 right, to come back,
OK***

13:47:13 CAM-2 four hundred feet.

13:47:14 CAM-1 alright.

13:47:16 CAM-1 uh, when we're about
number three tor takeoff, we'll start number
two.

13:47:19 CAM-2 *

13:47:20 CAM-1 questions... no
question?

13:47:23 CAM-2 no questions.

13:47:58 CAM-1 all these airlines ya
never see normally **BizJet. \

13:48:01 CAM-? yeah.

13:48:04 CAM-1 is that a old Connie
back there? behind those but/dings?

13:48:07 CAM-2 aah, actually it's one
of those L-1011s.

13:48:11 CAM-1 just behind this dirt
pile here.

13:48:12 CAM-2 OK, yeah. ******

13:48:18 CAM-1 doesn't even have
paint on it. twin tails right there. about two
o'clock.

13:48:30 CAM-1 hold short of Zulu,
see it right there, off to the right?

13:48:33 CAM-2 aah, I see a seven
forty seven there.

13:48:36 CAM-1 He's real close to us,
right behind us.

13:48:38 CAM-2 ***

13:48:39 CAM-1 the antenna's off to
our right here by that building...it's kinda
camouflaged.

13:48:47 CAM-2 oh this, this twin
tailed thing here.

13:48:47 CAM-1 yeah.

13:48:48 CAM-2 oh, that's a uh,
that's uh...

13:48:50 CAM-1 Connie?

13:48:51 CAM-2 a one, Connis one
twenty one.

13:48:52 CAM-1 yeah.

13:48:53 CAM-2 son-of-a-gun. ***

13:49:44 CAM-1 *****

13:49:51 CAM-1 you want to test out
the PA and talk to the people. um you can ask if,
they hear or whatever you want.
understood whatever you use for words.

1350:00 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

13:50:04 PA-2 ladies and gentlemen
from the oockpit uh, we're on a hold right now for

crossing traffic on the ground. ah,
and we only anticipate maybe a five or ten minute
ground delay here but uh, we are
cleared to Atlanta just as soon as they can get us
out
through all the traffic here in
Miami.

13:50:28 CAM-2 ***flying all of a
sudden

13:52:38 CAM-1 which runway? its
probably nine left. follow the Boeing

13:54:02 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

13:54:24 CAM-2 three oh eight now.

13:54:26 CAM-1 three oh eight, set.

13:55:32 CAM-3 there's a women up.
she wants to use the bathroom.

13:55:35 CAM-1 yeah, hurry.

13:55:39 CAM-2 did you say warm it
up?

13:55:41 CAM-1 no, a women's using
the restroom.

13:55:43 CAM-2 aah.

13:56:52 CAM-1 engine re-start check
list.

13:57:00 CAM-2 [sound of cough] left
pneumatics closed, right pneumatic is open,
right air conditioning supply switch
offf. APU air is on. fuel pumps are on. ignition's

on. before start check list complete.

13:57:11 CAM-1 ignition is on.

13:57:13 CAM-2 number two.

13:57:14 CAM-1 @, is she still up?

13:57:16 CAM-? yes *up

13:57:21 CAM-1 nobody else up from
here on in.

13:57:24 CAM-2 oil pressure.

13:57:24 CAM-1 check.

13:57:33 CAM [sound of increasing
frequency similar to generator increasing in RPM]

13:57:37 CAM-2 light's out.

13:57:39 CAM [beep sound similar to
momentary power interruption to CVR]

13:57:41 CAM-1 sorry about that. I
got carried away.

13:57:50 CAM-1 below the lines for
re-start.

13:57:52 CAM-2 electrical panel?

13:57:53 CAM-1 is set.

13:57:54 CAM-2 APU air.

13:57:55 CAM-1 is off.

13:57:56 CAM-2 ignition?

13:57:57 CAM-1 is off.

13:57:57 CAM-2 ice protection number
two engine?

13:57:59 CAM-1 is off.

13:58:00 CAM-2 air conditioning
supply switches?

13:58:01 CAM-1 auto.

13:58:02 CAM-2 air conditoning auto
shut off

13:58:03 CAM-1 armed.

13:58:04 CAM-2 re-start checklist
complete.

13:58:26 CAM-2 [sound of coughing]

13:59:02 CAM-1 why don't you shut
down the APU.

13:59:03 CAM-2 **

13:59:20 CAM-1 ***takeoff **left
side. if we have to go back, we'll back it up with

the ILS. if we have to abort, you'll
tell the tower we're aborting.

13:59:26 CAM-2 OK.

13:59:27 CAM-1 altimeters?

13:59:31 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

13:59:40 CAM-1 once we get past WINC,
I'll probably have to set Tallahassee on your
side.

13:59:50 CAM-2 must be a big
conference ***lurch***

13:59:55 CAM 1 yeah.

14:00:15 CAM 1 we're next up.

14:00:17 CAM 2 yeah.

14:00:28 CAM 2 ****

14:00:29 CAM-1 yeah.

14:00:38 CAM-2 that's gotta be
frustrating for those, American guys, have to wait
for
the company to give them their

takeoff data.

14:00:51 CAM-1 I'd kinda like to have
that problem.

14:00:52 CAM-1 [sound of chuckle]

14:01:43 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

14:02:27 CAM-1 position and hold
below the line.

14:02:30 PA-2 ladies and gentlemen,
we've been cleared to the runway for departure.
flight attendants please be seated.

14:02:42 CAM-2 anti-skid coming on?

14:02:43 CAM-1 yep.

14:02:46 CAM [sound similar to
cockpit door being closed]

14:02:47 CAM-2 cockpit door is
locked, ignition on, APU, is off, flight attendant
signal
is given, anti-skid is, armed, and
TA, transponder is TA RA, pneumatic crossfeeds are

closed

14:02:58 CAM-1 OK.

14:02:58 CAM-2 .... annunciator panel
is checked, takeoff briefing is complete. flood
and logo lights.

14:03:01 CAM-1 OK.

14:03:02 CAM-2 ****

14:03:31 CAM 1 **lights are on.

14:03:34 CAM [sound similar to
engines increasing in RPM]

14:03:35 CAM-1 bleeds are closed.

14:03:39 CAM-1 set takeoff power.

14:03:42 CAM-2 power is set, we have
ninety five, ninety four.

14:03:47 CAM [sound of clunks
increasing in frequency similar to aircraft nose
tire

traveling over bumps in runway]

14:03:57 CAM-2 * hundred knots

14:03:58 CAM-1 check.

14:04:07 CAM-2 V one.

14:04:07 CAM-1 check

14:04:09 CAM-2 V r

14:04:15 CAM-2 positive rate.

14:04:15 CAM-1 gear up.

14:04:16 CAM-2 V two

14:04:20 CAM-2 five.

14:04:21 CAM [sound similar to
stabilizer-in-motion indicator]

14:04:31 CAM-1 flaps up.

14:04:43 CAM-1 slats retract.

14:04:44 CAM-2 slats retract.

14:04:46 CAM [Sound of click]

14:04:50 CAM [sound simliar to
stabilizer-in-motion indicator]

14:05:05 CAM-2 following the Boeing
straight ahead of us in a turn.

14:05:07 CAM-1 OK.

14:05:18 PA-3 and, ladies and
gentlemen, captain Kubeck will turn off the fasten
seat
belt sign just as soon she feels it's
safe for you to get up and move about the cabin.
until that time, please remain
comfortably seated) with your seat belts securely
fastened. we also suggest for your
safety that seatbeits be fastened even after the
sign
has been turned off. shortly we will
begin our in flight service. we are pleased to
offer
you a variety of soft drinks, coffee,
and juices. cocktails are available for three
dollars.
beer and wine are available for two

dollars. as always, correct change is greatly,
greatly
appreciated for a complete listing of
our complimentary beverages, they may be found
on page five of our Good Times
magazine. for now we just ask that you sit back
and
relax and enjoy your flight to
Atlanta, Georgia.

14:05:49 CAM-1 three six zero climb
power, climb check.

14:05:56 CAM-2 power's set.

14:06:29 CAM-2 gears up and checked,
flaps up, lights out, spoilers, is disarmed, the
ignition is off, fuel pumps are set,
air conditioning shutoff is override, hydraulic
pumps
off and low, flood and logo lights at
ten, and altimeters at eighteen.

14:06:40 CAM-1 thank you.

14:06:42 CAM [sound similar to
stabilizer-in-motion indicator]

14:06:55 CAM-1 three three zero

14:07:18 CAM-1 six for seven.

14:07:18 CAM-2 six for seven.

14:07:22 CAM-1 [tone similar to
altitude alert signal]

14:07:33 CAM-1 ****clear left

14:07:41 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

14:07:42 CAM-1 ***lets turn on the
radar***

14:08:00 CAM-2 got something out
there about eighty miles out.

14:08:02 CAM-1 OK.

14:08:03 CAM-2 that must be that
thunderstorm.

14:08:08 CAM-1 there's a break here
like ***

14:08:28 CAM-1 rd hate to be in this thing at a hundred and eight thousand and in through this weather.

14:08:32 CAM-2 yeah.

14:09:18 CAM-2 [sound of cough]

14:09:21 CAM-1 **

14:09.26 CAM [sound similar to stabilizer-in-motion indicator]

14:09:30 CAM-2 you don't want to hold them down for a while, did ya ?

14:09:32 CAM-1 no, they're OK for right now.

14:09:36 PA-2 flight attendants, departure check please.

14:09:44 CAM-1 we're *** turbulence

14:09:02 CAM [sound of click]

14:10:03 CAM [sound of chirp heard on cockpit area microphone channel with simultaneous beep on public address/interphone channel]

14:10:07 CAM-1 what was that?

14:10:08 CAM-2 I don't know.

14:10:12 CAM-1 *** ('bout to lose a bus?)

14:10:15 CAM-1 we got some electrical problem.

14:10:17 CAM-2 yeah.

14:10:18 CAM-2 that battery charger's kickin' in. ooh, we gotta.

14:10:20 CAM-1 we're losing everything.

14:10:22 CAM-1 we need, we need to go back to Miami.

14:10:23 CAM [sounds of shouting from passenger cabin]

14:10:25 CAM-? fire, fire, fire, fire [from female voices in cabin]

14:10:27 CAM-? we're on fire, we're
on fire. [from male voice]

14:10:28 CAM [sound of tone similar
to landing gear warning horn for three seconds]

14:10:30 CAM-1 ** to Miami.

14:10:36 CAM [sounds of shouting from
passenger cabin subsides]

14:10:42 CAM [sound of horn]

14:10:44 CAM-1 fire

14:10:49 CAM-1 what altitude?

14:10:49 CAM-2 seven thousand.

14:10:52 CAM [sound similar to
cockpit door moving]

14:10:57 CAM [sound of six chimes
similar to cabin service interphone]

14:10:58 CAM-3 OK, we need oxygen, we
can't get oxygen back here.

14:11:00 INT [sound similar to
microphone being keyed only on Interphone channel]

14:11:02 CAM-3 *ba*, is there a way
we could test them? [sound of clearing her
voice]

14:11:08 CAM [sound of chimes simiiar
to cabin service interphone]

14:11:10 CAM [sounds of shouting from
passenger cabin]

14:11:12 CAM-3 completely on fire.

14:11:14 CAM [sounds of shouting from
passenger cabin subsides]

14:11:19 CAM-2 outta nine.

14:11:19 CAM [sound of intermittant
horn]

14:11:21 CAM [sound similar to loud
rushing air]

14:11:45 CAM one minute and twelve
second interruption in CVR rocording]

14:12:57 CAM [sound of tone similar
to power interruption to CVR]

14:12:57 CAM [sound similar to loud
rushing air]

14:12:57 ALL [sound of repeating
tones similar to CVR self test signal start and
continue]

14:13:11 CAM [interruption of unknown
duration in CVR recording]

5136. Additional ValuJet 592 Comms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Stallsworth <r.stallsworth@sylvania.sev.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D050.1F0C0C2A@sylvania.sev.org>
Source record: 144922

ValuJet Flight 592 lasted 10 minutes from takeoff
to nose dive.

It started typically, a little late.
The only unusual thing the passengers might have
noticed was that the flight attendant
who was making announcements referred to the
captain as ``she.''

That was pilot Candalyn Kubeck, a day
past her 35th birthday. She had been captivated
by flight as a teenager when she
attended an air show at Oshkosh, Wis.

She had worked as an air traffic
controller, a flight instructor, a commuter pilot,
and as
a flight officer with Eastern
Airlines for two years. She joined ValuJet in
October 1993,
one of only a few female captains on
commercial jets.

Her reactions under pressure had been
tested in September 1995, when smoke filled the
cockpit during a departure from
Dallas-Fort Worth. She brought that plane back in
safely.

Next to Kubeck sat co-pilot Richard
Hazen, 52. He had told his wife, Catherine, that
he
liked Kubeck. He liked everyone, his
wife said.

Routine checklist

Out on the taxiway, they run through
the checklist. Cleared to runway Nine Left at
1:44 p.m., they wait 16 more minutes
behind other planes.

It is Kubeck's takeoff. Hazen handles
the microphone.

``Ladies and gentlemen, we've been
cleared to the runway for departure,'' he

announces
at 2:02 p.m. ``Flight attendants
please be seated.''

The jet accelerates on runway Nine
Left. The nose rises. It speeds eastward toward
Biscayne Bay.

Kubeck: Gear up.

In about five minutes, everybody --
pilot, copilot, flight attendants, passengers, 110

people -- all will begin dying. Five
minutes later, all will be dead.

Right now, though, nobody knows
anything is wrong. The jetliner climbs.

In the cargo hold, something slides.

A voice from the darkness

In the near-darkness of Miami
departure control, Jesse Fisher, 36, takes over
ValuJet's
direction.

He addresses it as ``Critter 592,''
the nickname inspired by the cartoon image of a
grinning airplane on ValuJet
fuselages.

``Afternoon departure,'' Hazen says.
``Critter 592 out of 500, going to 5,000.

As the jet flies just above North
Bayshore Drive, Fisher sends it the other way:
first a
northward turn, then another to the
northwest.

Beneath the feet of passengers in the
first 10 rows of seats, something awful is
happening.

Boxes of oxygen generators bang
around, igniting one or more. Oxygen spews, fire
intensifies.

Just above, nobody knows anything is
wrong. Not yet.

As the plane makes a wide arc,
passengers can recognize Joe Robbie Stadium,

Opa-locka Airport, the Big Bend in
the Palmetto Expressway, I-75 and the Florida
Turnpike.

They are seeing these things for the
last time.

Kubeck tells Hazen to turn on the
radar.

Hazen: Got something out there, about
80 miles out. That must be that thunderstorm.

Now, they hear a strange noise.

Exactly what the noise is, no one
knows for certain. Best guess: the fire has been
burning virtually from the moment the
DC-9's nose tilted up on takeoff, and the heat
has expanded the air in the cargo
tires until they begin blowing out. If not that,
then
likely the sound of a bursting
bulkhead, between the cargo hold and the passenger

cabin.

Kubeck: What was that?

Hazen: I don't know.

The captain wonders if a fuse is
failing. Earlier, the trip from Atlanta to Miami
was
delayed by electrical problems.

Kubeck: About to lose a buss? We got
some electrical problem.

Hazen: Yeah. That battery charger's
kicking in. Oooh, we gotta --

Kubeck: We're losing everything.

Time: 20 seconds past 2:10 p.m.

ValuJet 592, still flying
northwestward, is leaving Fisher's territory. He
tries to hand it
off to Miami Air Route Traffic
Control Center, in a low building northwest of the

airport. Fisher gives the crew a new
radio frequency:

``Critter 592, contact Miami Center
on 130-245. So long.''

But they don't reply.

``Fire! Fire, fire, fire!'' come
women's shrieks from the cabin.

Kubeck to Hazen: We need, we need to
go back to Miami.

``We're on fire, we're on fire!'' a
man cries.

Then an alarm sounds, one of several
to be heard in the next minute.

Kubeck: To Miami.

Bedlam aloft

Fisher, unaware of the trouble, again
asks Flight 592 to contact Miami Center.

Hazen: Uh, 592 needs an immediate
return to Miami.

First, Fisher gives him a heading and
altitude.

``Critter 592, uh, roger, turn left
heading 270. Descend and maintain 7,000.''

Fisher: What kind of problem are you
having?

Kubeck to Hazen: Fire.

Hazen to Fisher: Smoke in the
cockpit, smoke in the cabin.

Fisher has worked emergencies before.
A private plane ran out of gas. Two Boeing
737s returned to the airport with
cabin air pressure problems.

Nothing like this. This is
horrifying. Fisher cries out:

``I need a supervisor over here!''

A plea for vectors

Robert T. Paul, 38, supervising 13
controllers this afternoon, hurries over.

``Critter is returning to the
airport,'' Fisher tells him, briefing him on the
smoke.

Paul plugs in his headset at Fisher's
position, standing at Fisher's right shoulder. The

airliner is over the Everglades now,
25 miles northwest of Miami.

Fisher calls Miami tower control to
report Critter is returning. He calls the plane
and
instructs the crew to follow Dolphin
VOR, a navigation guide.

Hazen asks for radar vectors -- exact
directions.

Fisher tells him 140 degrees. Hazen
acknowledges, voice cracking.

On radar, Hazen sees 592 making the
turn. It's being made very slowly.

No formal declaration of emergency
has been made. Fisher doesn't need one. He
knows.

In the plane, the cockpit door opens.

Flight attendant: OK, we need oxygen,
we can't get oxygen back here . . .

The intercom chimes. More shouting
from the cabin.

Flight attendant: Completely on fire.

And then, inferno

The shouts are subsiding. Fire -- hot
enough to melt an aluminum seat frame -- has
conquered the passenger cabin.
Plastic objects -- ceiling liners, overhead
baggage
holders -- are burning, creating
lethal gases, including cyanide.

Hazen and Kubeck can still speak.

Hazen: Critter 592, we need the, ah,
closest airport available.

Opa-locka Airport is slightly closer
than Miami International. If the airplane could be

stopped and backed up to park, like a
bus, it might be able to land there a little
sooner.
But the DC-9 has to make a wide turn,
and on that path Miami International is just as
close.

Fisher tries to reassure Hazen:
Critter 592, they're going to be standing by for
you. You
can plan Runway One-Two when able.''

After the words ``You can plan,'' the
cockpit voice recorder fails. There is an
interruption of one minute and 12
seconds.

An alternate: Opa-locka

In the radar room, recording
equipment is still working. So are Hazen and
Kubeck,
asking again for directions.

Hazen: Need radar vectors.

It's a clear day. Fisher, a pilot
himself, figures Hazen and Kubeck must have
trouble
seeing in the cockpit. He gives the
radar vectors.

Fisher: Critter 592, turn left,
heading one-four-zero.

Hazen: One-four-zero.

There are no more words from Critter
592.

Fisher's boss, Robert Paul, suggests
telling Hazen where Opa-locka is.

Fisher: Critter 592, Opa-locka
Airport's about, ah, 12 o'clock at 15 miles.

Nobody answers. There are clicks on
the cockpit microphone buttons, apparently an
attempt to acknowledge as Fisher
gives Flight 592 instructions four more times.

Then the clicks stop too.

Fisher and Paul are standing in the
gloom, staring at the radar screen. The ValuJet
592

readout flashes XXX. It means radar
has lost sight of the plane, or it has moved so
fast
-- up or down -- that the radar could
not track it. Paul knows exactly what it means:

``The plane is down!''

`I saw an airplane crash'

Two small private airplanes are over
the Everglades. One is a Piper Arrow flown by
Daniel B. Meulhaupt, on a pleasure
flight from Opa-locka to Naples with a friend,
Richard Delisle. Delisle has a
camera; his photos will be the first taken of the
crash
scene.

The other plane is a Piper Cherokee,
whose pilot apparently is not known.

Arrow: ``I just saw an airplane crash
down here. Ah, six-eight Romeo. It's scary.

Air Control: Yes sir, we're working
on that right how. Thank you very much.

Cherokee: Miami Approach,
nine-two-zero-one Zulu, just minute, a few minutes
ago I
saw a crash about three, 300 radial
of Miami VOR.

The tower asks the Cherokee to
circle, trying to get a radar fix on the spot.

Air Control: Do you see any people
moving on the ground?

Arrow: Negative . . . That plane
broke up into a million pieces.

Since the loud popping sound, thought
to be the blowout of a tire in the cargo hold,
four minutes have passed.

And 110 souls.

5137. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13810-35F37B11-45@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144923

before or after you bought the parts

born to be wild (thats my theam)

5138. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t00j1ddo1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144924

MAlexder wrote in message
<1998090619495300.PAA05294@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>>From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
>
>>
>>I often go to the ham radio newsgroups & never have problems there. Only
here
>with the low-lifers like YOU.
>
>Well, I've been called worst things (and much more imaginatively, I might
add).
>Funny, no one has ever called me an electronic stalker, forger, computer
>trespasser, liar, impersonator, or any of the other things that are
commonly
>applied to you.
>
>So, when are you going to stop with the flaming and all of your usual
antics,
>Mackey? Cheek is gone but you're still at it. Each off-topic post from you
>confirms what everyone has long believed. You are a liar. A sick liar, at
that.
>
>
>
He reacts to each post about Bill and of Bill`s material like it was posted
just to aggravate him. He claims I started this thread. And he is right. All
I had to say was that Bill Cheek could use a little help from his friends,
and Mackey went over the edge again. The REAL question is, why does he feel
he has to have a knee - jerk reaction to each and every post of this nature
? An examination of his actions reveal the underlying motives.... He
misses Bill worse than any of us do ! Bill has become his obsession, his
WHOLE LIFE. How is he going to garner any glory without him ? Without Bill
to bounce off of, he is nothing again. Bill OWNS him. He MUST feversishly
read the scanner news groups every day, 10 times a day, just to hear about
him. Bill fills his every waking moment..... Bill is a father figure to be
rebelled against, you see, as any male authority figure in his life must be
rebelled against. Daddy must pay for his sins ......
He is a fascinating psychological study. He will exhibit this
behaviour in any group he frequents on a regular basis. This means he has no
self - respect. He has no achievements to show, no knowledge or expertise,
and so he must belittle the achievments of others. He is, forever, "The guy
who fought with Bill Cheek". What tremendous status ! I am impressed. Aren`t
you ? He has completely misjudged the way adults will react to this bizarre
mental aberration of his. The rest of his profile is too gruesome to go

into.

Not to get off the subject, but perhaps some of you would enjoy reading "Journey into Darkness" By John Douglas..... Should be able to find a copy at the local library.....

5139. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <545_9809070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144925

-=> Quoting John to All <=-

Jo> Once again, you are either a liar or don't know what you are talking

john "diarrhrea mouth" mackey is a L I A R
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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5140. The Bill Cheek issue!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <546_9809070100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144926

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

Jo> No stalking needed, just use dejanews like you use all the time.

john "diarrhea mouth" mackey is a L I A R
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5141. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John and Lisa <joli@aloha.net>
Message-ID: <35F2605B.374BFF30@aloha.net>
Source record: 144927
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement-traffic,alt.support.road-rage,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

> > What does a school bus law have to do with drivers
> > becoming enraged at one another? Is there some
> > hidden meaning here?
>
> No hidden meaning here. The message is clear.
>
> There will be ZERO Tolerance of motorist who engage in your "road rage"
> in the presence of school bus drivers, crosswalk guards and children.

What's wrong with ZERO tolerance for road rage no matter
who it is in the presence of? How come something that is
wrong is less wrong when there are no kids around?

5142. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6stqup$86m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144928

In article <35F210E6.5F97@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> Lets just drop this thread, OK? Is it quite boring.

You are the one who started this thread Mr. Sickey Mackey. You can't just drop it because others are making you look like the stupid sick man that you are. Merry

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5143. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6str66$8fa$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144929

In article <35F21417.50E1@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
> to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
> in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.

Since you don't listen to scanners and don't like people who do, whyh are you making trouble in this newsgroup? It must be because its true what they all say about you that you are a stupid, sick man. Merry

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5144. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6strbi$8h1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144930

In article <35F20FF0.4546@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> Then why didn't he post them under his own ID rather than forging
> a defunct ID of Bill?

Now you change the subject Mr. Sickey Mackey. You said it was a copyright violation and I proved you were a liar so now youy try to change it to something else. You stink so bad I can smell you from here.

> Why can't you just accept the facts & let this issue drop?

You started the issue so you can't just have it drop when people prove you are stupid and a liar. Merry

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5145. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6striu$8rh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144931

In article <35F21351.5E95@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> I asked the person who made the statement (of Cheek getting kicked off
> a NG or list) to post details to prove his accusation.

No yo didn't Mr Sickey Mackey. Once again your own words prove you to be a
sick man liar:

Subject: Re: DROP Bill Cheek !
From: ka0ssf@parg.org
Date: 1998/09/03
Newsgroups: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Sumbody sed:
> > > Just like on the Scan-L mailing list
> > > where he was warned several times before he was kicked off.
>
> And from another a few days ago.

Tell us more, what happened?

(end of original message)

You are a sick man, Mr. Sickey Mackey. You are too caught up with with Mr.
Cheek to see how sick and stupid you are. Merry

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5146. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6stsde$9so$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144932

In article <35F0544F.6DCF@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> I never claimed to be a resource for scanners!)

You would have been lying if you did. So why do you keep posting stuipid messages in a scanner newsgroup Mr Sickey Mackey? Its really true what they all say. You aer a sick man. Merry

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5147. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6stsr6$ah2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144933

In article <35F21351.5E95@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> This is all getting quite old, please drop it for the good of this NG.

Too bad for you, you starteds the subject so you can't just make people stop.
You are not the one to decide whayt is for the good of this NG. At first I
didn't think you were stupid and aliar like everybody says you are but now i
see that they weere right. I pity you, you are a sick man, Mr. Mackey. Merry

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5148. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6stt05$ak3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144934

In article <35F21727.2774@parg.org>,
ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:

> Bill has an
> account at cts.com & has made other newsgroup posts elsewhere within the
> last few days so he could post from a legit account if he wanted to!

you could not know this if you were'nt stalking him like everybody says you
do. I hope for you to get some help because you are a very sick person. Merry

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5149. SCANNING FREQ'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: discman8244@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6su0e8$f4j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144935

Calling all Scanner Freqs (FREAKS) in the U.K.

There are hundreds of Frequencies out there, many have
not been published in books like UK Scanning Directory.
I am looking for some NEW Freqs In the South Wales area
i.e. Police, Fire, Ambulance etc. I am also looking for Police Codes
for the U.K. I have found loads of 10 codes on the NET but they are for
the U.S.A please can any one help me.

One last thing I have a Realistic 2042,2004 and FRG 8800 HF set can any
one tell
me if I can get hold of a some software which I can control my scanners via
the Computer I know of one which can control any Scanner, but it involes
electronic's i.e. build your own out of a kit form, this is not my cup of tea
Victor. I am looking for something which is easy to use and reasonable in
price, Is there any one who can help me or put me in the right direction.

KEEP SCANNING ALIVE!
It cause's no harm, it's a hobby that's all.
From The Scanning King

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5150. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdoddy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090611581800.HAA20240@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144936

HOUNDDOG, how is it going. The reason I'M selling it is because I buy,trade sell scanners for a fun hobbie.

5151. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090612000800.IAA20315@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144937

>rom: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
>to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
>in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.

Great! Does that mean you're planning to go over to the ham radio groups and
stir up trouble over there for a change? See ya!

5152. Sony ICF-SC1PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: CptnJack <mike@find.me>
Message-ID: <6stuf0$pd2$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144938

Has anyone tried one of these yet? Can you "un" block the cell bands with the software like a AR8000? Any experience would be appreciated.

5153. Re: Unlocking the BC220XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gblyth@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <6su0rh$v7s$2@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 144939

Hold the Lock button for two seconds (bottom left on the keypad)
Good Luck !

>
>Well, I've done it. Somehow I locked the keypad on my BC220XLT and I
>don't have the manual to tell me how to get it unlocked.
>
>Please reply if you know how to unlock the keypad on a BC220XLT handheld
>scanner.
>
>Thanks.
>Jim Gibson

5154. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6su37r$4pi$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144940

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6stt05$ak3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <35F21727.2774@parg.org>,
> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
>
>> Bill has an
>> account at cts.com & has made other newsgroup posts elsewhere within the
>> last few days so he could post from a legit account if he wanted to!

Yes we know you cannot delude yourself into thinking you are Bill Cheek
unless the posting of his stuff stops. No surprises there. Stop whining,
Mackey. Get a life.
>
>you could not know this if you were'nt stalking him like everybody says you
>do. I hope for you to get some help because you are a very sick person.
Merry
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5155. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6su3dc$n60$0@207.18.224.86>
Source record: 144941

On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 21:34:46 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>For example, when Richard Kendrick & Blake Bowers was forging PARG.ORG

John, don't try to draw me into your sick crap. You have proven that
you do not wish the flaming to end, and there is no need for you to
start with me, as I have ignored you, as long as you leave me out
of it.

End your shit now.

Live from P_ARG!

5156. Automate Making Your Frequency Files - From Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6su47s$4ua$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144942

From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Subject: Automate Making Your Frequency Files
Date: Thursday, June 04, 1998 3:04 AM

This is of wide interest even though specific equipment
is mentioned by way of examples

My previous post under the following subject....

AutoProgramming PRO-64/PRO-2041

....only grazed the subject of the automation of making
frequency files or databases. The intent of that post
was to offer some clues and tools for making the kind
of files that are required by the PRO-64 and PRO-2041
for their "AutoProgramming" feature. In a word, those
scanners require plain ASCII text files in the below format:

{Optional Channel Number} followed by one or more non-numeric
characters (called "delimiters") followed by the frequency
to be programmed in NNNN.NNNN format. Within limits of reason,
I suppose, anything else on the same line is allowable AFTER
the frequency so long as there is another delimiter character
after the frequency. Here are several examples of legit file
formats for the PRO-64 and PRO-2041:

```
1 2 3
=== === ===
1 462.6725 1,462.6725 1,857.1000,Police
2 158.9700 2,158.9700 2,158.9700,Police
3 26.9150 3, 26.9150 3, 26.9150,Freeband CB hangout
4 162.4000 4,162.4000 4,162.4000,NOAA Weather
5 162.5500 5,162.5500 5,162.5500,NOAA Weather
```

```
4
=== I suppose there could be a number of other
462.6725 permutations for additional examples of
158.9700 frequency lists or files that are acceptable
26.9150 to the PRO-64 and PRO-2041, but these four
162.4000 should get the idea across, anyway.
162.5500
```

Now, of the four formats or styles, which do
YOU see as the most utilitarian and useful?

I should think you'd pick Example #3 as I do. Why? Because
it contains the most information, of course. But it might not
have occurred to you that the PRO-64 and PRO-2041 can accept

non-essential information *IF* it is properly formatted.

The significance of this is that every scannist keeps lists of frequencies. That's a given with the scanning hobby. But these lists vary as night and day with respect to HOW they are organized and formatted. Each hobbyist keeps his records a little different from the next guy.

Compounding matters, when hobbyists exchange and swap freq information, the first guy's style certainly isn't going to match the next guy's. Worse, the "word wrap" function of most text editors, e-mail programs, and Web Browsers can throw complete disarray into what little organization might be otherwise present.

Let's face it....there's a lot of work in preparing custom frequency files. That's a given. But as intimated in my last post, there are methodologies and procedures to reduce the workload considerably. Cathy elucidated one with Excel. There are others. But there are darned few ways to quickly make order out of chaotic lists of frequencies like found around mail lists, newsgroups, and web sites.

One way mentioned in my last post is Reid Drummond's APFTools, a slick utility that "reads" text files and automatically extracts frequencies along with any possible identifying data and puts them into an organized, comma-delimited text file, ready to be AutoProgrammed into the CE-232 Interface. It even adds channel numbers (if you want!)

But APFTools is good for a lot more than just the CE-232, as it turns out.....in this case, also for the PRO-64 and PRO-2041. And a lot more!!!! Here, let me show you.....lookee here:

Bess Eaton Donut 457.5375 467.7625 Rhode Island
Big Boy 30.8400 154.5700 UNKNOWN OH area
457.6000 467.8250 UNKNOWN OH area
Burger King 30.840 154.5700 UNKNOWN OH area
31.0000 170.3050 UNKNOWN GA area
457.5500 467.7750 Baltimore, MD area
457.5625 467.7875 Nationwide
457.5750 467.8000 UNKNOWN area
457.6000 467.8250 UNKNOWN area
460.8875 465.8875 Nationwide
461.5375 UNKNOWN UNKNOWN OH area

Imagine a list of several hundred frequencies organized like the above. You've got your work cut out for you, putting it into any semblance of order. But APFTOOLS can do it like greased lightning, with results shown below:

,23,457.5375,,,,Bess Eaton Donut, 467.7625, Rhode Island,
,24,467.7625,,,,Bess Eaton Donut, 457.5375, Rhode Island,

,25,30.8400,,,,Big Boy, 154.5700, UNKNOWN OH area,
,26,154.5700,,,,Big Boy,30.840 , UNKNOWN OH area,
,27,457.6000,,,,467.8250, UNKNOWN OH area,
,28,467.8250,,,,, , 457.600 , UNKNOWN OH area,
,29,30.8400,,,,Burger King, 154.5700, UNKNOWN OH area,
,30,154.5700,,,,Burger King,30.840 , UNKNOWN OH area,
,31,31.0000,,,,170.3050, UNKNOWN GA area,
,32,170.3050,,,,,31.000 , UNKNOWN GA area,
,33,457.5500,,,,467.7750, Baltimore, MD area,
,34,467.7750,,,,, 457.550 , Baltimore, MD area,
,35,457.5625,,,,467.7875, Nationwide,
,36,467.7875,,,,, 457.5625, Nationwide,
,37,457.5750,,,,467.8000, UNKNOWN area,
,38,467.8000,,,,, 457.575 , UNKNOWN area,
,39,457.6000,,,,467.8250, UNKNOWN area,
,40,467.8250,,,,, 457.600 , UNKNOWN area,
,41,460.8875,,,,465.8875, Nationwide,
,42,465.8875,,,,, 460.8875, Nationwide,
,43,461.5375,,,,UNKNOWN, UNKNOWN OH area,

Maybe the above doesn't "look" pretty, but it's perfect
for additional computer processing like Cathy described!
The results can take any of several directions, depending
on your tastes and preferences. If you want this list for
your PRO-2041 and PRO-64, just delete that first column of
commas and you're all set. If for the CE-232 Interface, then
it's good just as it sits.

But if you just want a good looking list? That's fine, too.
As Cathy suggested, drop the file into Excel or other spreadsheet
or even most any database manager, and output it to a tab
delimited file that would look something like this:

23 457.5375 Bess Eaton Donut 467.7625 Rhode Island
24 467.7625 Bess Eaton Donut 457.5375 Rhode Island
25 30.8400 Big Boy 154.5700 UNKNOWN OH area
26 154.5700 Big Boy 30.840 UNKNOWN OH area
.....etc.....

So you don't have to have a PRO-64, PRO-2041, or a CE-232
to take advantage of automation in the preparation of your
frequency lists. Now here is the coup d'etat:

I can copy this *entire message* into a text file (without
editing); run APFTools on it; and instantly have a clean,
well ordered frequency list without the needless text and
superfluous nonsense! (Just the freqs, channel numbers,
and descriptive information ONLY!)

As previously mentioned, APFTools is available from my
FTP site as follows:

ftp://204.210.11.204/ce232/Programs/apf40.exe

or from my Web site at:

http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/index.htm part way down the page.

ScanCat's MAGIC (a commercial program) does much the same
thing as APFTools (shareware, $5 gratuity requested).

If you want quick, accurate, and semi-automated ways to make
your frequency lists (for whatever need and purpose), the
tools, methods, and procedures are available at no or low cost.

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5157. Auto Programming Your PRO-64/PRO-2041 - From Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6su4ek$4v4$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144943

From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
Subject: AutoProgramming Your PRO-64/PRO-2041
Date: Thursday, June 04, 1998 3:01 AM

The following post is made out of a need to use
automation to create text files that can be used
to AutoProgram the PRO-64/PRO-2041 scanners.
Who wants to make 'em manually? <Gack>

===

I just found a neat sideline to programming
the PRO-64 and PRO-2041 scanners. This technique
is great for those who have a CE-232 Scanner/
COmputer Interface, which used *.APF file formats
supported by PerCon, ScanCat (Magic), and the
neat file creator utility, APFTools....but other
hobbyists can use it, too!

Seems an APF file goes straight into the PRO-2041
and PRO-64 with almost no altering at all. Here is
an example of an APF file that's used by the CE-232:

```
,281,161.6700,nfm,D,L,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KCBQ-AM; F-1; Remotes,,,
,281,161.6700,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KFMB-AM/FM,,,
,281,161.6700,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KFSD;,,,
,281,161.6700,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KMLO-AM; Remotes,,,
,282,161.6400,nfm,D,L,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KFMB-AM/FM - Remotes,,,
,283,450.2875,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KFMB-AM/FM; F-1/2; News,,,
,284,450.7625,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KFMB-AM/FM; KPH-592,,,
,285,450.2625,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KFMB-AM/FM; KPJ-931,,,
,286, 26.1100, am,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KLZZ-AM/FM;,,,
,287, 35.9600,nfm,D,L,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KLZZ-AM/FM; Backup,,,
,288,161.7600,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KCBQ-AM; F-3; Backup,,,
,288,161.7600,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KJFM Radio,,,
,288,161.7600,nfm,D, ,NEWS,RADI,SDG,KLZZ-AM/FM; Backup,,,
```

Format:

```
Filter,Channel Number,Frequency,Mode,Delay,LockOut,optional......
```

The CE-232 requires everything to the left of the 6th
comma. From the 7th comma on to the right are optional,
but obviously helpful in the identification and look up
of signals. It would be nice to use the same file to
program the PRO-64 and PRO-2041 scanners.....

AND YOU CAN!

Open your APF file and use a decent text editor or word processor to remove the first column of commas and anything that might be to the left of it, so that each line begins with the CHANNEL number. THAT'S IT! Oh, you can rename the file to *.FRQ and use Bob Miller's Wload64.exe program or Ken Plotkin's LOAD or LOAD64 programs, or Cathy De Viney's Excel sheet to finish the job.

It doesn't matter if you have a CE-232 Interface, because Reid Drummond's APFTools program creates APF files auto-magically from disorganized, chaotic text files. Use APFTools as an interim tool, first to create the APF file, then a text editor to remove that first column of commas and anything that might be to the left of it....and VOILE!

The resultant file goes into the PRO-2041 and PRO-64 just slicker than greased snake snot on oiled ice! APFTools is freely available from my FTP site as follows:

ftp://204.210.11.204/ce232/Programs/apf40.exe

or from my Web site at:

http://204.210.11.204/bcheek/index.htm part way down the page.

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5158. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpluta@spam.me.not.earthlink.net
Message-ID: <rpluta-0609981030350001@ip16.tampa2.fl.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 144944

In article <35ec9caa.17107050@news.thevision.net>, geovet@thevision.net wrote:

> It's pretty hard to beat a deal like that on a 400 channel scanner.
> If you haven't already done so, check out Ken Plotkin's Scanner
> Page for info on the PRO-64/2041.
>
> http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

Thanks for that URL; lots of good info there!

BTW, after uncovering my old BC 100XL and realizing I've left the batts in it for too long I figured it was time to look for something new.

This month at the RS I see the PRO 2050 is on sale for $200 (U$). Purchase it with a RS credit card (which I'm told you can apply for the same day) and get 20 percent off. That's the PRO 2050 for $180! Good deal, eh?

I'd say that's an impulse buy?

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rpluta at earthlink dot net

5159. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35F29F43.2B52@prodigy.net>
Source record: 144945

PDoddy wrote:
>
> HOUNDDOG, how is it going. The reason I'M selling it is because I buy,trade
> sell scanners for a fun hobbie.
How can you fully "road test" a scanner in one day? Wouldn't you at
least want to use it for a week?

5160. Re: Boycott Radio Shack (Tandy is member of CTIA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hose92@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090614480500.KAA05704@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144946

oh shut up .idiots like you are the ones who force the act.your only purpose is to listen to cell calls. get a life.

5161. PRO 28-29 mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: f5bjv@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6su7hc$g4c$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144947

Hi Guys. I am looking for a mod to turn on the 66 to 88 Mhz range on a Pro 29. I know that they are sold in France and England with that band enabled. I have no problem to work with surface mount components. Can anybody help? Thanks a miilion. Marcel F5BJV

5162. Can't You Clowns Just "Turn the Other CHEEK?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090615030300.LAA07149@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144948

Geez, this is ridiculous. The man's been gone for several days, yet you boneheads insist on keeping the flamefest alive. I think y'all have a severe case of CHEEK ENVY!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5163. LAPD 506/507 Input Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Walsh <emw-1@NOSPAMatt.net>
Message-ID: <6su8uo$8re@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144949
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking for information on how the LAPD 506/507MHz frequencies work as far as the input frequencies are concerned. Are they 5 MHz higher, as most UHF 460MHz freq's are, or do they vary?

Thanks for any info.

Ed

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*** Remove SPAMNOT from address to reply privately ***

Ed Walsh
Minnesota Radio Monitoring Page: http://home.att.net/~emw-1/mmp.html

5164. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <35f2a23c.903581@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 144950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

GET READY TO WALK!

On 3 Sep 1998 19:19:37 GMT, "HP Authorized Customer" <joe@user.com>
wrote:

>
>I REALLY have to wonder. I mean, if I were buying $10 worth of parts,
>and they refused to give me the catalog, I'd just walk out.
>
>Mike
>N1DVJ
>
>
>jkirkham@eng.miami.edu wrote in article
><6sh6fs$o54$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>> They started this a few years ago. The original idea was to charge 3
>bucks
>> for the catalog, then include a 3 dollar coupon with the catalog towards
>a
>> purchase.
>>
>> I went in one day and spent like 300 bucks on a scanner and some other
>stuff,
>> and asked for a catalog. They refused to give me one for free!! I
>couldn't
>> believe it! I tried to reason with the guy but he said that they were
>> considered store inventory and had to charge for them.
>

5165. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21846-35F29F70-13@newsd-152.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144951

It depends on your "need" for radio communications. If it's for a business use, you could get a licenes in the "business radio service" which has allocations in the 30 to 50 Mhz band. If it's just for your personal use, consider getting a ham license. The 10 meter band is just below 30 Mhz and has repeater frequencies as does the six meter band that is just above 50 Mhz. Other options would be GMRS at 460 Mhz, or the new Family Radio Service, also at 460 Mhz, but with very limited range.

73 de Jim, KB9KEB

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
.....

5166. Re: Sony ICF-SC1PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <AJxI1.486$ej4.13507989@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 144952

I picked one up at a local Service Merchandise store in Troy, Michigan. It looks great, sounds good, feels a little light, and the volume and squelch controls don't have that nice firm feel to them, they actually feel a little loose. The front panel is laid out nice, easy to read, and has a nice tactile feed back, although programming is a little different than we're used to with RS & Uniden scanners. It runs on 4 "AA" batteries. Sony supplies software that not only allows you to upload/download frequencies, but you can also control the scanner with it. The PerCon Spectrum FCC frequency database is also included on the CD-ROM... over three million records! I don't think there is a way to restore cellular. It seems to do a respectable job on all bands, and it also has a pre-programmed service search that works well.

Bill Crocker

CptnJack wrote in message <6stuf0$pd2$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>Has anyone tried one of these yet? Can you "un" block the cell bands with
>the software like a AR8000? Any experience would be appreciated.
>
>

5167. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090615255900.LAA06236@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144953

><HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>

>How can you fully "road test" a scanner in one day? Wouldn't you at
>least want to use it for a week?

Especially the MVT-9000. Evidently, he's in the business of buying and selling scanner, at least that's what he wrote to me. In between buying and selling, he scratches the display and asks for mroe than than what the scanner sells for new! ;)

5168. Re: Can't You Clowns Just "Turn the Other CHEEK?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090615284300.LAA06515@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144954

>From: cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo)

>Geez, this is ridiculous. The man's been gone for several days, yet you
>boneheads insist on keeping the flamefest alive. I think y'all have a severe
>case of CHEEK ENVY!

Well, I'm sure we'll start seeing more off-topic posts from them now that the
source of their envy is gone.

5169. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Weird Song Woman <spamnot@nomalice.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd9ab$e82955e0$71e91cce@x>
Source record: 144955
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement-traffic,alt.support.road-rage,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

How can you say it's always wrong?! Some of the people I rage at are
risking my and others lives with their careless driving...like turn
signals...Did everyone forget their purpose or are they just THAT lazy???

John and Lisa <joli@aloha.net> wrote in article
<35F2605B.374BFF30@aloha.net>...
> > > What does a school bus law have to do with drivers
> > > becoming enraged at one another? Is there some
> > > hidden meaning here?
> >
> > No hidden meaning here. The message is clear.
> >
> > There will be ZERO Tolerance of motorist who engage in your "road rage"
> > in the presence of school bus drivers, crosswalk guards and children.
>
> What's wrong with ZERO tolerance for road rage no matter
> who it is in the presence of? How come something that is
> wrong is less wrong when there are no kids around?
>
>

5170. WTB: CRYSTAL TYPE SCANNERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William G. Becks" <wbecks@sun.lssu.edu>
Message-ID: <35F2A419.F620DA20@sun.lssu.edu>
Source record: 144956

Wanted: SBE, E.F. Johnson, or Regency crystal type scanners.

Please contact: wbecks@sun.lssu.edu and state make, model, condition,
and price.

Thank you,

Bill

5171. Re: Tv frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35f49721.1362062@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144957

>Okay, I know what the frequencies are for the Audio (and Video) for TV
>stations, but my two handhelds don't have that range. Is there a
>modification I can make to add those frequencies?

Try www.ramseyelectronics.com or www.grove-ent.com and see their selection off converters. You may be able to receive a few of the channels. The problem is, TV is scattered from 50 to 250 MHz, more or less, and that's just the VHF channels. The UHF channels cover another 500 MHz of spectrum. No diode clip is going to add all that.

The PRO-51 scanner (and maybe others) has a test mode which programs in frequencies not normally covered. I can get TV audio channels 5 and 6, but they're distorted. I'd be better off getting a cheap TV audio receiver on a multi-band radio.

The overwhelming majority of scanners cannot be modified for additional frequency ranges. In fact, I know of *no* scanner that ever had that modification. There were a few that already had those frequencies, but had them blocked out with a diode or resistor, but unless your scanner already covers those frequencies, you can't get them. One scanner did have a diode-add spot where you could get something like 77-88 MHz, but you lost 30-50 MHz.

5172. New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35f6aac4.6390433@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

NORTH Korea claimed yesterday that its recent launch of a rocket, which put Japan on high security alert, was a "singing satellite", not a weapon.

The claim sowed confusion in Seoul, Washington and Tokyo, which had accused Pyongyang of firing a ballistic missile over Japan.

The Korean Central News Agency, official mouthpiece of the world's most secretive regime, said: "Our scientists and technicians have succeeded in launching the first artificial satellite aboard a multi-stage rocket into orbit." The satellite is now transmitting the melody of the immortal revolutionary hymns Song of General Kim Il-sung and Song of Kim Jong-il and the morse code signal 'Juche Korea' on 27 megahertz."

Well, it's a *high* shortwave frequency.

Hmmm. Hrrrmmmmrrrrr. Has anyone heard this one?

I wonder who the target audience is supposed to be? Certainly not the North Korean people who are starving. . .

5173. any mods for BC 350A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Crouch <sailrace@washington.xtn.net>
Message-ID: <6su8ab$lb8$1@density.xtn.net>
Source record: 144959

If anyone has mods for a Bearcat/Uniden 350A, I'd appreciate any info.
Thanks in advance.
Tony Crouch

5174. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6subuj$5sd$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144960

Who SAYS we are "limited to scanners", wacko ? YOU ? I have held an amateur license for quite a few years now, and have run RTTY, AMTOR, PACKET, etc, etc, etc. Does it "prove" you are some sort of "genius" because YOU dont "limit yourself" to scanners ? Then let`s see some examples of your expertise in the field of scanners ! I have yet to see a posting from you that contained any solid, up-front, cutting edge information. Bill Cheek you are NOT..... Just what it is that you are trying to achieve, Mackey ? Do you think you are somehow going to become the "new guru" of this group, or something ? If you want to do that, then you are gonna have to DELIVER. Let`s have some postings of some NEW information that you have worked to uncover about some make/model of scanner ! You know, stay up and burn the midnight oil, like Bill cheek does ! But, if you do that, then you won`t have TIME to come on here and agitate ! You only went after Bill because you admire him. In your own little sick, twisted , way, you want to BE him ! So go ahead. BE Bill cheek ! But learn to DELIVER like Bill Cheek !

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6str66$8fa$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <35F21417.50E1@parg.org>,
> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
>
>> True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
>> to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
>> in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.
>
>Since you don't listen to scanners and don't like people who do, whyh are
you
>making trouble in this newsgroup? It must be because its true what they all
>say about you that you are a stupid, sick man. Merry
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5175. Re: new scanner questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: CptnJack <mike@find.me>
Message-ID: <6subbgaaa1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144961

hehehe yup... now to make myself clear, I did ask if a scanner was modifiable, but I wanted to know cause of the wide range of "software programable" scanners that are available. I'd like to know what I'm buying....

But, the other side is... Cell calls maybe at one time were very interesting... but now.. plagued by "ok honey, I'm on the way home, do you need me to pick up milk?"

E. Morris wrote in message <35f38112.2850577@enews.newsguy.com>...
>On Sun, 06 Sep 1998 10:37:43 GMT, "Compaq" <crystal@ronan.net> wrote:
>
>>hi, I just bought a r/s trunktracker pro-90 that goes up to 956 MHz, and I
>>haven't been able to pick up many cordless or cell phones? and suggestions
>>would be appreciated.
>
>Yeah. Forget about it. All scanners made since 1994(?) are blocked in the cell
>bands, and the new ones are designed to not even be modifiable.
>
>Then again, listening to cell calls may sound exciting, but it's not. It's
>boring and depressing. It's also sneaky, sleazy, and the sport of losers
>without any life of their own. It's also illegal. Better to learn how to use
>your new scanner to catch exotic _legal_ comms, doncha think? If you've any
>doubts about the crowd that does listen to cell calls, check out the whining
>pleas for "mods" in this group. They're the same ones who post "me too!"
>replies to porno spams.
>

5176. Re: Items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toscano <toscano2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6suc6g$ed9@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144962

In article <H4pI1.72$a1.1887638@harpo.ctel.net>,
"Peter Altman" <altman@ctel.net> wrote:
> I have for sale the following:
>

>>>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
>$125.00

One of these sold for $30 brand new just a couple weeks ago in the ne.forsale newsgroup!

5177. Dallas Ft. Worth Scanner Listeners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <8C25EB90888EE36C.E25C2E9A3037905A.1F33E47ED35D3243@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The Dallas Ft Worth Scanner Listener's homepage is at:

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw.htm

Lots of trunking information for the DFW is listed there, as well as frequencies for major cities in the area. Follow the instructions for on the page for joing the DFWSCAN mailing list. Over 100 members and growing....!

-Lb

5178. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pzman@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <35f2b407.6712864@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144964

On Sun, 06 Sep 1998 03:28:51 GMT, jroulier@[nospam]albany.net (Jeff)
wrote:

>On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 19:19:47 -0700, HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
>wrote:
>
>>PDoddy wrote:
>>>
>>> I guess the reason i'm selling this jem of a scanner is because i've had so
>>> many it's no biggie to me.What can be next, can't tell you. I recieved this
>>> unit in ABSOLUTE MINT condition with box,manual, charger, nicads, car 12v
>>> cigarette lighter. To my shame i have one bobo.I accidently put a scrash on the
>>> face while sitting in my car.I have to be honest.Other wise it's a bute to say
>>> the least. Coverage 531khz-2039mhz, awesome band scope, duplex recieving
>>> capabilities,trple conversion, must I go on.IF interested please e-mail
>>> pdoddy@aol.com.OH THE PRICE $450.00.
>>
>>Why are you selling this scanner all of a sudden??? Didn't you just post
>>the following message recently:
>
>Either he/she can't figure it out or he/she got ripped off and is
>trying to burn someone else. I know I wouldn't buy this scanner from
>him/her. Something's up.
>>
>>Email: pdoddy@aol.com
>>Date: 1998/09/04
>>Forums: alt.radio.scanner
>>I recently purchased a Yupi9000 from Porky, and when I recieved it on
>>Tuesday and opened the box wowwwwwwwwwwwwww. ABSOLUTLY MINT AND NO
>>SCRACHES.I am happy to say the YUPI9000 is truly and awesome scanner.
>>I'm still in my figuring out how to operate stage.To save the best for
>>last the MVT9000 Is truly the MERCEDES OF HANDHELD SCANNERS.THANKS
>>AGAIN PORKY PERFORMANCE IS BREATHTAKING.
Let this be a lesson. The reason these newsgroups exist is to bring
together many good heads and make one great head out of them (hummm
maybe monica L would agree also) that's another newsgroup. Best
regards, and good luck selling the scanner. Keith Evans

5179. Re: Help w/ particular freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#lw1tJb29GA.312@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 144965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

warrior@iconn.net (Lou (Soo) Papineau)
> Looking up frequencies for the local town, the PerCon
> Coorporation Database search gave me these freq.
> 928.6813
> 952.6813
> When I try to plug them into my scanner (PRO-51) they enter as:
> 928.6875
> 952.6875

The actual assignments are xxx.68125; PerCom apparently rounded to four decimal places. Your scanner assumed an interval of .0125 MHz and rounded the entry to the next standard step (i.e. .6625, .6750, .6875, etc). If this were a conventional narrow-FM voice transmission, an error of 6.25 kHz would probably produce a slightly distorted but listenable signal.

Unfortunately, in the U.S. this assignment is drawn from the Power pool for point-to-point microwave. The transmissions are probably digital control signals for a local electrical utility or a municipal traffic control system.

/* barry /&
mulligan@acm.org

5180. Re: new scanner questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6suen5$104$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144966

How would you know that it is "boring and depressing" You must have listened yourself. But now you can hop up on your soap box and proclaim that no one else should listen. Even if you were listening back when it was legal, wasn't it still " sneaky, sleazy, and the sport of losers without any life of their own. " ?
I don't mean to single you out, but I get tired of people posting "its illegal, don't do it" or "its so boring, why would you want to listen" When 99.9% of them have listened to cell or cordless.
If people want to listen, they can listen. if they get busted, they get busted. If you don't want to be heard, don't send it out over the air. Seems quite simple.
>

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>bands, and the new ones are designed to not even be modifiable.
>
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>without any life of their own. It's also illegal. Better to learn how to use
>your new scanner to catch exotic _legal_ comms, doncha think? If you've any
>doubts about the crowd that does listen to cell calls, check out the whining
>pleas for "mods" in this group. They're the same ones who post "me too!"
>replies to porno spams.
>

5181. Re: Cellular phone antenna for scanner.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbrooks@kendra.com
Message-ID: <35f2c339.1389355@news.kendra.com>
Source record: 144967

You should cut the film where the box is going to mount if possible.
If the film is metal than you will cause iterferenc and loss of signal
on your cell phone.

On 31 Aug 1998 01:35:36 GMT, michaeldr1@aol.com (MichaelDR1) wrote:

>I would like to mount a glass mount cellular phone antenna to the rear window
>of my car. The problem is that I have installed window tint film on the window.
>My question is, will the reception box on the inside of the window damage the
>film
>by putting to much weight on it and make the film separate from the window?
>Any advice will be welcome.
>
>Michael

5182. Re: FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6sugdj$10k8$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 144968

GQCat wrote in message
<19980903023446600.WAA03115@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>ANYONE WITH INFO ON FLORIDA TRUNK TRACKER ID UPDATE AS TRUNKTRAKER IS
USELESS
>ON UPDATING FOR THE SCANNER BUFF'S THAT ARE OUT HERE
>THANKS RON

Whatever happened to searching out your own frequencies, IDs, codes
and other information?

5183. Re: Need FREQUENCIES !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35f2beec.1973246@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 144969

>Hi, Taking a raod trip from Buffalo NY to Dayton Ohio next week...any one know
>any good frequencies to listen to during the cruise? Ohio State police mabey?
>Thanks,Dan9125@aol.com

Go here for information on the Ohio State Patrol and Ohio Turnpike:

http://www.qsl.net/kb8vju/

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

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( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

5184. Re: CLEVELAND NATIONAL AIR SHOW FREQUENCY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35f2c08a.2387596@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 144970

>SOME OF THE FREQUENCIES IN USE ARE AS FOLLOWS.
>
>
>464.600-OPERATIONS
>464.750-PARKING
>122.750-PLANE COMMS
>124.500-SHOW CONTROL
>
>SCAN FREQS BETWEEN 461.000-465.000MHZ.
>
>POST MORE FREQS IF YOU KNOW THEM
>
>THANKS,TONY

More information is available from here:
http://www.qsl.net/kb8vju/

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
--oOO--(_)---OOo----------
The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
----\ (---) /----------
_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

5185. Re: LAPD 506/507 Input Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F2C97D.7EA66504@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144971
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I think theyare 3mhz hhigher. Try that and see what you get.

Good luck...

Mike

Ed Walsh wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on how the LAPD 506/507MHz frequencies work as
> far as the input frequencies are concerned. Are they 5 MHz higher, as most
> UHF 460MHz freq's are, or do they vary?
>
> Thanks for any info.
>
> Ed
>
> --
> *** Remove SPAMNOT from address to reply privately ***
>
> Ed Walsh
> Minnesota Radio Monitoring Page: http://home.att.net/~emw-1/mmp.html

5186. Re: Pc conection for a Alinco DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: baptpdc@we.mediaone.net
Message-ID: <35f2cc11.224119@nntp.we.mediaone.net>
Source record: 144972

It's on the radio end.
The OPC-478 has a 1/8" stereo plug on it. The DJX10 requires a 3/32"
stereo plug.
The DB9 plugs into the PC.

-bap

On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 15:01:36 GMT, dickfinch@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Does the ICOM OPC-478 plug directly in the RS232 port of the PC or is some
>other hardware required. The Alinco site says the 'connections on the
>interface end require a stereo reducing adapter'. Surely there is a 9/24 pin
>RS232 plug on this end?
>
>Or am I missing something?
>
>Thanks for your help.
>
>In article <vKwC1.73$lg.406497@news20.bellglobal.com>,
> "Mike Anderson" <NOSPAManderson@.pei.sympatico.ca> wrote:
>> Javier,
>> I bought an ICOM OPC-478 programming cable , and it works great. The cable
>> should be readily available to you through mail order. You can get some
>> software from Alinco's home page.
>> http://alinco.com/DJX10SOFTWARE/DJX10.shtml . I found the shareware version
>> of the software slow to read/write 1200 channels + PMS and all radio info,
>> but it is supposed to be faster in the registered version. The registered
>> version also has more features.
>>
>> I hope this helps.
>>
>> Mike
>>
>> zipi@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6rbrngsfk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>> >I want to know how conect one alinco dj x10 scanner on my computer (PC).
>> >-Eschematic diagram of connections
>> >-Software
>> >-Webï¿½s links
>> >-And DJ-X10 scanner electric diagram (if itï¿½s posible)
>> >
>> >Tanks and sorry for my poor english language.
>> > In my country itï¿½s imposible buy the alincoï¿½s cable conection
>> >
>> >
>> >Javier Garmilla

>> >JGARMILL@teleline.es
>> >Vitoria
>> >Spain
>> >
>> >------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>> >http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>>
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>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5187. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F2D0F0.DB19CB62@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144973

John wrote:

> True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
> to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
> in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.

How could that be John? You spend *all* your time filling this NG with non-sensical posts. That's *all* you do. What exactly are these "broader & deeper interests" you claim to harbor?

Why doesn't that self professed "broader & deeper interests in the radio hobby" show you as an active contributor to ham radio and repeater NG's ANYWHERE NEAR the amount of time and posts you spend on this NG?

What possible justification do you have to continue posting WACKEY MACKEY missives in the rec.radio.scanner NG? Look at the facts:

1. You don't profess to be learning about scanners by reading posts here. In fact: Your quote from above -

>True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
>to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
>in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.

- clearly shows that you regard the scanner hobby beneath you. In my opinion, I feel that you hold scanner hobbyists in utter contempt; your *THOUSANDS* of off-topic and inflammatory posts on record for this NG certainly support this contention. Your contempt for scanner hobbyists on this NG is evidenced by examples such as constantly changing your screen name to worm around filters people set up to avoid having to read and download your posts. (Go ahead; start squawkin' and you know which repost comes next, don't you?)

So you're not here to read and learn about scanners.

2. You're not here to contribute about scanners. How long does a novice scanner hobbyist have to lurk and wade through your thousands of useless posts to see something even close to knicking the scanner topic? *I'm* that novice scanner hobbyist. I've been here a couple of years; and you've have racked up *THOUSANDS* of valueless posts while I've been watching.

So you're not here to contribute.

Hell John, everyone's free to post to an unmoderated NG; including you. But you're going to get questioned each and every time a post doesn't agree with another NG denizen's view. I don't have any mission in life to run you off. I question you for my own amusement.

But this is what I read out of your behavior and why I think you're here:

You had to work hard for your radio licenses. (Probably harder than most) It was appears to have been the hardest challenge of your life. And you succeeded. You got your license; you obviously regard that as your "crowning achievement". Unfortunately, I can imagine your anger when you found out that it didn't garner the respect and admiration of your licensed ham radio peers that you felt it deserved. I mean there you are, holding the same license as others in the ham radio hobby and they still treated you like an annoying piss ant.

That's why you're not posting in the ham radio NG's; your license there doesn't mean anything there. That's why you're over here. Trying to garner respect with your ham radio license in an area of radio (scanners) that doesn't require a license. And you're still not garnering any respect; even among those who never had an interest in obtaining a license to transmit. That must boil your blood, doesn't it?

You're subconsciously lashing out at everyone who doesn't adore you by virtue of your license alone. You need to realize that licenses and certifications don't do you any good if you behave like an annoying piss ant.

You've also got to realize that ham licenses don't generally instill "a sense of awe" in the general public outside the ham radio hobby. Much like scanner listening doesn't impress many people outside the scanner hobby. Those are things you do for *yourself*, not for respect.

You also appear to be firmly in the clutches of "instant gratification". That is, you expect "instant" admiration for one on-topic post. Yet nothing comes from that one post. No "attaboy John", or "that's really observant.", or even "that's mildly informative". All you get is the sound of chirping crickets. You get ignored. And your anger just festers away at a greater pace. And no amount of "screen name" changes is ever going to change that.

Be honest with yourself John: You crave respect and there's none for you to enjoy. You *can* get it; but not with your current methods. You don't do it with licenses, certifications, or even degrees. It's unfortunate, but that's the truth. You do it through actions and integrity. Immerse yourself in the topic and develop yourself through areas you haven't explored. Find out what you *don't* know about radio and work from there.

Your posts will be ignored for a long time. But you'll be laying a track record. Some people will never warm up to you. Too much damage has been done to win over everyone. But new people and people that believe a person can change will eventually see your sincerity and desire to further your skills in radio; and your current reputation will fade into the background.

That's how to garner the respect you crave; steady performance over time with liberal doses of integrity and truth.

But until then; it's business as usual,

You friggin' loon.

5188. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D517.749B@parg.org>
Source record: 144974

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You are the one who started this thread Mr. Sickey Mackey. You can't just
> drop it because others are making you look like the stupid sick man that you
> are. Merry

You better look again. "Zombie Wolf" started the original thread that
delivered us to where we are now.

Once again, you are either a liar or don't know what you are talking
about. Why is it that you won't use your real ID on here. Are you
ashamed & afraid AOL will pull your account for abuse?

5189. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D638.4BC4@parg.org>
Source record: 144975

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> you could not know this if you were'nt stalking him like everybody says you
> do. I hope for you

No stalking needed, just use dejanews like you use all the time. Or are
you saying those who use dejanews are stalkers?

5190. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F2D6C3.5F92@parg.org>
Source record: 144976

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You started the issue so you can't just have it drop when people prove you
> are stupid and a liar. Merry

If someone can prove that I will. It has not happened yet!

5191. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35f1d070.1913641@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 145006

On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 12:37:30 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>Complaints of newsgroup issues from the PARG.ORG system are handled
>by "newsmaster@parg.org", which is NOT me.

You have stated in the past that parg.org does not have a news server.
If that is, indeed, the case, why would they need a newsmaster?

5192. Scanning Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: discman8244@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ssnnu$v8q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145007

Calling all Scanner Freqs (FREAKS) in the U.K.

There are hundreds of Frequencies out there, many have
not been published in books like UK Scanning Directory.
I am looking for some NEW Freqs In the South Wales area
i.e. Police, Fire, Ambulance etc. I am also looking for Police Codes
for the U.K. I have found loads of 10 codes on the NET but they are for
the U.S.A please can any one help me.

One last thing I have a Realistic 2042,2004 and FRG 8800 HF set can any
one tell
me if I can get hold of a some software which I can control my scanners via
the Computer I know of one which can control any Scanner, but it involes
electronic's i.e. build your own out of a kit form, this is not my cup of tea
Victor. I am looking for something which is easy to use and reasonable in
price, Is there any one who can help me or put me in the right direction.

KEEP SCANNING ALIVE!
It cause's no harm, it's a hobby that's all.
From The Scanning King

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5193. Re: Our friends down under [was: EDACS Scanner...]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ssomo$i7d@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Chip Santucci wrote ...
>Again for our young grasshopper so he may learn from the continous
> errors of his ways!

Brian's comments were very encouraging. Yours, however, were actually very
insulting. Even "Jack" was nicer than you were.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

5194. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ssotn$j70@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145009
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Your post only shows that you LOVE to look at people's PASTS, and not what
they can become and do IN THE FUTURE.

You would be one of the true and current jerks of this world, and thanks for
making my life just one bit more miserable.
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Rich wrote in message ...
>On 5 Sep 1998 01:05:02 GMT, Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
wrote:
>>>BRRRRRRRPPPPPPPPP. No. Negative. Wrong. Incorrect.
>>
>>Inappropriate, insulting, and harsh.
>>
>
> You mean, unlike yourself, who is constantly calling people, "stupid",
>"ignorant", etc.
>
> Would you like the cites? (Do you understand what citations are,
>yet?)
>
>- Rich
>
>--
>Rich Mulvey
>My return address is my last name,
> followed by my first initial, @mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
>http://mulveyr.roc.servtech.com
>Amateur Radio: aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

5195. Re: Our friends down under [was: EDACS Scanner...]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ssp7l$kel@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Don't worry, I saw it. I'm glad you, for once or twice, didn't find some
insulting comment to make (really).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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It gives the test first and teaches after.

Jack wrote in message <35f2c344.8576618@news.bell.net>...
>This post brought a tear to my eye. I quoted the entire message in
>case Ryan somehow missed it the first time around.

5196. BC80XLT mods ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gspri@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090601504400.VAA11852@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145011

Any mods for bc80xlt
gspri@aol.com

5197. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35f200e9.1108005@news.albany.net>
Source record: 145012
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On Sat, 05 Sep 1998 19:19:47 -0700, HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
wrote:

>PDoddy wrote:
>>
>> I guess the reason i'm selling this jem of a scanner is because i've had so
>> many it's no biggie to me.What can be next, can't tell you. I recieved this
>> unit in ABSOLUTE MINT condition with box,manual, charger, nicads, car 12v
>> cigarette lighter. To my shame i have one bobo.I accidently put a scrash on the
>> face while sitting in my car.I have to be honest.Other wise it's a bute to say
>> the least. Coverage 531khz-2039mhz, awesome band scope, duplex recieving
>> capabilities,trple conversion, must I go on.IF interested please e-mail
>> pdoddy@aol.com.OH THE PRICE $450.00.
>
>Why are you selling this scanner all of a sudden??? Didn't you just post
>the following message recently:

Either he/she can't figure it out or he/she got ripped off and is
trying to burn someone else. I know I wouldn't buy this scanner from
him/her. Something's up.
>
>Email: pdoddy@aol.com
>Date: 1998/09/04
>Forums: alt.radio.scanner
>I recently purchased a Yupi9000 from Porky, and when I recieved it on
>Tuesday and opened the box wowwwwwwwwwwwwww. ABSOLUTLY MINT AND NO
>SCRACHES.I am happy to say the YUPI9000 is truly and awesome scanner.
>I'm still in my figuring out how to operate stage.To save the best for
>last the MVT9000 Is truly the MERCEDES OF HANDHELD SCANNERS.THANKS
>AGAIN PORKY PERFORMANCE IS BREATHTAKING.

5198. Programming the IC-PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Robinson <pauljr@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <35F2064E.1ED5267D@bigpond.com>
Source record: 145013

Just wondering if anyone knows of any information for controlling this scanner dirrectly, im interested in writing some unix software for it, but i cant seem to find any information on how its done.. Anyone know?

Regards, Paul

5199. Re: BC-890 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35f50835.46739651@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 145014
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Depends on the version and there is not much to the mod just
move a resistor or two, lots of places on the net with the mod, just
do a search for it.

On Sat, 5 Sep 1998 14:57:20 -0300, "Paul Blackmore" <ve1xyz@sprint.ca>
wrote:

>Hello,
>Has anyone successfully modified the Uniden BearCat BC-890 XLT for full 800
>Mhz restore. If so, please let me know where you found it.
>I checked the listing at QRZ.COM but it is does not give many details about
>this mod.
>
>Thanks,
>Paul.
>
>
>

5200. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F21077.31304A09@INVALID.com>
Source record: 145015

John Mackey wrote:

> > > Are you saying they weren't
> > > written by Bill?
> >
> > No! I believe they were written by Bill, but they were not posted by
> > Bill. Someone attempted to forge Cheek & post his copyrighted material.
> >
> > > Bill wrote them. I've seen them before. I compared them to
> > > previous posts that I saved last year. They're identical. Bill Cheek wrote
> > > them.
> >
> > I agree, Cheek wrote them. But someone else posted them using a old &
> > no longer valid identity of Cheek. That was Bud Jamison!
> >
> > So what is your problem?

Bill would have surely voiced an objection to any infringements on his copyrights; as *any* writer would. And yet no objections have materialized.

That means one of two things:

1. It *was* Bill posting SCANNER RELATED material.

or

2. Bill's SCANNER RELATED material was posted with his consent.

So what are you whining about? A bogus E-mail address? A bogus identity?

Why are you singling him out John-RadioFan-compania-rcl1-fred-Digital Persona-Mackey?

Why not harass everyone with a bogus E-mail address. Why just Bill's SCANNER RELATED posts?

Obsession? Stalking? Sociopathic tendencies? Something sexual going on there? Tell me: WHAT IS IT?!?!?

You friggin' loon.

5201. Re: EDACS Scanner Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarod@syntec.com
Message-ID: <35f41269.5117288@news.zip.com.au>
Source record: 145016

On 5 Sep 1998 01:02:33 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>This is a scanner group -- we talk about scanners.

Is this supposed to be the revelation of the century?

>BTW: The world doesn't revolve around Australia, so I recommend you post
>VALID information for the US when necessary. You post incorrect cellular and
>cordless frequencies all the time.

Sorry, you don't get to rule on what anyone says in this newsgroup.

If you want to criticize someone for off-topic posts then use direct
email. Furthermore, stop acting like an arrogant know-it-all little
brat - shouldn't you be doing your homework instead kid?.

You have a *LOT* to learn about interpersonal communications and
reasoning - your numerous examples of flawed logic and misinformation
are evidence enough that you are downright immature and lack very
little knowledge.

5202. Items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <H4pI1.72$a1.1887638@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 145017
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale the following:

>>AOR AR - 1000XLT (display off by 4.9mhz) no gaps,1000 channels $275.00
>>RS TRC - 485 SSB/CB 40 channels (new)
$125.00
>>RCA CB (40 channel) Copilot 14T304
$ 40.00
>>Uniden CB (40 channel) 510XL
$ 40.00
>>Creative Labs Sound Blaster AWE64
$ 90.00
>>Aiwa CD-player (walkman style) 40-SEC ANTI-SHOCK (new)
$170.00

OR BEST OFFER !!!!!

I would like to sell these Items. If you are interested e-mail me at
altman@ctel.net

5203. Re: Mobile TrunkTracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Morris <jmorris@i-55.com>
Message-ID: <01bdd95a$052d97c0$5664e7d0@default>
Source record: 145018

Dewey:

I have the PRO-90 and I like it very much.

Good comments:

1. Display light stays on for a full 5 sec. when keypay button is pushed.
2. Numbers on keypad are round and oversized.
3. Speaker appears to sound better than my Pro-60.
4. Trunking features work as advertised.
5. Has built-in service frequencies for scanning police,fire/emerg., air, marine, and NOAA weather.
6. 300 frequencies (30 per bank).
7. Display is more visible (at different angles) than my Pro-60.
8. Can limit search, lockout frequencies of your choice, and ignore data channels.

Bad comments:
1. Can only trunktrack on one bank at a time.
2. Can not trunktrack and conventionally scan concurrently.
3. Squelch know turns counter clockwise (opposite to my Pro-60) and the white marker on the squelch knob is not where it should be per manual.

Hope this helps.

Joe

Dewey R. Watkins III <drwatkins3@erols.com> wrote in article <6ss2oo$6qe$1@winter.news.erols.com>...
> I'm interest in buying a PRO-90 (I think that's the 300 channel if I
> remember correctly). Any good/bad comments anyone ???
>
>
> Dewey.

5204. SC150B Car Adapter Specs ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana_Hartsock@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <bHvq2TZKOoob-pn2-SFLUYk6ZCPsQ@slip-32-100-116-223.ia.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 145019

Anyone using the Uniden card adapter for the SportsCat 150B ? I would like to know the specs for it. I have a multi-voltage adapter already and would rather not buy yet another car adapter if it isn't necessary.

Thanks,

Dana

5205. bearcat 210x ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcmdemp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090606440100.CAA09496@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 145020

Can anyone tell me what type of scanner this is, what frequency coverage it has, and maybe a list price.
thanx

5206. Radio Shack Pro-70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Brian J. Preston" <ewing3@unforgettable.com>
Message-ID: <35F2358C.C6AE305C@unforgettable.com>
Source record: 145021
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Hello!

I purchased a Radio Shack Pro-70 / 50 channel handheld scanner last year
and I must say that this unit is #1 with me.

It has a super fast search and picks up frequencies from very far away.

Would I buy it again? You Bet!

Brian J. Preston
Moses Lake, WA
http://www.televar.com/~bjpind

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

5207. Re: cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sth7n$84fa$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145022
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>~~~~~~
>"Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection.
>But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp
>authority over the man, but to be in silence."
>-Paul the bigot in 1 Timothy2:11-12
>**
Can anyone interpret this??

5208. Re: Looking for a scanner...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sthic$fho4$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145023
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

can i modify my old bearcat 350 to get 800mhz or something. i don't pick up anything on it anymore.

thanks
rick

5209. Tv frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35F24783.7A1BCBFC@nol.net>
Source record: 145024

Okay, I know what the frequencies are for the Audio (and Video) for TV stations, but my two handhelds don't have that range. Is there a modification I can make to add those frequencies?

Thanks,
Josh Carroll

5210. Buying a Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6sthpt$6fog$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145025

What do I look for in a scanner. Is the trunk tracking important?

Do they still pick upcell phones?
if not is it illegal? whats the penalty?

can i modify my old BC 350 to pick up 800mhz>?

regards
rick

5211. new scanner questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Compaq <crystal@ronan.net>
Message-ID: <01bdd973$57675c60$d8e604d0@vogmudet>
Source record: 145026

hi, I just bought a r/s trunktracker pro-90 that goes up to 956 MHz, and I haven't been able to pick up many cordless or cell phones? and suggestions would be appreciated.

5212. **TRADE 2006 FOR FRG-100B**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: blade1@home.com
Message-ID: <35f55643.254672548@news>
Source record: 144727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I have a mint condition unrestricted RS Pro-2006 w/ box and manual
that I would like to trade for a similar condition FRG-100B or
LOWE 150 . I also have a SKYSCAN Desktop that I would be willing to
throw in for the right unit.

Thanks
Robert

5213. Detroit Dispositon Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: xfile112@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090722490200.SAA19424@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144728

Hi! Does anyone happen to know the disposition codes for the Detroit Police Department? Any help would be greatly appreciated..Thanx
Brad
XFile112@aol.com

5214. And Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F46125.4680AE8F@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144729

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While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5215. MultiMode 1.0.0 Decoding Software Released for Macintosh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cps@access.digex.net
Message-ID: <cps-ya02408000R0709981858490001@newsreader.digex.net>
Source record: 144730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The latest version of MultiMode, Version 1.0.0, is now available for MacOS computer systems.

The URL is http://www.access.digex.net/~cps/sss14.html

MultiMode is an application which allows your Macintosh to decode several different modes of non-voice communication often heard on shortwave radio.

MultiMode allows you to decode and display morse code, RTTY, fax, and many other modes on your Mac, without any extra hardware!

In the past, dedicated hardware, often costing hundreds or thousands of dollars, was necessary to demodulate and decode this transmissions. Today, you can use the
processing power of your Macintosh to decode and display these modes, without any hardware.

MultiMode decodes the following signals:

Morse Code (CW)
RTTY (Baudot)
ASCII
SITOR-A
SITOR-B / FEC / NAVTEX
FAX
ACARS
WWVB Time Decode
DTMF
Audio Spectrum Display to aid in properly tuning in stations

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Check out my web pages for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac software.
http://www.access.digex.net/~cps

"One if by land, two if by sea" -- Paul Revere, encryption 1775

5216. Re: Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Virus <mattvirus@navix.net>
Message-ID: <35F46B21.138844C1@navix.net>
Source record: 144731
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well, I suppose this could be a problem for many scanners. I suppose
the easiest way to avoid this is to get a scanner with programmable step
size. Like an AOR or a newer ICOM radio.

--Good luck
Matt

fab wrote:

> By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
> reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
> be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
> ..0125Mhz.
> Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
> this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
> The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.
>
> Comments?
>

5217. Re: INFO REQ: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.105e15739a58e82f98975a@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144732

In my humble (lol) opinion, after having checked out the 1000, the better bet is the IC-PCR1000 by Icom. Although you will hear your share about the poor support for this product from Icom, the base software is more than adequate. ScanCat Software would be an even better option for extras. The price is right (around 500 bucks) and this should easily keep up with the new 1500 which was "just" FCC approved and will be in the country soon. Only the WinRadio 3100 could beat the Icom and that is 2 grand. So if your budget is slightly more modest, check out the ICOM.

5218. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fortworth3434@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27816-35F4655E-34@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144733

I bought about 8 dollars worth of merchandise,asked for a catalog and
got it for free,I have Radio Shack catalogs going back to 1970.

"http://banners.wunderground.com/banner/gizmotimetempbig/US/TX/Fort_Worth.gif"
"http://www.angelfire.com/tx/telecastr"
http://www.ecom.net/~whytlash/nasty.wav

5219. Re: FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <bcarty1@csi.com>
Message-ID: <35F46577.5993620C@csi.com>
Source record: 144734

D Stark wrote:

> GQCat wrote in message
> <1998090302344600.WAA03115@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> >ANYONE WITH INFO ON FLORIDA TRUNK TRACKER ID UPDATE AS TRUNKTRAKER IS
>
> USELESS
> >ON UPDATING FOR THE SCANNER BUFF'S THAT ARE OUT HERE
> >THANKS RON
>
> Whatever happened to searching out your own frequencies, IDs, codes
> and other information?

too much like work!

5220. Re: New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill carty <bcarty1@csi.com>
Message-ID: <35F466E3.D065ADB8@csi.com>
Source record: 144735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Is there anyone from the Aerospace Defense Command reading this news group. The reason I ask is that if it is a satelite then norad, or who ever is incharge of tracking space vehicles should be able to confirm or deny North Korea's claims. Anyone out there.

D. P. Roberts wrote:

> NORTH Korea claimed yesterday that its recent launch of a rocket,
> which put Japan on high security alert, was a "singing satellite", not
>
> a weapon.
>
> The claim sowed confusion in Seoul, Washington and Tokyo, which
> had accused Pyongyang of firing a ballistic missile over Japan.
>
> The Korean Central News Agency, official mouthpiece of the
> world's most secretive regime, said: "Our scientists and technicians
> have succeeded in launching the first artificial satellite aboard a
> multi-stage rocket into orbit." The satellite is now transmitting the
> melody of the immortal revolutionary hymns Song of General Kim
> Il-sung and Song of Kim Jong-il and the morse code signal 'Juche
> Korea' on 27 megahertz."
>
> ----------
> Well, it's a *high* shortwave frequency.
>
> Hmmm. Hrrrmmmmrrrrr. Has anyone heard this one?
>
> I wonder who the target audience is supposed to be? Certainly not the
>
> North Korean people who are starving. . .

5221. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: BigMax@sgi.net
Message-ID: <35F498A3.72F7@sgi.net>
Source record: 144736

CptnJack wrote:
>
> ELECTRONIC DISTRIBUTORS, CORP
> 325 Mill Street, N.E.
> Vienna, VA. 22180
> U.S.A.
> 703-938-8105
>
I bought AOR parts from a distributor in England and they were just
great to work with. The parts were reasonable along with the shipping.

The company in VA is a rip off. They wanted my scanner for evaluation at
a charge of $30 plus parts and labor to repair it. Why pay them when
you can repair it yourself, if you know what it needs.

I needed the key pad buttons and they were very easy to replace.

5222. Re: Once Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090723385400.TAA26146@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144737

>From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>No done well at all! Read my response to him to see the
>SERIOUS flaws in his data. Then talk to Bob Eisner for confirmation
>if you like.
>

Oh, I see, a different analysis now reveals that you posted 12,000, not 13,000,
off- topic posts.

5223. Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ScanMan@USA.America
Message-ID: <35F49A31.1F88@USA.America>
Source record: 144738

Why don't you people "GROW UP".

Forget the Bill Check bull shit and get back to the subject at hand.

Ooooooooops, did you forget, this is a scanner newsgroup?

In plain words, Forget the Flames.....

5224. The Best Frequency Database?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.105e16aa67249f6b98975b@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144739

Can anyone tell me what the most accurate and exhaustive database for the US is. I would require that it inform as to "what" the frequency represents. For example not just listing a load of frequencies that are licensed like the PerCon, but one that actually would say "Naperville Sheriff" or "Deerfield Public Works". I am sick and tired of just a shitload of frequencies without the tags to tell you what the heck they actually are. Anyone have an idea whose is the best in this area?

5225. Help with PRO 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cr8ive <cr8ive@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <aw%I1.845$%W3.1910127@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 144740

I know about clipping the jumper wire L201, but when I opened mine, there was never a jumper wire there, and I still do not have the 800-900 range I want. Has anyone heard of this? The serial # is 45006164. I heard there is a different trick for post 4500's

Help please!

5226. Radio Scanner FS(Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35f49007.0@carrera>
Source record: 144741
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,ubc.ads.for-sale

BC 800XLT Base Scanner 40 Ch,800MHz,Weather Search,mint non smoker cond,c/w
manual,box and bill of sale,
Asking $150 CDN funds $100. US funds
Located Langley BC(604)533-3567
Can ship Canada or US
panel56@intergate.bc.ca

5227. Re: Help with PRO 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F49188.1E7C6EFE@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144742

Cr8ive wrote:

> I know about clipping the jumper wire L201, but when I opened mine, there
> was never a jumper wire there, and I still do not have the 800-900 range I
> want. Has anyone heard of this? The serial # is 45006164. I heard there
> is a different trick for post 4500's
>
> Help please!

I got some bad news for ya. The same thing happened to me. You see, some of the 2026's have that jumper wire you can cut. But many of the later production models did away with that option. The hole's there and it's marked right, but nothing to cut.

You can't modify that one very easily.

Tell ya what you can do, hang onto that scanner and cruise the pawn shops for a model that you *can* modify. If you see one, sell them your model, and that'll take a little out of the bite on the model you *do* want.

It's still not great news. I know you're disapointed. I sure as hell was.

Sorry man.

5228. Easton CT Police Dept.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracker <tracker557@1earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35F495EB.1253@1earthlink.net>
Source record: 144743

Anybody have the Easton CT Police Dept. freq? A PL would be nice too if it's around. How about Fire / EMS freqs?

Please e-mail 'em to me!

Thanks in advance,
Tracker

5229. Ham Radio & Electronics Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sparky <sparky@removepobox.com>
Message-ID: <6t26ti$6f5$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144744

More Ham Radio classifieds available at The Virtual Hamfest:

http://www.vhamfest.com

Sales within hours!
Separate For Sale/Wanted pages
Easy to browse
Free email update notices - don't miss the bargains!
Subscription available for email delivery of new ads.

Hamfest Calendar
Stolen Equipment listing
VE Testing info

In operation since 1995.

73 Steve

5230. WTB: AOR 3000a DOS PROG.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: charly@steppy.com
Message-ID: <35f560df.1880033@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 144745

Help I need a copy of the little Dos proggy
to run my AOR 3000a with a palm top.

charly@xmission.com

5231. Re: Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4A67D.506B@parg.org>
Source record: 144746

ScanMan@USA.America wrote:
> Why don't you people "GROW UP".
> Forget the Bill Check bull shit and get back to the subject at hand.

Well said!

See the thread I started of "Drop the Bill Cheek issue" they
ingored it & continued to spread the BS! :(

5232. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4A8C0.B44@parg.org>
Source record: 144747

Blake Bowers wrote:
> And where is this FCC database for commercial licenses?

At the FCC.

5233. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4AB65.4E2F@parg.org>
Source record: 144748

Victor Healey wrote:

> that B Cheek legally worked on them at one time. I know he had a lot of
> problems with the FCC just like he had here. Maybe the FCC quietly pulled
> his tickets?

I heard that the FCC revoked his license after several problems
with him in the late 1980's. But when I called the FCC to ask if
he had ever held a commercial license they had no record of it so
it seems like that may have been some fantasy.

> Also when you search commercial they changed that stuff a few years ago to
> just a general commercial class license.

Right! The 3rd class radiotelephone license was dropped. The 1st & 2nd
class radiotelephone licenses were combined into the "General
Radiotelephone
Operators License". It seems to me like that happened in about
1985(?). The
General ROL license was then lifetime as opposed to the 1st or 2nd class
which was renewable every 5 years.

> You have to be more careful searching that data base IMHO.

I was. Do you have any data to point differently?

5234. Re: And Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4AC8B.7B3A@parg.org>
Source record: 144749

Mr. WireHead wrote:

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> the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the
> group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since
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Again, above data is inacurate because in June & July MANY of my
posts were rogue canceled, causing me to have to re-post.
Talk to Bob Eisner for confirmation if you like.

5235. Re: Once Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4AC95.6223@parg.org>
Source record: 144750

Bud wrote:

> >Oh, I see, a different analysis now reveals that you posted 12,000, not 13,000,
> >off- topic posts.

Both figures are wrong.

> My only question is WHO is Bob Eisner and why do we need to ask him when
> Mackey's continued abuse of this newsgroup is public knowledge in DejaNews?

He was helping identify which messages were canceled & who was
doing them.

> I did a search in DejaNews for Bob Eisner, and didn't find a SINGLE post
> from him.

Then try Robery Eisner.

5236. 322.0 on Service preset malfunction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Reilly <jreilly@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F4A8AC.1214D94@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 144751

My bearcat receiver has started to malfucntion on police service preset button. It will start out with a frequency of 322 and never lock in on a frequency in the police range. All of the other ranges work fine air, fire and marine. Anyone know of of way to get it to function in its normal mode. Is there a reset combination for the radio. This is a 230xlt radio. TY.
John

5237. Re: Pro 2006 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <no-spam-bmwebb@tima.com>
Message-ID: <6t2be0$e4b$1@topsy.kiva.net>
Source record: 144752

RDK wrote in message <35F41388.536A@a.crl.com>...
>Ive seen a used RS pro 2006 for sale at under $200.00 with a warranty of
>one year. are there things I should check out on this scanner before I
>buy it? the unit hasnt been modified, and comes with a photocopied
>manual. serial number is 070825 with a date code of 8A3. what does the
>serial number and date tell about this unit? Thanks for your help in
>advance.
>
>73s

Yeah right! I have some swamp land for sale too.

5238. Once More - Mackey's Despicable Off Topic Post Count

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F4B61E.88131571@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144753

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$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5239. Re: The Best Frequency Database?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Rollman <DanR@azstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <35F4B9DF.C00FB71@azstarnet.com>
Source record: 144754

A Local Frequency Directory is better. Lee, databases can only represent whats actually on FCC records. Most communities and states license ALL frequencies to the city or state, with no description of what specific city department will be using it. The FCC doesn't care. You can find this info out (sometimes) by checking out the Address and Attention fields of databases like PerCons. For example, a frequency may be licensed to "Tucson, City of". But on closer examination, the address field may be "Road Maintenance Yard, 250 N Main" or "Police Headquarters, 75 W State St." Also, the attention field can give it away. The frequency being used by road maintenance department may say "Road Maintenance Director" or "Jim Smith Dept Road Maint". Also, if just an address or name is shown in these fields, do a little more detective work and you can ascertain what city building or department is at that address, and you can also call and see what city department "Jim Smith" heads if that is all that is there.
Aside from a little detective work like this, the best source for every scanner listener is a frequency directory made locally, or at least a regional one with local people who contribute. Call around to radio shops, ham radio stores, and electronics stores and ask if they have any frequency books made locally. Take a look, and if what you see is what you were looking for, there you are. Local books are usually combined efforts of local scanner listeners who've been listening for years and "figured out" all the scanner info you would like to know. Support them and their efforts! Good luck.

Dan

Lee Rothman wrote:

> Can anyone tell me what the most accurate and exhaustive database for the
> US is. I would require that it inform as to "what" the frequency
> represents. For example not just listing a load of frequencies that are
> licensed like the PerCon, but one that actually would say "Naperville
> Sheriff" or "Deerfield Public Works". I am sick and tired of just a
> shitload of frequencies without the tags to tell you what the heck they
> actually are. Anyone have an idea whose is the best in this area?

5240. ACCESS MATE For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6785-35F4BB08-84@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144755
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have two access mate pagers like new. I'm asking $200 dollars plus shipping or will trade for any thing that seems like a deal. Go to this site to check out what and how the pager looks like.......

http://www.waccess.com/2way.htm

5241. Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t35he$q9e$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144756
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Subject: Bill Cheeks can use your help now
Date: Monday, August 24, 1998 5:08 PM

It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheek. You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:

ekruse@san.rr.com

and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.

5242. F.S. Regency Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John H. Klewer" <n6ax@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F48EFA.1D06@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale: Regency Touch M100 Scanner, sloped front panel, receives up to

512 MHz with 10 memories. with wall adaptor and mounting bracket.

$50.00 delivered CONUS

email to John

n6ax@pacbell.net

5243. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: D&K <not@thisaddress.com>
Message-ID: <35f4ce2f.0@news.rmci.net>
Source record: 144758

I've been talking to Glen at Scanners Unlimited in San Carlos CA (650.573.1624) about getting my new AOR AR8200, so I'm sure he could help you out. I've bought several radios from him in the past and have always received excellent service.

Darrel

BigMax@sgi.net wrote in message <35F498A3.72F7@sgi.net>...
>CptnJack wrote:
~snip~

5244. AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bestur@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6sv98i$4b8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144781

Are there any dealers 4 AOR in the US..Specially LasVegas? When I was Browsing www.aorja.com i found 0 american dealers.

Please E-mail me usenetx@iname.com
remove the X from my e-mail address.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5245. Re: Can't You Clowns Just "Turn the Other CHEEK?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35f2ed9c.8051852@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144782

On 06 Sep 1998 15:03:02 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

>Geez, this is ridiculous. The man's been gone for several days, yet you
>boneheads insist on keeping the flamefest alive. I think y'all have a severe
>case of CHEEK ENVY!
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

Gotta agree with ya Rambone., they should let it die.....
Which brings my question to mind.......
What's with your infatuation it Eric??
Geez, he's been gone longer, yet you can't wait to see him again.

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

5246. Cell phone help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: duke515722@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090700504200.UAA11017@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144783

Any other frequncies other then 911 that can be activated on a cell phone for free thanks Duke

5247. INFO REQ: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: captkfd308@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090701115300.VAA17610@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144784

I am looking for feedback from people that have the Winradio either the 1000 or 1500. I am debateing on buying a scanner and this radio has caught my attention?

Pro and Cons welcome

Does it work with Win95?

73 and Thanks

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:CaptKFD308@aol.com
CAPT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
Kingsland Fire Rescue
Kingsland, GA 31548
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm

5248. Re: Auto Programming Your PRO-64/PRO-2041 - From Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f33b4a.170403680@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144785

On Sun, 6 Sep 1998 09:58:53 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

>From: Bill Cheek <bcheek@san.rr.com>
>Subject: AutoProgramming Your PRO-64/PRO-2041
>Date: Thursday, June 04, 1998 3:01 AM
>
>The following post is made out of a need to use
>automation to create text files that can be used
>to AutoProgram the PRO-64/PRO-2041 scanners.
>Who wants to make 'em manually? <Gack>
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>===
>
>The resultant file goes into the PRO-2041 and PRO-64 just
>slicker than greased snake snot on oiled ice! APFTools is
>freely available from my FTP site as follows:
>
>ftp://204.210.11.204/ce232/Programs/apf40.exe
>
I'm having trouble downloading this, is there an alternate source?

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5249. Re: FT: DX 390

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f43c36.170639596@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144786

On Sun, 06 Sep 1998 15:46:44 -0400, joey <clairvoyant1@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>would like to trade my dx 390 for some sort of desk top scanner...

I have a mint PRO-508 I will trade you!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5250. Re: RadioShack PRO90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090702554700.WAA02593@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144787

try here for mods

radio shack scanner mod page
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods.html

5251. RADIO SHACK MODS WEBPAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090703033200.XAA03725@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144788

Hi all,
try here for your radio shack mods!

radio shack scanner mod page
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods.html

5252. PRO 43 LOW BAND PROBLEM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Kerkes <jdkerkes@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdda0f$0aecd620$6e07440c@hp-customer>
Source record: 144789
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I own a PRO 43 and I can not seem to receive anything on the low band and
was wondering if anyone else was having this problem and what can
be done about it?
Thanks in advance for your help.

5253. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robinson, AB5VH" <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6svjqn$9fp$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I got one free today too. I bought about $30 worth of connectors, PC board,
switches, op amps, and transformers and a couple other doodads. I got the
impression I would have got it free even without a purchase, though the
cover has $2.95 on it.

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******PLEASE REMOVE ANTI-SPAM TO REPLY VIA EMAIL*******

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73 DE AB5VH (Robinson) in San Benito, Texas
A nice little town in the beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border, By the Sea

New or Wannabe HAMS... go to my site for info and resources!
Ladies! SEE A HANDSOME HAM!
NEW! Amateur Locksmithing Page!
New shorter URL:

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http://crusoe.org

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dit diddy dit dit

Rudy Hardy wrote in message <6sv9td$34j$1@news12.ispnews.com>...
>I got one free today. The salesman only verified my name in the computer.
He
>said for inventory purposes.
>
>CommQuart wrote in message <6snne3liu1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>>Most of the 'Shacks never charged their regular known customers
>>for the catalog anyway.
>>
>>Pete
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>>John Habbinga wrote in message <6snl5e$t10$1@news4.wt.net>...
>>>I have learned that the catalog price will be changed to $0.00 in the
>point
>>>of sale system at RadioShack. I would imagine this would happen as soon
>as
>>>the programmers can download the new price into the store's computers.
>>>
>>>So all your complaining was heard by the powers that be at RadioShack.

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>>>Now, can you find something else to whine about?
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5254. Re: How to expand post 1994 Pro-2026 scanner ?.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Squeeze the Weeze <none@spammer.now>
Message-ID: <01bdda11$13661bc0$542f4ad1@godzirra>
Source record: 144791

Sure, The last time I checked, the earlier CPU was still available from RS.
U need to be proficient at SMD soldering techniques.
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5255. Re: PRO 43 LOW BAND PROBLEM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <WaJI1.493$ej4.13808100@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 144792
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Decent low band reception requires an antenna of a longer wave length than what is normally supplied with a scanner, especially the rubber duckies. Try using a telescoping whip antenna. Radio Shack sells a nice stainless steel one, with a center loading coil. Or check out Grove Enterprises.

Bill Crocker

D Kerkes wrote in message <01bdda0f$0aecd620$6e07440c@hp-customer>...
> I own a PRO 43 and I can not seem to receive anything on the low band and
>was wondering if anyone else was having this problem and what can
>be done about it?
> Thanks in advance for your help.

5256. RADIO SHACK MODS WEBPAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090704473700.AAA13360@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144793

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radio shack scanner mod page
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/mods.html
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5257. Re: bearcat 210x ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090704552700.AAA17674@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144794

>Can anyone tell me what type of scanner this is, what frequency coverage it
>has, and maybe a list price.
>thanx

If your talking about the Uniden Bearcat 210 XW scanner, it's a 20 channel desktop scanner with a green LCD Display, covers 30-50, 138-174, and 406-512 MHz NFM Mode. For a scanner this old, the recieve is quite nice and comparible to some scanners on the market today, but it's freq coverage is very limited. I think I picked mine up for under $4 at a yard sale. Hope this hepls. 73

5258. Re: Need San Diego freq (s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamstuf@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090705083100.BAA19074@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144795

>Will be in San Diego, Ca. for a few days. Would someone be kind >enough to give me a few good frequencies for that area. Thank You >Bob

Try http://www.cabrillosquare.com/911/

5259. Re: New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdda1e$b0e65100$95685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 144796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> Are they targeting the truckers in the midwest,or what?? I think those guys have all gone over to AM talkradio, anyway. Guess it would be an unusual QSL.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestw3eb.net

D. P. Roberts <inigo@montoya.net> wrote in article <35f6aac4.6390433@news.swbell.net>...
> NORTH Korea claimed yesterday that its recent launch of a rocket,
> which put Japan on high security alert, was a "singing satellite", not
> a weapon.
>
> The claim sowed confusion in Seoul, Washington and Tokyo, which
> had accused Pyongyang of firing a ballistic missile over Japan.
>
> The Korean Central News Agency, official mouthpiece of the
> world's most secretive regime, said: "Our scientists and technicians
> have succeeded in launching the first artificial satellite aboard a
> multi-stage rocket into orbit." The satellite is now transmitting the
> melody of the immortal revolutionary hymns Song of General Kim
> Il-sung and Song of Kim Jong-il and the morse code signal 'Juche
> Korea' on 27 megahertz."
>
> ---
> Well, it's a *high* shortwave frequency.
>
> Hmmm. Hrrrmmmmrrrrr. Has anyone heard this one?
>
> I wonder who the target audience is supposed to be? Certainly not the
> North Korean people who are starving. . .
>

5260. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DenB <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdda1e$fef9cde0$95685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 144797

> Uh, you lost me right about here-

allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com> wrote in article
<35F21077.31304A09@INVALID.com>...
> John Mackey wrote:
>
> > > > Are you saying they weren't
> > > > written by Bill?
> > >
> > > No! I believe they were written by Bill, but they were not posted by
> > > Bill. Someone attempted to forge Cheek & post his copyrighted
material.
> > >
> > > > Bill wrote them. I've seen them before. I compared them to
> > > > previous posts that I saved last year. They're identical. Bill
Cheek wrote
> > > > them.
> > >
> > > I agree, Cheek wrote them. But someone else posted them using a old
&
> > > no longer valid identity of Cheek. That was Bud Jamison!
> > >
> > > So what is your problem?
>
> Bill would have surely voiced an objection to any infringements on his
copyrights; as
> *any* writer would. And yet no objections have materialized.
>
> That means one of two things:
>
> 1. It *was* Bill posting SCANNER RELATED material.
>
> *or*
>
> 2. Bill's SCANNER RELATED material was posted with his consent.
>
> So what are you whining about? A bogus E-mail address? A bogus
identity?
>
> Why are you singling him out John-RadioFan-compania-rcl1-fred-Digital
Persona-Mackey?
>
> Why not harass everyone with a bogus E-mail address. Why just Bill's
SCANNER RELATED

> posts?
>
> Obsession? Stalking? Sociopathic tendencies? Something sexual going on
there? Tell
> me: WHAT IS IT?!?!?
>
> You friggin' loon.
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5261. GREAT HOUSTON SCANNING PAGE!!!!Re: Houston Scanning: Power of Houston Show

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "TraceyLevin." <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F371B6.752E@swbell.net>
Source record: 144798
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

YOU MUST SEE THIS TOP NOTCH HOUSTON SCANNING PAGE!!!

http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/

Many could modify their pages to look really neat like this one!

Mark.

5262. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Immoral Majority <whome@where.now>
Message-ID: <6svs8l$298m$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144799

write to info@aorusa.com and they should be able to tell you

bestur@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6sv98i$4b8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Are there any dealers 4 AOR in the US..Specially LasVegas? When I was
Browsing
>www.aorja.com i found 0 american dealers.
>
>Please E-mail me usenetx@iname.com
>remove the X from my e-mail address.
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>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5263. RADIO FRENQUENCIES USED BY ILLINOIS STATE POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ILHOOSIERS@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19945-35F37127-134@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144800

I would like to have the frenquencies used by the Illinois State Police.
It would be nice to know which districts use which frenquencies.

5264. Re: new scanner questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Immoral Majority <whome@where.now>
Message-ID: <6svtqasmm1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144801

Put simply the PRO 90 can't be modified for Cell Phones. The cordless frequencys are in the 46 thru 49 Mhz range think mostly 46 and 49 don't know the exact frequencies and also 902-928 range I believe for 900Mhz Cordless phones.

NOTE: Lots of 900Mhz Cordless phones are digital or Spread Spectrum and can't be listened to. My 900 Mhz phone is digital and my calls can't be picked up by any currently available scanners.

I personally don't care if you listen to them (all my cordless and Cell phones are digital) but you will find that you will get bored quickly with the phone conversations. Remember they are illegal to listen to and can result in rather harsh penalties.

Yeah I listened to both cordless and Cellphone back in the early 90's when it was legal and got toally bored and currently don't bother with them.

PS I think the law saying receivers cant receive them is stupid. IF you don't want people to listen buy a digital cellphone and have a digital provider or a digital and/or spread spectrum 900 Mhz Cordless phone

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Compaq wrote in message <01bdd973$57675c60$d8e604d0@vogmudet>...
>hi, I just bought a r/s trunktracker pro-90 that goes up to 956 MHz, and I
>haven't been able to pick up many cordless or cell phones? and suggestions
>would be appreciated.
>

5265. Re: EMERGENCY Transmission!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35f3809d.54485089@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144802

Yeah, but you didn't mention the scanners you guys had too!! Wannabe cops!!! :-)

Big Bad Berticus (never thought getting my ham ticket or scanners would piss off so many cops!)

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 05:57:11 GMT, me@me.com (me) wrote:

>bitzn@ai.ac.th (Hans Gruber) wrote:
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>>On 26 Aug 1998 16:55:36 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
>><jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
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>>>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>>>You must be a real shit head to add things that someone didn't say. Seems
>>>>like you are one of the no-code know it alls that wannabee a COP with your
>>>HT
>>>>hung from your belt and your stupid looking caps and badges. Wouldn't want
>>>to
>>>>be a ham if it was the last thing in the world. You all are nothing but a
>>>>bunch of geeks and loosers. Just read these responses from the hams and you
>>>>will agree.
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>>>I don't wear (nor like) caps and badges. I don't walk around with an HT on
>>>my belt -- I use it mainly at home and in the car.
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>>>>Read what started the thread and quite acting like a wannabee ham.
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>>>
>>>How can I act LIKE a wannabe ham when I already AM an amateur radio
>>>operator?
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>>>Ham = amateur operator. ::knock knock::
>>>
>>>>Your statement, not mine. You answer that one. What a stupid remark.
>>>
>>>Nope (you're wrong and ignorant as usual), you said that we hams always want
>>>to be like cops, when that certainly isn't true.
>>>
>>>Have you ever seen a cop physically get into a street flooded by torrential
>>>rains and push a car out of 12 inches of water? No. But hams do.
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>>
>>You seem like a little fool! I bet you go around with your radioshack
>>scanner set on police frequencies just to act like a police! I also

>>bet you got a pa speaker on your bike and family car with a siren!
>
>Hee hee, reminds me of a friend I had about 20 years ago. He was in the
>army at a base in Texas where he bought a used Texas Highway Patrol Pursuit
>car. That baby had a "suicide knob" mounted to the steering wheel, a side
>spot light, and a built in siren. It was a unmarked unit, that is how it
>was when he bought it. We used to go driving around with him pulling over
>our friends and scaring the shit out of them, once he pulled over someone
>he thought he knew but it was someone else, the guy was smoking a joint and
>almost shit when we stopped him, my buddy just said sorry man I thought you
>were someone I know. Haa Haa. That baby was great in traffic jams too, just
>flick on the siren and go, everyone would pull to the side and let us past,
>drinking beer and waving out the window at the ? marks on people faces.
>Well all the fun came to a end when my buddy got popped for going AWOL.
>That was a long time ago and I was only 15 years old, I would never get
>into a car like that now. <g> Almost forgot to mention, it had a FAST
>hopped up motor in it, burned rubber like nothing else!
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5266. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F384CE.77C@parg.org>
Source record: 144803

allsafe wrote:
> Why are you singling him out John-RadioFan-compania-rcl1-fred-Digital Persona-Mackey?

Don't try to lump me together with those other people.

I am singling him out because he is forging posts as many people have
stated they do not like on this NG, & he could possibly get Bill in
un-deserved
trouble. i am against Bill (or anyone) being un-justly accused.

5267. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F3854A.1B01@parg.org>
Source record: 144804

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> John, just because I am not a ham radio operator doesn't mean I am
> limited to just scanners. I have designed and built several commercial
> two-way radio systems.

You have never talked about anything other than scanners or claimed
any other knowledge other than scanners in the past.

Do you have an FCC commercial General Radiotelephone Licnese?

> I have never bothered to get my ham licence since
> too many of the licenced ham operators I have met over the years are
> stuck on themselves. Now before thiat statement stirs the pot ... I am
> not saying all ham operators are like that, Just more than I care to
> deal with.

What ever excuse you want to use is your choice.

5268. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t01btdgk1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144805

John wrote in message <35F384CE.77C@parg.org>...
>allsafe wrote:
>> Why are you singling him out John-RadioFan-compania-rcl1-fred-Digital Persona-Mackey?
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>Don't try to lump me together with those other people.
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>I am singling him out because he is forging posts as many people have
>stated they do not like on this NG, & he could possibly get Bill in
>un-deserved
>trouble. i am against Bill (or anyone) being un-justly accused.

Here we have the master forger calling the kettle black ! Is there any limit to your hypocrisy, Mackey ? Are we doing a bit of a flip-flop here in order to justify this tirade about a victimless crime ?

5269. Re: INFO REQ: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Token <Why_fret@the.small.stuff>
Message-ID: <35F38D0B.31BE@the.small.stuff>
Source record: 144806

CaptKFD308 wrote:
>
> I am looking for feedback from people that have the Winradio either the 1000 or
> 1500. I am debateing on buying a scanner and this radio has caught my
> attention?
>
> Pro and Cons welcome
>
> Does it work with Win95?
>
> 73 and Thanks

Does it work with Win95? Yes, very well.

The radio is a trade-off. It is wide banded and works well generally, but. . . It is subject to front end overload (particularly from FM band radio stations). It is installed in a particularly noisy RF environment. It lacks (1000i but NOT 1500i) a true SSB detector, and suffers from the same problems any radio would when using a BFO to provide SSB detection. It does not have selectable filters.

Those are the bad things. The good. . .

The software is very slick, so slick that third party software has not really shown up yet (not so the PCR-1000). (Also, I am working on this.) The FM band overload can be fixed with a $4 filter from Radio Shack (but other overloading may be harder to remady). The radio has a high scan rate. The spectrum scope makes the radio worth putting up with the problems (to me, YMMV). It is a true 1000 channel scanner, and you can have as many groups of 1000 as you have hard-drive space for.

I have gone to drastic measures to address the RF noise (internal to the PC) problems, with a fare degree of success.

This radio is not an R-7000, but it consistantly performs well. I got it to use with my R-7000, PRO-2004, FRG-7700 combination, not to replace them. But I find myself using the WinRadio most of the time.

Any thing else?

So Long,

Token
tokenXXX@ridgenet.net (remove XXX)

5270. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dringor@slip.net>
Message-ID: <35F38ABE.AEEDEAFB@slip.net>
Source record: 144807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

There is generally a repeater fee for GMRS and repeater seems
be very few....At least in the Northern CA. area.
I do use FRS (Family Radio Service) for short range excursions...generally good for about 1/4 to 2 Mile range.
Perhaps a route you may want to to look into is 2 metre ham.

dringor@slip.net

WD0FWP wrote:

> You may want to look at GMRS. This has all the advantages of CB with-out the restrictions of ham radio.
> You can use it for both commercial and personal use, and
> there is a lot of used UHF equipment available at reasonable prices.
> Any local radio shop can give you information.
>
> pinhead@jps.NOSPAM.net (Philo) writes: > In article <35EFA8EC.7B74@bellatlantic.net>, Trowan@bellatlantic.net
> > says...
> > > I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at
> > > least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and
> > > no repeater fees . Can I find anything in the 30 - 50 mhz range that
> > > will do the trick ? Or another frequency ? Any info is appreciated !
> >
> > Consider 2 meter. Even though they are outside your requested
> > frequency range, they will give you the distance you want quite
> > consistently and they are much more affordible than most other HAM
> > equipment. Also, all you need is the no-code license to use the band
> > so it is easy to use it legally. Check out the offerings from Alinco
> > and Icom and then go to AES to get a real price. Good luck.

5271. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t02ledki1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144808

DenB wrote in message <01bdda1e$fef9cde0$95685ed1@oemcomputer>...
>> Uh, you lost me right about here-
>
>allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com> wrote in article
><35F21077.31304A09@INVALID.com>...
>> John Mackey wrote:
>>
>> > > > Are you saying they weren't
>> > > > written by Bill?
>> > >
>> > > No! I believe they were written by Bill, but they were not posted by
>> > > Bill. Someone attempted to forge Cheek & post his copyrighted
>material.
>> > >
Why are you singling him out John-RadioFan-compania-rcl1-fred-Digital
>Persona-Mackey?
>>
>> Why not harass everyone with a bogus E-mail address. Why just Bill's
>SCANNER RELATED
>> posts?
>>
>> Obsession? Stalking? Sociopathic tendencies? Something sexual going on
>there? Tell
>> me: WHAT IS IT?!?!?
>>
>> You friggin' loon.

He reacts to each post about Bill and of Bill`s material like it was posted just to aggravate him. He claims I started this thread. And he is right. All I had to say was that Bill Cheek could use a little help from his friends, and Mackey went over the edge again. The REAL question is, why does he feel he has to have a knee - jerk reaction to each and every post of this nature ? An examination of his actions reveal the underlying motives.... He misses Bill worse than any of us do ! Bill has become his obsession, his WHOLE LIFE. How is he going to garner any glory without him ? Without Bill to bounce off of, he is nothing again. Bill OWNS him. He MUST feversishly read the scanner news groups every day, 10 times a day, just to hear about him. Bill fills his every waking moment..... Bill is a father figure to be rebelled against, you see, as any male authority figure in his life must be rebelled against. Daddy must pay for his sins ..... But his relationship with Daddy is ambivalent. (He hates him but he loves him).
He is a fascinating psychological study. He will exhibit this behaviour in any group he frequents on a regular basis. This means he has no self - respect. He has no achievements to show, no knowledge or expertise,

and so he must belittle the achievments of others. He is, forever, "The guy who fought with Bill Cheek". What tremendous status ! I am impressed. Aren`t you ? He has completely misjudged the way adults will react to this bizarre mental aberration of his. The rest of his profile is too gruesome to go into.

Not to get off the subject, but perhaps some of you would enjoy reading "Journey into Darkness" By John Douglas..... Should be able to find a copy at the local library.....

5272. Re: Tv frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmturner@primenet.com
Message-ID: <6t0ahk$979$1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 144809

baba-booey@iname.com (Baba Baba Baba Booey) wrote:

>On Sun, 06 Sep 1998 03:27:47 -0500, Joshua Carroll babbled on about Tv
>frequencies proclaiming:

>>Okay, I know what the frequencies are for the Audio (and Video) for TV
>>stations, but my two handhelds don't have that range. Is there a
>>modification I can make to add those frequencies?

>Buy a portable TV. The audio is in Wide FM the visual in AM so a
>narrow FM scanner won't do either.

FYI

US broadcast FM uses +/- 75 kHz (150 kHz bandwidth) for 100%
modulation.

US TV audio FM uses +/- 25 kHz (50 kHz bandwidth) for 100% modulation.

Most of the narrow band FM communications that scanners monitor use
15-20 kHz bandwidth.

Regards,

Dave

5273. willi_arsch is an arse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090712035000.IAA04983@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144810

Willi-arsch, when are you going to stop making trouble and start posting something about scanners? All you ever whine about is how nobody likes your little butt buddy Mackey.

Oh, I've been sending complaints to your ISPs quite regularly. For instance, I reported this morning that you have been harassing me via e-mail and that you have e-mailed me child pornography. A copy of that message, along with the images, are also being mailed to the authorities. See ya, wouldn't want to be ya!

5274. Re: Once Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090712060800.IAA08546@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144811

>From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>

>I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched
>the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the
>group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since
>he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has
>made can be counted on one hand,

Well done! You have proven a point more clearly than anyone ever could have.
You are to be commended for helping clean up this newsgroup by pointing out
just who the troublemaker really is.

5275. Scanner INFO 1: Hey Bud

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <558_9809070500@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144812

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5276. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <#w$F0ml29GA.271@upnetnews05>
Source record: 144813

Andrew Porrett wrote in message <35ef2cac.425723@news>...
>
>"Ivan Ivanovich" <iivanovich@usf.com> wrote:
>
>>Ever go into Wal Mart, Circuit City, Lowes or some other mass
>>merchandising store to ask about product lines? Let's face it folks
>>the menial jobs in the service industry are not permanent place for
>>employment. Every electronics oriented Newsgroup beats up on this
>>dead issue of clueless RS employees to death. Maybe it is about
>>time to let it drop.
>
>Do any of those chains have a national advertising campaign that
>uses the phrase "We've got answers."? When they do, we'll bash
>them too (for false advertising).
>

They all claim to have the lowest prices but, someone is always lower somewhere! Sure you can ask and they agree to meet the lowest price of competitor, but basically, this is false advertisement also. My point is the American businesses peddle us bull shit and MOST consumers consume it eagerly.

Besides, most consumers do not have the "higher level" of intellilect you obvisouly have, so the RS answer does sound reasonable.

<<<< Snip snip snip >>>>

>One has to wonder why Tom is working at RS! Check back in a year
>and let us know if he's still there...
>
>
>...Andy
>

Tom told me directly, he was there because he like to buy RS items and was afforded a discount. Besides how many people remain in these low paying "Service" jobs for 20 or more years? I can not think of one person whom I personally know that has, even if they wanted to, they were let go before being vested in the retirement system.

My point is enough bandwidth has been wasted in the last 10 years on the net over this topic. Lets face it we all agree upon the following RS points.

1. RS does not always hire first rate engineers nor technicians to work in their stores.
2. RS does not always have a precise answer to all questions posed 100 % o

the time.
3. RS does not pay the lowest workers a living wage.
4. RS does support the Telecommunication Act, thus trample scanner users rights.
5. RS does block their scanner from Cellular freqs and mods, thus trample scanner users rights.
6. RS does not sell manuals any more to scanners capable of receiving 800 MHz, thus trample upon scanner users rights.
7. RS is the root of evil thrust upon the electronic hobbyist community.
8. RS employees are not the most content group of people with their jobs, and some times let it show.

Ivan Ivanovich

5277. Kenwood VHF Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090712494700.IAA07575@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144814

I've got an old Kenwood VHF handheld that I have long since lost the manual to. Can anyone give me some help in how to program it, or suggest somewhere I can get the info and/or manual?

Thanks

5278. Re: Kenwood VHF Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmierrn@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090712523000.IAA11249@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144815

>Subject: Kenwood VHF Help
>From: kegan30317@aol.com (Kegan30317)
>Date: 9/7/98 12:49 PM !!!First Boot!!!
>Message-id: <1998090712494700.IAA07575@ladder01.news.aol.com>
>
>I've got an old Kenwood VHF handheld that I have long since lost the manual
>to.
> Can anyone give me some help in how to program it, or suggest somewhere I
>can
>get the info and/or manual?
>
>Thanks
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>

Try Kenwoods web site, last i knew you could download a manual or other
informaton
Rj

5279. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t0lhk$g02$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144816

John wrote in message <35F3854A.1B01@parg.org>...
>Mike Derryberry wrote:
>
>> John, just because I am not a ham radio operator doesn't mean I am
>> limited to just scanners. I have designed and built several commercial
>> two-way radio systems.
>
>You have never talked about anything other than scanners or claimed
>any other knowledge other than scanners in the past.
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>Do you have an FCC commercial General Radiotelephone Licnese?
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>> I have never bothered to get my ham licence since
>> too many of the licenced ham operators I have met over the years are
>> stuck on themselves. Now before thiat statement stirs the pot ... I am
>> not saying all ham operators are like that, Just more than I care to
>> deal with.
>
>What ever excuse you want to use is your choice.

A few posts back, Mackey, you were claiming that YOUR licenses were real,
while Bill Cheek`s aren`t ! Are we now going to waffle from that position ?

5280. Eric Oyen (was: Re: Can't You Clowns Just "Turn the Other CHEEK?")

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090713540000.JAA15919@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144817

In article <35f2ed9c.8051852@news.earthlink.net>, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy) writes:

>Gotta agree with ya Rambone., they should let it die.....
>Which brings my question to mind.......
>What's with your infatuation it Eric??
>Geez, he's been gone longer, yet you can't wait to see him again.

Hey, you brought it up. You must have an OYE BOY fetish!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5281. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090713540100.JAA12449@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144818

In article <35F2D792.5234@parg.org>, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> writes:

>You know that is true as you are afraid to use you real ID becaues
>you are ashamed to let people know who you really are & that
>you will lose your AOL account.

Your WHAT hurts?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5282. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090713540200.JAA12452@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144819

In article <35F35044.B5FB0AC0@INVALID.com>, allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
writes:

>They got some serious problems down there with crime. My brother is
>stationed down in Southern FL and he tells me about this latest antic: They
>got some people waiting for traffic on the interstate (Every day: traffic
>standstill.) And they wait for it to get backed up, then they just make
>they're way down the interstate on foot with a gun and just rob each car
>along the way.

Fortunately, Florida also allows it's citizens to protect themselves via
liberal handgun laws. Try something like that on me and the punk's gonna
quickly find a 9mm Glock in his face.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5283. Re: Grove Enterprises

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Lee <terrylee@interl.net>
Message-ID: <35F3EA9E.6C1B1E63@interl.net>
Source record: 144820

RONALDPURDUE wrote:

> Has anyone ordered the FCC CD-ROM from Grove Enterprises lately? I have
> ordered the CD-ROM last July but I never recieved it. Anyone else have
> the similar problem?

Here is the answer I received about it.....

++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
"Subject: Re: FCC98-CD
Date: Sat, 05 Sep 1998 12:02:31 -0400
From: Bob Grove <bob@grove.net>
To: Terry Lee <terrylee@interl.net>

Hi, Terry:
The delays have been embarrassing, but necessary. It seems that
every time
we had an improvement, we found another glitch. But there is good news: The

master is at the duplicator's now, and it is scheduled to be run September
14th; as it soon as we receive that box back, they all go out!

Thanks for your patience; you won't be disappointed. It's a
hum-dinger of
a program (It should be after all this time!).

Best regards,

Bob"

5284. Re: RADIO FRENQUENCIES USED BY ILLINOIS STATE POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jenna Jonteaux-McClay <jennajon@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6t0q3a$b62$1@eve.enteract.com>
Source record: 144821

Lewis Hubble wrote in message
<19945-35F37127-134@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>...
I would like to have the frenquencies used by the Illinois State Police.
It would be nice to know which districts use which frenquencies.

Illinois State Police Weather Emergencies: 42.500
Illinois State Police Emergency Radio Network: 155.475
Illinois State Police Helicopter: 155.475, 155.460

5285. How much is a PRO-43 WORTH????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <eebert@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <35F3EC30.9C59A15D@sprint.ca>
Source record: 144822

I'm wondering about the value of a used Radio Shack Pro-43 with the diode-clip cellphone mod already done. Anyone recently bought/sold one of these and can give me an idea what you paid? Thanks....

5286. Re: Kenwood VHF Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Brinkley <radios@rbdc.com>
Message-ID: <35F3EDF8.8C11510F@rbdc.com>
Source record: 144823

Kegan30317 wrote:

> I've got an old Kenwood VHF handheld that I have long since lost the manual to.
> Can anyone give me some help in how to program it, or suggest somewhere I can
> get the info and/or manual?
>
> Thanks

Let me know the model number - I might can help.

Andy

NC Certified Firefighter III / Instructor II / EMT-A
FCC Licensed Technician / Amateur Call N4ROX
http://www.brinkleyelec.com

5287. Re: Cell phone help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t0sks$q72@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144824

911 isn't a frequency -- it's a telephone number.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Duke515722 wrote in message
<19980907005042000.UAA11017@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Any other frequncies other then 911 that can be activated on a cell phone
for
>free thanks Duke

5288. Re: Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t0t7g$u4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144825

Duplexers, in theory, will work great.

But, this is your best bet: an inexpensive but well-working automatic switch which can be placed on the antenna jack, and when RF energy is detected, the antenna line disconnects for as long as any RF energy is present. I have no idea where these can be found, but I'm sure some place like AES has them.

Be careful with any of this, as RF energy is wild when it comes to frying receivers!
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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
It gives the test first and teaches after.

Chuck Berry wrote in message <35F34AA6.406A77DB@efn.org>...
>I would like to put my 2 meter radio and scanner on the same antenna
>while isolating the scanner from 2 meter when transmitting. What are
>your recommendations?
>
>Chuck Berry
>n7chs
>

5289. Re: Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhorvath@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35f4f739.2984318@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144826

Chuck Berry <cberry@efn.org> wrote:
I had a similar arrangement in my car for years. I used a 2 meter
window mount 5/8 wave cellular look-a -like antenna that was
switched by a coaxial relay. It worked fine for both 2
meters and scanning.
Bob
I would like to put my 2 meter radio and scanner on the same antenna
>while isolating the scanner from 2 meter when transmitting. What are
>your recommendations?
>
>Chuck Berry
>n7chs
>

5290. Albany NY Freqs. please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chico <holyman2@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <U1TI1.483$x5.1695220@proxye1.nycap.rr.com>
Source record: 144827

I just got a PRO 2004 as my first scanner. Years ago I could find freqs. on the internet. I want the Albany, and watervliet freqs especially. I am totally lost can anyone help me get going?

5291. Re: Help with PRO-2006 MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomhvdc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090716095800.MAA01192@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144828

If it is the PROgrammit, there could be nothing wrong. I added an ON/OFF switch to the board because it needs to be powered on and off to ENABLE the scanner keypad.

Tom

5292. Re: Sony ICF-SC1PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: CptnJack <mike@find.me>
Message-ID: <6t10bo$f1k$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144829

Thanks for the info. I found the 235xlt for $169 over the web. (not verified yet as its a holiday). I think I'm gonna go ahead and order that one because I read somewhere that Atlanta is on the Motorola Trunk Tracker System. So I'll get used to that and wait till I can get my hands on a AR8200...

5293. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: CptnJack <mike@find.me>
Message-ID: <6t102lelh1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144830

bestur@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6sv98i$4b8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Are there any dealers 4 AOR in the US..Specially LasVegas? When I was
Browsing
>www.aorja.com i found 0 american dealers.

Browse Harder....

ELECTRONIC DISTRIBUTORS, CORP
325 Mill Street, N.E.
Vienna, VA. 22180
U.S.A.
703-938-8105

Taken from http://www.aorja.com/dealer-e.html

5294. Re: Case Want for Pro 34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: aim.stew@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6t12hs$no8$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144831
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

aim.stew@mindspring.com wrote in message
<6t129i$r4i$1@camel25.mindspring.com>...
>I have checked with Radio Shack. They can supply the front half of the
>plastic case for the Pro 34 but not the back half. I know someone has a
>junker that I can buy the back case from. Or I will buy the whole scanner
if
>the case is good. I think the Pro 37 is the same.
>
>

5295. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpluta@spam.me.not.earthlink.net
Message-ID: <rpluta-0709981240430001@ip141.tampa5.fl.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 144832

In article <35f305b4.22414259@news2.ipa.net>, cdeviney@ipa.net (Cathy De Viney) wrote:

> 20% off of $200 is $40, making the total price $160.
> Why are they giving 20% off? Just for applying for a new credit card?
> In the past I thought they had given out 10% off coupons.

Doh!

Cathy's right. It's 10 percent for a 20 dollars savings. The 10 percent thingy ends 7 September.

rob

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rpluta at earthlink dot net

5296. Case Want for Pro 34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: aim.stew@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6t129i$r4i$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144833

I have checked with Radio Shack. They can supply the front half of the plastic case for the Pro 34 but not the back half. I know someone has a junker that I can buy the back case from. Or I will buy the whole scanner if the case is good. I think the Pro 37 is the same.

5297. Civil Aviation - North Atlantic Radar View and Log

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Brandao <l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980907175239.2285N-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 144834

Hello

Here is a log for New York, Gander, Shanwick and Santa Maria ATC
Centers.
Interesting to note that Severe Turbulence was reported in Santa
Maria Oceanic Airspace north of N37 and east of W35. The controllers gave
this SIGMET to all flights entering this area.
There were also many TWA flights receiving company messages for
minimum required fule at the destination.

You can find a radar view of the Atlantic airspace at the time the
log was created by going to:

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lakes/9420/shotex6.gif

I've also included on the radar view the Swissair Flight 111 crash
location.
Hope you enjoy the log and the view.

Best regards, Andre Brandao

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/ /\ AirNav 2.10 ) - http://fly.to/airnav
\__/ File generated by the Aircraft Tracking Software
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LOG FILE STARTING AT 0222 05 SEP 98 UTC

UTC Freq(KHz) Callsign Report
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0226Z 8903 MPH606 41N50W/0227 F310 45N40W/0322 48N30W/
0226Z 8903 AFR3690 39N40W/0226 F290 41N30W/0317 44N20W/ SFLDJ
W-33.277.55
0231Z 5598 LIB812 44N20W/0230 F350 45N15W/0254 SBEAK
0238Z 5598 CKT64 42N30W/0237 F340 46N20W/0316 OMOKO/
0239Z 5598 CFG239 44N40W/0237 F330 46N30W/0339 48N20W/
0240Z 5598 DAL108 44N40W/0239 F350 44N30W/0336 44N20W/
0244Z 5598 IBE6250 44N30W/0243 F330 44N20W/0321 MUDOS/ W-42.260.46
0244Z 5598 SPP138 44N30W/0243 F350 44N20W/0332 MUDOS/
0243Z 5598 MPH644 49N40W/0242 49N30W/0326 49N20W/
0243Z 8903 BAW9653 46N30W/0241 F360 48N20W/0328 48N15W/ SGKDS
0245Z 8903 LIB804 44N20W/0244 F340 45N15W/0307 W-45.245.70
0250Z 5598 DAL126 SPQDJ
0250Z 5598 AZA611 49N40W/0248 F340 50N30W/0332 50N20W/
0251Z 5598 LDA9221 49N50W/0237 F350 49N40W/0321 49N30W/ SJSMQ
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0252Z 5598 TWA902 44N30W/0249 F390 44N20W/0340 MUDOS/ W-49.255.29
0253Z 5598 CFG183 SLMBR
0254Z 5598 UAL979 SASFK
0254Z 5598 TWA924 51N30W/0254 F370 51N20W/0337 51N15W/ SAEGK
0255Z 5598 COLORS4549 40N16W/0247 F310 45N16W/0325 OMOKO/
0259Z 5598 BAW299 52N40W/0258 F330 53N30W/0340 53N20W/
0259Z 5598 BAW174 52N30W/0259 F330 52N20W/0342 52N15W/
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0300Z 5598 CFG239 SCMRS
0301Z 5598 TWA924 F370
0304Z 5598 USA894 51N40W/0303 F350 52N30W/0349 52N20W/
0304Z 5598 N481QS 48N30W/0302 F410 49N20W/0351 49N15W/ SLSFH
0305Z 5598 LOT022 52N30W/0304 F360 52N20W/0349 52N15W/ SHSCD
0303Z 5598 AOM314 45N20W/0302 F340 W-45.250.65 SBLEG
0303Z 5598 DAL94 44N30W/0342
0305Z 8903 COA64 44N50W/0311 F350 44N40W/0359 43N30W/ U44.4
0305Z 8903 TWA900 43N40W/0312 F390 42N30W/0403 41N20W/ SGJGM
0307Z 8903 AAL68 45N20W/ MUDOS/ STG/ F350 M080
0315Z 6628 BAL152B 53N40W/0314 F350 53N30W/0350 53N20W/ U18.1
0315Z 5598 LTU1021 40N60W/0310 F330 44N50W/0406 47N40W/
W-37.260.70 SEJAP
0316Z 5598 SBL1844 42N40W/0313 F330 44N30W/0405 48N20W/ SCFES
W-48.310.88
0323Z 5598 MPH606 45N40W/0322 F330 48N30W/0412 48N20W/
0324Z 5598 TAP327 F360 43N50W/0348 43N40W/
0325Z 8903 COA062 F350 44N50W/0329 44N40W/ SAGDF
0327Z 8903 AFR3683 41N20W/0326 F370 M080 HIDRA/0410
0330Z 8903 IBE6250 44N20W/0330 F330 MUDOS/0404 STG/ W-49.250.71
0331Z 8903 COA68 44N50W/0329 F350 44N40W/0415 44N30W/ U98.8
0333Z 8903 SPP138 44N20W/0331 F350 MUDOS/0406 STG/

Report: F+Flight_Level S+SELCAL M+Mach U+Fuel W+Weather Q+Frequency
R+Registration T+Aircraft_Type A+Airports C+Company

5298. Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: morison4@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090717005300.NAA07797@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144835

I am planning on buying a hand held scanner and have been trying to get in fo
on what would be the best type for my needs. I am looking for a scanner that
either has no gaps from 45mhz to 1300mhz from the factory ie euopean models or
models that can be mod.If you have one of the following tell me what you think
AO8000, AO8000B, AO8200(can this be MOD), BC25000XLT, BC3000XLT,
UBC3000XLT.

PLEASE take the time to answer this I need some good experienced Help

Please E-mail reply

5299. Dealers Welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: morison4@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090717015100.NAA04493@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144836

I am planning on buying a hand held scanner and have been trying to get in fo
on what would be the best type for my needs. I am looking for a scanner that
either has no gaps from 45mhz to 1300mhz from the factory ie euopean models or
models that can be mod.If you have one of the following tell me what you think
AO8000, AO8000B, AO8200(can this be MOD), BC25000XLT, BC3000XLT,
UBC3000XLT.

PLEASE take the time to answer this I need some good experienced Help

Please E-mail reply

5300. Pro 2006 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: RDK <rdk@a.crl.com>
Message-ID: <35F41388.536A@a.crl.com>
Source record: 144837

Ive seen a used RS pro 2006 for sale at under $200.00 with a warranty of one year. are there things I should check out on this scanner before I buy it? the unit hasnt been modified, and comes with a photocopied manual. serial number is 070825 with a date code of 8A3. what does the serial number and date tell about this unit? Thanks for your help in advance.

73s

5301. Re: Indianapolis RCA Dome freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottr@iquest.net
Message-ID: <6t14td$ha5$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 144838

In article <35effb70.6253652@news.cc.purdue.edu>, cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu (Chuck Welborne) wrote:
>On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 15:34:37 -0500, David Wendt <wendt@indy.net>
>wrote:
>
>>Does anyone know where I could find the security freqs for the RCA Dome
>>in Indianapolis, say a Web page, etc? I work there part time and would
>>love to be able to listen in. The Motorola HTs they use only say Ch 1,
>>etc.
>
>The best source I know of for Indiana freqs is here:
>http://members.iquest.net/~aeverhart/
>
>I'm not sure I've ever seen freqs for the RCA dome, though.

Freqs for the RCA dome are on MECA 2. The IndyScan web page mentioned above (members.iquest.net/~aeverhart/) will have the MECA 2 freqs as well as the talk groups. Note that MECA 2 is a trunked system, so a trunktracker will be your best bet to listen in on the dome freqs.

Scott Richardson
scottr@iquest.net

5302. Re: Cell phone help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0709981405380001@pm55-46.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144839

In article <19980907005042000.UAA11017@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
duke515722@aol.com (Duke515722) wrote:

> Any other frequncies other then 911 that can be activated on a cell phone for
> free thanks Duke

Dan Rather knows all the frequencies.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

5303. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F42044.38B4@parg.org>
Source record: 144840

Zombie Wolf wrote:
> Here we have the master forger calling the kettle black ! Is there any limit
> to your hypocrisy, Mackey ? Are we doing a bit of a flip-flop here in order
> to justify this tirade about a victimless crime ?

You better speak to Bud Jamison. I have NEVER done a forgery
of any kind. Bud was the one doing recent forgery here.

5304. DROP the Bill Cheek issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <5a6_9809071100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144841

From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com

> You are not very smart and are a liar too Mr. Sickey Mackey. You are
> the one who wanted more details when somebody saoid Mr. Cheeks got
> kicked off an newsgroup. You are not a very good liar because you are
> pretty stupid. your are a sick man, too. Merry

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5305. DROP the MAlexander!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <5a7_9809071100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144842

From: willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com

Wi> You have lied in bogus complaints to ISPs of people who disagree
Wi> with you and Cheek. Not only are you a liar, you are a pathetic Cheek
Wi> sycophant.

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5306. DROP the Bill Cheek issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <5a8_9809071100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144843

KA0SSF <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote in article <35ED8F5F.707B@parg.org>...

> Never mind, this whole thing is stupid!

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
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5307. Re: How much is a PRO-43 WORTH????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <no-spam-bmwebb@tima.com>
Message-ID: <6t17mhdra1@topsy.kiva.net>
Source record: 144844

Eric wrote in message <35F3EC30.9C59A15D@sprint.ca>...
>I'm wondering about the value of a used Radio Shack Pro-43 with the
>diode-clip cellphone mod already done. Anyone recently bought/sold one
>of these and can give me an idea what you paid? Thanks....
>
>
>

From what I've seen at Ebay, they will go from $175-$200. There are
exceptions but that would be close.

Brian

5308. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F42236.34D1@parg.org>
Source record: 144845

MAlexder wrote:

> Well, I've been called worst things (and much more imaginatively, I might add).

I'm sure of that.

> Funny, no one has ever called me an electronic stalker, forger, computer
> trespasser, liar, impersonator, or any of the other things that are commonly
> applied to you.

WRONG! YOU have commonly been called those types of names. See below:

=willi_arsch@my-dejanews.com wrote:
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=> malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
= SNIP
=
=> You have lied in bogus complaints to ISPs of people who disagree
with you
=> and Cheek. Not only are you a liar, you are a pathetic Cheek
sycophant.

> So, when are you going to stop with the flaming and all of your usual antics,
> Mackey? Cheek is gone but you're still at it. Each off-topic post from you
> confirms what everyone has long believed.

I have done nothing. Talk to Bud Jamison about lying & impersonating.

5309. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F422F4.2081@parg.org>
Source record: 144846

Zombie Wolf wrote:
> A few posts back, Mackey, you were claiming that YOUR licenses were real,
> while Bill Cheek`s aren`t ! Are we now going to waffle from that position ?

No, I have not changing that postition at all. I have REAL & LEGIT &
CURRENT
FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial. Cheek has NONE!

My statements & position have not changed at all.

5310. Scanner Crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Beekman <string@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <cZVI1.451$2R.1351346@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>
Source record: 144847

Does anyone have any Regency scanner crystals they would like to sell? Or does anyone know of any mail order stores where I can order them?

I am looking for 155.550 Mhz, 154.370 Mhz.

I would also take BearCat Crystals if you have them laying around.

Thanks

Bill

5311. Re: Cell phone help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Beekman <string@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <I3WI1.460$2R.1353965@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>
Source record: 144848

*611 is usually customer service and air time free.

Duke515722 wrote in message
<19980907005042000.UAA11017@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>Any other frequncies other then 911 that can be activated on a cell phone
for
>free thanks Duke

5312. Re: New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Beekman <string@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <u7WI1.461$2R.1355928@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>
Source record: 144849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

27 Mhz huh. Either they want to talk to truckers or knock down Radio controlled airplanes.

5313. Re: Albany NY Freqs. please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6t1b20$1f9u$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 144850

Chico wrote in message ...
>I just got a PRO 2004 as my first scanner. Years ago I could find
freqs. on
>the internet. I want the Albany, and watervliet freqs especially. I
am
>totally lost can anyone help me get going?

Try the NF2G Scannist Pages at http://www.ggw.org/nf2g

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

5314. Re: Kenwood VHF Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35f45e7a.845240@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 144851

Assuming it is not THAT old, here's how to program it:
go into the VFO mode.
enter the frequency you want.
press the Function button
press the Memory button
Viola
L8R
Mike

On 7 Sep 1998 12:49:47 GMT, kegan30317@aol.com (Kegan30317) wrote:

>I've got an old Kenwood VHF handheld that I have long since lost the manual to.
> Can anyone give me some help in how to program it, or suggest somewhere I can
>get the info and/or manual?
>
>Thanks

5315. Opto R11 modification?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: chiblet@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090719313100.PAA26799@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144852

Would anyone have any info as to un-mute the audio while the R11 is recieving cells?
Thanks Chiblet @aol.com

5316. FS 2006 and 2006 with opto 456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: aciesynski@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090719320700.PAA26892@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144853

I have one of each of the 2006s one with the os456 board and onw without. Both are in excellent condition Very bright backlight and cell and speed mods done.The 2006 with opto i will include either probe 4.0 or scancat gold. im asking 300 for the 2006 and 450 for the 2006 with the opto.

5317. FS pro 26 with cell mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: aciesynski@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090719332300.PAA27063@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144854

pro 26 with the cell mod(jumper wire trick) comes with manual and antenna sorry no box excellent condition. $175

5318. Re: Scanner Crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35f45f27.1017870@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 144855

The BEST (and chepest) x-tal place I have EVER found is called G& G Communications.
their web-site is at:
http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm

They sell x-tals for scanners, and pagers
They repair scanners/pagers
They sell pagers/scanner parts.
Check them out.
The owner's name is Gerry.
It's a good place to deal.
It is located in LeRoy, NY (near Rochestor)
73 Mike

On Mon, 7 Sep 1998 14:52:17 -0400, "Bill Beekman" <string@ameritech.net> wrote:

>Does anyone have any Regency scanner crystals they would like to sell? Or
>does anyone know of any mail order stores where I can order them?
>
>I am looking for 155.550 Mhz, 154.370 Mhz.
>
>I would also take BearCat Crystals if you have them laying around.
>
>Thanks
>
>Bill
>
>
>

5319. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090719465900.PAA28735@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144856

>From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>
>No, I have not changing that postition at all. I have REAL & LEGIT &
>CURRENT
>FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial. Cheek has NONE

We're not talking about Cheek, although that is all you want to talk about. I'm still waiting to find out about the investigation into your selling licenses that was described here not long ago. While I maintain that it is not fair to condemn you for any alleged activities of an illegal nature, it is surprising that you have not been more forthcoming in answering your critics. Is it or is it not true?

5320. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090719514400.PAA25924@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144857

>From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>I have done nothing. Talk to Bud Jamison about lying & impersonating.

Of course that is a lie. I'm sure that Bud will verify that since he has fully documented evidence concerning your many sordid activties. I'm keenly waiting for the publication of his report to the authorities about your behavior. You are already under investigation--I'm rather surprised that you haven't curtailed your activities under the circumstances.

5321. Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fab <fabio@butter.bump.net>
Message-ID: <35F43E1E.6D67@butter.bump.net>
Source record: 144858
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
..0125Mhz.
Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.

Comments?

5322. Re: Eric Oyen (was: Re: Can't You Clowns Just "Turn the Other CHEEK?")

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35f43b91.2548589@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144859

On 07 Sep 1998 13:54:00 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:

>In article <35f2ed9c.8051852@news.earthlink.net>, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb
>Guy) writes:
>
>>Gotta agree with ya Rambone., they should let it die.....
>>Which brings my question to mind.......
>>What's with your infatuation it Eric??
>>Geez, he's been gone longer, yet you can't wait to see him again.
>
>Hey, you brought it up. You must have an OYE BOY fetish!
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

No, I was relating to a post you made just the start of this weekend,
wondering if he'd show up on the ng's for Labor Day weekend.....
Now, we both know how to search Dejanews....you gonna make me do that
to prove my point?

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

5323. Re: Pro 2006 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6t1ekinsn1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144860

RDK wrote:
>
> Ive seen a used RS pro 2006 for sale at under $200.00 with a warranty of
> one year. are there things I should check out on this scanner before I
> buy it? the unit hasnt been modified, and comes with a photocopied
> manual. serial number is 070825 with a date code of 8A3. what does the
> serial number and date tell about this unit? Thanks for your help in
> advance.
>
> 73s

>>please tell me where, I would like to buy 3 at that price...jerr

5324. scanning frequencies for Joliet and Crest Hill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: knamors@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090720130700.QAA28646@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144861

Can you please provide me with the accurate scanning frequencies for the Joliet and Crest Hill Police Departments?

5325. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <2eXI1.78$Ct6.239831@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144862

Say what?
Are you sure of your facts?
I seem to remember B Cheek saying he had an amateur license.
I threw all of his newsletters away when he got so crazy but I seem to remember it was in there. He must also hold at least a class two commercial license since he worked on and modified CB's and other radios for which such a license is required.

I think you are wrong about that one John. You had better apologize to him when you see him next.

ki4je
Ps. I hold both commercial radio and amateur radio licenses. It is fairly common for one who has a commercial license to also hold an amateur license. It is not so the other way around.

John wrote in message <35F422F4.2081@parg.org>...
>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>> A few posts back, Mackey, you were claiming that YOUR licenses were real,
>> while Bill Cheek`s aren`t ! Are we now going to waffle from that position
?
>
>No, I have not changing that postition at all. I have REAL & LEGIT &
>CURRENT
>FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial. Cheek has NONE!
>
>My statements & position have not changed at all.

5326. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fab <fabio@butter.bump.net>
Message-ID: <35F44412.4D6C@butter.bump.net>
Source record: 144863
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Lou (Soo) Papineau wrote:
>
> I just picked up a PRO-2041 for 119.95
>
> I saw the PRO-2042 is also on clearance for
> 249.95 (from 399.99).
>
> Lou

I got the pro-2050 on clearance for 199.99 (from 299.99). But I'm wondering if the sales are to move out scanners already becoming obsolete in light of FCC refarming (cutting channel-spacing to .00625Mhz and eliminating strict radio-service catagories which some scanners use for presets).

5327. Re: Once Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4430A.7F94@parg.org>
Source record: 144864

Your data is SERIOUSLY flawed!

During the months of July & June nearly all my posts were canceled
by a rogue canceler, causing me to have to re-post all my posts. This
would in effect DOUBLE my posts from the true number. So for June &
July, cut my figure in half & you'll see a more true representation of
my posting figures which would be in the same range as the other months.

Notice that is May I had only 22 posts. That is because Cheek & I
called
a truce. After about 2 weeks, Cheek broke the truce. I then gave him
warnings over the next couple weeks, then started in on him again since
he
shose to break the truce. I did warn Cheek, he chose to decline. Now
he has
lost his ISP.

Mr. WireHead wrote:
> SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------
>
> Date | Mackey | Cheek | Kendrick | Bowers | Vetterle | allsafe | K4CC
> ---
> JUL 98 | 413 | 386* | 6 | 32 | 28 | 75 | 234
> JUN 98 | 413 | 502* | 0 | 64 | 45 | 97 | 95
> MAY 98 | 22 | 208 | 0 | 11 | 8 | 12 | 12
> APR 98 | 194 | 128 | 27 | 41 | 25 | 12 | 0
> MAR 98 | 254 | 240 | 49 | 24 | 50 | 18 | 0
> FEB 98 | 200 | 274 | 51 | 27 | 46 | 18 | 0
> JAN 98 | 173 | 178 | 35 | 1 | 33 | 33 | 0
> DEC 97 | 149 | 227 | 32 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 0
> NOV 97 | 63 | 65 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0
> OCT 97 | 48 | 60 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0
> SEP 97 | 181 | 78 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0
> AUG 97 | 29 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0
> ---
> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 | 201 | 203 | 275 | 266 | 341

5328. Re: Once Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4437C.36B@parg.org>
Source record: 144865

MAlexder wrote:
> Well done! You have proven a point more clearly than anyone ever could have.
> You are to be commended for helping clean up this newsgroup by pointing out
> just who the troublemaker really is.

No done well at all! Read my response to him to see the
SERIOUS flaws in his data. Then talk to Bob Eisner for confirmation
if you like.

5329. Re: How much is a PRO-43 WORTH????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090720382100.QAA05434@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144866

I have a friend selling one as you describe. He's asking $175.00, including nicads and charger.

JW

5330. Re: Scanner Crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35f53d2d.2960440@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144867

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 22:35:22 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:

>The BEST (and chepest) x-tal place I have EVER found is called G& G
>Communications.
>their web-site is at:
>http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm
>
>They sell x-tals for scanners, and pagers
>They repair scanners/pagers
>They sell pagers/scanner parts.
>Check them out.
>The owner's name is Gerry.
>It's a good place to deal.
>It is located in LeRoy, NY (near Rochestor)
>73 Mike

WOW, what a great post......I went to their website ....very
impressive......I'm sure some will bitch about prices, but what
interested me most was the Non-retail items you could find.....Like
INSTOCK crystals......
Gonna add em to my webpage.....very nice site.

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

5331. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F445D0.622F@parg.org>
Source record: 144868

Victor Healey wrote:

> Say what?
> Are you sure of your facts?

YES!

> I seem to remember B Cheek saying he had an amateur license.

No, he does not have one & has stated so in the past. To confirm,
go to http://www.qrz.com & do a name search for Bill or William Cheek.
Bill does not have an amateur radio license (unless he just received
it in the last month or two!)

> remember it was in there. He must also hold at least a class two commercial
> license since he worked on and modified CB's and other radios for which such
> a license is required.

Actually there was no license required to modify CB radios because that
is
illegal. Anyway, Bill has claimed to have a commercial license but can
never produce a license number for it (the FCC issues one to EVERY
license).
A search of the FCC database for FCC commercial licenses shows NOTHING
for Cheek.

> I think you are wrong about that one John. You had better apologize to him
> when you see him next.

hehehe, not needed because I am correct.

> Ps. I hold both commercial radio and amateur radio licenses. It is fairly

Likewise, so do I.

5332. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4467E.21BD@parg.org>
Source record: 144869

MAlexder wrote:
> Of course that is a lie. I'm sure that Bud will verify that since he has fully
> documented evidence concerning your many sordid activties. I'm keenly waiting
> for the publication of his report to the authorities about your behavior. You
> are already under investigation--I'm rather surprised that you haven't
> curtailed your activities under the circumstances.

He can go ahead & do what ever he thinks he should. There is documented
proof of his forging & other sordid activities (along with YOURS too)!

I have done nothing wrong so I have nothing to hide.

5333. F.S. Regency Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John H. Klewer" <n6ax@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F44344.2DDC@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144870

For Sale: Regency Touch M100 Scanner, sloped front panel, receives up to

512 MHz with 10 memories. with wall power adaptor and mounting bracket.

$45.00 plus shipping

email to John

n6ax@pacbell.net

5334. Info Needed Pro-2022

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John H. Klewer" <n6ax@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F443B0.10A8@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone have a schematic diagram available for the PRO2022 scanner...mine has a synthesizer problem and I hate working in the dark!

Any halp would be greatly appreciated and I will cover costs.

Thanks John

5335. Re: Getting coax from the outside to the radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlennon@eburg.com
Message-ID: <35f4501d.4121221@news.eburg.com>
Source record: 144872

On Thu, 03 Sep 1998 13:05:31 -0500, johng@comm.mot.com (John Gilbert)
wrote:

>In article <19980903054341 00.BAA00344@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
>cozyelm@aol.com (Cozy Elm) wrote:
>
>> OK, I have the scanner and I have the antenna. NOW what is the best way to get
>> the coax to the radio? I live in a mobile home, I don't want to string
>it thru
>> the window....
>
>Why not drill a hole through the floor inside the mobile home, immediately
>next to the wall? Run the cable out from under your mobile home to the
>antenna.
Be sure you start/stay away from the beams/cross members before you
drill. I drilled from the undercarriage upward into the
flooring/carpet and hit the bottom 2-4's of the walls..
everything had to be filed larger in order to use a coat hanger
to push/pull cables thru the flooring..

5336. Re: Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Altman <altman@ctel.net>
Message-ID: <4mYI1.117$a1.2625498@harpo.ctel.net>
Source record: 144873

I have an AOR AR-1000XLT (range from .5-1300MHZ) for sale. If interested
e-mail me at altman@ctel.net

Morison4 wrote in message
<1998090717005300.NAA07797@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>I am planning on buying a hand held scanner and have been trying to get in
fo
>on what would be the best type for my needs. I am looking for a scanner
that
>either has no gaps from 45mhz to 1300mhz from the factory ie euopean models
or
>models that can be mod.If you have one of the following tell me what you
think
>AO8000, AO8000B, AO8200(can this be MOD), BC25000XLT, BC3000XLT,
>UBC3000XLT.
>
>PLEASE take the time to answer this I need some good experienced Help
>
>Please E-mail reply

5337. Re: Eric Oyen (was: Re: Can't You Clowns Just "Turn the Other CHEEK?")

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090722061700.SAA17127@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144874

In article <35f43b91.2548589@news.earthlink.net>, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy) writes:

>On 07 Sep 1998 13:54:00 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>
>>In article <35f2ed9c.8051852@news.earthlink.net>, thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb
>>Guy) writes:
>>
>>>Gotta agree with ya Rambone., they should let it die.....
>>>Which brings my question to mind.......
>>>What's with your infatuation it Eric??
>>>Geez, he's been gone longer, yet you can't wait to see him again.
>>
>>Hey, you brought it up. You must have an OYE BOY fetish!
>>
>>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
>> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
>
>No, I was relating to a post you made just the start of this weekend,
>wondering if he'd show up on the ng's for Labor Day weekend.....
>Now, we both know how to search Dejanews....you gonna make me do that
>to prove my point?

Been there, done that. Your 'ol pal "Eric Oyen" returned over 1600 matches!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5338. Re: Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brian_usenet@cizone.com>
Message-ID: <OWYI1.120$T2.3879826@news.en.com>
Source record: 144875
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

All electronics become obsolete. The only question is when.

I'm sure this will eventually make a large portion of the frequencies in use impossible to listen to with the current breed of scanners; however, every business, public service agency, military unit, etc. won't be spending the money or time to obtain licenses for new frequencies and have their radios reprogrammed right away -- assuming they're even aware of the change. Scanner manufacturers will probably be producing scanners with .00625Mhz spacing once these assignments become popular, which may not be for some time.

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Brian Landel -- brian_usenet@cizone.com
http://www.cizone.com
Computer and Internet features, books, news, free
technical support, and more.
To reply, remove "_usenet" from my e-mail address.

fab wrote in message <35F43E1E.6D67@butter.bump.net>...
>By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
>reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
>be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
>..0125Mhz.
>Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
>this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
>The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.
>
>Comments?

5339. Plenty of ISP's FOUND...oh jes. U no like present, here are more...and more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6t1lph$q84@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144876

to: http://www.thelist.com

bill conduit
etc.

5340. For Sale AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dickie Venables <ravjr@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35F5F9CE.C5931FFD@ibm.net>
Source record: 144527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a like new AOR 8000 with Scout mod., case, CU 8232 computer interface and charger for sale. Unit is approx. 1yr old. No scratches. Ex. cond. Works perfectly. I have org. boxes and receipts.

Getting out of the scanner business.
E-mail if interested.

$400 firm

Richard

5341. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <35F5FBDD.4F06E472@hevanet.com>
Source record: 144528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Gary Sanders wrote:

> Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote:
>
>
> I couldn't agree with you more. I went into the local mall located
> RS today (a corporate store) picked up a few parts and asked about a
> catalog. The response was "that'll be $2.95" and I just said "I'll pass".
> It's their loss.
>

They're giving 'em away in Portland, OR.
I asked what it took to get a catalog. The new guy told me $2.95.
I said, "no thanks, I'll browse it here." When the manager entered earshot,
I mentioned that the buzz on the web was that they got so much flack that
they were now giving 'em away. New guy said, "no." Manager grumbled
a bit and decided to give it to me.
miker

--
FS Laser and Color Inkjet Printers $99 and
Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

5342. CHP freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ihatespam@nospam.net
Message-ID: <Ihatespam-0809982115270001@1cust236.tnt1.san-rafael.ca.da.uu.net>
Source record: 144529

Why does the CHP use an odd split freq configuration. (Dispatch out F1, Car talkback F2). What is the purpose and advantages to this as opposed to a conventional reapeater system?

Thanks

5343. Re: Motorola Trunking System ID collection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <440902EC5F4A2AE8.9012E1C49608D803.1D1858E90915666C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Mmm, It is pretty simple Creeper..... *I* want to make a collection of System IDs. Its my project, it serves a great service to the hobbiest community, and you CAN'T find this sort of information at Warren's Site. So WHY beat-it-down? If you aren't interested.....DON'T VISIT !!

Warren and I correspond often, and would probably agree that his site focuses more on the users of trunked systems and the shear amount of broad information and up-to-date news, where-as my site focuses on the more technical aspects and intricate details of TRS's. Both have their place, both are different. You know, when I announced a year ago that I was going to start the Trunked Radio Systems Information homepage, folks like YOU said phrases like "Why do you want to do that" and "There are already too many" and "You are an idiot, stop wasting you time." Once again, EACH of you nay-sayers have been and will once again be proven wrong. The page now gets well over 100 hits daily - no bragging here, just a testament that this page has proven *some* service to the hobby. Tell me creeper, have YOU ever visited my page?

....and, in response to my post, I have received over 150 system Ids with their respective identifiers. Tell me Creeper....do YOU have any sysids to contribute from your area?

Go take a look at what positive oriented folks in the hobby can contribute to making:

http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/sysid.txt

Thank you for your time.

-Lindsay Blanton

The Creeper wrote in message <35f5b694.72361918@news.newsguy.com>...
>trunking@yahoo.com wrote:
>
>I'm not sure why you would do that. There's already an excellent
>source to get such info plus updates and more indepth news on each
>system usually, that would be Warren Whitby's comprehensive site at:
>
>http://members.aol.com/wwhitby2/trs.html
>
>or you could go to the less helpful trunktracker.com site. Let's keep
>it simple Lindsay.

5344. website with LA county freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pablo Valadez <pabv@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6t4vvf$pg7$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144531

Hello, I have put together a very decent freq list for many cities in County of Los Angeles. Check it out at:
http://home.earthlink.net/~pabv/scan/scan.htm

Pablo Valadez

5345. Want: BC-760-XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <7IoJ1.1513$p21.1186302@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 144532

Hi All,
I am looking for a clean BC-760-XLT Mobile Scanner
with Book and mobile bracket...

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks,
Boyd

5346. PRO-2300 Modifications & Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dunton <miked@web-ster.com>
Message-ID: <35f6195b.0@news.web-ster.com>
Source record: 144533

Can anyone point me to info on modifying RadioShack PRO-2003 bases? I have found a lot on 2004 and newer. Thanks.

5347. LACityFD, LACountyFD, Verdugo, Ventura County & Orange County Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Farah <lfarah@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35F5F8F3.7FA3D26@earthlink.net>
Source record: 144534

EMail me at LACityFD@Hotmail.com, with all the freq. u want and all send them to u. Just remember to leave your email. Thanx!

5348. Re: website with LA county freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6t56lh$dg18$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144535

Pablo Valadez wrote...

>Hello, I have put together a very decent freq list for many cities in
County
>of Los Angeles. Check it out at:
>http://home.earthlink.net/~pabv/scan/scan.htm

Pablo,

To describe your list as "decent" is truly an understatement. You should be
very proud of your efforts. They are appreciated.

Monitor Safely!!

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

5349. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: warchief@triax.com
Message-ID: <warchief-0809982254010001@spk-99.cet.com>
Source record: 144536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,,rec.radio.cb,,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35EFA8EC.7B74@bellatlantic.net>, Trowan@bellatlantic.net wrote:

> I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at
> least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and
> no repeater fees . Can I find anything in the 30 - 50 mhz range that
> will do the trick ? Or another frequency ? Any info is appreciated !

You didn't indicate whether this communication would be personal or business related. For instance, personal communication only could be handled nicely with ham radio. You could get the easy-to-pass Technician license (no Morse code required) and easily talk 10 miles on the 2 meter band. Some ham clubs have repeaters as well, priced at just a fraction of what commercial repeaters charge.

Is there a lack of privacy on CB bands in your area? You might also consider a CB radio with upper and lower sideband. In my area, side band is almost completely empty, while the AM channels receive lots of activity. You might ask a friend or dealer to determine whether that would be feasible. As long as the terrain is level and good antennas are used, a CB on side band would be satisfactory.

10 meter ham radio is also possible, but requires you to pass a Morse code test of 5 words per minute. However, the FCC is examining this currently, and there is a move afoot to eliminate all Morse code. Lets see if it is successful.

Most business two way systems use repeaters in this area, although some permits are granted for direct communications in the 450 mhz range. However, even this type of transmission isn't scrambled, so I don't know how much privacy you need. Actually, your most secure (private) system would be a business band trunking repeater, since most of that radio traffic is incredibly boring to listen in to by scanner folks. Furthermore, each time you or your partner stop talking, you move to a different spot in the "trunk" so following the entire conversation would be difficult (not impossible, however)

So you see, you asked quite a few questions in one. I hope this helps you narrow down some of your choices depending on which of the features are most important to you.

5350. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <698_9809082355@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144537

From: "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>

> A few posts back, Mackey, you were claiming that YOUR licenses were
> real, while Bill Cheek`s aren`t ! Are we now going to waffle from that
> position ?

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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5351. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <699_9809082355@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144538

From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>

> John Mackey wrote:
> Because I am dedicated to the art of radio & want to keep it
> safe for others in the future without getting tainted.

MD> Boy, I almost fell over laughing at that one. You keeping it safe,
MD> that's a good one.
MD> Safe from what ??? Yourself ???

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5352. Scanning FAQ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <69a_9809082355@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144539

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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5353. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <69b_9809082355@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144540

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

> Lets just drop this thread, OK? Is it quite boring.

So are you.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <69c_9809082355@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144541

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>> BTW, when was the last time you posted something related to scanners &
>> scanning ???

> About 2 weeks ago. How about yourself?

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5355. DROP the Bill Cheek i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <69d_9809082355@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144542

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

Jo> I asked the person who made the statement (of Cheek getting
Jo> kicked off a NG or list) to post details to prove his accusation.
Jo> We have yet to see proof, so we can only conclude that there was
Jo> no basis in that accusation.

YOU MADE THE ACCUSATION! NO ONE ELSE! YOU STINKING LIAR!

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5356. BCT-10 for TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Trotter <btrotter@REMOVE.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <35F56EF0.A689A9FD@REMOVE.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144627

I am interested in trading my Uniden BCT-10 beartracker scanner.

The main things I am looking for are:

At least 50 channels (100+ preferred)
800+mhz range (prefer one that is easily modified)
Portable preferred, but will take a base if it has a DC input.
In excellent working condition. I dont care so much if it is scuffed up
or scrathed, as long as you can read the display, all the buttons work,
and you can read the buttons.
Manual, and power cables preferred.

Email me if interested. remove the REMOVE from my email address when
replying.

Brian T.

5357. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6t3r59oes1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 144628
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <35ef8311.3401889@news.itcanada.com>, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) writes:
|> Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
|> If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
|> what the frequencies are!.

Not hard to find. Radio Shack sells guides listing the frequencies and
often will have a free photocopied list of local police frequencies.

|> You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2
|> thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
|> :-)).

Many ham radios can easily be modifed to xmit on these bands. Instructions
are available on the internet, and may involve minor soldering or just
cutting a wire on some older radios. Radio price ranges $200-800 new,
less used.

|> Even after that, get ready to spend thousands on Lawer fees, and/or
|> Fines, as it is VERY illegal to own a radio that will TX on police
|> bands ...

I don't think it's illegal. Citations of relevant laws to the contrary
would be appreciated. However, even if it is legal, you can be
harrassed, prosecuted, and/or have to spend thousands on legal fees even
if you are "right." You can also lose in court even if you're right.
Big money and connections often speak louder than the law in court.

|> ... and even more illegal to do it!

I agree it's illegal except in emergencies, and risky even then for the
risks cited above..

I think it's also (excluding emergencies) illegal to use a modified
radio to transmit on police (or anything but ham frequencies) freqencies
even if you are licensed to transmit on those frequencies. The FCC
generally requires some form of approval of the radio for the specific
frequency used.

|>
|> Later
|>
|> On 27 Aug 1998 04:44:22 GMT, "oh_no" <oh_no@nospam_smartt.com> wrote:
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|>

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de KB5YAC
Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

5358. Icom ICR-10 v AR8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gameye@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090818134200.OAA27562@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144629

any suggestions, experience, looking to buy this week. Will be using with opto scout and also PC
]
cheers

5359. Re: Computer Interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: deforger@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090818532900.OAA01219@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144630

I have the same problem with my computer interfering with my scanners except i have no external antennas.I also have many radios going at once and sometimes one will lock the other radio on a specific frequency until i turn off the other radio.Is there a limit on how close you can have scanners next to each other.I would like to eliminate this problem .

Robert

5360. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <01bddb60$767d2be0$8801010a@mikey>
Source record: 144631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I have two catalogs from my local store already. One was from a less
than $6 purchase. The other was on a RETURN of parts. Both times
I asked, I got the catalog.

Mike
N1DVJ

Peter S. <psNOSPAM@adnc.com> wrote in article
<35f2a23c.903581@news.adnc.com>...
> GET READY TO WALK!
>
> On 3 Sep 1998 19:19:37 GMT, "HP Authorized Customer" <joe@user.com>
> wrote:
>
> >
> > >I REALLY have to wonder. I mean, if I were buying $10 worth of parts,
> > >and they refused to give me the catalog, I'd just walk out.
> > >
> > >Mike
> > >N1DVJ
> > >

5361. New Jersey frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cb4sports@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980908194301 00.PAA09268@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144632

Does anyone know of a good web page were i can find NJ Police, Fire, etc..
freqs. Thanks! Please email author.

5362. Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <673_9809081300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144633

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

> Yea, right, your above post makes you look lower than whale shit in
> the ocean.

> Go away little one.

NO! YOU GO AWAY, Portland Psycho!

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From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <674_9809081300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144634

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

:)

! Origin: Net 202 -=- TNL Online! -=- R10 RHUB -=- (1:202/777)

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| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5364. Houston, Texas Emergency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <675_9809081300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144635

From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>

JC> Does anybody know what the "hot" frequencies would be (besides police)
JC> for a major emergency, like a hurricane?

Does Texas have a statewide Office of Emergency Services
(OES) like California, with its own set of frequencies?

Do departments in Texas utilize the country-wide mutual
aid frequencies (called WHITE in California)?

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5365. Re: Radio Shack Don't Know...about mobile trunktracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6t413edkc1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144636

I expect the new trunktracker mobile radio to be very similar in operaton to the Pro-91 portable. I think the claims of having CB radio reception is a misprint in the catalog. I guess we will have to wait a few months to find out for sure.

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6shtdm$3i7@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>...

> so, who knows about the new mobile scanner.
> from Radio Shack.

5366. Re: PRO-90 @ $199.99!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6t40uidjv1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144637

The sale is over bud. But don't dispair, I am sure RadioShack will put it back on sale again very soon.

Bill Crocker wrote in message ...
>Radio Shack's current sale price on the PRO-90, @ $199.99 is hard to beat!
>Not sure how much longer it's on sale though.
>
>Bill Crocker
>
>

5367. Re: Houston, Texas Emergency Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6t40oidci1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144638

In Clear Lake Skywarn uses the W5RRR repeater at 146.640. I believe they have a net on Thursday nights at 8pm.
Also the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) uses the City's trunked radio system. You would need one of the newer trunk capable scanners to listen to it. Their frequencies and talkgroup ID are listed at http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/city/city.html

Joshua Carroll wrote in message <35F54031.A8A40F7C@nol.net>...
>Does anybody know what the "hot" frequencies would be (besides police) for a
>major emergency, like a hurricane? I have the Skywarn (146.840) for
>Downtown, are there other repeaters for Southeast Texas, like Galveston or
>Chambers Counties. So far people I've been in contact with haven't been much
>help, but maybe someone out there knows some info.
>
>Thanks,
>JoshCarroll
>
>

5368. FS: pro 37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6t43pp$39d$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144639

I am selling a pro 37 in very good condition. It has not been modified but can be modified for full cell coverage. It has 200 ch., 800 mhz, delay, light, programmable search, lock out, priority channel, and hyperscan. It will also scan in some of the military range. The display has no scratches and the case only has a few scratches.
Asking $175.00 OBO.

email at camper66@hotmail.com

5369. Descrambling Speech Inversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090820281900.QAA11251@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144640

Speech Inversion is accomplished by mixing the speech spectrum
(typically 300-3000 Hz) with a tone (commonly 3500 Hz) to produce some
audio frequencies (3800-6500 Hz) then filtering to 3200-500 Hz
constituting the speech inversion.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Descramblers</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

5370. Scanner radio site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: territorie@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090820445600.QAA13235@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144641

Here is an excellent scanner site with lots of links.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">
CTP Descramblers/ Signal Meters</A>

5371. Swissair crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090821053600.RAA15947@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144642

Could someone please repost the posting on the final radio communications between swissair pilots and air traffic control. thank you very much if you can.

5372. Re: Houston, Texas Emergency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6t44iehbl1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144643

Most police departments in Texas can use 154.950, 155.370, and 453.550

Joe Nicholson wrote in message <675_9809081300@warpgate.com>...
> From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
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> JC> Does anybody know what the "hot" frequencies would be (besides police)
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5373. Re: Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090821134500.RAA20056@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144644

>To really make 6.25Kc spacing work, transmissions are going to
>probably have to move away from classic analog FM, in favor of
>ACSSB and digital. When that happens, it's time to trade up for a
>new scanner or get out the soldering iron...
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>probably have to move away from classic analog FM, in favor of
>ACSSB and digital. When that happens, it's time to trade up for a
>new scanner or get out the soldering iron.

The FCC is now looking at the 5kHz spacing of the 220 MHJz channels for the 150 MHz band. They just approved SECURICOR'S bid to have "Linear Modulation" approved for 148 to 172 MHz. This is a modified ACSB not compatible with SEA/EF Johnson's 220 MHz stuff....which COULD be heard with an Icom 7000 or 7100 (plus the 8500 and 9000) by switching to SSB demodulation.

The split channels will probably only show up in the major markets. In the small towns there are stikll plenty of tube rigs used by the Sherrif, the Dogcatcher, etc ...at least on the base station side). Let's face it, FM will become obsolete, along with your scanner, but it'll be a while yet.

5374. Re: John Mackey. Please Read This.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f79feb.147666515@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144645

On 8 Sep 1998 04:04:35 GMT, Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Been reading my posts lately, SportShoes? Of course you have. Probably
>already replied to 'em too, didn't ya? Probably got all excited when you
>saw that good ol' Phil decided to slap you around again, huh?
>
>Well, before you go wriggling into another one of your whining sniveling
>"stop it or I'm telling" tyrades, I want to explain something to you. I
>want to tell you WHY I did that. And all the other users of rrs for that
>matter.
>
>I did it because I felt like it. That's right. I just plain got a mean
>streak in me and decided to whop you one right across the gumline. No
>rhyme, no reason, no personal vendetta. You were simply there and I
>needed to vent. And, I'd like to say....thanks. I needed that.
>
>Which brings me full circle back to the point I made to you WAAAAYYY
>back when this whole mess got started? You remember? In a nutshell, I
>asked you why you bother to hang around this dump if it's full of
>nothing but troublemakers and "cheek-a-likes" as you call them (further
>justifying - in your mind at least - your obnoxious and abrasive
>behavior, I might add) Why do you continually add fuel to the fire when
>you become the brunt of all the jokes - humiliated to the point of
>crying to the offending users ISP like a baby runs to its mama.
>
> Some ISP's have listened and acted upon your pathetic whimperings,
>while others (quite wisely, says I) considered the source and ignored
>you. I mean, after all, your asking them to throw $20 to $45 bucks a
>month away, just for YOU. Not real smart, from a financial perspective.
>
>And what was the answer I got from you? Something about "being here for
>the good of all rrs" or some nonsense like that, which got even more
>boos and projectiles from the peanut gallery.
>
>Now, I will again implore to your common sense. If you REALLY want it to
>end, why don't you just go away? After all, if you had gone away last
>time, you wouldn't have been such an easy target for me....right?

Is this a forge or is it real? It seems like you are babbling a bit
and never addressed Mackey's claim that he got you fired from your
job..!?

5375. Re: Author profile: CBRambo (Abusive poster)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f8a112.147962157@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144646

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 08:59:23 GMT, n7zzt@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Since Mr. CBRAmbo wants to play the 'Pester Eric Oyen" game, then he can start
>explaining his own words in various places where he has harrassed others.

<snip>
Why are you crying the rec.radio.scanner newsgroup? Learn how to use a
filter!
>
>CBRAMBO, you are done. do not call on me again, as I will not respond. I also
>encorage others to cease responding to his jibes, remarks, inuendo's and
>libelous remarks. Since such treatemtn generally successed, he will go away
>when his audience does.
>
>
>Eric Oyen
>
>
>Author Profile
>
>There are 1421 unique messages by cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo):
>(numbers may be slightly skewed by cross-postings)

Who cares?
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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5376. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F5A273.1216@parg.org>
Source record: 144647
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:
> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheek.
> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell
> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account
> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I

Are you going to try to get Bill re-instated on the Scan-L mailing
list he was kicked off of also?

Really, just drop it. It has been nearly a month. If they aren't
going to reverse their decision by now, then it won't happen. They
probably don't want trouble makers on thier system.

All you are doing is causing grief for this NG.

5377. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F5A1EB.36A1@parg.org>
Source record: 144648

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Very good John. I ask a simple, polite, and intelligent
> question, and this is the response I get from you.

Yes, Blake! When you ask simple, polite, & intelligent
questions I will give simple, polite, & intelligent answers.

I'm happy to have been able to assist, Blake!

5378. El Dorado S.O.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: James_T <thomas824@mindsync.com>
Message-ID: <35f598d5.0@news.sac.bfp.net>
Source record: 144649

Does anyone have the current frequencies & PL's for El Dorado County (California) Sheriff's office? They are no longer on 45.500 and 45.300. While I am at it, can anyone give me Placerville P.D.s frequencies and the tactical channels for El Dorado County Fire?

Thanks,

James B. Thomas
N6TTD

5379. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.105f4f5971849f98989760@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144650

Yeah Leonard. I went and purchased the PCR-1000 from Scanners Unlimited. I have now had a week to check it out thoroughly and it was actually easy to master. I was shocked at how competent in the HF area that it is. I love the pass-band tuning for that. I ordered the DSP module which I will have to wait for, but even without it it is amazing. At this point I would only prefer to have a shot at the new Winradio WR-3100e external unit. At $2000.00 it won't happen soon, but perhaps some day they may consider lowering the price a little. Have fun.

5380. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6t491d$982$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144651
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net (Dan) wrote:

>I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR
>races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio
>communications. Which scanners would you recommend for this. Also what
>headphones are good for use at the racetrack? Would the stock antena be
>adequate? I want to make sure the "audio out" jack is stereo, the one on
>my old scanner only has sound in one ear (annoying).

It really won't matter too much which portable scanner you use, even
my Pro-43 was eatten up with intermod at the IRL race in Atlanta. I
took it to the ARCA race, and then programmed my /\/\ MTS2000 so it
would cut down on the intermod, but it didn't matter. I finally took
off the antannae and used a paper clip (for a very small wave
antannae) and it worked great!

/\/\|k.e

5381. Re: Icom ICR-10 v AR8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@doglover.com
Message-ID: <35f5a672.3899474@news.mvp.net>
Source record: 144652

On 8 Sep 1998 18:13:42 GMT, gameye@aol.com (GAM EYE) wrote:

>any suggestions, experience, looking to buy this week. Will be using with opto
>scout and also PC
>]
>cheers
I have had a AR8000 (european bandplan) since 1995. I works well but
I have never, Imean never, been able to make it work with a PC. I
have the interface sold by Jim Springer at Computer Aided Technology.
I sent the rig to Jim at one point and he says it works, but not for
me. Even tried a different PC. Other that that I really like the
radio. Am considering getting a AR8200 or a WR-1500e in a few weeks.
The WR-1500e looks nice but not sure I like being tied to the PC.
Particulary when the wife wants to use it!

Good Luck with whichever you choose.

5382. Re: New Jersey frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Yanchuck <rony58@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <35F5A727.68B88639@injersey.com>
Source record: 144653

Try this one. It also has some CTCSS codes.
http://mars.superlink.net/jcr1434/scanner/

Ron

CB4sports wrote:

> Does anyone know of a good web page were i can find NJ Police, Fire, etc..
> freqs. Thanks! Please email author.

5383. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0809981837490001@pm54-15.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144654

In article <35f1bc92.72410701@news.bell.net>, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:

> When did it become an offense for someone to carry a ham radio around
> if not licensed in the service? I think the cop was yanking his chain!

I agree. It is NOT against any law to own a ham radio without a license.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

5384. Re: Will the OYE BOY Make an Appearance this Holiday Weekend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090822354600.SAA27529@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144655

In article <6t2psn$ju8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, n7zzt@my-dejanews.com babbles:

>Too late, I found it (and the codes you used to make such postings invisible
>in the rec.radio.amateur.misc newsgroup). Hiding from me will not be easy (in
>fact, it will be nearly impossible now).

Codes? Invisible postings? Hiding from you? Gee, OYE BOY, do you also
believe in black helicopter sightings? How about little green men from Mars?

>Why don't you just leave off, huh? Whats the matter with you CBRambut? You
>afraid I might discover something? or are you just jealous (more like
>infatuated with me for some reason I am not clear on yet)?????

Oh yes, OYE BOY, I am terribly jealous of a blind guy who sits at home all day
and plays on the computer.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5385. Re: Descrambling Speech Inversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-0809981842240001@pm54-15.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144656

In article <19980908202819000.QAA11251@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
ctpds49@aol.com (CTPDS49) wrote:

> Speech Inversion is accomplished by mixing the speech spectrum
> (typically 300-3000 Hz) with a tone (commonly 3500 Hz) to produce some
> audio frequencies (3800-6500 Hz) then filtering to 3200-500 Hz
> constituting the speech inversion.

Which sure seems like it can easily be dealt with. Motorola used this for
their cordless phones. Perhaps that is why Motorola has dropped out of the
cordless phone business. their product was in effect defective...

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5386. Re: Computer Interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <mwfmmm@popd.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35F5B3DD.3BB8@popd.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144657

Joshua Carroll wrote:
>
> Is there a way that I can block out the computer interference from my
> scanner.

If I were to guess, you are getting interference from your CRT and not your computer. Try leaving your computer on and turning off the CRT and see if the problem goes away. Some CRT's emit huge amounts of electronic noise, despite the FCC approval decal on your CRT. (It may not affect you but your future kids will make a great conversation piece for the neighborhood.....two heads, 3 fingers, etc) If it is the problem, you need to try shielding the back of the CRT (aluminum foil, or buy a shield) or try to move your scanner until the problem goes away.

Good Luck and thank the FCC for allowing this fiasco to happen.
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5387. Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: t-wil@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f7b5f7.6233767@news.corpcomm.net>
Source record: 144658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
(the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
or
using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.

Thanks for any help.

5388. Re: Author profile: CBRambo (Abusive poster)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090823042100.TAA01537@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144659

In article <6t2rlb$m9c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, n7zzt@my-dejanews.com writes:

>Since Mr. CBRAmbo wants to play the 'Pester Eric Oyen" game, then he can
>start explaining his own words in various places where he has harrassed
others.

Perhaps you had better start by explaining just exactly what this "harrassment"
is that has (allegedly) taken place. I simply asked a question; I inquired as
to the whereabouts of "THE OYE BOY" over the past weekend.

>Now, as I explained to him directly in another post, I was away this weekend
>at a friends funeral and could not be reached. Now that I am back, I shall
>address this.

Please do. We're all waiting with such high anticipation for your expert
analysis.

>It is therefore required of CBRambo that he cease and desist all activities
>designed by intent (or accident) to harrass me or to use my name, callsign or
>any other likeness of me, my personal information or other intangible assets
>without my expressed written permission (and this permission shall NOT be
>given at any time for any reason to him). Further, He is also required to
>cease any e-mail contact he may have with me immediately

Here we go again...OYE BOY is gonna play WANNABE LAWYER and TALK TOUGH to me.
A few points you may wish to consider here, o' illustrious barrister:

1) I have never used your name nor your callsign. Apparently, you have assumed
that "THE OYE BOY" refers to you personally since you have taken it upon
yourself to respond to postings where "THE OYE BOY" is mentioned. Again, I
have never made mention of either your name or your amateur radio callsign.

2) Here's a free tip from the clue train: I do not need your "expressed written
permission" to respond to you in a public newsgroup. Over the past few years,
you have posted literally hundreds of messages on the radio newsgroups
(messages which you later cancelled and removed from the archives of DejaNews.)
Sorry, Mr. Wish-I-Was-An-Attorney, I do not need permission from you to
comment on your behavior on this newsgroup.

3) I have never initiated e-mail contact with you. Period. Before you respond
with your usual line of nonsense about how I am also four or five other people,
I would ask that you be prepared to prove this if in fact you choose to respond
in this manner. Again, I have never exchanged e-mail with you. Accept this or
prove otherwise.

>CBRAMBO is also required to cease and desist any activities designed by
>intent, or accident, to foster a hostile environment toward me or other users

>in the groups listed below. A copy of this notice is being sent to
>abuse@aol.com for further handling.

I am curious: just what exactly is your definition of "abuse?" Obviously, it is not the same as that of my service provider. You have threatened to "report me" to AOL on numerous occasions, yet I am still here. Why is that? Obviously, your definition of "abuse" is flawed in the opinion of my service provider. Quit your whining, will you? AOL could care less whether you personally approve of my USENET postings. They exist to serve the concerns and the desires of their paying customers. Not you.

>CBRAMBO, you are done. do not call on me again, as I will not respond. I also
>encorage others to cease responding to his jibes, remarks, inuendo's and
>libelous remarks. Since such treatemtn generally successed, he will go away
>when his audience does.
>
>
>Eric Oyen

Why don't you take your own advice, Mr. Oyen? If you do not care for my postings, DO NOT RESPOND. Wouldn't this have been simpler than composing a lengthy dissertation as you did? Next time, think before you post. Or at least read your own comments before hitting "send." You will likely be embarrassed as you realize how foolish you look when you begin TALKING TOUGH and posting nonsense like this in a public forum.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5389. FS: Electronic Siren Speaker Drivers & Electric Gun Locks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shadow <shadow@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <35F5BAA9.54671A95@ricochet.net>
Source record: 144660
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale
Electronic Siren Replacement Speaker Drivers
Working, Clean, Tested - GOOD, Removed from Service

50 Watt --------- $25

100 Watt --------- $50

I have 8 lectro lock & Santa Cruz type Shotgun locks that will fit any
standard shotgun some need
new felt lining, all are clean and in good working order.
Also I have 8 Def-Tech Rifle electric locks 2 of them have adj
center
plates, the other six are for AR15/ large fore griped rifles, the felts
are
in good shape and these locks are all in good working order.

$35 Ea shotgun locks
$45 Rifle locks

Plus shipping

Payment by Post Office mail order

5390. Re: Icom ICR-10 v AR8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.105f6a83abbbc6bf989761@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144661

I used the "ScanStar" software with the AOR prescribed cable and plug for computer interface when I owned the AOR8000 (which I recently traded in for a Icom Q-7A and PCR-1000). It worked fine and imported the Percon Database with no problems. I suggest you check them out. If you have a problem finding it, contact Glenn at Scanners Unlimited for a copy. (650) 573-1624.....

5391. Re: Motorola Trunking System ID collection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccreeper@inetnow.net
Message-ID: <35f5b694.72361918@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 144662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

trunking@yahoo.com wrote:

I'm not sure why you would do that. There's already an excellent
source to get such info plus updates and more indepth news on each
system usually, that would be Warren Whitby's comprehensive site at:

http://members.aol.com/wwhitby2/trs.html

or you could go to the less helpful trunktracker.com site. Let's keep
it simple Lindsay.

>Hello Everyone!
>
>I am attempting to start a collection of systems IDs for Motorola
>trunking systems across the nation and build an online table so folks
>can cross reference. So now when you are picking up some DX (Gary!)
>or traveling through an area and you hear a trunking system that is
>new to you, you'll have a de-facto reference to look up the system.
>
>For those of you that don't know what a system ID is, here is your
>answer. Motorola trunked systems transmit a little piece of data every
>second or so on the data channel the uniquely identifies the system.
>Motorola radios are programmed to look for this system ID for the
>systems that they are programmed for. Applications that can decode
>this system Id from the data channel include trunker. For more
>information on trunker, see
>http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw/digital.htm
>
>So, if everyone that knows a system ID for a local system in your
>area....or ANY system, please send to me at lblant1@airmail.net I'd
>like to see the info in the following format:
>
>SYSID Control Channels System User/Name City State
>
>Watch the list get created and built at:
>http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/sysid.txt
>NOTE: that this is not created yet, but it will be the URL for this
>sysid list.
>
>I Look forward to your system ID's !!
>
>Thanks!
>-LB
>

>Lindsay C. Blanton
>The Trunked Radio Systems Information Homepage
>http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm
>lblant1@airmail.net
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5392. Re: Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6t4ek8$mf6$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Use RG-6 with F connectors on both sides. Use a F to BNC connector on the
radio side.

t-wil@usa.net wrote in message <35f7b5f7.6233767@news.corpcomm.net>...
>I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
>using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
>(the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
>or
>using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.
>
>Thanks for any help.

5393. Re: FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6t4k9f$b1nu$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144664

do i need trunk tracking to scan here in South Florida?

rick

5394. Re: Radio Shack Scanners on Clearance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6t4laf$g4dm$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144665
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I went in today and saw a Pro 204? for $79.99 from $299.oo. Good deal? Good Scanner?

5395. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F5D817.1FC@parg.org>
Source record: 144666

D. P. Roberts wrote:

> Oh, puh-LEEZE. I have a First Class Radiotelephone license, required

No you don't!!!! The First Class Radiotelephone license (which had to
be renewed every 5 years) was dropped nearly 15 years ago. It was
replaced with the General Radiotelephone license.

At best, your First Class Radiotelephone license expired 10
years ago or more.

> I know enough of the amateur questions to get my extra class, but the
> code isn't up to speed yet. All my knowledge is memorization rather
> than knowledge.

Yea, all fields have those who are good at memorizing & taking test,
but have little knowledge of depth.

5396. Re: new scanner questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6t4lr8$7u6q$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144667

Remember they are illegal to listen to and can
>result in rather harsh penalties.
>

so how do you actually end up getting caught?????????????

5397. Re: Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6t4n57$5c6@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144668
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Use RG-6. That answer of course depends on a lot of factors that may make 9913 the best choice.
But, if you assume a 100 foot run between your radio and the antenna, the feedline loss for the two choices are as follows:

Freq (MHz)	9913	RG-6 (Loss in dB)
100	1.4	1.83
400	2.9	3.89
700	3.9	5.17
1000	4.9	6.22

So, at the max freq you would use, 1GHz, there is a 1.32dB difference between the two (9913 being better). Now consider the connectors. WIth N connectors on the 9913 and adapters to go to F on radio and SO-239 for the Antenna, you will realistically get .2db loss with each of them (on each end). So subtract .4 dB from that and have a .92 dB difference between the two.

The old fashioned "S" meters indicate 6dB per unit, i.e. the difference between S9 and S8 is 6dB. In other words, you would not see the difference of a .92 signal on a meter.

The lower the frequency, the less the difference. RG-6 is a lot easier to use.

Cheers,

Rick

t-wil@usa.net wrote in message <35f7b5f7.6233767@news.corpcomm.net>...
>I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
>using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
>(the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
>or
>using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.
>
>Thanks for any help.

5398. ICOM R-8500... {Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete}?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <maskiel@friendlynet.com>
Message-ID: <35F5E4EA.B0E94E7F@friendlynet.com>
Source record: 144669
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Matt Virus wrote:

> Well, I suppose this could be a problem for many scanners. I suppose
> the easiest way to avoid this is to get a scanner with programmable step
> size. Like an AOR or a newer ICOM radio.
>
> --Good luck
> Matt
>
> fab wrote:
>
> > By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
> > reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
> > be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
> > ..0125Mhz.
> > Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
> > this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
> > The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.
> >
> > Comments?

Try the ICOM R-8500 You can set the steps anyway you choose...

http://www.icomamerica.com/receivers/R8500.html

5399. Re: Help with PRO 2026 key pad trick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6t4odi$e34$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144670

There is a key pad mod, not the handiest, but is does work!

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Bay/2917/tricks.htm

jer wrote in message <6t3buj$e0q$1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>Teal9425 wrote:
>>
>> hey guys!
>>
> If your serial no. starts with 45 it can't be modified....jerr

5400. Not getting all posts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6t4p2qgar1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144671

I'm not really complaining (cause it saves me from putting him on my dink list) but I do not recieve any of John Mackeys posts. The only reason it bothers me is that there may be others I am missing. Is any one else having this problem?

5401. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pwolsko@nac.net>
Message-ID: <J1mJ1.2785$0f.5734151@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 144672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yea, next they'll be tattooing out foreheads.

PJ

Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote in message <35F4DBC2.5B02@spambusters.ml.org>...
>Rudy Hardy wrote:
>>
>> I got one free today. The salesman only verified my name in the computer.
He
>> said for inventory purposes.
>
>:-) Nice way of putting it. Not for marketing purposes, because your
>personal information is just part of their inventory?
>
>--
>+---
-+
>| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out!
|
>| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/
|
>+---
-+

5402. Re: BC-9000XLT, PRO-2042, PRO-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pwolsko@nac.net>
Message-ID: <rYlJ1.2784$0f.5731641@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 144673

Why would anyone trade you a PRO-2042 for a PRO-43?????

bagosh3@hotmail.com wrote in message <6t25qgrok1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Hello. I'm interested in trading a Radio Shack PRO-43 handheld scanner for
>either a Uniden BC-9000XLT, a RS PRO-2042, or a PRO-2035 base scanner. The
>scanner must work 100%, be at least 8/10 cosmetically, come with some kind
of
>power cord, and the manual. Anything other then that is extra.
>
>My PRO-43 works 100% and it around a 9/10 cosmetically, no mods done and
I'm
>a non-smoker. It comes with a full set of Ni-Cad batteries, the original
>manual, rubber duckie antenna, belt clip, original packaging and box. It
has
>a date code of "A004700" (I believe this one can be modified for 6-1000 MHz
>coverage). And I will also include the following modification sheets for
the
>radio:
>
>-Improved Audio Quality
>-Double The Amount Of Memory Channels To 400
>-Add An "S" Meter
>-Extend Coverage To 6-1000 MHz Gapless
>-Keyboard Beep Delation
>
>If your interested in trading, please let me know. Thanks a lot for
reading!
>
>Nat Heatwole
>heatwole@clark.net
>KB3CBW, General
>
>-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5403. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Sanders <gsanders@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6t4rbd$p9v$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Clifton T. Sharp Jr. wrote:
>
> I receive many catalogs free that have not only pretty pictures advertising
> the seller's products, but useful information and interesting stories as
> well. They receive prominent places on my bookshelves, which gets their
> name seen by me several times a day (a marketer's DREAM). I, in turn,
> recommend their catalogs to my clients, who usually end up buying from
> these companies.
>
> If Radio Shack wants me and my clients to look at pictures of their wares
> in their high-quality publication on quality paper, they will either make
> it worth the price of a good magazine to me, or they will give it to me
> at no cost to me and consider it to be part of their advertising budget.
>
> Perhaps all those years of REQUIRING name/address/phone number to buy a
> battery, then sending their high-quality publication on quality paper to
> everyone who buys a $3 battery once a year, has caught up with them. Or
> maybe the marketroids who glide around Corporate all year chanting, "I
> can sell AIR! I can sell AIR!" have taken it too much to heart and begun
> to gloat that people will pay $4 to get their advertising. Whatever it
> is, at some point someone there will realize this isn't the Victoria's
> Secret catalog and this isn't working, and they'll start trying to get
> their advertising distributed as widely as possible to a properly targeted
> market instead of what they're doing now or have done before.
>

I couldn't agree with you more. I went into the local mall located
RS today (a corporate store) picked up a few parts and asked about a
catalog. The response was "that'll be $2.95" and I just said "I'll pass".
It's their loss.

I also have a shelf of catalogs that I regularly use and make purchasing
decisions from. I've not paid one penny for the privilege of ordering
from any of 'em.
--

Gary Sanders

Bait for spammers (With credit to E. Needham):
root@localhost
postmaster@localhost
admin@localhost
abuse@localhost
postmaster@127.0.0.1

5404. Re: Not getting all posts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F5EF6A.BA91D010@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144675

K patterson wrote:

> I'm not really complaining (cause it saves me from putting him on my dink
> list) but I do not recieve any of John Mackeys posts. The only reason it
> bothers me is that there may be others I am missing. Is any one else having
> this problem?

hee-hee-GUF-HAWHA-HAHAHA HAHOO-hee-hee!!!

You know..(snicker) I gotta wicked case of athelete's foot; ya want that too?

(hoo-hooey hee-hee!)

5405. Listen to a live scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ChatMan2@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14431-35F5F084-58@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144676

Click below on my web site to listen to a live scanner from Arizona!!!

5406. Re: Help with PRO 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35F4AE41.89C2A869@home.com>
Source record: 144677

You see the Governement didn't like scanners that could be easily modified for cellular, therefore scanners are now made with cellular blocked at the CPU.

Cr8ive wrote:

> I know about clipping the jumper wire L201, but when I opened mine, there
> was never a jumper wire there, and I still do not have the 800-900 range I
> want. Has anyone heard of this? The serial # is 45006164. I heard there
> is a different trick for post 4500's
>
> Help please!

--
Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

5407. 200.00/TRIDENT 1000CH SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090806054700.CAA19256@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144678

TRIDENT 1000CH SCANNER
WITH SSB/WFM AM/BFO AND MORE

200.00 U SHIP

HANDHELD
THANKS

CWEST69521@AOL.COM

5408. Re: WTT: BC-9000XLT, PRO-2042, PRO-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980908061949 00.CAA20080@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144679

>Hello. I'm interested in trading a Radio Shack PRO-43 handheld scanner for
>either a Uniden BC-9000XLT, a RS PRO-2042, or a PRO-2035 base scanner.

If you find anyone willing to trade your Pro-43 that's worth about $175 for any of the radios you want, each of which is worth $250 or so, please let me know 'cause I'd like to talk to him about some swamp land I have for sale in Florida.

JW

5409. Re: Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarod@syntec.com
Message-ID: <35f4c9dc.1660778@news.zip.com.au>
Source record: 144680

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 20:37:33 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>ScanMan@USA.America wrote:
>> Why don't you people "GROW UP".
>> Forget the Bill Check bull shit and get back to the subject at hand.
>
>Well said!
>
>See the thread I started of "Drop the Bill Cheek issue" they
>ingored it & continued to spread the BS! :(

Why can't *****YOU***** shut the fuck up smacksey?

You serve absolutely no purpose in this newsgroup and have an IQ lower
than pondscum.

Crawl back into your hole ya friggin meathead.

5410. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090806252200.CAA17061@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144681

J M wrote:>So Bud by your statement above you are admitting you did the forged
>posts
>of Cheek!

get a life a two year old could tell in one second that those were re posted
from elsewhere what the @#$$%&* is your problem ?

5411. Help ! Need manual UBC220XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marco van Weel <mvweel@euronet.nl>
Message-ID: <35F4CE3E.E193FFF2@euronet.nl>
Source record: 144682

Hi there,

is there anyone out there who would be so kind to send me a copy
of his/her manual of the Uniden Bearcat 220 XLT. Or send by email :-) ?
I'm dutch and we don't have a local distributor so i can't order one
here. Ordering one from Uniden will become to expensive due to
transactions costs from europe to the usa.

I'd really appreciate it if someone could help me.

The adress :
Marco van Weel
p/a Laanstraat 61
NL 3473 BB Baarn
The Netherlands

Thanks in advance

Best regards

Marco

5412. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35F4DBC2.5B02@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 144683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Rudy Hardy wrote:
>
> I got one free today. The salesman only verified my name in the computer. He
> said for inventory purposes.

:-) Nice way of putting it. Not for marketing purposes, because your
personal information is just part of their inventory?

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

5413. Re: MILFORD CONNECTICUT POLICE??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Immoral Majority <whome@where.now>
Message-ID: <6t2m9eboo2@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144684
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Yes they did go digital according to a page which I can't remember but the info on it was up to date

D Kerkes wrote in message <01bdd1cf$863b2360$6507440c@hp-customer>...
> Just wondering if anyone knows if they went digital?

5414. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <agent150@spambusters.ml.org>
Message-ID: <35F4E0FA.6A66@spambusters.ml.org>
Source record: 144685
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Rob wrote:
> The Radio Shack Catalog is a high quality publication printed on
> quality paper (not newsprint like most of the others). It is expensive
> to produce. Personally, I would gladly pay the cover price for the
> catalog if requested; it's well worth it ! But as you didn't buy it,
> you don't know, do you ?

I receive many catalogs free that have not only pretty pictures advertising the seller's products, but useful information and interesting stories as well. They receive prominent places on my bookshelves, which gets their name seen by me several times a day (a marketer's DREAM). I, in turn, recommend their catalogs to my clients, who usually end up buying from these companies.

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+---+
| Cliff Sharp | Hate spam? Join The Great American Pink-Out! |
| WA9PDM | http://www.ybecker.net/pink/ |
+---+

5415. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Immoral Majority <whome@where.now>
Message-ID: <6t2m9dboo1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144686

Sounds like you have foot in mouth disease my friend.
1) Scanners sold in the US can't pickup cellphones anymore
2) It is illegal to listen to Cell and Cordless phone Conversations.
3) If the public doesn't monitor the Police and Feds who Will ? The Media?
Yeah Right! they just eat what the cops and the Feds feed em which is BS
99% of the time and the other 1% who knows if its truth or lies.

You sound like you'd ban Talk Radio since that gives you the opportunity to
hear what people think and/or do.

ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6si97c$230$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF YOU
AGREE
>RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT BANING
THEM.
>
>THANKS.
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5416. Re: The Bill Cheek issue! was:Re: Bill Cheeks can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4EA7D.25B@parg.org>
Source record: 144687

BPowell632 wrote:
> get a life a two year old could tell in one second that those were re posted
> from elsewhere what the @#$$%&* is your problem ?

Not really! It came from the correct server & range of IP addresses.
It was figured out other ways though.

5417. Author profile: CBRambo (Abusive poster)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7zzt@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6t2rlb$m9c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

Since Mr. CBRAmbo wants to play the 'Pester Eric Oyen" game, then he can start explaining his own words in various places where he has harrassed others.

Now, as I explained to him directly in another post, I was away this weekend at a friends funeral and could not be reached. Now that I am back, I shall address this.

It is therefore required of CBRambo that he cease and desist all activities designed by intent (or accident) to harrass me or to use my name, callsign or any other likeness of me, my personal information or other intangible assets without my expressed written permission (and this permission shall NOT be given at any time for any reason to him). Further, He is also required to cease any e-mail contact he may have with me immediately

CBRAMBO is also required to cease and desist any activities designed by intent, or accident, to foster a hostile environment toward me or other users in the groups listed below. A copy of this notice is being sent to abuse@aol.com for further handling.

CBRAMBO, you are done. do not call on me again, as I will not respond. I also encorage others to cease responding to his jibes, remarks, inuendo's and libelous remarks. Since such treatemtn generally successed, he will go away when his audience does.

Eric Oyen

Author Profile

There are 1421 unique messages by cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo):
(numbers may be slightly skewed by cross-postings)

Number of Messages Forum

869 rec.radio.amateur.misc
304 rec.radio.cb
125 rec.radio.scanner
47 rec.radio.amateur.policy
13 rec.radio.shortwave
11 alt.radio.family
5 rec.radio.swap
4 rec.boats.cruising
4 rec.radio.amateur.equipment
3 alt.radio.scanner
3 ks.misc
2 uk.radio.amateur
1 alt.aviation.safety

1 alt.fan.rush-limbaugh
1 alt.law-enforcement
1 alt.radio.broadcasting.open
1 alt.test
1 rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors
1 rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

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------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5418. Re: John Mackey. Please Read This.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4EE48.AEE@parg.org>
Source record: 144689

Phil Smalley wrote:

> I did it because I felt like it. That's right. I just plain got a mean
> streak in me and decided to whop you one right across the gumline. No

Actually, I hardly noticed you were there! I can only remember one
post from you in the last few weeks!

> Which brings me full circle back to the point I made to you WAAAAYYY
> back when this whole mess got started? You remember?

Yea, what is your point? (besides the one on your head)

> - humiliated to the point of
> crying to the offending users ISP like a baby runs to its mama.

Yea, that is an old Bill Cheek way of doing business. If you don't
like them or the way they do things, then bitch to thier online
service provider. If you don't like it then talk to Bill as he is
the one who taught me that trick!

5419. Re: Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4EF7C.138E@parg.org>
Source record: 144690

Jarod wrote:
> Why can't *****YOU***** shut the fuck up smacksey?
>
> You serve absolutely no purpose in this newsgroup and have an IQ lower
> than pondscum.

Yea, right, your above post makes you look lower than whale shit in
the ocean.

Go away little one.

5420. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4EFEF.F8F@parg.org>
Source record: 144691

Phil Smalley wrote:

> John wrote:
> > Do you have an FCC commercial General Radiotelephone Licnese?
>
> Do you know how to use a spell checker ? Didn't think so...

I'm glad that the biggest thing you can find wrong is a simple
spelling error. I'll bet you really yelped with glee when
you found that spelling error!

5421. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F4F068.231C@parg.org>
Source record: 144692

Phil Smalley wrote:

> > FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial.

> Both licenses are freely given to anyone who can fog a mirror and has a
> few bucks in his pocket. Big fat hairy deal. So you can study for a

Wrong, they require passing extensive tests in radio electronics, plus
other things. (many people fail or simply don't try, LIKE YOU!!)

5422. Re: And Again - Mackey's Despicable Posting History

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090810442100.GAA28821@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144693

>From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

>You forgot that half of those are reposts because of rogue cancels.

You're alleging that 6500 out of 13000 posts are reposts of rogue cancels? That's absolutely ludicrous, of course. But let's play the Mackey Lies with Figures Game and say that you are right. That means you have posted 6500 off-topic posts here. That's quite a record that you should be proud of, isn't it?

5423. Re: Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090810460900.GAA25556@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144694

>From: ScanMan@USA.America

>Why don't you people "GROW UP".
>
>Forget the Bill Check bull shit and get back to the subject at hand.
>
>Ooooooooops, did you forget, this is a scanner newsgroup?

Thanks for showing us how to behave maturely.

5424. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6t31toegs1@207.18.224.85>
Source record: 144695

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 20:47:12 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>> And where is this FCC database for commercial licenses?
>
>At the FCC.

Very good John. I ask a simple, polite, and intelligent
question, and this is the response I get from you.

The reason I ask, is that the FCC themselfs, have stated
that the database they have of commercial license
holders is incomplete, and that they will not normally
search it for callers. One of the reasons is that it is
not complete.

They stated the only sure way to know if someone
has a commercial license, is by seeing the license.

I was merely wondering if you had found something
other than that.

Yet I get a smartass answer. Thanks.

5425. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6t322aegs2@207.18.224.85>
Source record: 144696

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 01:52:56 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>Phil Smalley wrote:
>
>> > FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial.
>
>> Both licenses are freely given to anyone who can fog a mirror and has a
>> few bucks in his pocket. Big fat hairy deal. So you can study for a
>
>Wrong, they require passing extensive tests in radio electronics, plus
>other things. (many people fail or simply don't try, LIKE YOU!!)

John, as you know, the test for the FCC Commercial license was made
into something almost insignificant. Durn near anyone can pass it,
and if you don't ace it, or at least the electronics part, then you
need help.

5426. Re: Swiss Air Crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ah549@chebucto.ns.ca
Message-ID: <hY7J1.30$rk4.481945@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 144697

I live about 20 miles from the crash site and I listen on the Marine
channel 16 (quite busy at times) , also ch#s 8, 9, and 14.

>About 1:00PM EST CAMFLANT 5696 USB announced also 123.1VHF and 381.8UHF.
>Communications have been with Coast Guard.
>Anybody know what this is??

>yabyum@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6soqh2$la8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>>5.696 was also awfully busy last night. Dunno what that exactly is (sorry,
>>still a newbie here :)), but lots of rescue action going on on that
>>frequency.
>>
>>
>>In article <__zH1.20$i16.1429840@news.optonline.net>,
>> "Bob" <rfa@nassau.cv.net> wrote:
>>> Try 5.717 USB Quite a few rescue aircraft operating there.

5427. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6t327gegs3@207.18.224.85>
Source record: 144698

On 8 Sep 1998 03:37:12 GMT, Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com> wrote:

>John wrote:
>> No, I have not changing that postition at all. I have REAL & LEGIT &
>> CURRENT
>> FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial. Cheek has NONE!
>
>Both licenses are freely given to anyone who can fog a mirror and has a
>few bucks in his pocket. Big fat hairy deal. So you can study for a
>test. So what.
>
Basically. The thought at the time of changing the program, was that the industry would come up with something better for a test of proficency, than the GROL. The industry responded with a disjointed testing program, many different agencies came out with a test, and it was/is a dismal failure all the way around.

There has been talk about changing the testing again, and Motorola has started the groundwork for a program to "certify" people who work on much of their equipment, but it is still not an active program.

5428. The Bill Cheek issue!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <630_9809080501@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144699

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

> You better speak to Bud Jamison. I have NEVER done a forgery
> of any kind. Bud was the one doing recent forgery here.

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

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5429. Re: GREAT HOUSTON SCANNING PAGE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-R8kndFT7TVIv@slip-32-100-186-232.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Mark,

• YOU MUST SEE THIS TOP NOTCH HOUSTON SCANNING PAGE!!!
•
• http://members.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/
•
• Many could modify their pages to look really neat like this one!

John H. has really worked to get this page together. I'm sure he appreciates your praise.

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

5430. Re: How does one enterr a trunked freq on a MVT 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <zwMdBHAk9R91Ewx+@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 144701

In article <35f0c4f1.45168830@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam] writes

Hi Jeff,

>I keep trying, but the 4th digit keeps getting kick to the curb, and
>the frequency rounded off. I know with the universal delay the 9000

What step size do you have selected when trying to enter the frequency ?

Sounds like you have a step size selected that doesn't match the
frequency you require :-(

Cheers,
JC
http://www.javiation.co.uk

5431. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <udaJ1.1384$yB1.259188@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 144702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35EF1582.1AD5@ix.netcom.com>, pobox*dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>>
>> Maybe the article on the URL below will clear things up:
>>
>> http://www.afn.org/~gars/fcc/p97-e.html#401
>
>
>Yes, it's quite clear to me:
>*****************************
>> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
>> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
>> not available.
>***
>If you have a Ham license, a police radio, and see a threat to life or
>property -- it's perfectly legal to use the police frequency.
>
>This is what several have stated before.

Ken, it is not clear to me. What I read is it is legal to use any radio under part 97 to make the emergency call. It does not state "any" radio especially one that is on a police frequency. Your ham license is not a license to operate any where you want.

Try again!

COP
>
>(ken)
>
>
>
>NOTE: To reply to this message replace (*) with (-).

5432. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fa3069.2299652@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144703

>> Both licenses are freely given to anyone who can fog a mirror and has a
>> few bucks in his pocket. Big fat hairy deal. So you can study for a
>
>Wrong, they require passing extensive tests in radio electronics, plus
>other things. (many people fail or simply don't try, LIKE YOU!!)

Oh, puh-LEEZE. I have a First Class Radiotelephone license, required for my job in television. I got it through a license mill, studying the test questions. That was back in 1981. I couldn't tell you the difference between a Colpitts and a Hartley or a Harley-Davidson. I know enough of the amateur questions to get my extra class, but the code isn't up to speed yet. All my knowledge is memorization rather than knowledge.

5433. Re: Swiss Air Crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fb315b.2541951@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>About 1:00PM EST CAMFLANT 5696 USB announced also 123.1VHF and 381.8UHF.
>Communications have been with Coast Guard.

I *finally* heard related activity on 5696, with an announcement that
the secondary channel was 8983, or thereabouts. It was clear for a
few seconds, then signal levels dropped down to where I could tell
there was a signal present, but couldn't understand it.

5434. Re: Help with PRO 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6t3buj$e0q$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144705

Teal9425 wrote:
>
> hey guys!
>
If your serial no. starts with 45 it can't be modified....jerr

5435. Re: bearcat 210x ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospam-shoop@tctc.com>
Message-ID: <6t3bb0hqr1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 144706

The Bearcat 210 XLT is a 40 channel with the same coverage as below.
Great scanner except it's a little slow and the coverage lacks some.

http://www.tctc.com/~shoop/brian.html

Teen Ham wrote in message
<1998090704552700.AAA17674@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>>Can anyone tell me what type of scanner this is, what frequency coverage
it
>>has, and maybe a list price.
>>thanx
>
>If your talking about the Uniden Bearcat 210 XW scanner, it's a 20 channel
>desktop scanner with a green LCD Display, covers 30-50, 138-174, and
406-512
>MHz NFM Mode. For a scanner this old, the recieve is quite nice and
comparible
>to some scanners on the market today, but it's freq coverage is very
limited.
>I think I picked mine up for under $4 at a yard sale. Hope this hepls.
73

5436. Re: How to get PRESET on YUPITERU 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jo_oeverland@hp.com
Message-ID: <35f50232.15004893@news.corp.hp.com>
Source record: 144707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

There are several mods for the MVT-9000
mod 3 gives you preset.
All mods have to be done by a dealer. $$$

Jo Oeverland

On Thu, 3 Sep 1998 16:26:30 +0200, "Aad J. van Strien"
<Aad-van.Strien@klm.nl> wrote:

>Hi scan freaks,
>
>anyone here who knows how to turn on the PRESET mode on a YUPITERU MVT-9000?
>My manual does not list it, and applying procedures as available from the
>internet yield no result.
>
>Thanks on advance for your time.
>Greetings from the Netherlands.
>
>Aad J. van Strien
>

5437. Re: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: navigator@pacific-ocean.com
Message-ID: <35f53367.12373806@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144708

On Tue, 1 Sep 1998 08:29:35 -0600, "Dan Oppenheim" <antelope@swcp.com>
wrote:

>I just got a WinRadio 1000i scanner. I have a RS discone antenna that does a
>great job on the VHF/UHF bands, and I use the supplied 20' wire antenna for
>20m and beyond. My question is: does anybody have any mods (either software
>or hardware) for this radio, are there any FTP sites containing software
>(besides WinRadio's sites) other than the software supplied, and does
>anybody have any comments in particular?
>
>Dan
>
>
Hi Dan,

Try:

http://www.tornado.be/~put
Looks interesting (haven't tried it yet)...

Cheers,
Juergen

5438. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin.hayes@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f535a0.12942501@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144709

On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 17:33:01 -0600, dcisive@earthlink.net (Lee Rothman) wrote:

>Has anyone had significant experience with the newer variety of WinRadio >devices out there. I am considering the new WR-3100e for my laptop and >wanted to know if in fact their performance was amazing or a >disappointment.

One of my friends uses this for professional surveillance and speaks very highly of it. I wish I could afford one!

Martin

5439. Re: INFO REQ: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin.hayes@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f5366b.13146079@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144710

I have both the WR1000i and the PCR1000 and would certainly recommend
the Winradio. Much more elegant product and more fun to use.

73's

Martin

on 7 Sep 1998 01:11:53 GMT, captkfd308@aol.com (CaptKFD308) wrote:
>I am looking for feedback from people that have the Winradio either the 1000 or
>1500. I am debateing on buying a scanner and this radio has caught my
>attention?
>
>Pro and Cons welcome
>
>Does it work with Win95?
>
>73 and Thanks
>
>
>Bill Carreira Jr. Email:CaptKFD308@aol.com
>CAPT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
>Kingsland Fire Rescue
>Kingsland, GA 31548
>http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm

5440. Once Again - Mackey's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <632_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144711

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

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5441. Once Again - Mackey's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <633_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144712

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
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5442. And Again - Mackey's Desp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <634_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144713

From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>

> I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have
> proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A
> personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

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5443. DROP the Cheek !

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Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <635_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144714

From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com

Me> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> Lets just drop this thread, OK? Is it quite boring.
Me> You are the one who started this thread Mr. Sickey Mackey. You can't
Me> just drop it because others are making you look like the stupid sick
Me> man that you are. Merry

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

> You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.

> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> him getting booted from Fido.

which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

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| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5444. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <636_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144715

From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com

> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> True, I am a radio hobbyist & enthusiast and I don't limit myself
> to scanners as you do. I have much broader & deeper interests
> in the radio hobby than limiting myself to scanner listening as you do.
Me> Since you don't listen to scanners and don't like people who do, whyh
Me> are you making trouble in this newsgroup? It must be because its true
Me> what they all say about you that you are a stupid, sick man. Merry

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5445. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <637_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144716

From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com

ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> I never claimed to be a resource for scanners!)

Me> You would have been lying if you did. So why do you keep posting
Me> stuipid messages in a scanner newsgroup Mr Sickey Mackey? Its really
Me> true what they all say. You aer a sick man. Merry

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From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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5446. DROP the Bill Cheek i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <638_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144717

From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com

> ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> This is all getting quite old, please drop it for the good of this NG.

Me> Too bad for you, you starteds the subject so you can't just make
Me> people stop. You are not the one to decide whayt is for the good of
Me> this NG. At first I didn't think you were stupid and aliar like
Me> everybody says you are but now i see that they weere right. I pity you,
Me> you are a sick man, Mr. Mackey. Merry

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5447. The Bill Cheek issue!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <639_9809080700@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144718

From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com

>ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> Bill has an
> account at cts.com & has made other newsgroup posts elsewhere within the
> last few days so he could post from a legit account if he wanted to!

Me> you could not know this if you were'nt stalking him like everybody
Me> says you do. I hope for you to get some help because you are a very
Me> sick person. Merry

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5448. Re: Easton CT Police Dept.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090814160300.KAA08315@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144719

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Easton PD- 154.040
Easton FD- 33.560
Easton EMS- 155.295
Don't have the PL's
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5449. Motorola Trunking System ID collection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: trunking@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6t3j6f$l5h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hello Everyone!

I am attempting to start a collection of systems IDs for Motorola trunking systems across the nation and build an online table so folks can cross reference. So now when you are picking up some DX (Gary!) or traveling through an area and you hear a trunking system that is new to you, you'll have a de-facto reference to look up the system.

For those of you that don't know what a system ID is, here is your answer. Motorola trunked systems transmit a little piece of data every second or so on the data channel the uniquely identifies the system. Motorola radios are programmed to look for this system ID for the systems that they are programmed for. Applications that can decode this system Id from the data channel include trunker. For more information on trunker, see
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/dfw/digital.htm

So, if everyone that knows a system ID for a local system in your area....or ANY system, please send to me at lblant1@airmail.net I'd like to see the info in the following format:

SYSID Control Channels System User/Name City State

Watch the list get created and built at:
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked/sysid.txt
NOTE: that this is not created yet, but it will be the URL for this sysid list.

I Look forward to your system ID's !!

Thanks!
-LB

Lindsay C. Blanton
The Trunked Radio Systems Information Homepage
http://web2.airmail.net/lblant1/trunked.htm
lblant1@airmail.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5450. Houston, Texas Emergency Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35F54031.A8A40F7C@nol.net>
Source record: 144721

Does anybody know what the "hot" frequencies would be (besides police) for a major emergency, like a hurricane? I have the Skywarn (146.840) for Downtown, are there other repeaters for Southeast Texas, like Galveston or Chambers Counties. So far people I've been in contact with haven't been much help, but maybe someone out there knows some info.

Thanks,
JoshCarroll

5451. Computer Interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35F540C3.A3E8AFDC@nol.net>
Source record: 144722

Is there a way that I can block out the computer interference from my scanner. I have a small room and just one desk where I have my computer, scanner, TV/Radio/VCR. My computer seems to interefere with radio signals (not the TV/VCR really, since I have cable).

If it helps, my scanner is on an antenna outside properly mounted on top of an existing TV antenna.

Any help appreciated.
Joshua Carroll

5452. Re: Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6t3k73$9h0$1@carroll.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 144723
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

When 12.5Kc first began to gain in popularity, it was simple
enough to tune to the nearest 5Kc slot - and that worked fine.

In fact, if you own a Pro-90, you *still* have to do that...
For whatever reason, the Bearcat clones don't do 12.5Kc spacing
on VHF --- whatever.

The point is, you only need to be in the neighborhood of the
center frequency (neighborhood = ~+-3Kc) to hear comms transmitted
in the FM analog mode that your scanner knows and does well...

To really make 6.25Kc spacing work, transmissions are going to
probably have to move away from classic analog FM, in favor of
ACSSB and digital. When that happens, it's time to trade up for a
new scanner or get out the soldering iron...

fab (fabio@butter.bump.net) wrote:
: By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
: reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
: be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
: ..0125Mhz.
: Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
: this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
: The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.

: Comments?

5453. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Mossman <thinblue@znet.com>
Message-ID: <35F553CE.7212@znet.com>
Source record: 144724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

> It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
> bands.

That sort of depends... Isn't it illegal in some states to posess a
radio in a vehicle capable of RECEIVING police communication?

--
Shannon L. Mossman
KC6NRB, Escondido, CA

5454. Re: OPP Airborne freqs? (Ontario, Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: forts@mnsi.net
Message-ID: <35f56a11.9298250@snews.mnsi.net>
Source record: 144725
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 28 Aug 1998 23:08:40 GMT, mckie@cs.dal.ca (ALASDAIR MCKIE) wrote:

>serial (no@e.mail) wrote:
>: as an aside....the ministry of health lifeflight chopper freqs would be appreciated as well
>
>In eastern Ontario, the MoH helicopters use the provincial common
>frequency 150.1000. The ministry's dispatch centres are supposedly using
>129.2750 and 132.5500 (I think), but I suspect they are mostly for
>fixed-wing operations, which are not common in eastern Ontario so I
>couldn't say for sure. In this area helicopters are not frequently used
>for emergency calls, and as such simply use local tower frequencies to
>navigate on patient transfer flights.
>
>-Alasdair

I have heard the MoH helicopter flying the London/Chatham/Windsor
corridor using mainly 150.100, but also on 129.275.

5455. assist /design 400-500mhz /800mhz antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nighthawk <nhawks@idirect.com>
Message-ID: <01bddb59$15dcb500$c0d1a1d1@bestbyte>
Source record: 144726

looking for help on building a beam for 400- 500mhz and 830-950mhz antenna inherited a very large tv antenna 9 feet beam and elements all have been drilled out looking for sizes of elements and a general idea of how to put one together near lake hear in oshawa east of toronto a beam type to shoot accross into buffalo any ideas would be greatly appreicated / jimmer

5456. Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <MPG.105e42496f657de798969e@news.naplesfl.net>
Source record: 144759
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio communications. Which scanners would you recommend for this. Also what headphones are good for use at the racetrack? Would the stock antena be adequate? I want to make sure the "audio out" jack is stereo, the one on my old scanner only has sound in one ear (annoying).

Dan remove the "xxspam" from my email address if replying by email.

5457. Re: RADIO FRENQUENCIES USED BY ILLINOIS STATE POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jig@theramp.net
Message-ID: <35f47e7d.1034129825@news.theramp.net>
Source record: 144760

On Mon, 7 Sep 1998 00:37:43 -0500 (CDT), ILHOOSIERS@webtv.net (Lewis Hubble) wrote:

>I would like to have the frenquencies used by the Illinois State Police.
>It would be nice to know which districts use which frenquencies.

Check out my web page at http://www.theramp.net/n9jig/scan.html. I have the ISP District Map, as well as freqs and radio codes.

Enjoy!

5458. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6t1voi$e25$0@207.18.224.225>
Source record: 144761

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 13:45:04 -0700, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> wrote:

>A search of the FCC database for FCC commercial licenses shows NOTHING
>for Cheek.
>
And where is this FCC database for commercial licenses?

5459. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdeviney@ipa.net
Message-ID: <35f487af.36162420@news2.ipa.net>
Source record: 144762
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You just need a mono to stereo adapter for $1.99 at Radio Shack to get sound to both ears.

CATHY

I want to make sure the "audio out" jack is stereo, the one on
>my old scanner only has sound in one ear (annoying).

5460. bc-220xlt instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: khowland@ici.net
Message-ID: <35f483a5.3632743@news>
Source record: 144763

I was wondering if anyone might have a set instructions for the
220xlt. I am having problems trying to get rid of the large "P", next
to the freq. on the display..
email: khowland@ici.net Thanks for reading this
Ken Howland

5461. Re: 800Mhz Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn J. Torres" <radioman@communique.net>
Message-ID: <01bddac8$56494a40$e358cccf@default>
Source record: 144764

Ramsey Electronics has a kit for a converter. Check out
www.ramseyelectronics.com
Good Luck,
Glenn

Richard H. <rhiii@mnsinc.com> wrote in article
<35e9b0db.114084127@news.mnsinc.com>...
> For those of us who have scanners that only to up to 500mhz, where can
> we buy a converted that does 800mhz ==> 400mhz conversion?
>
> thanks
>
> Richard
>

5462. Re: New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f68cd0.77255994@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 19:06:12 -0400, bill carty <bcarty1@csi.com>
wrote:

>Is there anyone from the Aerospace Defense Command reading this news
>group. The reason I ask is that if it is a satelite then norad, or who
>ever is incharge of tracking space vehicles should be able to confirm or
>deny North Korea's claims. Anyone out there.
>
>D. P. Roberts wrote:

I've been waiting for the Keps!

>> NORTH Korea claimed yesterday that its recent launch of a rocket,
>> which put Japan on high security alert, was a "singing satellite", not
>>
>> a weapon.
>>
>> The claim sowed confusion in Seoul, Washington and Tokyo, which
>> had accused Pyongyang of firing a ballistic missile over Japan.
>>
>> The Korean Central News Agency, official mouthpiece of the
>> world's most secretive regime, said: "Our scientists and technicians
>> have succeeded in launching the first artificial satellite aboard a
>> multi-stage rocket into orbit." The satellite is now transmitting the
>> melody of the immortal revolutionary hymns Song of General Kim
>> Il-sung and Song of Kim Jong-il and the morse code signal 'Juche
>> Korea' on 27 megahertz."
>>
>> --
>> Well, it's a *high* shortwave frequency.
>>
>> Hmmm. Hrrrmmmmrrrrr. Has anyone heard this one?
>>
>> I wonder who the target audience is supposed to be? Certainly not the
>>
>> North Korean people who are starving. . .
>
>

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5463. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <35f48e04.32003546@news2.penn.com>
Source record: 144766
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 00:17:34 GMT, xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net (Dan)
wrote:

>I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR
>races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio
>communications. Which scanners would you recommend for this.

I'd use a triple conversion scanner.
You can use any of your handhelds if you own any.
>
> Also what
>headphones are good for use at the racetrack? Would the stock antena be
>adequate? I want to make sure the "audio out" jack is stereo, the one on
>my old scanner only has sound in one ear (annoying).
>
.

www.racingelectronics.com have good headphones for 60.00 a set.
These can be purchased at the track and play in both ears.(mono in
both ears)

I don't use a antenna at the track.

5464. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <yU0J1.182$Ct6.415409@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144767

John I know it is illegal to modify CB radios. I was under the impression
that B Cheek legally worked on them at one time. I know he had a lot of
problems with the FCC just like he had here. Maybe the FCC quietly pulled
his tickets?
Also when you search commercial they changed that stuff a few years ago to
just a general commercial class license.
You have to be more careful searching that data base IMHO.
I'll have to pull mine and see what it now says.

John wrote in message <35F445D0.622F@parg.org>...
>Victor Healey wrote:
>
>> Say what?
>> Are you sure of your facts?
>
>YES!
>

5465. Re: Help with PRO 2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090802553500.WAA29207@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144768

hey guys!
guess what? same problem here with my 2026. nothing to cut. what the hell?

5466. Re: Pro 2006 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f7a3bb.83124240@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144769

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 10:10:32 -0700, RDK <rdk@a.crl.com> wrote:

>Ive seen a used RS pro 2006 for sale at under $200.00 with a warranty of
>one year. are there things I should check out on this scanner before I
>buy it? the unit hasnt been modified, and comes with a photocopied
>manual. serial number is 070825 with a date code of 8A3. what does the
>serial number and date tell about this unit? Thanks for your help in
>advance.
>
>73s

Hey I'll take one, email me the info.

-

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Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5467. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F4A656.4429@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144770

John wrote:
>
> I have done nothing wrong so I have nothing to hide.

Hee, hee... I'm sorry but this is FUNNY. It's a classic case of someone covering his head with a towel believing that if he can't see you, you can't see him.

-Phil

5468. WTT: BC-9000XLT, PRO-2042, PRO-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bagosh3@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6t25qgrok1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144771

Hello. I'm interested in trading a Radio Shack PRO-43 handheld scanner for either a Uniden BC-9000XLT, a RS PRO-2042, or a PRO-2035 base scanner. The scanner must work 100%, be at least 8/10 cosmetically, come with some kind of power cord, and the manual. Anything other then that is extra.

My PRO-43 works 100% and it around a 9/10 cosmetically, no mods done and I'm a non-smoker. It comes with a full set of Ni-Cad batteries, the original manual, rubber duckie antenna, belt clip, original packaging and box. It has a date code of "A004700" (I believe this one can be modified for 6-1000 MHz coverage). And I will also include the following modification sheets for the radio:

-Improved Audio Quality
-Double The Amount Of Memory Channels To 400
-Add An "S" Meter
-Extend Coverage To 6-1000 MHz Gapless
-Keyboard Beep Delation

If your interested in trading, please let me know. Thanks a lot for reading!

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5469. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F4A748.32@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144772

John wrote:
> No, I have not changing that postition at all. I have REAL & LEGIT &
> CURRENT
> FCC licenses for both Amateur & Commercial. Cheek has NONE!

Both licenses are freely given to anyone who can fog a mirror and has a few bucks in his pocket. Big fat hairy deal. So you can study for a test. So what.

> My statements & position have not changed at all.

Yes, we all can see where your head is still firmly planted. Must make sitting difficult.

-Phil

5470. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F4A8D3.2447@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144773

John wrote:
> You have never talked about anything other than scanners or claimed
> any other knowledge other than scanners in the past.

Hmmm.... even if the above is correct, he still has one up on you - he knows what a TOPIC is. ;-)
>
> Do you have an FCC commercial General Radiotelephone Licnese?

Do you know how to use a spell checker ? Didn't think so...
>
> What ever excuse you want to use is your choice.

Indeed. What's yours?
-Phil

5471. Re: Scaning FAQ 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F4AA00.6A2A@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144774

John wrote:
> Listen up Hollywood, I thought you'd have learned by now not to get
> involved in things that don't concern you.

Why should he? You never have. I thought you would have learned by now that you've got less appeal and half the value of week-old sun dried tuna casserole. Go fig.

-Phil

5472. Re: Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090803512100.XAA03543@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144775

In article <35F4A67D.506B@parg.org>, John <ka0ssf@parg.org> writes:

>ScanMan@USA.America wrote:
>> Why don't you people "GROW UP".
>> Forget the Bill Check bull shit and get back to the subject at hand.
>
>Well said!
>
>See the thread I started of "Drop the Bill Cheek issue" they
>ingored it & continued to spread the BS! :(

Severe case of CHEEK ENVY by these folks. They just can't leave it alone.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5473. John Mackey. Please Read This.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F4ADB4.1207@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144776

Been reading my posts lately, SportShoes? Of course you have. Probably already replied to 'em too, didn't ya? Probably got all excited when you saw that good ol' Phil decided to slap you around again, huh?

Well, before you go wriggling into another one of your whining sniveling "stop it or I'm telling" tyrades, I want to explain something to you. I want to tell you WHY I did that. And all the other users of rrs for that matter.

I did it because I felt like it. That's right. I just plain got a mean streak in me and decided to whop you one right across the gumline. No rhyme, no reason, no personal vendetta. You were simply there and I needed to vent. And, I'd like to say....thanks. I needed that.

Which brings me full circle back to the point I made to you WAAAAYYY back when this whole mess got started? You remember? In a nutshell, I asked you why you bother to hang around this dump if it's full of nothing but troublemakers and "cheek-a-likes" as you call them (further justifying - in your mind at least - your obnoxious and abrasive behavior, I might add) Why do you continually add fuel to the fire when you become the brunt of all the jokes - humiliated to the point of crying to the offending users ISP like a baby runs to its mama.

Some ISP's have listened and acted upon your pathetic whimperings, while others (quite wisely, says I) considered the source and ignored you. I mean, after all, your asking them to throw $20 to $45 bucks a month away, just for YOU. Not real smart, from a financial perspective.

And what was the answer I got from you? Something about "being here for the good of all rrs" or some nonsense like that, which got even more boos and projectiles from the peanut gallery.

Now, I will again implore to your common sense. If you REALLY want it to end, why don't you just go away? After all, if you had gone away last time, you wouldn't have been such an easy target for me....right?

-Phil

5474. Re: Computer Interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmiew@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <35f5d45d.29961405@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 144543

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 09:35:47 -0500, Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
wrote:

>Is there a way that I can block out the computer interference from my
>scanner.

I have some info at http://home.sprynet.com/sprynet/jimmiew/scan.htm
that may help you get to the bottom of your noise problem. Good luck.
>

5475. Re: BCT-10 for TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: blade1@home.com
Message-ID: <35f5d972.353806315@news>
Source record: 144544

Brian: I have an excellent Pro-46 100 ch handheld modifiable and a
RS-Pro 2030. What kind of condition is your Uniden in?

Robert

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 13:52:48 -0400, Brian Trotter
<btrotter@.earthlink.net> wrote:

>I am interested in trading my Uniden BCT-10 beartracker scanner.
>
>The main things I am looking for are:
>
>At least 50 channels (100+ preferred)
>800+mhz range (prefer one that is easily modified)
>Portable preferred, but will take a base if it has a DC input.
>In excellent working condition. I dont care so much if it is scuffed up
>or scrathed, as long as you can read the display, all the buttons work,
>and you can read the buttons.
>Manual, and power cables preferred.
>
>Email me if interested. remove the REMOVE from my email address when
>replying.
>
>Brian T.

5476. Radio Shack Scanner Pro 2040 Intermode Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "McKay Family (KA7IVJ)" <Thule-APJ@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t4mui$o2v@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144545

For some reason I have a Intermode/Interference problem in the 854 to 856 area which I am monitoring using my Radio Shack Pro 2040. The interference is telephone transmissions on top of the other transmissions. When the frequencies I am listening to, are transmitting, by them selves they are ok. But, when a telephone comes on line it blocks out what I am listening to. Also I have to keep the squelch almost wide open to get a good signal. Regardless of what type of antenna I use it does the same thing. There is a telephone couple cell sites approximately 1 mile from us in any direction. Is there a filter I can install or anything else to block out the telephone transmissions or anything else i can do? Any ideas. Thanks, Bob

5477. Re: How does one enterr a trunked freq on a MVT 9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jroulier@[nospam]
Message-ID: <35f5e235.8843585@news.albany.net>
Source record: 144546

On Tue, 8 Sep 1998 13:13:24 +0100, Jonathan Clough
<Clough@Javiation.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <35f0c4f1.45168830@news.albany.net>, jroulier@[nospam] writes
>
>Hi Jeff,
>
>>I keep trying, but the 4th digit keeps getting kick to the curb, and
>>the frequency rounded off. I know with the universal delay the 9000
>
>What step size do you have selected when trying to enter the frequency ?
>
>Sounds like you have a step size selected that doesn't match the
>frequency you require :-(

Yes, thhanks Rich Wells helped me out. I'm still learning :/

5478. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6t4nt2$m78$0@207.18.224.76>
Source record: 144547

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 14:30:19 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> Very good John. I ask a simple, polite, and intelligent
>> question, and this is the response I get from you.
>
>Yes, Blake! When you ask simple, polite, & intelligent
>questions I will give simple, polite, & intelligent answers.
>
>I'm happy to have been able to assist, Blake!

Well, you have yet to do that. You insinuate that my
question was not simple, polite, or intelligent, yet it
most certainly was.

Have a nice day John.

5479. Re: ICOM R-8500... {Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete}?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ##aheely##@##downcity##.net
Message-ID: <35f5ee6e.40674290@news.downcity.net>
Source record: 144548
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The Relm HS-200 and MS-200 scanners also have .0625 step sizes.

Art

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 22:16:11 -0400, David <maskiel@friendlynet.com>
wrote:

>
>
>Matt Virus wrote:
>
>> Well, I suppose this could be a problem for many scanners. I suppose
>> the easiest way to avoid this is to get a scanner with programmable step
>> size. Like an AOR or a newer ICOM radio.
>>
>> --Good luck
>> Matt
>>
>> fab wrote:
>>
>> > By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
>> > reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
>> > be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
>> > ..0125Mhz.
>> > Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
>> > this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
>> > The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.
>> >
>> > Comments?
>
>Try the ICOM R-8500 You can set the steps anyway you choose...
>
>http://www.icomamerica.com/receivers/R8500.html

5480. Re: Help with PRO 2026 key pad trick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F5FFAE.4411723E@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144549

K patterson wrote:

> There is a key pad mod, not the handiest, but is does work!
>
> http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Bay/2917/tricks.htm
>

If it doesn't count down, turn the scanner upside down? Or spin it around?

Jeeez, no wonder I couldn't get that scanner to work.

I'll bet I can spin it *REAL* fast!

Maybe fast enough to hear MARTIANS!!!!

What can I receive if I SHAKE it real hard like?

What if I shake the SH*T outta it?

(Just curious, always trolling for a tip, ya know.)

5481. IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35F5FDBD.25ED@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144550

Can you use the R-10 with Probe? And I've heard I need a CT-17(?) CI in order to use any kind of computer control software (besides simple download, which can be done with a cloning cable). Is there any way to build one, or is that way too complex a piece of equipment?

5482. IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35F5FDC9.5BC8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Can you use the R-10 with Probe? And I've heard I need a CT-17(?) CI in order to use any kind of computer control software (besides simple download, which can be done with a cloning cable). Is there any way to build one, or is that way too complex a piece of equipment?

5483. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <36024809.8348742@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144552

>> Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
>> him getting booted from Fido.
>
>which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?

Didja ever notice which one of them keeps changing his name because
people put him in their kill filters?

Hmmmm, now which one would that be, Bill Cheek or the Macarooney?
That is a real toughie, yes sir!

5484. Re: Grow UP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f60be3.3701205@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144553

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 22:31:33 GMT, thekat@san.rr.com (Bud) wrote:

>On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 06:13:37 GMT, jarod@syntec.com (Jarod) wrote:
>
>>You serve absolutely no purpose in this newsgroup and have an IQ lower
>>than pondscum.
>
>Send copies of all his off-topic posts to abuse@teleport.com and
>abuse@mci.net.
>
>Reference Teleport's Terms of Service that says 'no inappropriate posts to
>newsgroups', as can be read on their webpage at
>
>http://www.teleport.com/info/tos.phtml
>
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.

Hahah, I love it! Just like Al on ToolTime!!! :)

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5485. Re: BC 9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfraser@maya-tech.com
Message-ID: <421D5C6AAA90906E.FD6D25B9E0F9D4F3.68B3243A95E035A4@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144554

In article <19980905162339 00.MAA05399@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
texcomm13@aol.com (Texcomm13) wrote:

>FOR SALE BEST OFFER
>BC 9000XLT JUST OUT OF WARRANTY
>NOT WORKING
>APPARENTLY HAD A SERIOUS VOLTAGE SPIKE
>MAIN BOARD IS KINDA BURNT AROUND
>INPUT POWER JACK. WALL WART IS FRIED.NO OTHER APPARENT OR OBVIOUS DAMAGE.
>WAS A GREAT SCANNER!
>NEED TO RAISE FUNDS TO REPLACE IT.

Bearcat BC-9000XLT scanner for sale. Immaculate. Used about a week. All
original packaging, manuals, etc. Absolutely new condition. $300.00
includes UPS shipping.

Clark Fraser
Arlington, TX
817/561-6442
cfraser@maya-tech.com

5486. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t5dsn$369$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144555
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey wrote in message <35F5A273.1216@parg.org>...
>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>> It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill
Cheek.
>> You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and
tell
>> them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account
>> reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I
>
>Are you going to try to get Bill re-instated on the Scan-L mailing
>list he was kicked off of also?
>
>
>Really, just drop it. It has been nearly a month. If they aren't
>going to reverse their decision by now, then it won't happen. They
>probably don't want trouble makers on thier system.
>
>All you are doing is causing grief for this NG.

YOU are the one causing trouble on this group, Mackey. I knew if I posted this again, I would get a knee - jerk reaction. There is nothing "troublesome" about my posting. The only trouble here is your constant need to reply to anything with Bill Cheek`s name on it, and the fact that the only attention you get on here is overwhelmingly negative. You even reply to simple re-postings of Bill`s material, with endless tirades about copyright violations that don`t exist, just so that you will have SOMETHING to discuss, since you have absolutely nothing to contribute to this group. You know, you shouldn`t be over-reacting in this manner. What if I DO get him re-instated ? What then ? I bet the men in the little white coats have to cart you away then !

If you don`t like what I am posting, then filter me out. You can`t do it, can you ? You are scared to death you will miss something.

I will post what I want, and where I want. You are not going to dictate anything to me. Don`t even waste your time trying. You are a complete bufoon. As we say up in these parts, you are about "three sacks short of a load". Anybody who posts anything about Bill controls you. Did someone appoint you moderator of this group ? I think not. Mr. "netcop" Macaloon. Everyone on both of these groups can see you for the complete loony tune you are. Maybe the rest of the folks on this group will write in, just to watch you blow a gasket if we succeed ! Now, if you don`t mind, I have things to do, and you must go search for your daddy -- bye

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t5ecm$37o$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144556
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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5488. Wanted: Sony Pro-80 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank van Lindert <lindertv@knmi.nl>
Message-ID: <35f73987.6266845@news.surfnet.nl>
Source record: 144557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have recently picked up a Sony Pro-80.
To enjoy all possible benefits of this receiver I would like to have a
manual or other documentation.
A photo-copy is fine too, of course.

Please let me know if you have one, I will happily reimburse you for
the cost involved.

Frank van Lindert.
lindertv@knmi.nl

5489. Re: Detroit Dispositon Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <35F63E14.78502EE@mich.com>
Source record: 144558

Are you monitoring the MDTs, or are you just curious about the couple MDT disposition codes they sometimes mention over voice-radio, such as AFR (Alarm False, Residence), NPF (No Problem Found), FLT (Flat Tire), etc?

XFile112 wrote:

> Hi! Does anyone happen to know the disposition codes for the Detroit Police
> Department? Any help would be greatly appreciated..Thanx
> Brad
> XFile112@aol.com

--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

5490. Re: Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35f663bd.7931937@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 144559

The number of meters on your radio has no bearing on how it works.

5491. Re: Not getting all posts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bddbe4$260aa460$38685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 144560

> Doesn't sound like a problem to me - I was just considering THE FILTER
for the word mackey when I read this, as I'm getting all of them.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net> wrote in article
<6t4p2qgar1@supernews.com>...
> I'm not really complaining (cause it saves me from putting him on my dink
> list) but I do not recieve any of John Mackeys posts. The only reason
it
> bothers me is that there may be others I am missing. Is any one else
having
> this problem?
>
>
>

5492. Re: bc-220xlt instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bddbe5$eaa4bb20$38685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 144561

> I'm not familiar with that radio, but I'd guess the P on your display is
for <priority>. I assume you've tried the priority key - if that's not it,
then maybe the display is defective. I've got an old RS rig with some of
the display characters fading and such.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

kenneth howland <khowland@ici.net> wrote in article
<35f483a5.3632743@news>...
> I was wondering if anyone might have a set instructions for the
> 220xlt. I am having problems trying to get rid of the large "P", next
> to the freq. on the display..
> email: khowland@ici.net Thanks for reading this
> Ken Howland
>

5493. Re: Motorola Trunking System ID collection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlscan@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <GRtJ1.303$2R2.1204934@news3.mco.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <440902EC5F4A2AE8.9012E1C49608D803.1D1858E90915666C@library-proxy.airnews.net>,
"Lindsay C. Blanton" <lblant1@airmail.net> wrote:
>Mmm, It is pretty simple Creeper..... *I* want to make a collection of
>System IDs. Its my project, it serves a great service to the hobbiest
>community, and you CAN'T find this sort of information at Warren's Site. So
>WHY beat-it-down? If you aren't interested.....DON'T VISIT !!

yeah! What he said

Lindsay's idea is wonderful - besides there can NEVER be too much information

Jason Webb

5494. Re: Computer Interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t5ss9$4tn$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144563

I was wondering if you had ever grounded the shield of the coax. You know, many people don`t realize that the shield braid doesn`t "shield" anything unless you ground it. Or you could ground the chassis of the radio if the braid is electrically connected to it (The usual case). Just loosen up a screw on the chassis, run the end of about a three - foot wire under it, and put the other end under the screw that holds the face plate onto the wall socket. If scanner manufacturers would put a three prong plug on their product, people wouldn`t be having these troubles. ....

This info is especially important for people who are using a mobil scanner or handheld on a power pack. The transformer in the pack or wall-wart isolates it from ground. You must then supply it.

In the case of no screw to connect to , or plastic case, you can strip about 1/4 inch of the outer "hide" off the coax , and then wrap the end of your ground wire around the shield. Tape over with plastic electrical tape to keep from tarnishing up, and so it looks neat.

To the fellow that was running multiple scanners, run a common ground wire between all of them, and then connect it to ground.

This info really only applies to those using outside antennas that have coax runs going to them. It doesn`t hurt to go out and drive a ground rod right at the base of the mast pipe, too, and hook it to the bottom of the mast. Ground can be a funny thing at RF frequencies, and the higher the freq, the more you need good grounding. I have seen this method reduce the interference to nothing instantly in many cases over the years. (This info works wonders with CB, too , if you like to watch TV while on the air) Just about any radio device that uses a run of coax to hook up to the antenna can benefit.
Joshua Carroll wrote in message <35F540C3.A3E8AFDC@nol.net>...
>Is there a way that I can block out the computer interference from my
>scanner. I have a small room and just one desk where I have my computer,
>scanner, TV/Radio/VCR. My computer seems to interefere with radio signals
>(not the TV/VCR really, since I have cable).
>
>If it helps, my scanner is on an antenna outside properly mounted on top of
>an existing TV antenna.
>
>Any help appreciated.
>Joshua Carroll
>
>

5495. FS: bc3000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Gryniewski, I.S. Director" <mski@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6t61gj$26j$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 144564

Have a used BC3000xlt 25-1300mhz handheld for sale, Used one year, have box and manual and all that came with it including charger and battery of course. Just normal wear on it, nothing scratched or broke, works perfect. I replaced the rubber ducky with a radioshack 20-006 telescoping antenna with a coil and it picks up much better...this antenna is included instead of the ducky.

lists for $329 to 379 depending on if you scour the internet or just pick up a scanner world price list.

$250 firm, shipped on receipt of Money Order to any U.S. Address postpaid.

email me to hold for 7 days awaiting money order. (check delays 10 days)

mski@bright.net

Mark J. Gryniewski
Orrville OH

5496. The Bill Cheek issue!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <6c9_9809090639@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144565

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

> i am against Bill (or anyone) being un-justly accused.

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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|WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 52:1000/211
|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5497. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <6ca_9809090639@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144566

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

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5498. *Trade C558A HT for Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John McDermon <mcdermon@usa.net>
Message-ID: <QTvJ1.1419$Re2.42275@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 144567

Standard C558A in mint condition. Will trade for recent version
Optoelectronics Scout.

John
KE4VAL

5499. Re: ICOM R-8500... {Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete}?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35F6972C.1690@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 144568
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

To all:

The problem will not be with the channel spacings but with the bandwidth of the receiver. The FCC has already set the rules that all new licenses on the 12.5 kHz channels operate on no more than 11.25 kHz bandwidth. The new 6.25 kHz channels will be narrower still at no more that 6 kHz bandwidth. I believe that the refarming document states that the choice of emmision is up to the user.

The document that I refer to was released 3/12/97 and may still be obtained on the FCC website. It's tiled FCC 97-61 Second Report and order In the Matter of Replacement of Part 90 by Part 88 to Revise the Private Land Mobile Radio Services and Madify the Policies Governing Them. (their Caps not mine) 278 pages long. Well worth saving to your hard drive if only for the frequency tables.

Regards

Ed

Arthur P. Heely wrote:
>
> The Relm HS-200 and MS-200 scanners also have .0625 step sizes.
>
> Art
>
> On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 22:16:11 -0400, David <maskiel@friendlynet.com>
> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >Matt Virus wrote:
> >
> >> Well, I suppose this could be a problem for many scanners. I suppose
> >> the easiest way to avoid this is to get a scanner with programmable step
> >> size. Like an AOR or a newer ICOM radio.
> >>
> >> --Good luck
> >> Matt
> >>
> >> fab wrote:
> >>
> >> > By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
> >> > reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
> >> > be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current

> >> > ..0125Mhz.
> >> > Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
> >> > this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
> >> > The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.
> >> >
> >> > Comments?
> >
> >Try the ICOM R-8500 You can set the steps anyway you choose...
> >
> >http://www.icomamerica.com/receivers/R8500.html

5500. Scanner Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Roy <scanner@together.net>
Message-ID: <35F69373.E888B4B4@together.net>
Source record: 144569

I purchased a mobile scanner antenna at a store in the state, where I live. This antenna is about 22" and did not have any type of coil at all. I discovered that my rubber duck worked 95% better than this one. I took it back and the salesman told me the rubber duck would work better (he must think I'm a fool.) He also told me that he sold 100s of them and he never had any complaints.

Did anyone here have a similar problem with this type of antenna?

BTW. I purchased the antenna that the Shack puts out and that one works very good.

Thanks Chris
p.s. I know it's hard to tell without a company name, but I rather not give it at this point.

5501. Re: Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35F697C1.5C31@ibm.net>
Source record: 144570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

t-wil@usa.net wrote:
>
> I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
> using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
> (the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
> or
> using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.
>
> Thanks for any help.

Many on this group are proponents of using 75 Ohm coax. I am not one of these people. Run 50 Ohm 9913 or RG213/4 and keep your options open for future projects. RG6 is worthless to sell used whereas even a bundle of well used RG8 will grab a few bucks at a flea market.

5502. Re: NY/NJ Scanner Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2ayc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090915270100.LAA01219@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144571

Join the Official LONG ISLAND MONITORING ASSOCIATION e-mail list-server.
Participate in creative discussions about scanning!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/ScanCom

5503. NY/NJ/CT Scanner/Shortwave Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2ayc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090915302500.LAA28262@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144572

You are all invited to join the LIMA DX Net on Tuesday evenings from 8-10PM on 146.805 (PL=136.5). We also operate an online chat room and have set up an e-mail list server at: http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/ScanCom

Also, don't forget to check our web page at:
http://members.aol.com/KC2AYC/index.html

5504. Access Mate Pager for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgdforty@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18614-35F69D05-99@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144573
Cross-posted to: tnn.comm.pager,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have one access mate pagers left like new. I'm asking $180 dollars plus shipping or will trade for any thing that seems like a deal. Go to this site to check out what and how the pager looks like.....
http://www.waccess.com/2way.htm

5505. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimd7002@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090915524000.LAA00196@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144574

What does this have to do with scanning??

Jim Donahue

5506. NY/NJ/CT Scanner Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2ayc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090915582700.LAA00690@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144575

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Also, Join the Official LIMA e-mail list-server. Participate in creative discussions about scanning! http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/ScanCom.

Don't forget to check our web page at: http://members.aol.com/kc2ayc/index.html

5507. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35f8acf1.2700619@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144576
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>YOU are the one causing trouble on this group, Mackey. I knew if I posted
>this again, I would get a knee - jerk reaction. There is nothing
>"troublesome" about my posting. The only trouble here is your constant need
>to reply to anything with Bill Cheek`s name on it, and the fact that the

Macarooney is the Bill Clinton of the scanner newsgroups. Always
gotta have his say, always gotta get in his two cents, always gotta
have his name and face in there, even if it is no interest to him or
even if it doesn't concern him. What a nosy busybody.

5508. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kev@bright.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10608b1e9911f164989681@news.bright.net>
Source record: 144577
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <MPG.105e42496f657de798969e@news.naplesfl.net>,
xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net says...
> I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR
> races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio
> communications. Which scanners would you recommend for this. Also what
> headphones are good for use at the racetrack? Would the stock antena be
> adequate? I want to make sure the "audio out" jack is stereo, the one on
> my old scanner only has sound in one ear (annoying).
>
> Dan remove the "xxspam" from my email address if replying by email.
>
I have both a PRO-43 and a PRO-34 with me when I go to the races and the
PRO-43 is tough to beat. It's small, it's high performance and if you
like to plug in all the drivers and NASCAR it has 200 channels.

KT

5509. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkalach@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <35f6c23d.22530967@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Good points, but there's just something wrong about paying for a
CATALOG that will help you pick out stuff to BUY in the future.

Jim

On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 20:35:43 GMT, rwr01@removethisbit.yahoo.com (Rob)
wrote:

>x-no-archive: yes
>
>The Radio Shack Catalog is a high quality publication printed on
>quality paper (not newsprint like most of the others). It is expensive
>to produce. Personally, I would gladly pay the cover price for the
>catalog if requested; it's well worth it ! But as you didn't buy it,
>you don't know, do you ?
>
>While we're on the subject, I have nothing but praise for the folks at
>Radio Shack.
>
>Where the heck else can you pick up all the widgets that radio hams
>and electronics hobbyists need at e.g. 8 o'clock at night ? AND return
>your purchase for a FULL refund within 30 days if you've goofed-up and
>bought the wrong thing ? I know that I would have at least an hour's
>drive to the nearest place, instead of the 10 minute drive to the
>local Radio Shack.
>
>I've always received my catalogs free at Radio Shack (including the
>new one), but then again, I usually BUY stuff there !
>
>>> >
>>> Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
>>> noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
>>> because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
>>> the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
>>> don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
>>>
>>> Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
>>> the catalog.
>>
>

5510. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <715_9809091100@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144579

From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>

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5511. Dallas Air Show Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Chauza <jeff_chauza@waddill.com>
Message-ID: <35F6C96F.C1BF1F14@waddill.com>
Source record: 144580

Would someone please be kind enough to point me in the direction of the Dallas Air Show frequencies?

Thank you very much.

5512. Re: Icom ICR-10 v AR8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <NTNYheANws91EwEK@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 144581
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <19980908181132OO.OAA00595@ladder03.news.aol.com>, GAM EYE
<gameye@aol.com> writes

Hi,

>any suggestions, experience, looking to buy this week. Will be using with opto
>scout and also PC

Pro's & Con's for both but if your considering the use of a PC then the
AR8000 is probably the way to go.

Software wise there is a wide choice for the AR8000 but not as much for
the IC-R10. By no means exhaustive the following can be used with the
AR8000 and/or IC-R10

JAV-Scan 8000
http://www.javiation.co.uk
Also supports the optional DX-8000 Narrow AM Board and
DS-8000 Speech inversion Board.

AOR PC-Manager For Windows
http://www.demon.co.uk/aor
AR8000

ScanStar Plus for Windows by Signal Intelligence
http://www.scanstar.com
AR8000, Icom R10

ScanCat Gold for Windows by Computer Aided Technologies
http://www.scancat.com
AR8000, Icom, Scout

ScannerWear by Radio Control Systems Inc
http://www.radioscan.com
AR8000 IC-R10

MacScan 8000 (Macintosh)
http:://www.designeq.com

Radio Manager for Windows by Ben Saladino
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/Ben_Saladino/
AR8000, Icom, Scout

AR8000 Channel Commander
http://www.odcombe.demon.co.uk/8kcc_readme.htm

AR8000 Toolkit (Macintosh)
http://www.mich.com/~eddy/works/

ARC for Windows
AR8000
http://arc.mypage.org

RadioMax (Future Scanning Systems)
http://www.futurescanning.com/

In terms of use with the Scout then there is no problem with either. The IC-R10 is "ready" to go with the Scout and just needs a simple lead whilst the AR8000 needs either a socket adding to the side or the use of the SAC-8000 lead from Opto/AOR - no great problem though.

The IC-R10 is slightly smaller and for many has a more rugged case. Some of the scanning features can be a little limiting - you can only scan one or all the banks and whilst each channel can labled (Alpha tagging) this label is only displayed when a channel is recalled manually - not when scanning which is when it is most useful. Overall "speed" is not as fast os the AR8000 either. If you are familiar with Icom equipment then the IC-R10 may "fit in" a little better though.

Hope thats of some help.

Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
Potential customers please be aware of your responsibilities to comply
with any regulations with regard to frequency coverage of receivers in
your country if you are resident outside the United Kingdom.
Delays/Confiscations by local Customs are not our responsibility
and refunds cannot be given in such cases.
\--/

5513. POLICE CALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve hope <raven16@home.com>
Message-ID: <35F66E1F.63629CD4@home.com>
Source record: 144582

I NEED A CURRENT COPY OF "POLICE CALL" SO. CALIF. EDITION. ANYONE KNOW WHERE
I CAN ORDER ONE?

5514. Re: Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: h202 <spanky@dnc.net>
Message-ID: <6t6kjacvv1@nnrp1.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 144583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

9913 and "N" connectors are the ONLY way to go!
t-wil@usa.net wrote in message <35f7b5f7.6233767@news.corpcomm.net>...
>I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
>using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
>(the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
>or
>using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.
>
>Thanks for any help.

5515. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: forts@mnsi.net
Message-ID: <35f6da84.8607657@snews.mnsi.net>
Source record: 144584
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 21:55:18 GMT, mm505@mindspring.com (505) wrote:

>xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net (Dan) wrote:
>
>>I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR
>>races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio
>>communications. Which scanners would you recommend for this. Also what
>>headphones are good for use at the racetrack? Would the stock antena be
>>adequate? I want to make sure the "audio out" jack is stereo, the one on
>>my old scanner only has sound in one ear (annoying).
>
>It really won't matter too much which portable scanner you use, even
>my Pro-43 was eatten up with intermod at the IRL race in Atlanta. I
>took it to the ARCA race, and then programmed my /\/\ MTS2000 so it
>would cut down on the intermod, but it didn't matter. I finally took
>off the antannae and used a paper clip (for a very small wave
>antannae) and it worked great!

I got to both Nascar races in Michigan each year and have been taking
a scanner for the past 4 years or so. I started with a BC200XLT, and
now have a Relm HS200.....Both worked very well providing that

(1) You have a decent set of headphones to use. I bought a $75 set
from one of the Racing Electronics booths at the track, and it was
money very well spent...and

(2) Spend $5 and get one of the little 'stubby' antennas from one of
the souvenier booths.....They work very well at cutting down the
intermod from other teams. I see quite a few people in the stands
using no antenna at all, so this might work out ok for you too.

And make sure you have spare batteries!! I had mine die with 20 laps
to go a few years back, and boy, I was some pissed at myself!

5516. Re: POLICE CALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6t6lcm$fp3@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144585

In <35F66E1F.63629CD4@home.com> steve hope <raven16@home.com> writes:
>
>I NEED A CURRENT COPY OF "POLICE CALL" SO. CALIF. EDITION. ANYONE
KNOW WHERE
>I CAN ORDER ONE?

well, you can walk into a Radio Shack
store and "pray" for one....

they will assist you in your hour
of plight....they have answers

or you can go to most HAM stores and
peruse their books and find more
than just POLICE CALL

Or stores that sell SCANNERS.

That works for most people....

Now, if you have a car you are lucky.
If not, then you do the yellow page
hula and ask "do you deliver?"

bill conduit
etc.

5517. help with receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <xxJtoppa@toad.net>
Message-ID: <GPBJ1.668$ZX6.3841514@news-read1.qis.net>
Source record: 144586

Hello, I purchased 2 receivers the other day from R.S. a pro2042 for 249.00, which I am happy with, and a DX-394 general-coverage communications receiver. the later seems to have some problems , while listening to an Air Force frequency, I don't recall which one at the moment but it was supposed to be in the clear(not enciphered), I could not get the voice to come in clear, it was always garbled and unreadable. I was in USB mode and I tried fine tuning it as much as possible but it never came in clear enough to understand.
the only thing I can get in clear is AM broadcasts.
Is there anything I can try? any other freqs to try and tune in? is it busted, and should I return it?

before I hear about how I should have bought the AR8000, that may be a purchase for next year.

replies here or email
remove the xx
xxjtoppa@toad.net

5518. Re: Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F6ED5E.963F1E1C@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

9913 and 'N' connectors are a great way to go if you have the money and flexability are not a problem. 9913 is great low loss cable but doesn't flex well and is hard to use on a handheld scanner.

I use RG-6 on most of my scanners since I was able to pick up a reel of good quality Belden cable cheap. It is also nice since I don't have to use as many adaptors.

I will say ... From my experience, RG-6 is better than RG-8. I just replaced a 50 foot run of RG-8 with RG-6 and the improvement was amazing. I now hear 800mhz & 900mhz freqs that I had not been able to hear before.

Either way you choose will work, so good luck.

Mike

h202 wrote:
>
> 9913 and "N" connectors are the ONLY way to go!
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> >I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
> >using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
> >(the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
> >or
> >using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.
> >
> >Thanks for any help.

5519. Re: POLICE CALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F6EB6B.6D5393DE@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144588

Try Ham Radio Outlet in Burbank. There phone number is 818-842-1786.
There address is 2492 West Victory Blvd in Burbank.

Good Luck,
Mike

steve hope wrote:
>
> I NEED A CURRENT COPY OF "POLICE CALL" SO. CALIF. EDITION. ANYONE KNOW WHERE
> I CAN ORDER ONE?

5520. Re: Detroit Dispositon Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: xfile112@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090921561100.RAA09691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144589

>Are you monitoring the MDTs, or are you just curious about the couple MDT
>disposition codes they sometimes mention over voice-radio, such as AFR (Alarm
>False, Residence), NPF (No Problem Found), FLT (Flat Tire), etc?

A lot of the times the CADs and MDTs are down so the officers have to report
the three letter dispo. codes by voice over the radio..Thanks for your help
Brad
XFile112@aol.com

5521. Loophole found in wiretap law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35F6FE37.6281@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 144590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi all;

You might find this interesting.

Seems the Judge ruling on a lawsuite brought against the Martins has
ruled against the congressman suing them for invasion of privacy.

http://www.rcrnews.com/CGI-BIN/SM40i.exe?docid=100:5999&%70aramArticleID=8093

Regards

Ed

5522. Re: Will FCC Refarming make current scanners obsolete?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Smith <msmith@pluto.njcc.com>
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.905390327.1516.msmith@xanadu>
Source record: 144591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In Article<35F43E1E.6D67@butter.bump.net>, <fabio@butter.bump.net> write:
>
> By 2005, the frequency spacing for several bands will be
> reduced so that in 405-512 uhf, for example, channels will
> be assigned .00625Mhz apart rather than the current
> ...0125Mhz.
> Since most scanners don't have a .0000x place and scan
> this range in 12.5Khz steps, they will be made obsolete.
> The change-over is already occuring with the federal freqs.

I'm not 100% sure, but I believe the BC-3000XLT can handle this. There's the ability to change the step size for scan on any band.

Mark

5523. R10 Resistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F6F8B3.5A33@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144592

I am looking For a pair of the resistors to modify my R10. I went to Radio Shack today and they don't carry them. If anyone knows where I can get them, Please LMK.

Shan

5524. Redondo Beach, CA Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonomoose <nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6t73h1dnp1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144593
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Would someone please e-mail me with the frequencies for the Redondo Beach Police, Fire, etc...

Thank you very much in advance!

vtrop@gte.net

5525. Re: POLICE CALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeeeeeeee3@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998090923580500.TAA27993@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144594

Try http://www.policecall.com

5526. WTB: ICOM U-400 VHF or UHF RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty <jmap@uscom.com>
Message-ID: <35F7177F.6B1EA1B8@uscom.com>
Source record: 144595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Hi: I am looking for a Icom U-400 or V-400 Mobile radio VHF or UHF.
Please "E"Mail me. Thanks, Marty

5527. sportcat 150y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <Broemer@mdn.net>
Message-ID: <35f72898.0@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 144596

looking for mod to unlock 869 to 894mhz email me please
at broemer@mdn.net

5528. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F730C1.1DC2@parg.org>
Source record: 144597
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

D. P. Roberts wrote:
> Macarooney is the Bill Clinton of the scanner newsgroups. Always
> gotta have his say, always gotta get in his two cents, always gotta
> have his name and face in there, even if it is no interest to him

At least I help clean up this NG.
So what's YOUR excuse for your pathetic posts here?

5529. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F742EE.A43A97C5@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144598

John Mackey wrote:

> D. P. Roberts wrote:
> > Macarooney is the Bill Clinton of the scanner newsgroups. Always
> > gotta have his say, always gotta get in his two cents, always gotta
> > have his name and face in there, even if it is no interest to him
>
> At least I help clean up this NG.
> So what's YOUR excuse for your pathetic posts here?

You're delusion. One hundred percent loony toons. Your family must be worried sick.

No-one likes you except your forged, virtual 'support group'.

You probably masturbate to the thrashings you get on this group.

You friggin' loon.

5530. FS: Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Bukowski <kn6ep@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F741BD.EA243F4B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144599

For Sale: Realistic Pro 2006 scanner. full 800. Looks and works
great. $275 shipped CONUS.
Contact kn6ep@hotmail.com
George, Sacramento

5531. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t7io8ccs1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144600
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John "Is that you, Daddy ?" Macalooney wrote in message
<35F730C1.1DC2@parg.org>...
>D. P. Roberts wrote:
>> Macarooney is the Bill Clinton of the scanner newsgroups. Always
>> gotta have his say, always gotta get in his two cents, always gotta
>> have his name and face in there, even if it is no interest to him
>
>At least I help clean up this NG

You haven`t cleaned it up yet, Mackalooney ! You`re still here !
.
>So what's YOUR excuse for your pathetic posts here?

What`s YOUR pathetic excuse for even BEING HERE ?
did you find your DA-DA yet ?

You can`t blame him. He was an abused child.

5532. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9Rocky <k9rocky@pcsonline.com>
Message-ID: <6t7il8$36j$1@siesta.packet.net>
Source record: 144601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

If you read the road signs along the roadway you will discover the laws are posted. When you enter a state that radar detectors are prohibited, it will be posted.

5533. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene <bobeb@netins.net>
Message-ID: <6t7kmfcms1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 144602

Grow up !!!!!!!!!
Blake Bowers wrote in message <6t4nt2$m78$0@207.18.224.76>...
>On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 14:30:19 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
>wrote:
>
>>Blake Bowers wrote:
>>
>>> Very good John. I ask a simple, polite, and intelligent
>>> question, and this is the response I get from you.
>>
>>Yes, Blake! When you ask simple, polite, & intelligent
>>questions I will give simple, polite, & intelligent answers.
>>
>>I'm happy to have been able to assist, Blake!
>
>Well, you have yet to do that. You insinuate that my
>question was not simple, polite, or intelligent, yet it
>most certainly was.
>
>Have a nice day John.
>

5534. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F75E04.21A3@parg.org>
Source record: 144603
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:
> You haven`t cleaned it up yet, Mackalooney ! You`re still here !

With people like YOU here, I'll be here a long time! :(

5535. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F75EF3.1EC8@parg.org>
Source record: 144604

allsafe wrote:
> No-one likes you except your forged, virtual 'support group'.

Sorry, this is John you are writing to, NOT BUD JAMISON, the famous
forger of this NG.

5536. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F7620B.140B@parg.org>
Source record: 144605
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Phil Smalley wrote:
> Everyone knows how irritating it is when some jerk
> goes around blabbing about everything BUT scanners in here, right John?

YES, so have you considered the contribution you would make
if you simply left? Didn't you get the hint when your previous employer
Hughes Aircraft terminated you for abusing their internet connection?

5537. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F762E3.2698@parg.org>
Source record: 144606
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

D. P. Roberts wrote:

> you CAUSE 99.999% of the trash in these newsgroups, so your
> pathetic, laughable claim to clean them up is pathetic and laughable!

Wrong! There is at least one person who is basically GONE from this NG
& lost his ISP due to my organizing the complaints of his inappropriate
actions & forwarding to his ISP.

At least 3 others received warnings from thier ISP.

One is pending a possible loss of their account.

5538. Re: Redondo Beach, CA Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joel Stanfield <kf6dbz@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6t7o49$g0s$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144607
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

police is 460.075
police tac is 460.475
fire is 855.962

Anonomoose wrote:

> Would someone please e-mail me with the frequencies for the Redondo Beach
> Police, Fire, etc...
>
> Thank you very much in advance!
>
> vtrop@gte.net

5539. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F765A8.2E9F@parg.org>
Source record: 144608

Phil Smalley wrote:
> Truer words were never spoken. Ya know John, I just might go ahead an

thanks Phil!

5540. New Sony PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Buttitta <kd6ajg@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F766A5.43C61800@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144609

Has anyone out there bought the new Sony PC Scanner? I am wondering how it performs. I hear that it scans slow. I am concerned with how the triple convertion works. Does it have intermod. Any info will be greatly appreciated. Please E-mail me at kd6ajg@pacbell.net

Thank you,

Tony/KD6AJG

5541. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F76961.7A7C@parg.org>
Source record: 144610

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> So where is all YOUR knowledge, Mackey ? I haven`t seen you answer a single
> question on this news group for anyone. Some of these questions are quite
> straightforward, but you don`t answer. How about the guy that had computer
> interference on his scanner ? I didn`t see YOU responding to that inquiry,
> which is information any NOVICE would know !

On posts that are relatively simple & have already had a couple of
correct
posts I certainly am not going to waste bandwidth with a post that says
basically the same thing the others said.

I have responded on topics such as coax, antenna polorization, 10 meter
repeater frequencies, etc.

> You wanna be the new guru ?

No. I don't need that position or label.

I have more than enough knowledge to keep me active in the field of
radio electronics & digital electronics as a technician.

5542. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F76799.5371@parg.org>
Source record: 144611

Well said!

Eugene wrote:
> Grow up !!!!!!!!!

> Blake Bowers wrote in message <6t4nt2$m78$0@207.18.224.76>...
SNIP

5543. FS: PRO-2050

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John B. Lawrence" <jbls@netxn.com>
Message-ID: <35F64116.CF69F8FD@netxn.com>
Source record: 144612
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Posting this for a friend . . .

Radio Shack PRO-2050 scanner. No Manual or
antenna. $250.00/obo

John

5544. Test Mode?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Littleton <paull@maui.net>
Message-ID: <35F77BE4.63B0@maui.net>
Source record: 144613

How do we get cordless phones into test mode?
Thank You
Paul Littleton

5545. Oregon Coast Aquarium freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bd703@scn.org
Message-ID: <Ez0FKC.696@scn.org>
Source record: 144614

In case anyone's going to Newport to watch the Keiko move on Sept. 9th,
here are the frequencies for the aquarium from the FCC web page.

464.9750 WNVI485 IB FB OREGON COAST AQUARIUM, SOUTH BEACH, OR

464.9750 WNVI485 IB MO OREGON COAST AQUARIUM, SOUTH BEACH, OR

461.2250 WNZF521 IB FB2 OREGON COAST AQUARIUM, NEWPORT, OR

466.2250 WNZF521 IB MO OREGON COAST AQUARIUM, NEWPORT, OR

466.2250 WNZF521 IB FX1 OREGON COAST AQUARIUM, NEWPORT, OR

Kerwin

--
****
* They know who you are...
bd703@scn.org * They know where you live...
* And there's no doubt about it!

5546. New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmcnaughton@ees.eesc.com
Message-ID: <35f820dc.4342344@ftl.msen.com>
Source record: 144377

I have a large quantity of RadioShack Pro-26 200 Channel handheld scanners. They openly scan from 25mhz to 1.3 ghz.

These are rated very well in internet reviews, and they are becoming very hard to find. One reviewer noted that, if you don't pick up one of these soon, you'll be kicking yourself.

These units are new, but may have some minor surface marks due to the fact that many of them have been used as display models on store shelves. None of them are customer returns or refurbs. They carry a one year manufacturers warranty. They are also in their original packaging, with all original accessories and manuals.

These units can sometimes be found for sale for upwards of $500.00 each, Jovation sells a nearly identical unit for $412.00.

Out of box they will scan cordless phones and with minor adjustments, they will fully scan all cellular frequencies. I found these units when I went on a search to find one for myself, and found a store with a large, forgotten supply in their inventory. I bought them all and I am passing this deal onto you.

Selling price is $149.99, which includes shipping to your door.

Email me at: rmcnaughton@ees.eesc.com

Email me with any questions, and/or your phone number, and I will give you a call. I expect to sell all of my supply within the next 48hours, so act fast.

5547. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fc2331.19642561@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144378

On Wed, 09 Sep 1998 22:53:37 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>
>I have responded on topics such as coax, antenna polorization, 10 meter
>repeater frequencies, etc.

And these topics only took 3 years to cover! Basically you will cover
only 1 topic per year, or is there some type of on/off topic quota
system that you use?

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5548. Re: MultiMode 1.0.0 Decoding Software Released for Macintosh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fd2448.19921804@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 11:13:14 -0400, "Jeteye" <secas@twave.net> wrote:

Hamcomm and RadioRaft come to mind! Probably with more features
between them.

>Is there any software i.e. (shareware ,freeware) available like this for the
>Windows PC
>Chris Smolinski wrote in message ...
>>
>>The latest version of MultiMode, Version 1.0.0, is now available for MacOS
>>computer systems.
>>
>>The URL is http://www.access.digex.net/~cps/sss14.html
>>
>>MultiMode is an application which allows your Macintosh to decode several
>>different modes of non-voice communication often heard on shortwave radio.
>>
>>MultiMode allows you to decode and display morse code, RTTY, fax, and many
>>other modes on your Mac, without any extra hardware!
>>
>>In the past, dedicated hardware, often costing hundreds or thousands of
>>dollars, was necessary to demodulate and decode this transmissions. Today,
>>you can use the
>>processing power of your Macintosh to decode and display these modes,
>>without any hardware.
>>
>>MultiMode decodes the following signals:
>>
>> Morse Code (CW)
>> RTTY (Baudot)
>> ASCII
>> SITOR-A
>> SITOR-B / FEC / NAVTEX
>> FAX
>> ACARS
>> WWVB Time Decode
>> DTMF
>> Audio Spectrum Display to aid in properly tuning in stations
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>>Check out my web pages for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac software.
>>http://www.access.digex.net/~cps
>>
>>"One if by land, two if by sea" -- Paul Revere, encryption 1775

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5549. Re: POLICE CALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: spr701@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4105-35F81959-35@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144380

im guessing radio shack thats where i got mine.

ST PAUL RANGER 701

THE BROWNIES ARE IN THE OVEN

5550. Re: New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091019201400.PAA13020@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144381

Funny, the RS web site has this info for this scanner......are you sure you've got the same model?

PRO-26 Pocket Scanner, FM Monitor/Scanner
(200-0107) Operation Faxback Doc. # 48527

After batteries, crystal(s) and antenna (telescopic or flexible) have been installed, your PRO-26 is ready to use.

Turn power on by turning VOLume to the right. Turn SQuelch to the minimum position to the far left. Set all the channel lock-out switches in the up position, toward the LED indicators. You should hear a rushing sound from the speaker.

Turn SQuelch to the right until the background noise abruptly stops. You cannot adjust SQuelch properly while listening to a station, so wait until signals cease. If you set SQuelch correctly, the PRO-26 will appear 'dead' until a signal comes in; when a signal comes in, the squelch circuit will 'open up' and you'll hear the signal. When the signal ceases, the squelch circuit will 'close' and cut out all sound until the next signal comes in.

If you want the PRO-26 to scan the channels continuously for the crystals you have installed, adjust SQuelch as previously instructed, then set the SCAN/MANUAL switch to the SCAN position. The PRO-26 will constantly scan each channel, in sequence; when a signal appears on one of the channels, the receiver will lock onto that channel and you will hear the signal.

If you do not want automatic scanning on one or more channels, press the appropriate Channel Lock-Out Switch(es) down, or away from the LED indicator.

If you want to stay tuned to one channel only, set the SCAN/MANUAL switch to the MANUAL position (stop scanning) and press MANUAL momentarily to advance to the channel you want to listen to (as indicated by the LED above that channel switch). For manual scanning, the receiver can be either 'squelched' (adjusted as previously indicated) or 'unsquelched' (the SQuelch control set to the extreme left). For automatic scanning, SQuelch must be set to eliminate the background noise.

MAXIMUM SENSITIVITY RANGE

This Receiver will function adequately from 30 to 50, 144 to 174 and 450 to 512 MHz, but with reduced sensitivity at the upper and lower extremes. For maximum sensitivity on the VHF-Lo band, the channel frequencies you choose should be within +/- 3 MHz of 40 MHz (that is, in the spread of 37 to 43 MHz). For the VHF Hi band, stay within +/- 4 MHz of 153 MHz (149 to

157 MHz) and for UHF, +/- 15 MHz of 465 MHz (that is, 450 to 480 MHz). The superior reception spread of 6, 8, or 30 MHz (+/- 3, +/- 4 or +/- 15 MHz) can be moved up or down in either band of frequencies by special realignment of the front end circuitry of this Receiver (which should be attempted only by qualified Electronic Service Technicians who have adequately calibrated, precision test equipment.)
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

5551. Re: New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091019283200.PAA16640@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144382

SORRY, here is the correct spec sheet for the pro 26 200 channel scanner......apologies, looks like a great scanner, might be a good addition to my BC235XLT

PRO-26 Portable 200-Channel Scanner
(200-0506) Features Faxback Doc. # 17719

Your Radio Shack PRO-26 Portable 200-Channel Scanner lets you in on all the action! This scanner gives you direct access to over 76,000 exciting frequencies used by police and fire departments, ambulance and transportation services, amateur radio, aircraft communications, Citizen's Band, and commercial FM and television broadcasts. You can select up to 200 channels for your scanner to scan.

The secret to your scanner's ability to scan so many frequencies is its custom-designed microprocessor-a tiny, built-in computer.

Your scanner also has these features:

Continuous Coverage - receives from 25 MHz to 1.3 GHz (excluding cellular service frequencies).

HyperScan - scans through programmed channels at 50 channels per second.

Ten Channel-Storage Banks - let you store 20 channels in each of 10 banks to group frequencies so you can easily identify calls.

Monitor Memories - let you store up to 10 frequencies you locate during a frequency search which you can then transfer into channels.

Limit Search - lets you search for transmissions within a set range.

Direct Search - lets you search from the current frequency.

Search Skip - lets you select up to 50 frequencies for the scanner to skip during a search, so you can avoid frequencies you have already discovered.

Auto Sort - lets you scan the stored channels in order from lowest to highest frequency to increase scanning speed.

HyperSearch - lets you set the scanner to search at 300 steps/second (in 5 kHz steps only).

Auto Store - quickly fines and automatically stores active
frequencies into the selected banks (does not
store the frequency if it is already stored in
another channel).

2- or 4-Second Scan Delay - delays scanning for 2 or 4 seconds before
moving to another channel, so you can hear more
replies.

Data Skip - skips nonmodulated signals or data signals
during a limit or direct search.

Lock-Out function - prevents channels you select from being
scanned.

Priority Channel - checks a specified channel every 2 seconds so
you do not miss important calls.

Automatic Modulation Mode - selects the modulation method--narrow-band
frequency modulation (NFM), wide-band frequency
modulation (WFM), or amplitude modulation (AM)-
-most often used for each band, and lets you
manually override the preset mode (see
"Changing the Modulation Mode").

Selectable Frequency Step - lets you select the frequency step during a
limit or direct search.

Weather Band Key - scans the preprogrammed weather frequencies to
keep you informed of the most current weather
conditions.

Attenuator - adjust the scanner's sensitivity to help
eliminate interference from strong, nearby
transmitters.

Low Battery Indicator - warns you when battery power gets low.

Memory Backup - keeps the channel frequencies stored in memory
for up to 3 days during a power loss.

Optional Power Sources - let you power your scanner from alkaline
batteries, rechargeable batteries, or AC or DC
power, and even recharge rechargeable batteries
in the scanner.

Your scanner can receive all of these bands:

Default Frequency
Range Mode Step

25.0000 - 28.9950 MHz AM 5.0 kHz
29.0000 - 53.9950 MHz NFM 5.0 kHz
59.7500 - 71.7500 MHz WFM 6.0 MHz
72.0000 - 75.9950 MHz NFM 5.0 kHz

81.7500 - 87.7500 MHz WFM 6.0 MHz
88.1000 - 107.9000 MHz WFM 200.0 kHz
108.0000 - 136.9875 MHz AM 12.5 kHz
137.0000 - 173.9950 MHz NFM 5.0 kHz
179.7500 - 215.7500 MHz WFM 6.0 MHz
216.0000 - 224.9950 MHz NFM 5.0 kHz
225.0000 - 399.9875 MHz AM 12.5 kHz
400.0000 - 511.9875 MHz NFM 12.5 kHz
517.7500 - 805.7500 MHz WFM 6.0 MHz
806.0000 - 823.9375 MHz NFM 12.5 kHz
851.0000 - 868.9375 MHz NFM 12.5 kHz
896.1125 - 1300.0000 MHz NFM 12.5 kHz

The following Weather Service channels are preprogrammed into your scanner.

162.4000 MHz (NFM)
162.4250 MHz (NFM)
162.4500 MHz (NFM)
162.4750 MHz (NFM)
162.5000 MHz (NFM)
162.5250 MHz (NFM)
162.5500 MHz (NFM)

FCC NOTICE

Your scanner might cause radio or TV interference even when it is operating properly. To determine if your scanner is causing the interference, turn off your scanner. If the interference goes away, your scanner was causing it. Try to eliminate the interference by:

Moving your scanner away from the receiver

Connecting your scanner to an outlet that is on a different electrical circuit from the receiver

Contacting your local Radio Shack store for help

If you cannot eliminate the interference, the FCC requires that you stop using your scanner.

NOTE: Mobile use of this scanner is unlawful or requires a permit in some areas. Check the laws in your area.

This device complies with Part 15 of FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

(JC/all-11/02/95)

Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
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5552. F/S Dual band Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck k <chuckk@kerrlake.com>
Message-ID: <35F82BEE.C5B1C4F9@kerrlake.com>
Source record: 144383

Dual band fiberglass base station antennas

Model K1480 Model K1481
144-148 435-450 144-148 435-450
6DB 2mtr 8DB 70cm 8.3DB 2mtr 11DB 70cm

200 watts 200 watts
Height 98" Height 16'9"

$69 + Shipping $99 + Shipping

Stainless steel radials
Includes all mounting hardware

Chuck
kb2ahz
804-372-0614

5553. Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7a5_9809101300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144384

From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>

> YES, so have you considered the contribution you would make
> if you simply left? Didn't you get the hint when your previous
> employer Hughes Aircraft terminated you for abusing their internet
> connection?

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Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
Subj: Hello Replies: None
Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06

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|Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
| The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5554. Bill Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7a4_9809101300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144385

From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>

> With people like YOU here, I'll be here a long time! :(

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5555. DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7a6_9809101300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144386

From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>

JM> Eugene wrote:
> Grow up !!!!!!!!!

JM> Well said!

Why don't YOU leave your mother's tits and practice growing up yourself?

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5556. DROP the Bill Cheek issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe.Nicholson.@f211.n1000.z52.warpgate.com
Message-ID: <7a7_9809101300@warpgate.com>
Source record: 144387

From: John <ka0ssf@parg.org>

> YOU & BUD JAMISON are the ones keeping the Bill situation alive.
> Even Bill has had the sense to drop it!

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5557. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: SHANEKLUG <SHANEKLUG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35F8353A.2A7D@prodigy.net>
Source record: 144388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>
> You'd be a miracle-worker if you were able to transmit with a table.
> This discussion is in regard to legal definitions; if folks are
> going to quote from Title 47 they need to know the FCC's definition
> of each and every term that appears in what they're quoting.
>
> Jeff KH2PZ

what about the Johnson DESK kilowatt
^^^^

5558. 12.5KHz steps in 800MHz cellular range (30KHz steps)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-m2ihGmsI13E4@localhost>
Source record: 144389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Being that I own a BC800XLT with 800MHz cellular range capabilities
but with only the ability to tune in 12.5KHz steps within that range,
what is it that I'm missing should I care to experiment in listening
to those cellular frequencies?

Thanks!

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

5559. Re: once and for all! get your rs catalog free how?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-1009981722180001@pm55-25.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144390

In article <1998091002353300.WAA27942@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
hose92@aol.com (HOSE 92) wrote:

> 1) just give radio shack your name and address and they will give it to you
> free.
> its so little to ask for .
> 2) remember cost of making color catalogs aren't cheap.
> 3) besides how would you feel if they stop making catalogs widely avaiable .
> 4) remember sears use to give them too but they stop even giving it to
you,
> unless you buy a big item.
> 5) they monthly have coupons on their flyer too to save money on any
of your
> purchases on top of the sale price.read it to believe it.

I just walked in the door and asked for one. Got it free. No information given.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

5560. Re: Loophole found in wiretap law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-1009981724190001@pm55-25.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144391

In article <19980910164752000.MAA00809@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
jvillafane@aol.com (JVillafane) wrote:

> hi bob
> bob that goes to tell you that the goverment
> can do what ever they please they thought they were doing their job as an
> outstanding citicens and got slap on the face and now this
> clinton crap you know and i know that the tape recording linda tripp did is
> illegal the law states you have to have the third parties concent as to she or
> he is been recorded i'm i correct so that tape should be thrown out of court
> also what woman has sex gets semen on her dress and hangs it back up in the
> closet with out washing it ???????
> sounds like a set up to me enjoy 73's jose n1xwl
> ????

The same woman that masturbated with one of Clintons cigars as Clinton
watched. In other words a very strange woman.

--
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5561. WTT UHF P100 4 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: STACEY@DIGISCAPE.COM
Message-ID: <6t9fkkar1@osh2.datasync.com>
Source record: 144392

THE P100 HAS A DTMF KEYPAD IT IS 2CH 4 WATT WORKS GREAT LOOKS OK
LOOKING FOR
A SCANNER THAT WILL SCAN CELLULAR
A FREQ COUNTER
A BUNCH OF PLAYSTATION GAMES

ANY OF THE ABOVE

5562. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <OJXJ1.562$ej4.16096288@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 144393

Martin:

What is your source of information regarding the Icom PCR-1000? Have you actually owned one yourself, or are you judging it from comments made from other individuals?

I own one, it is made extremely well, it has been 100% reliable, and Icom supports it's own software, (included with the radio) very well, in my experience.

I do find it interesting, in past flame wars regarding the Icom, vs. the WinRadio, that the major claim to fame, for WinRadio, was that it was an internal device, and Icom took a lot of heat, again for some unfounded claims, for being an external device. Now, WinRadio is following closely in Icom's footsteps, and introducing external devices.

Bill Crocker

Martin Hayes wrote in message <35f7cb2a.7830902@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>...
>On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 17:01:54 GMT, len999@ibm.net (Leonard Weldon)
>wrote:
>
>I think you might have missed a point here: the WR-3100e is an
>external radio. WinRadio have about 3 models of external radios and 3
>models of internal ones. Their reputation is very good. Icom's is
>also good of course, but not in the area of PC radios. Their first
>(and so far only) product, the PCR1000, has earned itself a reputation
>of poor construction, low reliability and non-existent software
>support.
>
>Hope this helps.
>Martin

5563. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <%MXJ1.563$ej4.16098062@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 144394

John:

Even though most communications equipment is designed for an antenna impedance of 50 ohm, it seems that the inexpensive, 75 ohm cable for television, suffers less loss, especially at higher frequencies! Granted there are high grade, and high cost, 50 ohm cables for high frequency use, but it is also very rigid, and hard to work with.

Bill Crocker

John wrote in message <35F7A037.A9EAE666@ntr.net>...
>How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
>calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
>de-grade performance??? Any othe issues. Also, what's the best coax for
>a scanners lead-in???
>TIA
>

5564. Re: RS Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve J. Sibert" <ssibert@dsai.com>
Message-ID: <35F84F61.F0F54768@dsai.com>
Source record: 144395

I've got the Radio Shack frequency counter and now an
Optoelectronics Scout. I haven't even thought about the
RS one since it came. Heck, I'll sell it to you for $50.00.
It's in a much lower class than the Scout. Just put it in
viabrate capture mode and walk around (like in a mall or
where ever...). It grabs all sorts of stuff. I love it!

Steve Sibert

Michael William wrote:
>
> The latest RS mail flyer (not the catalog), shows a frequency
> counter for $79.99. Supposed to work from 1 to 1300 Mhz.
>
> Does anybody have one of these?
> How do you like it?
> I'm also interested in finding out other sources for affordable
> counters.
>
> Thanks for your input.
> --
> Michael William
> rockman@ix.netcom.com

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= Steve J. Sibert Internet: ssibert@dsai.com =
= Decision-Science Applications, Inc. (719) 593-5974 =
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5565. Re: New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvillafane@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091022283800.SAA07645@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144396

dude you are out in left field some where the pro 26 doesn't use crystal(s)

5566. Re: Test Mode?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6t9ku3crt1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144397

On mine, you disconnect the battery. Press and hold down the # and * keys,
while reconnecting the battery.

Paul Littleton wrote in message <35F77BE4.63B0@maui.net>...
>How do we get cordless phones into test mode?
>Thank You
>Paul Littleton

5567. Are bands trunked in New York City and what is left to listen to?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@nospam.com
Message-ID: <35f9599a.12502648@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 144398

Could anyone tell me if there are any bands trunked in New York City, for example police, fire, etc. I've heard some other people say that their cities have gone trunked and now they can't listen to alot of stuff. If a city goes trunked what is affected and what are the things left to listen to if you don't have a trunk scanner?

5568. Radio Shack pulse charger: OEM version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6t9ldm$mh2@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 144399
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Those following the postings about Radio Shack's new NiCD/NiMH "pulse charger" (#23-410) may remember a posting from someone who opened it up and confirmed that the circuit boards all bore the Saitek name (makers of the "Ecco" charger).

Well, the OEM version - or a variety thereof - may be out. Check out

http://www.lifestylefascination.com/cgi/display.cgi?item_num=isc878a_file=/inventory/images/isc878.jpg

(Should this URL fail just go to the product section and look under ELECTRONICS in the second set of 21 products).

Note that the blurb says this one does alkalines too. It obviously uses the same case and display as the Radio Shack version, but I wonder about what's inside.

5569. Re: Are bands trunked in New York City and what is left to listen to?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2ayc@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091023151100.TAA16759@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144400
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>
Subject: Are bands trunked in New York City and what is left to
>listen to?
>From: nospam@nospam.com

There are certain agencies in the NYC Metro area that have trunked radio systems; however.....NYPD and FDNY remain conventional systems. The city has what they call their DOITT system, on there you will hear OEM, Taxi & Limo Commission, Buildings Dept, and other public works type operations.

5570. What are advantages of base scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vuio@news.com
Message-ID: <35fa5bf4.13104343@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 144401

Are there any advantages to base scanners? Do they have better antennas or do they pick up more stuff than handhelds? If they do, would a base scanner with an added antenna always be better than a handheld also with and added antenna?

5571. Re: For Sale AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <35F86E23.97000A99@ncia.net>
Source record: 144402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have sent several replies to this post with no results.Anyone else
haveing this problem???????A spoof maybe?

Dickie Venables wrote:

> I have a like new AOR 8000 with Scout mod., case, CU 8232 computer
> interface and charger for sale. Unit is approx. 1yr old. No scratches.
> Ex. cond. Works perfectly. I have org. boxes and receipts.
>
> Getting out of the scanner business.
> E-mail if interested.
>
> $400 firm
>
> Richard
>

5572. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35F881DE.F4A6CE51@mindspring.com>
Source record: 144403
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I just picked up RS's new Pro-74 "Race Scanner". It's a nice little scanner overall and its on sale at the moment. The best feature about it for race fans is that it allows you to program in multiple frequencies for each team and it will display the team number when you get a hit on a frequency you have programed. So you can program say 4 frequencies for car number three and then whenever any of those frequencies get a hit it will tell you the team number instead of its memory location. BTW, it also includes the stubby antenna. If you have any questions about this scanner just give me a yell.

Jay

> Radio Shack sells a Mono To Stereo adapter for a couple of bucks which
> work great. I would suggest that if you have nothing programmed in the
> scanner now, that you put the frequencies being the same as the channel
> number on the scanner as the car. It makes it A LOT easier when trying to
> figure out which driver and crew you are listenning to.

5573. Good handheld antenna???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shaun <lstrain@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#dzH$dS39GA.250@upnetnews05>
Source record: 144404

Whats a good rubber duck or whip type antenna for a handheld scanner for VHF-Hi use? I don't mean one of those Radio Shack telescoping things, but a rubber one? Any reccomendations?

Shaun

5574. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1062331a5e1a73d5989763@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144405

Yeah. I'm with you on this one Rich. Not that I don't respect what WinRadio has to offer, but for my money the only one that raises my blood pressure is the WR-3100e, external for laptops. But for real money (under the 2 grand asking price) I'll take the PCR1000 any time. I have had mine for a couple of weeks and am thrilled at the performance. I was told to expect to be under whelmed, but I have found just the opposite to even some of the issues you found with your test of it. First of all it runs downright cool, barely warm to the touch after an hour of operation. The only time it stopped scanning was because of an incorrect setting on one of the tabs for scanning procedure. The sensitivity is nothing short of amazing (I compared with my AOR8000) and the audio is wonderful. Downright surprising though was the fact that I had a question the day I got it and waited only 5 minutes to talk to a technician, who by the way was downright fun to talk to and he even laughed as we talked about the hobby in general. I was pleasantly surprised by this and up till now am thoroughly satisfied. Thanks.

5575. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10623404b67b814d989764@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144406

First of all, I applaud both Icom and WinRadio for their further designs of "outboard" units. Especially the fact that WinRadio has woken up to the fact that some of us like laptops and PCMCIA slots are a natural. Not to mention the lessening of internally generated noise from the computer. As an owner of an Icom PCR-1000 and having checked out some of WinRadio's products, my personal opinion is that unless you want absolute "State Of The Are" and are prepared to pay the $2,000.00 for the model WR-3100 I or E version, you might just as well get the Icom.

5576. Re: CHP freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Pekarek <ericpekarek@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6t9v9q$q4f$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144407

take a notice that the new 39.000 frequencies you are able to hear both ends of the conversations also the chp microphones transmit button you can push up for the repeater and push down for direct simplex when transmitting.

5577. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10622589b005251898968f@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <35f7e0da.928243@news.fastlink.com.au>,
barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au says...

>
> In the USA it is illegal to be in possesion of a transmitter for
> which you do not have a current license. Don't believe me? Check
> with the FCC.
>
> Barry

Please cite appropriate statutes. That you make it illegal for my wife
to go out and buy me a new FT1000D. I don't think so

It is not illegal to be in possession of which you speak. I had ham
gear 3 years before I was originally licensed. It's illegal only if you
USE said equipment.

It is not illegal to monitor police frequencies, unless you use that
information in the interference of offical business. IE: I overhear on
my scanner that the DEA is about to raid the O'Grady house in 5 minutes
and all units standby. I then phone the O'Grady house and tell Barry,
"Hey dude, the fuzz is about to bust your butt, ditch the drugs" Barry
does so and it is found that I tipped him off. I would be up the
proverbial creek for that.

--
Steve - KF2TI Landing, NJ
http://www.planet.net/adell

5578. Re: New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6ta2eooqa1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144409

Yes the old Pro-26 does use crystals. The new Pro-26 doesn't use crystals.

JVillafane wrote in message
<1998091022283800.SAA07645@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>dude you are out in left field some where the pro 26 doesn't use crystal(s)
>
>
>

5579. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6ta2a2opu1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144410

You can probably pick up a Pro-26 used for around $200. It has continuous coverage (usually excepting the cellular band) and it has selectable am/nfm/wfm modes.

Bud Howard wrote in message <01bddd19$516471a0$LocalHost@budhowar>...
>
>I am interested in buying a scanner especially for airshows. I've been
>told that the Thunderbirds and Blue Angels demonstration teams operate in
>the military frequencies (220-400MHz) in AM mode.
>
>Can you recommend a scanner (new or used) that will do this for less than
>$200?
>
>Thanks for your assistance
>
>Bud
>
>budhow@gate.net

5580. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F8BB34.48C8@parg.org>
Source record: 144411
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> John it must make you feel like you have such power to get someone
> kicked off their ISP.

WRONG!

First, I don't have the power to "get someone kicked off their ISP"
(Only the ISP has that authority).
Second, it is very sad that someone's actions were so bad that it causes
their ISP to revoke their access.

> The newsgroup is un-moderated and will
> take care of itself, if you will just let it.

The problems went un-controlled for nearly 3 years untill myself & a few
others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed.

5581. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F8BA3D.6A1@parg.org>
Source record: 144412

John wrote:
> How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
> calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
> de-grade performance???

You won't harm the scanner, but there will be a slight decline in
performance compared to using 50 ohm coax.

> Also, what's the best coax for
> a scanners lead-in???

The best coax to use is RG-213 & it is UV resistant.

5582. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F8BBA2.731D@parg.org>
Source record: 144413

Jack wrote:

> On Wed, 09 Sep 1998 22:53:37 -0700, John Mackey wrote:
> >I have responded on topics such as coax, antenna polorization, 10 meter
> >repeater frequencies, etc.
>
> And these topics only took 3 years to cover! Basically you will cover

I covered far more than that in the 2 years 2 months I have been on this NG. I'm not going to waste the bandwidth to list it all.

5583. Mackeys Record For Controlling The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F8C7B6.B4C3E988@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144414

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R E A L I T Y C H E C K

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root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5584. Re: DROP the Cheek ! - Mackey's Posting Stats

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F8C8D3.A5668773@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144415

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Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5585. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F739A7.28E2@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144477
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey wrote:
> At least I help clean up this NG.Certainly you do! ;-) Everyone knows how irritating it is when some jerk
goes around blabbing about everything BUT scanners in here, right John?
Why, it's getting so bad in here, I think that you'll have to post, oh
let me see.... at least 50 more lame-ass posts like this a day just to
keep up! But remember, it's not just a job, it's an adventure!

> So what's YOUR excuse for your pathetic posts here?Maybe he's just a friggin loon.... no wait - that seat's taken......
Hell, beats me, fruitcake. Check, please!

-Phil

5586. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F7384A.7FF8@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144478

John Mackey wrote:
>
> Yea, all fields have those who are good at memorizing & taking test,
> but have little knowledge of depth.

Truer words were never spoken. Ya know John, I just might go ahead and leave you alone after all - you do a fine job of proving you're an imbecile all by yourself!

-Phil

5587. once and for all! get your rs catalog free how?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hose92@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091002353300.WAA27942@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144479

1) just give radio shack your name and address and they will give it to you free.
its so little to ask for .
2) remember cost of making color catalogs aren't cheap.
3) besides how would you feel if they stop making catalogs widely avaiable .
4) remember sears use to give them too but they stop even giving it to you, unless you buy a big item.
5) they monthly have coupons on their flyer too to save money on any of your purchases on top of the sale price.read it to believe it.

5588. Re: Loophole found in wiretap law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6t7fcv$nma@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 144480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I read the same article and interpreted it differently.
Looks like the judge was ruling on the lawsuit against
McDermott, not the Martins.

The Martins did the taping and were fined.
McDermott was allegedly given the tapes.

In article <35F6FE37.6281@popd.accesscom.com>,
Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com> wrote:

>Seems the Judge ruling on a lawsuite brought against the Martins has
>ruled against the congressman suing them for invasion of privacy.
>
>http://www.rcrnews.com/CGI-BIN/SM40i.exe?docid=100:5999&%70aramArticleID=8093

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

5589. WTB BC2500XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: morison4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980910031110000.XAA03888@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144481

Wanted BC2500XLT New to good condition mod or not email reply

5590. POLICE CALL: Burbank Neighborhood Watch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Jackson <DJackson@nospam.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35F747D6.10945E01@nospam.netcom.com>
Source record: 144482

Mike Derryberry wrote:
>
> Try Ham Radio Outlet in Burbank. There phone number is 818-842-1786.
> There address is 2492 West Victory Blvd in Burbank.
>
> Good Luck,
> Mike
>
> steve hope wrote:
> >
> > I NEED A CURRENT COPY OF "POLICE CALL" SO. CALIF. EDITION. ANYONE KNOW WHERE
> > I CAN ORDER ONE?

The 1998 Southern California Detail Edition of Police Call contains a
listing for Burbank Neighborhood Watch operatorin on 155.385 Mhz,
but does not show any other information, such as a callsign for BNW.

FCC Rules Part 90.27 is the Emergency Medical Radio Service (EMRS)
The eligibility for EMRS is for the delivery or rendition of emergency
medical services for the provision of basic or advanced life support, ect.

The frequency of 155.385Mhz is regulated by the EMRS rules.

How did a neighborhood watch organization obtain a EMRS frequency?

Can anyone in or near Burbank monitor 155.385 MHz for radio traffic,
and report who is on 155.385 MHz?

Also, could somebody please provide additional formation, such as a
callsign, for BNW. The FCC Databases and other frequency directories
do not contain any information about Burbank Neighborhood Watch.

Thank you and sincerely yours:

David Jackson

5591. Re: AOR Dealers.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@doglover.com
Message-ID: <35f74919.17035814@news.mvp.net>
Source record: 144483

On Mon, 7 Sep 1998 23:27:01 -0700, "D&K" <not@thisaddress.com> wrote:

>I've been talking to Glen at Scanners Unlimited in San Carlos CA
>(650.573.1624) about getting my new AOR AR8200,
>
Grove Enterprises (800-438-8155) also handles AOR. They are expecting
a shipment shortly. Price is $599.95. I have mine reserved.

5592. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f74cbf.11194902@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144484

On 10 Sep 1998 00:50:14 GMT, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Not entirely correct (although, you are correct somehwat) -- an unlicensed
>person is not allowed to be a control operator, and many books state that
>unlicensed people should not have access to a radio (ie, it should be locked
>up, disabled, etc).

Most books I've seen are pretty clear about unlicensed people & access
to YOUR equipment..not their own personal gear! Anyone in the USA can
walk into RS and get a HTX-202/404 and carry it around quite legally!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5593. Re: FLORIDA UPGRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f84d89.11396548@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144485

On Tue, 8 Sep 1998 21:07:03 -0400, "RICHARD FLORES"
<RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> wrote:

>
>do i need trunk tracking to scan here in South Florida?
>
>rick

NO...you don't NEED one to scan in South Florida...but they are nice
to have!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5594. key pad tricks for Pro-2050/Pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: emoney250@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091004244200.AAA11492@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144486

I recently obtained these two units and would greatly appreciate any/all key pad tricks for them. Thanks in advance.....

5595. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t7k9q$cj1$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144487

John Mackey wrote in message <35F5D817.1FC@parg.org>...
>D. P. Roberts wrote:
>
>> Oh, puh-LEEZE. I have a First Class Radiotelephone license, required
>
>No you don't!!!! The First Class Radiotelephone license (which had to
>be renewed every 5 years) was dropped nearly 15 years ago. It was
>replaced with the General Radiotelephone license.
>
>At best, your First Class Radiotelephone license expired 10
>years ago or more.
>
>
>> I know enough of the amateur questions to get my extra class, but the
>> code isn't up to speed yet. All my knowledge is memorization rather
>> than knowledge.
>
>
>Yea, all fields have those who are good at memorizing & taking test,
>but have little knowledge of depth.

So where is all YOUR knowledge, Mackey ? I haven`t seen you answer a single question on this news group for anyone. Some of these questions are quite straightforward, but you don`t answer. How about the guy that had computer interference on his scanner ? I didn`t see YOU responding to that inquiry, which is information any NOVICE would know ! You wanna be the new guru ? Then you better learn the basics of radio, and give them the answers they need ! I have seen thousands of post slip by you that you could have replied to, over the last three years, if you had even the most basic understanding of ANYTHING about radio theory or practice ! I am not talking here about "scanner" stuff. But you don`t ! That last sentence of yours describes you to a "T".....
Don`t hang around day after day and say "I know more than you", and leave it at that. YOU HAVE TO PROVE IT. So , Mr "guru", GET TO WORK.

5596. Discussion list Scanners/ Michigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <callihj@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6t7lom$kld@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144488
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

New e-mail Discussion list for those of us interested in scanners. and
live/travel in or near Michigan. If you would like to participate
just click below.
thanks
Jim

P.S. I just started the list on 9-9-98.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/scan_michigan

5597. BC235XLT - Solar Solution

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: catz@netrox.net
Message-ID: <35fe5b03.26908674@news.netrox.net>
Source record: 144489

One of the main reasons I purchased my scanner was to be able to monitor local emergency and police channels in an emergency. One of the main difficulties in doing this for any extended period is the use of proprietary nicad battery packs in this unit. If the power goes, there isn't an easy or inexpensive way to charge up these units or run 'em....especially if your not near a car battery.

I had delivered today from C Crane company, a "rat pack". It uses standard AA batts (10 of 'em). Couple that with a few solar battery chargers (available from them, too) and you have a nice, inexpensive way to power this (and other types of similar units) up during emergencies.

They will custom build you this rat pack for 12 bucks! The batt chargers are only 15 bucks. A nice simple inexpensive solution for keeping your scanner, cb or shortwave up and running during extended power failures.

Thought I would pass this on to those who might be looking to do the same. Hope this helps someone...I've been looking for this solution since I got the radio a month ago.

PS. I'm not affiliated with 'em...just a satisfied customer!

Links and phone numbers:

C Crane: 1-800-522-8863
Web: http://www.ccrane.com

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"As nightfall does not come all at once, neither does
oppression. In both instances, there is a twilight.
And it is in such twilight that we all must be aware
of change in the air -- however slight -- lest we
become unwitting victims of the darkness."

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas
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5598. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gunner <iam@home.now>
Message-ID: <35F7D2B6.139E@home.now>
Source record: 144490
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Shack sells a Mono To Stereo adapter for a couple of bucks which work great. I would suggest that if you have nothing programmed in the scanner now, that you put the frequencies being the same as the channel number on the scanner as the car. It makes it A LOT easier when trying to figure out which driver and crew you are listenning to.

5599. Re: FAQ: New Scanner Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gunner <iam@home.now>
Message-ID: <35F7D7B8.74A6@home.now>
Source record: 144491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,triangle.radio

What do you mean NEW USERS? I've been scanning for over 20 years and I
even learned stuff in here.

Rich Wells wrote:
>
> To All New Scanner Users,
> If you are new to the radio monitoring hobby, I have compiled
> To see this FAQ, point your web browsers to
>
> http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm

5600. Re: S.F. Bay area Trunk freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gunner <iam@home.now>
Message-ID: <35F7DA3A.5AEE@home.now>
Source record: 144492

I live in Oakland, and even though I don't have a Trunk Radio, I really enjoy listenning to BART. I always figured that most of what I would hear with both the BART trains and Bart Police would be pretty boring, but I hear some very interesting stuff with them.

ecwjr@pacbell.net

5601. Re: The Best Frequency Database?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gunner <iam@home.now>
Message-ID: <35F7DC3A.468B@home.now>
Source record: 144493

If you have a local Scanner dealer and Ham Radio outlet, see if they have something with local listings. I go up to a place in Concord California that has a great selection of books with Frequencies for the San Francisco Bay Area at a good price. The way that they put the books together makes it real easy to find most of what I'm looking for.

5602. Re: CHP freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gunner <iam@home.now>
Message-ID: <35F7DDC9.46C6@home.now>
Source record: 144494

The advantage is if a CHP officer should leave their mike open for some reason, Dispatch can still continue to broadcast out to the other units. It also makes it harder for "the bad guy" to keep up with what is going on.

5603. Orange County Calif. Cabs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stanley M. Kelton" <stanleymkelton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35F7760E.357F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144495

I hear Orange County, California cabs being dispatched on 452.3000.
However, I never clearly hear the cabs answering, i.e. sometimes if the
dispatcher leaves his mike open long enough I can barely hear the cabs
answering on some type of talk back setup. I thought there was supposed
to be some kind of offset, but I have been unable to find it.

E-mail welcome.

TIA.

Stan Kelton

5604. Re: San Diego County system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tree <commace@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35F77ADD.526@usa.net>
Source record: 144496
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:
>
> Looks like the San Diego County RCS (Regional Communications System) isn't
> working too well.
>
> It's not even fully functional yet, and it's crashed completely several
> times. Last night, there were as many as 4 data channels on the North
> Zone, causing users to get an 'out of range' error instead of any fail-safe
> or other error. The same thing happened on the Heartland Fire system a few
> months ago (that was caused by the County radio techs doing some testing on
> freqs that were supposed to have already BEEN tested).
>
> The worst part of the failure tonight was that there was a SWAT incident in
> Carlsbad at the time. The County Sheriff's Department handles those for
> Carlsbad, and both agencies use the RCS now. The SO still has their old
> UHF system, so had some comm capability, I think Carlsbad still had some
> units on their old VHF system. But overall, NOT exactly what BatWing
> promised with their new WhizBang SmartZone system, is it?
>
> TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
> Thanks.

Maybe the reason it crashed is because it is not fully functional yet!!!
Thats why they do testing before it is turned over to the user. Don't
start bashing a system or a vendor until you know the facts. you are
probably one of those guys tht is P.O.ed because you won't be able to
listen in the future without a trunk tracker.

5605. Re: Redondo Beach, CA Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F78453.972D3B88@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144497
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Redondo Beach Freqs:
Police Channel 1 460.075 PL 203.5
Police Channel 2 460.475 PL 203.5

Fire Channel 1 855.9625
Fire Channel 2 855.7375

Public Works 453.200 PL 103.5

Hope these help. Good Luck ...

Mike

Anonomoose wrote:
>
> Would someone please e-mail me with the frequencies for the Redondo Beach
> Police, Fire, etc...
>
> Thank you very much in advance!
>
> vtrop@gte.net

5606. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F788BD.9DCC5AEB@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144498
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John it must make you feel like you have such power to get someone kicked off their ISP. Is that why you "stir the pot" ??? So you can complain to everyone's ISP after you've agitated them ???

Really, I want to know, why do you feel that you must play net cop and saviour to the newsgroups??? Why do you feel it is your responsibility to "clean-up the newsgroups" ??? The newsgroup is un-moderated and will take care of itself, if you will just let it.

John, I am not flamming you, I really would like to know the answers to these questions.

Mike

John Mackey wrote:
>
> D. P. Roberts wrote:
>
> > you CAUSE 99.999% of the trash in these newsgroups, so your
> > pathetic, laughable claim to clean them up is pathetic and laughable!
>
> Wrong! There is at least one person who is basically GONE from this NG
> & lost his ISP due to my organizing the complaints of his inappropriate
> actions & forwarding to his ISP.
>
> At least 3 others received warnings from thier ISP.
>
> One is pending a possible loss of their account.

5607. Re: sportcat 150y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: troll@loop.com
Message-ID: <MPG.10612ee7ddc2957498968d@news.loop.com>
Source record: 144499

In article <35f72898.0@news3.paonline.com>, Broemer@mdn.net says...
> looking for mod to unlock 869 to 894mhz email me please
> at broemer@mdn.net
>
>
>
Check here http://www.loop.com/~troll/Scanner.html

5608. COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jwschn@ntr.net>
Message-ID: <35F7A037.A9EAE666@ntr.net>
Source record: 144500

How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or de-grade performance??? Any othe issues. Also, what's the best coax for a scanners lead-in???
TIA

5609. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: need@help.com
Message-ID: <jGPJ1.5$E7.111@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 144501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6t77kk$j3l@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>, "Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>>Not hard to find. Radio Shack sells guides listing the frequencies and
>>often will have a free photocopied list of local police frequencies.
>
>Yes, but those guides don't list the input frequency, or the CTCSS tones,
>which are both required for almost all police systems (using repeaters).
>
>>Many ham radios can easily be modifed to xmit on these bands. Instructions
>>are available on the internet, and may involve minor soldering or just
>>cutting a wire on some older radios. Radio price ranges $200-800 new,
>>less used.
>
>My Yaesu FT-470 requires no internal work.
>
>
>>I don't think it's illegal. Citations of relevant laws to the contrary
>>would be appreciated. However, even if it is legal, you can be
>>harrassed, prosecuted, and/or have to spend thousands on legal fees even
>>if you are "right." You can also lose in court even if you're right.
>>Big money and connections often speak louder than the law in court.
>
>It probably isn't illegal to transmit, as long as it is a dire emergency,
>and no other form of communication is available.
>
>>I think it's also (excluding emergencies) illegal to use a modified
>>radio to transmit on police (or anything but ham frequencies) freqencies
>>even if you are licensed to transmit on those frequencies. The FCC
>>generally requires some form of approval of the radio for the specific
>>frequency used.
>
>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
>basically anything.

Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....
>

5610. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t8k2mgdn1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144502
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey wrote in message <35F762E3.2698@parg.org>...
>D. P. Roberts wrote:
>
>> you CAUSE 99.999% of the trash in these newsgroups, so your
>> pathetic, laughable claim to clean them up is pathetic and laughable!
>
>Wrong! There is at least one person who is basically GONE from this NG
>& lost his ISP due to my organizing the complaints of his inappropriate
>actions & forwarding to his ISP.
>
>At least 3 others received warnings from thier ISP.
>
>One is pending a possible loss of their account.

So NOW, Mackalooney ,you ADMIT it was you and your cohorts ! A few posts back, you were DENYING any involvement. Seems like the truth, to you, is what suits you at the moment !!

5611. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin.hayes@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f7cb2a.7830902@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144503

On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 17:01:54 GMT, len999@ibm.net (Leonard Weldon)
wrote:

I think you might have missed a point here: the WR-3100e is an
external radio. WinRadio have about 3 models of external radios and 3
models of internal ones. Their reputation is very good. Icom's is
also good of course, but not in the area of PC radios. Their first
(and so far only) product, the PCR1000, has earned itself a reputation
of poor construction, low reliability and non-existent software
support.

Hope this helps.
Martin

>
>Ref: Computer controlled radio...WinrRadio...Icom
>
>
>Do take a look at the Icom PCR-1000 radio...I went through
>the selection process some time ago...not the newer WinRadio
>series...and the Icom was by far superior...being external, it was
>not susceptible to noise, etc. It is a decent unit for the money.
>
>Mind you, ICOM is a long-time manufacturer of transmitters and
>receivers for Amateur radio operators and governmental needs.
>
>Good luck,
>
>Leonard...
>
>_____
>
>
>ue, 08 Sep 1998 13:51:27 GMT, martin.hayes@usa.net (Martin Hayes)
>wrote:
>
>:On Mon, 31 Aug 1998 17:33:01 -0600, dcisive@earthlink.net (Lee
>:Rothman) wrote:
>:
>:>Has anyone had significant experience with the newer variety of WinRadio
>:>devices out there. I am considering the new WR-3100e for my laptop and
>:>wanted to know if in fact their performance was amazing or a
>:>disappointment.
>:
>:One of my friends uses this for professional surveillance and speaks

>:very highly of it. I wish I could afford one!
>:
>:Martin
>:
>

5612. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin.hayes@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f7cdad.8474277@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144504

On Tue, 8 Sep 1998 15:28:11 -0600, dcisive@earthlink.net (Lee Rothman) wrote:

>Yeah Leonard. I went and purchased the PCR-1000 from Scanners Unlimited.
>I have now had a week to check it out thoroughly and it was actually easy
>to master. I was shocked at how competent in the HF area that it is. I
>love the pass-band tuning for that. I ordered the DSP module which I will
>have to wait for, but even without it it is amazing. At this point I
>would only prefer to have a shot at the new Winradio WR-3100e external
>unit. At $2000.00 it won't happen soon, but perhaps some day they may
>consider lowering the price a little. Have fun.

You might have compared pears and apples. The WR-3100e is a high-end military model.The WR-1000e or WR-1500e are in the same category as the PCR1000. The 1500 has passband tuning, frequency range to 1500 MHz, and costs about the same as Icom...

5613. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t8k9tgei1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144505

What this has to do with scanning is, Mackaloony has deprived this group of an important radio resource, in order to fill it with his petty whining and squabbling , when he basically has nothing to contribute here. ....

JimD7002 wrote in message
<1998090915524000.LAA00196@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>What does this have to do with scanning??
>
>Jim Donahue

5614. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t8kgigfa1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144506

John Mackey wrote in message <35F76961.7A7C@parg.org>...
>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>
>> So where is all YOUR knowledge, Mackey ? I haven`t seen you answer a
single
>> question on this news group for anyone. Some of these questions are quite
>> straightforward, but you don`t answer. How about the guy that had
computer
>> interference on his scanner ? I didn`t see YOU responding to that
inquiry,
>> which is information any NOVICE would know !
>
>On posts that are relatively simple & have already had a couple of
>correct
>posts I certainly am not going to waste bandwidth with a post that says
>basically the same thing the others said.

Translation:He didn`t know the answer
>
>I have responded on topics such as coax, antenna polorization, 10 meter
>repeater frequencies, etc.

When was that ? re-post them for us.
>
>
>
>> You wanna be the new guru ?
>
>No. I don't need that position or label.

Isn1t that why you and your cohorts drove Bill off ? So you could be the new
"guru", and replace Bill ? You ain`t got what it takes !
>
>I have more than enough knowledge to keep me active in the field of
>radio electronics & digital electronics as a technician.

Really ? what knowledge is that ? changing the batteries in your flashlight,
when looking for "Daddy" ?

5615. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6t8kv7$gh4$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144507

John Mackey wrote in message <35F76961.7A7C@parg.org>...
>Zombie Wolf wrote:
>
>> So where is all YOUR knowledge, Mackey ? I haven`t seen you answer a
single
>> question on this news group for anyone. Some of these questions are quite
>> straightforward, but you don`t answer. How about the guy that had
computer
>> interference on his scanner ? I didn`t see YOU responding to that
inquiry,
>> which is information any NOVICE would know !
>
>On posts that are relatively simple & have already had a couple of
>correct
>posts I certainly am not going to waste bandwidth with a post that says
>basically the same thing the others said.

The other replies were from people having the same trouble ! You never even
READ it, did you ? THEY wanted an answer TOO ! Where were you THEN, "guru" ?
The only "ground" you know about is the grounds in the bottom of your coffee
cup !
>
>I have responded on topics such as coax, antenna polorization, 10 meter
>repeater frequencies, etc.
>
>
>
>> You wanna be the new guru ?
>
>No. I don't need that position or label.
>
>I have more than enough knowledge to keep me active in the field of
>radio electronics & digital electronics as a technician.

5616. Re: FS: PRO-2050

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21755-35F7B95C-7@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144508

2 of these went on Ebay for $150-like new.You can buy them at R.S. for $200 now.May want to tell your friend he's asking a liitle too much.

5617. Re: New Sony PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: alf sauve <alf.sauve@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <cMQJ1.2$2b.379447@pull-feed.internetmci.com>
Source record: 144509

Tony,

Is this a new model or is it just the ICF-SC1 with a PC interface?

My only skepticism with mixing PCs and radios is that PCs generate a heck of a lot of rf noise. Granted is very low level, but when your scanner is near or 'in' the PC it's got to create a lot of false signals and in HR receivers it generally raises the background noise.

Some people swear by these PC based radios. Me? I turn my PCs off when I want to do some serious scanning or SWLing.

Alf

Tony Buttitta wrote in message <35F766A5.43C61800@pacbell.net>...
>Has anyone out there bought the new Sony PC Scanner? I am wondering how
>it performs. I hear that it scans slow. I am concerned with how the
>triple convertion works. Does it have intermod. Any info will be
>greatly appreciated. Please E-mail me at kd6ajg@pacbell.net
>
>Thank you,
>
>Tony/KD6AJG
>

5618. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35f7e0da.928243@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 144510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

:On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:
:
:>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
:>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
:>what the frequencies are!.
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:No, commercial radios are MUCH cheaper than that, as are modified
:HAM radios.
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:>Fines, as it is VERY illegal to own a radio that will TX on police
:>bands and even more illegal to do it!
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:It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
:bands.

In the USA it is illegal to be in possesion of a transmitter for
which you do not have a current license. Don't believe me? Check
with the FCC.

Barry

5619. optotracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: criminalcourt@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1061af175fa31f0a989681@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 144511

Hello : was just wondering if any one is using one and what your comments are.

Thanks.....Fred

5620. Re: Scanner FAQ 4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35f7e0e6.940232@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 144512

bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek) wrote:

:Bill Cheek's Scanner Performance Frequently Asked Questions
:
:Sep 3, 1998 SCANPERF.FAQ 09/03/1998

Why no updates since March? Lots of things change in 6 months.

Barry

5621. Re: POLICE CALL: Burbank Neighborhood Watch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35F7E8A5.6161@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 144513

David Jackson wrote:
>
> Mike Derryberry wrote:
> >
> > Try Ham Radio Outlet in Burbank. There phone number is 818-842-1786.
> > There address is 2492 West Victory Blvd in Burbank.
> >
> > Good Luck,
> > Mike
> >
> > steve hope wrote:
> > >
> > > I NEED A CURRENT COPY OF "POLICE CALL" SO. CALIF. EDITION. ANYONE KNOW WHERE
> > > I CAN ORDER ONE?
>
> The 1998 Southern California Detail Edition of Police Call contains a
> listing for Burbank Neighborhood Watch operatorin on 155.385 Mhz,
> but does not show any other information, such as a callsign for BNW.
>
> FCC Rules Part 90.27 is the Emergency Medical Radio Service (EMRS)
> The eligibility for EMRS is for the delivery or rendition of emergency
> medical services for the provision of basic or advanced life support, ect.
>
> The frequency of 155.385Mhz is regulated by the EMRS rules.
>
> How did a neighborhood watch organization obtain a EMRS frequency?
>
> Can anyone in or near Burbank monitor 155.385 MHz for radio traffic,
> and report who is on 155.385 MHz?
>
> Also, could somebody please provide additional formation, such as a
> callsign, for BNW. The FCC Databases and other frequency directories
> do not contain any information about Burbank Neighborhood Watch.
>
> Thank you and sincerely yours:
>
> David Jackson

David;

Suggest you get a new copy of the FCC Rule book. Section 90.27 does not
exist anymore. It has been replaced by a consolidated Public Safety Pool
titled 90.20 by the refarming docket.

BTW, Don't think these guys are legal. See this URL

http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/freq_st_res.hts?db_id=2&rows=500&state=CA&freq=00000155.38500000

Regards

Ed

5622. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35f7e0f2.952510@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 144514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

warchief@triax.com (warchief) wrote:

:In article <35EFA8EC.7B74@bellatlantic.net>, Trowan@bellatlantic.net wrote:
:
:> I'm looking for information on a 2 way radio system that I can get at
:> least a 10 mile range . Something similar to CB , but more privacy , and
:> no repeater fees . Can I find anything in the 30 - 50 mhz range that
:> will do the trick ? Or another frequency ? Any info is appreciated !
:
:You didn't indicate whether this communication would be personal or
:business related. For instance, personal communication only could be
:handled nicely with ham radio. You could get the easy-to-pass Technician
:license (no Morse code required) and easily talk 10 miles on the 2 meter
:band. Some ham clubs have repeaters as well, priced at just a fraction of
:what commercial repeaters charge.

All repeaters on amature bands can be used by all amatures at no cost.

:Is there a lack of privacy on CB bands in your area?

There is a total lack of privacy on CB in all areas.

:You might also
:consider a CB radio with upper and lower sideband. In my area, side band
:is almost completely empty, while the AM channels receive lots of
:activity. You might ask a friend or dealer to determine whether that
:would be feasible. As long as the terrain is level and good antennas are
:used, a CB on side band would be satisfactory.

Only in your imagination is CB radio private.

:10 meter ham radio is also possible, but requires you to pass a Morse code
:test of 5 words per minute. However, the FCC is examining this currently,
:and there is a move afoot to eliminate all Morse code. Lets see if it is
:successful.

Most modern radios have 0 meters with functions formaly provided by
meters being taken over by the LCD display.

:Most business two way systems use repeaters in this area, although some
:permits are granted for direct communications in the 450 mhz range.
:However, even this type of transmission isn't scrambled, so I don't know
:how much privacy you need. Actually, your most secure (private) system
:would be a business band trunking repeater, since most of that radio
:traffic is incredibly boring to listen in to by scanner folks.

He could use a scrambler or digital mobile phone.

:Furthermore, each time you or your partner stop talking, you move to a
:different spot in the "trunk" so following the entire conversation would
:be difficult (not impossible, however)

Not all trunked systems work that way. Some systems pause after each
over and will stay on the same channel if the other user replys
during the pause time. Some other trunking systems stay on the same
channel until released by the originator.

Barry

5623. Re: MultiMode 1.0.0 Decoding Software Released for Macintosh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeteye <secas@twave.net>
Message-ID: <6t8qn9avs1@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is there any software i.e. (shareware ,freeware) available like this for the
Windows PC
Chris Smolinski wrote in message ...
>
>The latest version of MultiMode, Version 1.0.0, is now available for MacOS
>computer systems.
>
>The URL is http://www.access.digex.net/~cps/sss14.html
>
>MultiMode is an application which allows your Macintosh to decode several
>different modes of non-voice communication often heard on shortwave radio.
>
>MultiMode allows you to decode and display morse code, RTTY, fax, and many
>other modes on your Mac, without any extra hardware!
>
>In the past, dedicated hardware, often costing hundreds or thousands of
>dollars, was necessary to demodulate and decode this transmissions. Today,
>you can use the
>processing power of your Macintosh to decode and display these modes,
>without any hardware.
>
>MultiMode decodes the following signals:
>
> Morse Code (CW)
> RTTY (Baudot)
> ASCII
> SITOR-A
> SITOR-B / FEC / NAVTEX
> FAX
> ACARS
> WWVB Time Decode
> DTMF
> Audio Spectrum Display to aid in properly tuning in stations
>
>--
>Check out my web pages for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac software.
>http://www.access.digex.net/~cps
>
>"One if by land, two if by sea" -- Paul Revere, encryption 1775

5624. Re: Loophole found in wiretap law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-1009981141020001@pm60-23.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6t7fcv$nma@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>, parnass@bell-labs.com wrote:

> I read the same article and interpreted it differently.
> Looks like the judge was ruling on the lawsuit against
> McDermott, not the Martins.
>
> The Martins did the taping and were fined.
> McDermott was allegedly given the tapes.

I agree. It has nothing to do with grabbing cell calls with a scanner.
That rule still stands it appears. It is s stupid rule, but it is still
there.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

5625. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6t8so1$1tak$2@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 144517
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <35f7e0da.928243@news.fastlink.com.au>, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry O'Grady) writes:
|> bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
|>
|> :On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:
|> :
|> :>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
|> :>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
|> :>what the frequencies are!.
|> :>You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2
|> :>thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
|> :>:-)).
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|> :No, commercial radios are MUCH cheaper than that, as are modified
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|> :>Even after that, get ready to spend thousands on Lawer fees, and/or
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|> :It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
|> :bands.
|>
|> In the USA it is illegal to be in possesion of a transmitter for
|> which you do not have a current license. Don't believe me? Check
|> with the FCC.
|>
|> Barry
|>

I don't believe you. Please provide a verifiable citation of US law or a verifiable ruling from the FCC.

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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

5626. Re: Anybody else hear KVLH on 2940 Khz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35f7f0c8.4614203@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

>I heard the second harmonic of KVLH 1470 Khz from Pauls Valley,
>OK last night from 10PM to 1 AM this morning. The signal was

I get a weak carrier there, but not enough to identify.

Try 2480 kHz. Last night I heard 2x1240 WWVQ AM from Aberdeen,
Mississippi carrying United Broadcasting Network programming and UPI
news. Lots of IDs during network breaks.

I've also been hearing some 2x15 MHz shortwave stations on my scanner,
between 30 and 32 MHz. Along with that, I generally hear a lot of
California lo-band VHF stuff.

5627. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35f7ff80.8775341@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 144519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:

:On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:
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:>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
:>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
:>what the frequencies are!.
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:>thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
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which you do not have a current license. Don't believe me? Check
with the FCC.

Barry

5628. Re: FAQ: New Scanner Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35F8010F.E615EE10@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 144520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,triangle.radio

Gunner wrote:
> What do you mean NEW USERS? I've been scanning for over 20 years and I
> even learned stuff in here.
>
> Rich Wells wrote:
> >
> > To All New Scanner Users,
> > If you are new to the radio monitoring hobby, I have compiled
> > To see this FAQ, point your web browsers to
> >
> > http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm

I've been meaning to change the message since this FAQ has expanded
beyond the original intent of simply catering to the often-asked
newbie questions. I'll try to remember this for the next time I
post but I might have to come up with a new name for it...;-)

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

5629. Re: Loophole found in wiretap law

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvillafane@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091016475200.MAA00809@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144521

hi bob
bob that goes to tell you that the goverment
can do what ever they please they thought they were doing their job as an
outstanding citicens and got slap on the face and now this
clinton crap you know and i know that the tape recording linda tripp did is
illegal the law states you have to have the third parties concent as to she or
he is been recorded i'm i correct so that tape should be thrown out of court
also what woman has sex gets semen on her dress and hangs it back up in the
closet with out washing it ???????
sounds like a set up to me enjoy 73's jose n1xwl
????

5630. Re: New Sony PC Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35F80429.83A6BBBB@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 144522

Tony Buttitta wrote:
> Has anyone out there bought the new Sony PC Scanner?

I wrote a first impressions article of it back in May
that you might want to look over. Go to my site below
and click on the Reviews button. Happy reading!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

5631. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35F8086A.34FA75EB@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 144523

Martin Hayes wrote:
> I think you might have missed a point here: the WR-3100e is an
> external radio. WinRadio have about 3 models of external radios and 3
> models of internal ones. Their reputation is very good. Icom's is
> also good of course, but not in the area of PC radios. Their first
> (and so far only) product, the PCR1000, has earned itself a reputation
> of poor construction

Poor construction? I think not. It's built like a brick. Hard to
build a metal enclosure poorly...especially coming from iCOM.

> low reliability

Low? I don't get that either. Some of us have problems getting
it to run on certain versions of Win95. Some have reported a
bug that mysteriously stops scanning. But to claim "low
reliability" I think I would have seen it if droves of them
were being returned due to failures.

You want to point out problems that's fine and what I
attempted to do above. You want to talk about poor support
from iCOM that's fine too...they seemed to have pissed
off about half of their buyers :-)

Low reliability, I don't see that at all.

> and non-existent software support.

Not true. I believe the PCR1000 has more, or at least equal
support from the third party vendors than does the WinRADiO
and it's been out a year longer.

While iCOM has been lame to fix problems and refuses to
release the protocol, there is much support for it from the
hobbyists and popular scanner software vendors.

With the release of more models, I think more vendors will
be tempted to support WinRADiO receivers since it appears
they are a more "serious" player in the market. Time will
tell.

I'm interested in how the 1000e/1500e will do against the
PCR1000. For now, I'll pick the PCR1000 over the 1000i any
day of the week. But that's just me...;-)

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

5632. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35F80AB3.808E987E@usa.net>
Source record: 144524

Your receiver/scanner will not be affected by the use of 75 ohm cable.
The impedance of the antenna and coax that the receiver sees constantly
changes as you tune different frequencies. In short, don't sweat it.

Glenn

John wrote:
>
> How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
> calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
> de-grade performance??? Any othe issues. Also, what's the best coax for
> a scanners lead-in???
> TIA

5633. AirNav latest information - The Aircraft Tracking Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Brandao <l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980910180956.17678M-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 144525

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Hello

Im sending this email to give you the latest information on
AirNav, the Aircraft Tracking Software.

It is already possible to download more AirNav Maps from AirNav
homepage.

AirNav Maps:
The collection now includes more than 30 maps for many parts of
the world.
New additions were made including many maps for USA, Canada and
Europe.
To install these maps just download and unzip them. That's all.

If you want to get more information on this just go to AirNav
homepage at

http://fly.to/airnav and follow Data Files Link.

In the homepage, it's also possible to download the latest full
version of the program and register it Online. You will receive your
unlock codes within 12 hours.
Hope this info is of your interest.

Best regards, Andre Brandao
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/ /\ AirNav 2.10 - http://fly.to/airnav
\__/ File generated by the Aircraft Tracking Software
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5634. SCANNER FOR SALE:PRO-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19399-35F80E8A-47@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144526

Item is in mint-near new condition.1000 channels with 25-520 and 760-1300-minus cellular.Has 10 search banks and weather search.Item is shipped for $230 priority mail.Please emal me if interested.

5635. @@@ REDUCED PRICE: Tranceivers / Scanners on sale @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <35f719c9.15699401@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 144615

This notice has been posted to appropriate radio related newsgroups.

I hate spamming as well.

Please do not frame it as I am not mass crossposting.

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*** BLOW OUT SALE *** All prices are negotiable !!!!!

@@@ RS Extended warranty costs $10 or more but this price is not
included in the price mentioned and I did not consider extended
warranty for deciding the price. I put the price for the rig itself
when you buy directly from the RS or other stores @@@

Everything is working perfect and will be checking once more before
the shipment. You may refuse the shipment if you have any doubts
that there are malfunctioning problems. We can discuss all of this
matter through the e-mail: webmaster@radiotelephone.net.NOSPAM
Please do not forget to remove .NOSPAM when replying !!

=-=-=-=-=-=-=- Listing for Amateur + CB + Scanner =-=-=-=-=-=-=-

Amateur Mobile:

HTX-242 Mobile Radio
- 136-174 MHz VHF 45W 2m receiver. Extend TX by
buttons.
- Purchased: March 1997
- Warranty: ~1.5 years RS extended warranty
- Asking: $160 CDN or $100 US + shipping(radio shack
price $399.99 CDN + tax). It's about 65-70% off the regular
purchase price (if you include the tax as well)
- Box + Manual + Proof of Purchase
- Note: This radio is cigarette lighter plug ready.
You do not need to attach a cigarette lighter plug. It's already
there. Working perfect. Low usage to now.

Power Supply (Techcessories)
- 6A max Power Supply. Works perfect for HTX-242
mobile. Want to use for HTX-202 ? I will give you a plug free !!*
- Purchased: March 1997
- Warranty:~1.5 years RS extended warranty
- Asking: $40 CDN (radio shack price 99.99 CDN + tax)
or $25 US + shipping
- One output and one cigarette lighter plug output
- Box + Manual + Proof of Purchase

RS Mobile Antenna
- Purchased: a year ago. i have two.
- Warranty: no
- Asking: $5 CDN (Original Price well exceeded $60
CDN)

All* of this [amateur gears] for... $200 CDN or $130 US FUNDS
I prefer sell all of these at once. Need an extra mobile
rig or start ham radio and looking for one ? This is a good
opportunity for you to add an extra rig !! 1st come (payment), 1st
serve.

==========
Amateur Portable:

HTX-202 SOLD at $99 CDN. No Longer Available !!
Thank you for your correspondance.

CBs:
TRC-484
- 40CH AM Mobile.
- Purchased: April 1997
- Warranty:~1.5 years RS extended warranty
- Asking: $60 CDN or $40 US (radio shack price $139.99
CDN + tax)
- Cigarette plug alREADY !!!!!
- Portable CB ANTENNA comes with this !!!!!
- Power can be modified up to ~8-15W (it is illegal.
do this at your own risk)
- Box + Manual + Proof of Purchase

TRC-485 looking for SSB CB for low cost ?
- 40CH AM, 80CH SSB
- Purchased: December 1997
- Warranty: 6 months RS warranty
- Asking: $130 CDN or $90 US (radio shack price
$299.99 CDN + tax)
- Cigarette plug alREADY !!!!!
- Mobile cellular look like ANTENNA comes with this
!!!!!
- Power can be modified up to ~8-15W (it is illegal.
do this at your own risk)
- Box + Manual + Proof of Purchase

I will try to attach antenna for all the CB rigs free.

Scanners:

Pro-28 Portable Scanner
- General VHF and UHF scanner
- Purchased: August 1997
- Asking: $59 CDN or $39 US (radio shack price $129.99
CDN + tax)
- Rechargeble Alkaline Batteries or Ni-Cads included.

- Box + Manual + Proof of Purchase

Accesories:

Micronta SWR/POWER Tester
- SWR/POWER Tester for HF
- Purchased in 1997
- $25 CDN or $15 US (radioshack price $44.99 CDN +
tax)
- ~2.5 years instant exchange extended warranty (i.e.
you buy this and if there is a problem, you can exchange it anyway...
although working perfect at this time)
- Manual + Proof of Purchase

=-

1st come, 1st serve.

Why selling: I am trying to clear up my stations... I am very busy
nowadays and do not have time for ham or CB...

ALL PRICES ARE NEGOTIABLE !!!!!!

Enjoy !!

Masataka Noda (Infinite Communications (TM)), Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
N&#65533; d' ICQ: 15115035
Pilote Avion Priv&#65533;
avec la qualification
de vol de nuit: Cessna 152 & Cessna 172
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
&#65533;tudient @ m&#65533;t&#65533;orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit&#65533; McGill
C&#65533;: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit&#65533; McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

Enlevez l' ".PAS_DE_SPAM" pour r&#65533;pondre.
ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!
Please remove ".PAS_DE_SPAM" to reply.

5636. Wanted 8500xlt Uniden

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbvarmint@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091000240800.UAA05228@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144616

W.T.B. Uniden 8500 xlt 500 channel scanner. must be reasonable. Glen CB Varmint@aol.com

5637. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t774v$gbl@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144617
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Yes, unless you are a licensed amateur operator.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

Experience is the worst teacher.
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Shannon Mossman wrote in message <35F553CE.7212@znet.com>...
>> It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
>> bands.
>
>That sort of depends... Isn't it illegal in some states to posess a
>radio in a vehicle capable of RECEIVING police communication?
>
>--
>Shannon L. Mossman
>KC6NRB, Escondido, CA

5638. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t77kk$j3l@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

>Not hard to find. Radio Shack sells guides listing the frequencies and
>often will have a free photocopied list of local police frequencies.

Yes, but those guides don't list the input frequency, or the CTCSS tones,
which are both required for almost all police systems (using repeaters).

>Many ham radios can easily be modifed to xmit on these bands. Instructions
>are available on the internet, and may involve minor soldering or just
>cutting a wire on some older radios. Radio price ranges $200-800 new,
>less used.

My Yaesu FT-470 requires no internal work.

>I don't think it's illegal. Citations of relevant laws to the contrary
>would be appreciated. However, even if it is legal, you can be
>harrassed, prosecuted, and/or have to spend thousands on legal fees even
>if you are "right." You can also lose in court even if you're right.
>Big money and connections often speak louder than the law in court.

It probably isn't illegal to transmit, as long as it is a dire emergency,
and no other form of communication is available.

>I think it's also (excluding emergencies) illegal to use a modified
>radio to transmit on police (or anything but ham frequencies) freqencies
>even if you are licensed to transmit on those frequencies. The FCC
>generally requires some form of approval of the radio for the specific
>frequency used.

In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
basically anything.

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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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5639. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t77kl$j3l@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Did you even read my post? I said "in the future". Do you need to look
"future" up in the dictionary?

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Rich wrote in message ...
> So you've changed that much in 3 days?

5640. Re: Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t770l$fia@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144620

I said nothing about any meters, Barry.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Barry O'Grady wrote in message <35f663bd.7931937@news.fastlink.com.au>...
>The number of meters on your radio has no bearing on how it works.
>

5641. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t7735$fvu@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Notice, any **amateur** station -- that is, a station containing [an]
amateur radio(s).

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73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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Just Cause wrote in message ...
>
>
>In article <35EF1582.1AD5@ix.netcom.com>, pobox*dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>>>
>>> Maybe the article on the URL below will clear things up:
>>>
>>> http://www.afn.org/~gars/fcc/p97-e.html#401
>>
>>
>>Yes, it's quite clear to me:
>>*****************************
>>> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>>> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>>> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>>> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
life
>>> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems
are
>>> not available.
>>***
>>If you have a Ham license, a police radio, and see a threat to life or
>>property -- it's perfectly legal to use the police frequency.
>>
>>This is what several have stated before.
>
>Ken, it is not clear to me. What I read is it is legal to use any radio
under
>part 97 to make the emergency call. It does not state "any" radio
especially

>one that is on a police frequency. Your ham license is not a license to
>operate any where you want.
>
>Try again!
>
>COP
>>
>>(ken)
>>
>>
>>
>>NOTE: To reply to this message replace (*) with (-).

5642. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t77o6$job@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144622

Not entirely correct (although, you are correct somehwat) -- an unlicensed person is not allowed to be a control operator, and many books state that unlicensed people should not have access to a radio (ie, it should be locked up, disabled, etc).
--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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zeno@magicnet.net wrote in message ...
>In article <35f1bc92.72410701@news.bell.net>, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:
>
>> When did it become an offense for someone to carry a ham radio around
>> if not licensed in the service? I think the cop was yanking his chain!
>
>I agree. It is NOT against any law to own a ham radio without a license.
>
>--
>If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it. Nothing cost anything.

5643. Re: Help With Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <6t77rj$kch@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Why wouldn't he just chop the Fs off and put his own BNC connectors on?

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

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John Habbinga wrote in message <6t4ek8$mf6$1@news4.wt.net>...
>Use RG-6 with F connectors on both sides. Use a F to BNC connector on the
>radio side.
>
>t-wil@usa.net wrote in message <35f7b5f7.6233767@news.corpcomm.net>...
>>I need to put up new coax to my antenna. What would be better:
>>using 9913 and then using adapters at each end to go from the UHF plug
>>(the antenna requires an F connector and the scanner requires a BNC)
>>or
>>using something like RG-6 and not having to use the adapters.
>>
>>Thanks for any help.
>
>

5644. Re: R10 Resistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <35f822e1.9465351@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 144624

On Wed, 09 Sep 1998 15:52:51 -0600, Shannon Young
<race3fan@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I am looking For a pair of the resistors to modify my R10. I went to
>Radio Shack today and they don't carry them.

Be aware this mod works only on the earliest versions of the R10. R10s
manufactured in the previous 12 months or so cannot be restored using
this mod.

Steve

****
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tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
****

5645. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <chuckiev@iname.com>
Message-ID: <6t7abtvmg1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 144625
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.law-enforcement,alt.law-enforcement-traffic,alt.support.road-rage,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

In New York State, the School bus with red on have the right of way. No questions. Our emergency response vehicles (police, fire, EMS) are required to shut down, light and siren and stop like everyone else. However must school busses with shut down and let us pass.

John and Lisa wrote in message <35F2605B.374BFF30@aloha.net>...
>> > What does a school bus law have to do with drivers
>> > becoming enraged at one another? Is there some
>> > hidden meaning here?
>>
>> No hidden meaning here. The message is clear.
>>
>> There will be ZERO Tolerance of motorist who engage in your "road rage"
>> in the presence of school bus drivers, crosswalk guards and children.
>
>What's wrong with ZERO tolerance for road rage no matter
>who it is in the presence of? How come something that is
>wrong is less wrong when there are no kids around?
>

5646. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fb3387.5728272@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144626
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>At least I help clean up this NG.

HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!

That's like Bill Clinton selling nuclear missile secrets to the commie Chinese, then getting a treaty with them promising they won't target their missiles at us!

Macadoon, you CAUSE 99.999% of the trash in these newsgroups, so your pathetic, laughable claim to clean them up is pathetic and laughable!

HAHAHAHAHA! Oh, you be funny!

5647. Re: New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6tbudi$dqi2$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144327

How much does RS sell these units for?

What's a better deal this or the PRO 2041 for $79.00?

BTW I thought they didn't pick up cells anymore

rick

5648. PC Monitor causes interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6tbujk$fhim$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144328

My PC Monitor causes interference with my scanning. This is about the only time I have to listen.

Any suggestions?

I bought it about four years ago; are the new monitors also that prone to interference?

Rick

5649. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tbub6$sr5@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144329

In <35f904f1.1735593@news.earthlink.net> thecbguy@iname.com (The Cb Guy) writes:
>
>
>>WRONG!
>>
>>First, I don't have the power to "get someone kicked off their ISP"
>>(Only the ISP has that authority).
>>Second, it is very sad that someone's actions were so bad that it causes
>>their ISP to revoke their access.
>>
>>
Smell-o fellah!

why not share with the readers
the letters you sent the ISP.

why not let us see how truthful
your "I did it to him's" were
up to our understanding of what
is real and what is smelly mackeral
at work.

betcha you cannot do it. One penny.

>>The problems went un-controlled for nearly 3 years untill myself & a few
>>others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed.
>

Smelly-boy...you really believe this shit you
secrete on our consciousness. problems
you got solved. you are the problem.

What I see now is that Bill Cheek is having
the last "ah hah".

he's enjoying life. Not bitching
about it as you are showing people
that stupidity runs in your family
once you slid down the backside of
your moma's leg...

It's great seeing PSYCHOLOGY in
action with the largess of smell....
a great place for people studying

"aberrant behaviour" types such as
yourself. you open up to many sores.

Mind-sores.

bill conduit
etc.

5650. +++ 4sale PRO-2046

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <35F981BA.2EBA@amsat.org>
Source record: 144330

PRO-2046 Radio Shack scanner $100 + $10 shipping
29-890 Mhz, AM/FM, 100 channels
Box/Manual/DC pwr cord/Mobile bracket
Only 3 months old

TERMS:

1) Price is for CONUS only

2) Send me an eMAIL message to reserve scanner. If I receive several requests for the scanner, the tie breaker will be the date/time stamp of the eMAIL messages. First in gets the reservation, second in will go on wait list.

3) I will confirm your reservation via an eMAIL reply

4) Send US money order (no personal checks) to my home callbook mailing address. Include the shipping address where you want the scanner shipped to.

5) The money orders MUST be received by me within 7 days or the deal is assumed canceled. The scanner will either go to the next person in line, or relisted on the internet for sale.

6) I will ship UPS ground next day after receipt of your money order.

NE7X...

5651. WTB: Opto Scout 40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John McDermon <john@mcdermon.com>
Message-ID: <qGfK1.2132$Ly.518878@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 144331

Looking for a good deal on a used Opto Scout 40. I had one a couple years back and now find I could make use of one again. Hate to have to buy a new one again!

John

5652. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F9883F.363F1879@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144332

I will second that !!! Free cable from the cable guy is a nice way to go. I have been using 75 ohm cable (RG6 & RG11) for a long time and found that it works quite well. IMHO RG6 beats RG8 hands down for scanners. I seem to quite a bit more with RG6 especially in the 800mhz & 900mhz bands.

Just my 2 cents...

Mike

Blake Bowers wrote:
>
> On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 05:47:36 -0400, John <jwschn@ntr.net> wrote:
>
> >How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
> >calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
> >de-grade performance??? Any othe issues. Also, what's the best coax for
> >a scanners lead-in???
> >TIA
> >
>
> You will find, that 75 or 50 ohm coaxial cable will both work just
> fine for scanners. In fact, often times, you can get 75 ohm cable
> for free from your local cable guy.
>
> What is the best cable? Depends, but a good 75 ohm FREE cable
> beats just about any cable that you otherwise have to PAY for!

5653. Re: repeater inputs/outputs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F98A9E.9C25727A@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144333

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Base/Repeater Mobile Input Offset
150-152mhz 157-158mhz +5.26mhz (Taxi)
+5.26/+6.46 (Milbie Phone)
160-162mhz 156-157mhz -4.6mhz (Marine VHF)

Nope this helps...

Mike

Michael wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I was wondering if anyone knew of a list of repeater input/output
> frequencies for the 150 MHz spectrum. I'm curious as to whether there is
> a fixed offset or if different services have their own in/out freqs. For
> example, I would like to know the repeater input for the repeater output
> 154.515 MHz and the repeater input freq for the output of 158.220 MHz.
> Being that these are two distinct services, is their offset different?
>
> Thanks for any help.
>
> --Michael
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5654. Pro 2040 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F9807D.1F88@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144334

Is this a good radio. Was at "The Shack" today and they have 1 left,
Going for $79.99. Wondering if anyone has had any problems or complaints
with this radio.

Thanks,
Shan

5655. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F98575.517@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5656. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F985E2.33E6@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5657. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F98616.7673@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5658. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F986F0.28E6@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5659. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F9893D.1422@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144339
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5660. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F98864.2D7C@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5661. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F9892E.392C@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5662. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F98A2A.5D5A@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I apologize to the news group for this one. My server kept telling me the server was down, and I kept trying to get it to send. Little did I know it sent the first time. I'm very sorry.

Shan

5663. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35F9864A.398F@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10 software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly appriciated.

Shan

5664. Re: repeater inputs/outputs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F9939A.19CB@parg.org>
Source record: 144344

Michael wrote:
> I was wondering if anyone knew of a list of repeater input/output
> frequencies for the 150 MHz spectrum. I'm curious as to whether there is
> a fixed offset or if different services have their own in/out freqs. For
> example, I would like to know the repeater input for the repeater output
> 154.515 MHz and the repeater input freq for the output of 158.220 MHz.

Except for Marine band & the now almost totally defunct mobile
telephone band there is no standard offset on VHF. 154.515 is in
neither of those services. The offset could be nearly anything.

5665. Re: Will the OYE BOY Make an Appearance This Holiday Weekend?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091121322900.RAA28422@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144345

In article <1998091111395600.HAA25017@ladder01.news.aol.com>, kc8jbo@aol.com (KC8JBO) writes:

>In a drunken stupor <1998091105560600.BAA13827@ladder03.news.aol.com>,
>cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) grunts:
>
>>CB Rambo sez: "HAW HAW HAW!"
>
>Mainly because his substandard English skills and 7th grade thought processes
>limit his ability to do anything else.
>
>>Actually, though, I always get the final post. It's "Still waiting to hear
>>from your lawyer, OYE BOY!" Followed by dead silence from the other party.
>>Then, as you have observed, the conversation is resurrected approximately
>six
>>months later.
>
>Self-delusion as well, you're in pretty bad shape, Dimbulb. Hopefully, the
>electro-shock will do what the Lithium cannot.

Sticking up for your buddy again, Woger Wacko?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5666. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F99E80.2E30@parg.org>
Source record: 144346
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> YOUR logic is seriously flawed, Mackalooney ! The only reason there was a
> problem in the first place is because you CREATED one !

WRONG!

There were problems with Bill on this NG LONG before I arrived here! Do
you want me to make some re-posts from dejanews of the complaints &
problems people had with Bill back then?

> It is YOU that
> carried on with it for three years !

Another lie, I have only been on this NG for 2 years!

> You`re STILL carrying on with it, even
> though Bill isn`t even HERE. You can`t keep your nose out of any posting
> about Bill Cheek.

Yet another lie! YOU are the one who keeps posting about Bill &
starting
new threads! Bill left this NG nearly a month ago when his ISP kicked
him off for abuse yet YOU keep posting messages to rally support to
appeal the decision of his ISP! YOU are the one keeps repeated posting
about
Bill. You even admitted you started this thread of "Bill Cheek can use
your
help now"!!!!!!

5667. Re: Mackeys Record For Controlling The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F99911.5414@parg.org>
Source record: 144347

Mr. WireHead wrote:

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> others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed."
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How pathetic you are, I suggest you try a reality check on YOURSELF!

You LENGHTY repost of a message written by someone else provided NOTHING
to unsettle the statement I made above that you were attempting to
attack.
Your message was nothing more than repeating someone else's GIBBERISH!

5668. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F99978.61A0@parg.org>
Source record: 144348

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> why not share with the readers
> the letters you sent the ISP.
>
> why not let us see how truthful
> your "I did it to him's" were
> up to our understanding of what
> is real and what is smelly mackeral
> at work.

Those were private e-mail written to "abuse@san.rr.com" &
"abuse@rr.com".
If you get the permission of both of those parties I will post the
letters you request above.

5669. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F99AF8.2131@parg.org>
Source record: 144349

Phil Smalley wrote:

> To begin with, I asked you first. If you leave this NG, the crap will
> stop.

That is only your distorted opinion.

> Secondly, my contributions to this NG and scanning in general far
> outweigh ANYTHING you have said or done for the hobby, period.

By who's standard?

My, my, you seem AWFULLY HIGH ON YOURSELF!!

> So, my leaving this NG would be no contribution at all.

You said you would leave once before to let this newsgroup
get back to business. Then you returned to cause more problems,
like now.

> Thirdly, leaving Hughes was MY decision, not theirs, and it had nothing
> to do with you. My family and I had made the decision to return to
> Arizona, and shortly after my arrival, I accepted a better, more
> rewarding and higher paying job, much closer to home than before.

A couple weeks ago you said it wa a temp job that ended. You should
try to keep your stories straight!

> Never
> once was I even approached by ANYONE at Hughes regarding my use of their
> Internet resources - even if it was against policy,

I don't believe that!

Would you like me to tell you who stated that action was being taken
towards you?

> disappointing you, but Hughes had more important things to do than
> listen to you snivel.

So you are now admiting they did receive e-mail from me!!!!

5670. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F99B32.118C@parg.org>
Source record: 144350

MAlexder wrote:
> This may be the most astute observation that any of us have made about Mackey's
> motives for disrupting the newsgroup. That's what it's all about, isn't it? For

That means nothing coming from someone as warped as you who causes so
much trouble!

5671. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6tc6p8ubt1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144351

John Mackey wrote in message <35F8BBA2.731D@parg.org>...
>Jack wrote:
>
>> On Wed, 09 Sep 1998 22:53:37 -0700, John Mackey wrote:
>> >I have responded on topics such as coax, antenna polorization, 10 meter
>> >repeater frequencies, etc.
>>
>> And these topics only took 3 years to cover! Basically you will cover
>
>I covered far more than that in the 2 years 2 months I have been on this
>NG. I'm not going to waste the bandwidth to list it all.

Why ? It will only take one or two reposts ! Go over to deja news and have a look at what you "contributed" to this group ! Too bad you can`t filter it for radio-related material ! You probably wouldn`t get any hits !

5672. Re: repeater inputs/outputs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eQyITFd39GA.79@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 144352

Michael <esoterix@geocities.com> asked:
> I was wondering if anyone knew of a list of repeater input/output
> frequencies for the 150 MHz spectrum. I'm curious as to whether there is
> a fixed offset or if different services have their own in/out freqs.

Other than the taxi service and mobile phones, it's catch-as-catch-can.
For a specific repeater, the input could be anywhere within the allocation
for that service (and local governments occasionaly ignore the distinctions
of police/fire/govt assignments on their licenses).

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Paired Frequencies

Base/Rptr mobile i/p offset

152-152 MHz 157-158 MHz +5.26 MHz (Taxi)
+5.26/+6.46 (Mobile Phone)
160-162 156-157 -4.6 (Marine VHF)
217-218 219-220 +2 (Marine AMTS)
220-221 221-222 +1
422-425 427-430 +5 (Great Lakes border)
450-465 455-470 +5 (10 MHz segments)
470-509 473-512 +3 (6 MHz segments)
851-896 806-851 -45
935-940 896-901 -39

5673. Re: Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shaun <lstrain@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oini1Xd39GA.228@upnetnews05>
Source record: 144353
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

You need to take it to a Motorola dealer. Look in your yellow pages under radios. You can not do this yourself, unless you want to spend big $$$$$$ on software, cables, and a radio interface box. Your best be is to take it to a dealer.

Shaun

Bobby Woolard wrote in message <01bdddb3$e8dfafa0$2d71d6d1@ogleboog>...
>
>How do you program thes radios for other freq. and options?
>You know that I know that you know!

5674. Yet some more questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35F9AC1E.BEFE53C7@geocities.com>
Source record: 144354

Hi again,

I've noticed something over some time.. over the 10 years I've been listening to scanners (I had forgotten some of the repeater pairs as I've been out of radio for some time, and asked about these in my last post.. thanks to everyone who helped).. Back in the 80's there was heavy useage of the 152 MHz and 454 MHz mobile phone frequencies. What exactly were/are these frequencies used for. Now all I hear is an occasional pager transmission in there, but no more phones. In fact, in just the last 4 or 5 years the useage of the 454 MHz telephone maintenance interconnects have gone completely. I imagine that whoever was using these frequencies is now the proud owner of a cellphone (or PCS phone). Someone please enlighten me on the enigma of these frequencies.

--Michael

5675. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35F9B024.269C149C@usa.net>
Source record: 144355

John Mackey wrote:
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> John wrote:
> > How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
> > calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
> > de-grade performance???
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> You won't harm the scanner, but there will be a slight decline in
> performance compared to using 50 ohm coax.
>

So you would recommend using the 50 Ohm RG8 over 75 Ohm RG6 for overall
scanner performance?

5676. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Carlyle <rcarlyle@intop.net>
Message-ID: <35F9B8E0.1078@intop.net>
Source record: 144356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

If you where able get a radio to transmitt on the Police frequency you still would have to get the right CTCSS or DPL for that department, and if the department has repeaters then you need both frequencys to be able to talk and listen to then. Tranmiting on the police frequency is a VERY BIG DEAL so if you do and your not autherized to do so like EMERGENCY SERVICES PERSONAL, then be prepared to defend yourself. Also the haveing a radio that is illegaly modified to transmitt out of HAM band is ILLEGAL to have unless your part of MARS and CAP.

5677. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Carlyle <rcarlyle@intop.net>
Message-ID: <35F9B923.6004@intop.net>
Source record: 144357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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5678. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6tcdulnqn1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

>A week ago I saw some butt hole posting a load of rubbish.
>
>Starting from that time, we are now a week in the future,
>and nothing has changed.
>
>And as we always live in the present, the future will never come,
>and presumably I will always see a butt hole posting rubbish.
>
>Kim
>

I just saw one as well....

5679. Mackeys Record For Controlling The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F94E2C.6C059BB@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144359

John Mackey wrote:

> Mr. WireHead wrote:
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> > John Mackey wrote:
> > "The problems went un-controlled for nearly 3 years untill myself & a few
> > others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed."

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5680. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35F9C5CB.CA274831@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144360

From personal experience I have learned the 75 ohm RG6 is better than 50 ohm RG8 for listening to high frequencies (ie. 450, 800 & 900mhz).

I just repalced a 50 foot run of RG8 in good shape with RG6 and am hearing things on 800 & 900 mhz that I was not hearing before. The impedence mismatch is by far out weiighed by the inprovement in reception.

Mike

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> scanner performance?

5681. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35F9CC73.7AEA@parg.org>
Source record: 144361

Zombie Wolf wrote:
> Why ? It will only take one or two reposts ! Go over to

Why should I worry about your pathetic, single opinion?

5682. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35F9D59E.6091C998@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144362

MAlexder wrote:

> >From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
>
> Mackey sputtered several lies and then attempted to blame others for his own
> shortcomings...
>
> Dr Zombie Wolf has analyzed you and it is quite evident that you are fixated on
> your father bill Cheek. It is the only reason that explains why you have posted
> 13,000-plus off-topic posts all with the singular aim of getting attention for
> yourself.

Have to admit, Zombie Wolf has probably got that one pegged; "fixation on father
Bill Cheek" certainly hits the mark. Casual readers know you're totally loony.
Now it seems we've actually got a credible diagnosis on your particular dementia.
(At least *one* of 'em.)

You friggin' loon.

5683. Request: Carlsbad CA PD, FD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wattaguy@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35F9D75B.E0935FE7@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144363

Please provide the frequencies for Carlsbad CA Fire, Medic & PD.

Also Oceanside and Escondido if you have them.

Thanks

5684. Re: For Sale AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <35F9D7DD.24DED22@ncia.net>
Source record: 144364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I finally got a reply on this so it is for real

Arthur R Howard wrote:

> I have sent several replies to this post with no results.Anyone else
> haveing this problem???????A spoof maybe?
>
> Dickie Venables wrote:
>
> > I have a like new AOR 8000 with Scout mod., case, CU 8232 computer
> > interface and charger for sale. Unit is approx. 1yr old. No scratches.
> > Ex. cond. Works perfectly. I have org. boxes and receipts.
> >
> > Getting out of the scanner business.
> > E-mail if interested.
> >
> > $400 firm
> >
> > Richard
> >
>

5685. Re: CT-17 (R10)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmilr@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6tcnko$2bku$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144365

Then in theory you could wire a second cable with a female and male connection where the wires reverse and not screw up your 40 or 50 Dollar investment?

Joost wrote in message <35f19ff3.1059349@news.xs4all.nl>...
>Hi Shannon,
>
>Please take a look at my IC-R10 for a description of how to modify an
>existing OPC-478 cloning cable to a CT-17 level converter. This 'mod'
>means swapping two wires...
>
>http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
>
>Regards,
>
>
>
>==================================
> Joost van Stuyvenberg
> Utrecht, The Netherlands
> stuyvenberg@bigfoot.com
>==================================
> for IC-R10 information see:
>http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10
>==================================

5686. Mackey's Record For *Controlling* The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F9DFC0.24ECC89E@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144366

John Mackey wrote:

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> > others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed."

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root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
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US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5687. Deja News Results - Mackey Uses It - Yet Denies Facts !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35F9E299.30AE1C7@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144367

John Mackey wrote:

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Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5688. Re: scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmilr@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6tcoidlju1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144368

Well americafirstfinancial.com is looking into what this person did and who it is so they can prosecute or whatever. I was 'sweet enough' to write a letter to abuse@americafirstfinancial.

DenB wrote in message <01bdd87c$73c55b20$b7685ed1@oemcomputer>...
>> I think you nailed it there-he had to have a copy of the institution's
>name on paper in front of him for it to be the only thing correctly spelled
>on the post!
>> Dennis
>> djmr26@bestweb.net
>
>John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net> wrote in article
><6sief7$gd8$1@news4.wt.net>...
>> I think this guy is one of the 4% that got turned down for a credit card
>> from this financial institution and now he is trying to mailbomb them.
>>
>> >ic725@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> >
>> >> YOUR A BUNCH OF PERVERTS LISTINING TO OTHER PEOPLE ON SCANNERS. IF
>YOU
>> AGREE
>> >> RIGHT ME AT sales@americafirstfinancial.com AND WE CAN TALK ABOUT
>BANING
>> THEM.
>> >>
>> >> THANKS.
>>
>>
>>
>>

5689. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Miller <jfmilr@gate.net>
Message-ID: <6tcnut$1ls0$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 144369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

COM PORT = SERIAL PORT They are the same thing if you are on Serail Port 1
that = COM port 1.

Shannon Young wrote in message <35F98575.517@hotmail.com>...
>I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right
>into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net
>all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10
>software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the
>whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly
> appriciated.
>
>Shan

5690. FS: DX300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: digino@flash.net
Message-ID: <35F9E72F.72D8@flash.net>
Source record: 144370

Radio Shack DX300 shortwave radio for sale. $100. Will COD.
Check it out at:
www.flash.net/~digino

73

5691. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FA1824.43BB@parg.org>
Source record: 144371

allsafe wrote:
> Have to admit, Zombie Wolf has probably got that one pegged; "fixation on father
> Bill Cheek" certainly hits the mark. Casual readers know you're totally loony.

WHY Zombie Wolf continues to carry his fixation on Cheek is
difficult to understand other than your sugggestion that he is "loony"!

5692. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FA1820.5151@parg.org>
Source record: 144372

MAlexder wrote:
> Do you expect that I or any one else should
> take you seriously?

Actually, it is YOU that no one takes seriously!!!

I really LAUGHED at you when after OBFD had been gone for MONTHS
you were still ranting & raving about him!

He was liging RENT FREE in YOUR little MIND!

5693. Re: Deja News Results - Mackey Uses It - Yet Denies Facts !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FA183A.2F4A@parg.org>
Source record: 144373

Mr. WireHead wrote:

> R E A L I T Y C H E C K
>
> Definitive data on the posting his

YES!!!!! YOU should do a reality check!!! You have posted this
senseless
repost of someone else's post about 4 times just today!!!

5694. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FA1835.3FDD@parg.org>
Source record: 144374

MAlexder wrote:

> Mackey sputtered several lies

Like what, MAlexder?

5695. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FA187A.5BB9@parg.org>
Source record: 144375

Mike Derryberry wrote:
> I just repalced a 50 foot run of RG8 in good shape with RG6 and am
> hearing things on 800 & 900 mhz that I was not hearing before. The
> impedence mismatch is by far out weiighed by the inprovement in
> reception.

Your improvement in reception was caused by replacing old RG-8
coax. Old RG-8 coax becomes very lossy after a few years of being
exposed to UV & that loss is mostly noticed at 800/900 MHz. You would
have noticed the same improvement if you replaced with NEW RG-8,
until the UV effect had aged the coax.

5696. Re: What are advantages of base scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6t9p6q$8s4@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 144416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35fa5bf4.13104343@news.prodigy.net>,
Dimen <Vuio@news.com> wrote:

>Are there any advantages to base scanners?...

More audio output.
Larger display is easier to see at a distance.
Larger keypad is easier to use without pressing two keys at
the same time.
Can use keypad without knocking over the scanner.
Don't have to worry about battery management.
Usually have more room inside the cabinet to add circuitry, jacks,
and controls.

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

5697. BEWARE>> BILLY WARE aka IDORFMODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jklein1050@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091100375000.UAA26415@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144417

BEWARE THIS GUY WILL SCREW YOU AND LAFF ALL THE WAY TO THE BANK>>>
Jklein1050@aol.com

5698. Re: 12.5KHz steps in 800MHz cellular range (30KHz steps)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35f97365.1427054@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>Being that I own a BC800XLT with 800MHz cellular range capabilities
>but with only the ability to tune in 12.5KHz steps within that range,
>what is it that I'm missing should I care to experiment in listening
>to those cellular frequencies?

Since it tunes in 12.5 kHz steps, two steps would be 25 kHz, which is just 5 kHz away from 30 kHz, so you're not missing much when the frequency received is 5 kHz away. Get a spreadsheet and load in the cellular frequencies in one column, alternating rows, then load in your starting freqency and do an Auto Fill of 12.5. You'll see where your frequencies are exactly on, pretty close or fairly far off. The first two of those will mean no difference, but you'll be missing at least a few channels. That is, if you were really to listen to cellular calls. Which you can't do. You can plug in the frequencies for experimentation, but you can't eavesdrop on the calls.

Whew! Glad I mentioned that!

5699. Re: What is a computer interface on a scanner good for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fa7497.1733402@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144419

>What does a computer interface on a scanner do? Does it help cellular
>scanning in any way?

It lets you upload and download massive frequency lists without having to punch them in by hand. You can also do search & store and spectrum analysis, logging and usage statistics, and probably lots of other stuff.

5700. VAYA ROLLO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gustavoj <gustavoj@arrakis.es>
Message-ID: <6ta0g7$bh0$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 144420

AQUI NO SE HABLA ESPA&#65533;OL O QUE&#65533;
LO BUENO ES QUE SEA DE TODAS LAS LENGUAS POSIBLES CUANTAS MAS MEJOR Y SI NO
QUE OS VAYAN DANDO.....

UN AMIGO.

5701. DESDE ESPA&#65533;A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gustavoj <gustavoj@arrakis.es>
Message-ID: <6ta0jbbhd1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 144421

UN SALUDO A TODOS LOS QUE LO LEAN .ESCRIBIR PRONTO UN BESO A TODAS.

UN AMIGO.

5702. military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bud Howard <budhow@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bddd19$516471a0$LocalHost@budhowar>
Source record: 144422

I am interested in buying a scanner especially for airshows. I've been told that the Thunderbirds and Blue Angels demonstration teams operate in the military frequencies (220-400MHz) in AM mode.

Can you recommend a scanner (new or used) that will do this for less than $200?

Thanks for your assistance

Bud

budhow@gate.net

5703. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ta2glgfi0@207.18.224.238>
Source record: 144423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 14:35:01 GMT, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:

>In the USA it is illegal to be in possesion of a transmitter for
>which you do not have a current license. Don't believe me? Check
>with the FCC.
>
Actually, I don't believe you, in fact, I know you are incorrect.

Please cite the rule you are refering to?

5704. Re: What are advantages of base scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35F88EC8.EA6006FE@home.com>
Source record: 144424

The advantages are similar to the advantages of my home stereo system over my handheld camping radio, my TV over my friend's handheld 2" screen TV etc.
The main advantage to anything handheld is that they are small, can be easily stored, and you can take them virtually anywhere.

Dimen wrote:

> Are there any advantages to base scanners? Do they have better
> antennas or do they pick up more stuff than handhelds? If they do,
> would a base scanner with an added antenna always be better than a
> handheld also with and added antenna?

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Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

5705. Re: Info needed , 2 way radio ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ta2nbgfi1@207.18.224.238>
Source record: 144425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 14:46:12 GMT, barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:

>
>All repeaters on amature bands can be used by all amatures at no cost.
>
No sir, at least not here in the US. Closed repeaters, open only to certain Amateurs, or in some instances Amateur radio groups, are quite common.

5706. A new message Board for all Radio Buffs!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@qsl.net
Message-ID: <6ta9kk$77n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144426

I have put a new message board on my website. Please feel free to use it, post messages to it.

http://www.qsl.net/n0vfp/wwwboard/wwwboard.html

Enjoy!
--
Lloyd Davies, N0VFP

http://www.qsl.net/n0vfp‰

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5707. FS : Radio Shack Pro- 90 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35f884b4.41457280@news>
Source record: 144427
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Radio Shack Pro-90 trunk tracking, hand held scanner for sale. The radio is MINT, in box with manual, all accessories, including "The Pouch" carrying case. Scanner was used approzimately 1/2 hour total.

$160.00 shipped to 48...No Trades.

E-Mail if interested.

Dan

5708. FS : Radio Shack Pro-64 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <35f8857d.41657701@news>
Source record: 144428
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Radio Shack Pro-64 scanner for sale, new in box, used about
15 minutes! Includes soft leather case.

$100.00 shipped to 48, NO TRADES.

E-Mail if interested..

Dan

5709. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980911041413 00.AAA03580@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144429

Bud,

While it is true that some Blue Angels and Thunderbirds frequencies are in
the 225-400MHz range, many others are in the 138-150MHz range, also in AM mode.
When you buy a scanner make certain that it has user selectable receive modes.
There are no new scanners with the 225-400 range that sell for $200 or
less, but there are a number of used radios that are in your price range. The
Pro-26 has already been mentioned, and it is a good choice. So are the Pro-43
and Pro-60. All three of these units were sold by RadioShack, and all are now
discontinued.
If you are interested in military monitoring then you should join Milcom,
the e-mail listserver dedicated to military monitoring.

To join MilCom,:

Send an e-mail message to: majordomo@qth.net
In the subject put: milcom
In the text area put: subscribe milcom

That's all there is to it. You should start receiving messages within a few
hours.
To post a message to the list members address it to milcom@qth.net
We have members all over the country, in Europe and Japan.
For help finding frequencies in your area just post a message stating your
location
and requesting frequency help and you should get some answers.

John Ward

5710. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35F8B0BD.9161D64F@geocities.com>
Source record: 144430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Highcove Family wrote:

> Can you use the R-10 with Probe? And I've heard I need a CT-17(?) CI in
> order to use any kind of computer control software (besides simple
> download, which can be done with a cloning cable). Is there any way to
> build one, or is that way too complex a piece of equipment?

Hello,
I wouldn't waste money on the CT-17 interface unless I had a few icom radios to control. There are two ways to connect your R-10 to your computer which are very easy. First off, if you own the OPC-478 already, there is a simple modification to the cable which will let you bypass the need for a CT-17. Second, if you don't have that cable, you can go to radio shack and purchase a 1488 and 1489 (quad line driver/receiver) along with a few other inexpensive parts and build a very simple interface for under $15 which I currently use. There is another mod out there which is listed in the ARRL Handbook which I plan on getting sometime soon.

I have read also that the cloning cable is nothing more than a stereo wire with 1/8" male (headphone-like) plugs at each end.

Here's the place to find these mods and all you're looking for concerning the R-10: http://www.xs4all.nl/~jstuyven/r10/

-Michael

5711. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35f8b338.1311610@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144431

On 11 Sep 1998 04:14:12 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>Bud,
>
> While it is true that some Blue Angels and Thunderbirds frequencies are in
>the 225-400MHz range, many others are in the 138-150MHz range, also in AM mode.
>When you buy a scanner make certain that it has user selectable receive modes.
> There are no new scanners with the 225-400 range that sell for $200 or
>less, but there are a number of used radios that are in your price range. The
>Pro-26 has already been mentioned, and it is a good choice. So are the Pro-43
>and Pro-60. All three of these units were sold by RadioShack, and all are now
>discontinued.

Actually, I caught someone talking about the "Sportys aviation
scanner" or something like that like 20ch with 100-400mhz coverage for
like $150. I don't know a lot about it, but I'm sure someone here has
a url! Sounds good, I might have to get one.

> If you are interested in military monitoring then you should join Milcom,
>the e-mail listserver dedicated to military monitoring.
>
>To join MilCom,:
>
>Send an e-mail message to: majordomo@qth.net
>In the subject put: milcom
>In the text area put: subscribe milcom
>
>That's all there is to it. You should start receiving messages within a few
>hours.
>To post a message to the list members address it to milcom@qth.net
>We have members all over the country, in Europe and Japan.
>For help finding frequencies in your area just post a message stating your
>location
>and requesting frequency help and you should get some answers.
>
>John Ward

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5712. Re: Will the OYE BOY Make an Appearance this Holiday Weekend?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091105560500.BAA13823@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144432

In article <1998091103411800.XAA26450@ladder01.news.aol.com>, k5pf@aol.com
(K5pf) writes:

>>
>>>Yeah? So? :)
>>>
>>>Its my time to waste, isn't it? (actually no, since I work strange hours).
>>
>>And what exactly is it again that you do for a living?
>--
>This conversation repeats every six months in the NG. Therefore, as a public
>service, we are providing this advance copy of the remainder of the thread in
>order to speed up everyone's browsing:
>
>Rambo: And what exactly is it again that you do for a living?
>
>Eric: First, tell me what you do.
>
>Rambo: I asked you first. At least I have a job. You don't, or you wouldn't
>have answered my question with a question.
>
>Eric: I don't owe you any explanation. I have a job. End of story.
>
>Rambo: You have no job and you live with your mother.
>
>Eric: Tell us what you do, Rambo.
>
>Rambo: I said, I asked you first. Tell me what you do. If you have a job,
>that should be no problem.
>
>Eric: Have you been fired from the radio station yet? You know, the one you
>went to after you were run out of Florida.
>
>Rambo: I never said I work in a radio station.
>
>Eric: I notice you did not deny my accusation.
>
>Rambo: I don't have to deny anything.
>
>Eric: We got you dead to rights, you-of-many-screen-names. We saw your
>picture on the station web site. UGH!
>
>Rambo: You are blowing smoke.
>

>Eric: Deny it! Deny it!
>
>Rambo: This started by my asking you what you do for a living. You have not
>answered the question. Or do you have to consult with your "attorney".
>
>Eric: You'll hear from my attorney. Ask him yourself!
>
>Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.
>
>(Did I miss anything, Boys?)
>
>END FAST FORWARD
>==
>We now return control of your computer to you.
>==

CB Rambo sez: "HAW HAW HAW!"

Actually, though, I always get the final post. It's "Still waiting to hear from your lawyer, OYE BOY!" Followed by dead silence from the other party. Then, as you have observed, the conversation is resurrected approximately six months later.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5713. Re: VAYA ROLLO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091106001300.CAA14132@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144433

In article <6ta0g7$bh0$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>, "gustavoj"
<gustavoj@arrakis.es> writes:

>AQUI NO SE HABLA ESPAï¿½OL O QUEï¿½
>LO BUENO ES QUE SEA DE TODAS LAS LENGUAS POSIBLES CUANTAS MAS MEJOR Y SI NO
>QUE OS VAYAN DANDO.....
>
>UN AMIGO.

Uh, Speak English, Jose.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5714. New AOL Directory for Radio Hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6taebc$v3m$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

AOL is setting up a directory called Hometown AOL. It is a directory of AOL member homepages. The site is at http://hometown.aol.com/ and you can follow the links to the Ham Radio and Electronics.

Categories / Hobbies&Interests / SpecialtyInterests / HamRadio&Electronics

5715. Re: Orange County Calif. Cabs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stanley M. Kelton" <stanleymkelton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35F8CFBF.431B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144435

Bud,

Thanks for the tip. I had, and I did again, try the 5 MHz offset, as
well as scanning that area, but no cigar.

I think you are right about it having something to do with the way it is
set up. The dispatcher sometimes barks at the cabbies about the order
in which they are responding to his dispatches. I don't quite
understand the set up, but maybe someone else who does will post.

Thank,

Stan Kelton

Bud wrote:
>
> On 10 Sep 1998 06:47:43 GMT, "Stanley M. Kelton"
> <stanleymkelton@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> >I hear Orange County, California cabs being dispatched on 452.3000.
> >However, I never clearly hear the cabs answering, i.e. sometimes if the
> >dispatcher leaves his mike open long enough I can barely hear the cabs
> >answering on some type of talk back setup. I thought there was supposed
> >to be some kind of offset, but I have been unable to find it.
>
> Try 5 mhz higher, that's the standard split on that band. It's not
> uncommon for cab companies to have non-repeated mobiles, that makes it
> harder for the drivers to try to steal each others fares.

5716. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Wood <timfy@csi.com>
Message-ID: <#avKlNW39GA.287@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 144436

Okay, okay ... you guy's win. I'm pi**ed off with downloading a hundred or so posts a day that are so off topic that you would need a twisted kind of logic to see where they originally came from. I have subscribed to this group for ages but it's just not worth my time any more. I need help and advice with my radios, not pages and pages of juvenile abuse. I'm quitting my sub and I'll try and find a sensible group. Shame really cos from what I can make out about ninety nine point nine percent of subscribers show a real interest. But as far as I can see, this group has been hijacked by a few individuals with serious personality disorders. Bye all.

5717. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6tb0kk$pi2$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144437
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John Mackey wrote in message <35F8BB34.48C8@parg.org>...
>Mike Derryberry wrote:
>
>> John it must make you feel like you have such power to get someone
>> kicked off their ISP.
>
>WRONG!
>
>First, I don't have the power to "get someone kicked off their ISP"
>(Only the ISP has that authority).
>Second, it is very sad that someone's actions were so bad that it causes
>their ISP to revoke their access.
>
>
>
>> The newsgroup is un-moderated and will
>> take care of itself, if you will just let it.
>
>The problems went un-controlled for nearly 3 years untill myself & a few
>others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed.

YOUR logic is seriously flawed, Mackalooney ! The only reason there was a problem in the first place is because you CREATED one ! It is YOU that carried on with it for three years ! You`re STILL carrying on with it, even though Bill isn`t even HERE. You can`t keep your nose out of any posting about Bill Cheek. I would suggest that you get professional help, nutcake. You should have had these issues with your mental health addressed long ago. Once again :Bill is not your father, so you can stop "rebelling" against his "authority"..

5718. Re: Radio Shack pulse charger: OEM version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jknoll@visi.com
Message-ID: <ww7K1.865$E9.2955590@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 144438
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com (Mike "NO UCE" Schuster) writes:

>Those following the postings about Radio Shack's new NiCD/NiMH "pulse
>charger" (#23-410) may remember a posting from someone who opened it up
>and confirmed that the circuit boards all bore the Saitek name (makers of
>the "Ecco" charger).

>Well, the OEM version - or a variety thereof - may be out. Check out

>http://www.lifestylefascination.com/cgi/display.cgi?item_num=isc878a_file=/inventory/imag
es/isc878.jpg

>(Should this URL fail just go to the product section and look under
>ELECTRONICS in the second set of 21 products).

>Note that the blurb says this one does alkalines too. It obviously uses
>the same case and display as the Radio Shack version, but I wonder about
>what's inside.

I am planning to order a pulse charger today (Fri 9/11) from MCM
Electronics. Sorry, I haven't been following this thread so I don't
know what the RS model offers. But, the MCM (1-800-543-4330)
charger that does AA and AAA (model 29-1685) is $11.95. The charger
that does AA, AAA, C, and D (model 29-1690) is $13.95. Seems like
a great price. BTW, both chargers work with Ni-Cad and Ni-MH
batteries.

Here is what they say in the MCM sales catalog:

"Battery memory greatly reduces the useful life of Ni-Cad batteries.
A pulse charger breaks battery memory by sending DC pulses into the battery.
Fast charges batteries up to %95 of capacity and automatically switches
to trickle charge. Batteries are automatically discharged before
charging." Also says, "Charges two or four battery sizes".

Thats it. Heck for $14.00 plus shipping - not a bad price I think :)

Jim
jknoll@visi.com

5719. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6tb10h$6bo$0@207.18.224.83>
Source record: 144439

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 05:47:36 -0400, John <jwschn@ntr.net> wrote:

>How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
>calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
>de-grade performance??? Any othe issues. Also, what's the best coax for
>a scanners lead-in???
>TIA
>

You will find, that 75 or 50 ohm coaxial cable will both work just
fine for scanners. In fact, often times, you can get 75 ohm cable
for free from your local cable guy.

What is the best cable? Depends, but a good 75 ohm FREE cable
beats just about any cable that you otherwise have to PAY for!

5720. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091111224500.HAA24237@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144440

>From: "Zombie Wolf"

>YOUR logic is seriously flawed, Mackalooney ! The only reason there was a
>problem in the first place is because you CREATED one ! It is YOU that
>carried on with it for three years ! You`re STILL carrying on with it, even
>though Bill isn`t even HERE. You can`t keep your nose out of any posting
>about Bill Cheek. I would suggest that you get professional help, nutcake.
>You should have had these issues with your mental health addressed long ago.
>Once again :Bill is not your father, so you can stop "rebelling" against his
>"authority"..

This may be the most astute observation that any of us have made about Mackey's motives for disrupting the newsgroup. That's what it's all about, isn't it? For some reason Mackey views Cheek has a father figure and he has been carrying on in a warped attempt to get attention. You have to believe that--anyone who posts 13,000 off-topic messages really can't be normal. Excellent analysis Dr. Zombie Wolf, excellent indeed!

5721. Re: New AOL Directory for Radio Hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980911111261700.HAA26919@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144441

>From: "John Habbinga"

>AOL is setting up a directory called Hometown AOL. It is a directory of AOL
>member homepages. The site is at http://hometown.aol.com/ and you can follow
>the links to the Ham Radio and Electronics.

That's good--thanks for the info.

The Scanning Forum on AOL is absolutely horrible. It's populated by people who want mods to unmodifiable scanners. Another typical question is: "Where can I buy a Radio Shack scanner?"

5722. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35F90AB9.B1EA8DC1@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 144442

Lee Rothman wrote:
> Yeah. I'm with you on this one Rich. Not that I don't respect what
> WinRadio has to offer, but for my money the only one that raises my blood
> pressure is the WR-3100e, external for laptops.

Hi Lee,
Last I heard, you had to be a government agency or in law
enforcement to get one of these, no?

> But for real money (under
> the 2 grand asking price) I'll take the PCR1000 any time. I have had mine
> for a couple of weeks and am thrilled at the performance. I was told to
> expect to be under whelmed, but I have found just the opposite to even
> some of the issues you found with your test of it. First of all it runs
> downright cool, barely warm to the touch after an hour of operation.

Glad to hear it, and there does seem to be a wide variation in the
run-time temperatures users are seeing on these. I would characterize
mine as quite warm...nowhere near cool.

> The
> only time it stopped scanning was because of an incorrect setting on one
> of the tabs for scanning procedure.

Continue to keep an eye on it if you would. Users are reporting that it
just stops asynchronously after 2 - 20 minutes of scanning just fine.

> The sensitivity is nothing short of
> amazing (I compared with my AOR8000) and the audio is wonderful.

It is rather nice. I enjoy taking it along now that I have a laptop.
As long as I don't have to depend on the iCOM software which refuses
to run with it. ;-)

> Downright surprising though was the fact that I had a question the day I
> got it and waited only 5 minutes to talk to a technician, who by the way
> was downright fun to talk to and he even laughed as we talked about the
> hobby in general. I was pleasantly surprised by this and up till now am
> thoroughly satisfied. Thanks.

Nice to hear that people can enjoy it without the hassles that some of
us have been put through! Good luck!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

5723. Avoid low end internal WinRadio - WinRadio WR-3100e, OK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <%98K1.1107$hE.2526414@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144443
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

I agree Icom IMHO PCR-1000 external PC radio makes a better radio then low end inernal WinRadio when comparing them dollar for dollar, USA support for USA support, and quality for quality. The truly expensive WinRadio WR-3100e sounds like a good deal if you can afford it. This is a good external version. It had better be for that price!

Putting the radio card inside a computer is in the long run a bad idea for a variety of reasons. Noise being a big one. Isa bus is another. All the key technologies going into the computer will be on the PCI bus or newer buses at this time as the computer makers phase out ISA. WinRadio internal is still on the obsolete ISA bus. Buying a WinRadio internal makes as much sense as a person buying an expensive ISA sound card at this time. Even the recent high end and expensive ISA based SB AWE64 Gold can not compare to the quality of the new PCI sound cards.

FYI there has been a major advancement in PC sound which has moved to the PCI bus as predicted. Check out the specs on Creative Labs newest family of sound blaster cards which are now all PCI. The SBLive family of cards $100 to $200 are the ones to look at. The SBLive is a real sleeper at this time but has the potential to become one of this years hottest hardware items for the PC with the introduction of a $100 version. You have got to hear one in action, it is like was when we went from old CGA video to SVGA video! Only a fool would buy the similarly priced Sound Blaster PCI 128 or PCI 64 at this time. BTW I have two -&#65533; three month old PCI 64's for sale ($50 ea. mailto:fourphun@bellsouth.net) if any fools who are short on cash are reading this. The SB 64 will do some true 3-D audio in four speakers and may have some support for EAX in the near future as a software download from creative. I am switching to SBLive in both PCs.

The DSP chip on the SBLive is equivalent to a P-90 coprocessor just for sound. This card can output audio for up to eight different speakers. It can give you full control over multiple audio streams simultaneously (32 3-D audio streams in hardware alone -up to 512 midi instrument voices if devoted to music or any combination of these!). Anyway the potential of this card added to the audio output of radio signals is significant for shaping the signal and extracting information. Electrically this is a very clean low noise card that can supply noise free digital audio out if you need it. In the hands of hobbyists this card has tremendous untapped potential. More on SBLive can be found at http://www.sblive.com/product/benefits.html and http://www.sblive.com/product/faq.html . There is also a new private news server that you can log into now at -&#65533; news.creativelabs.com &#65533;- that discusses speakers, sound and the various generations of sound cards.

73 de ki4je

Lee Rothman wrote in message ...
>First of all, I applaud both Icom and WinRadio for their further designs
>of "outboard" units. Especially the fact that WinRadio has woken up to
>the fact that some of us like laptops and PCMCIA slots are a natural. Not
>to mention the lessening of internally generated noise from the computer.
>As an owner of an Icom PCR-1000 and having checked out some of WinRadio's
>products, my personal opinion is that unless you want absolute "State Of
>The Are" and are prepared to pay the $2,000.00 for the model WR-3100 I or
>E version, you might just as well get the Icom.

5724. Re: Good handheld antenna???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35F90B3C.E4E06544@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 144444

Shaun wrote:
> Whats a good rubber duck or whip type antenna for a handheld scanner for
> VHF-Hi use? I don't mean one of those Radio Shack telescoping things, but a
> rubber one? Any reccomendations?

From the New Scanner Users FAQ:

Handheld Scanner Antenna Review
Looking to get a few more signals out of your scanner? The antenna is
one of
the most important pieces and yet manufacturers usually provide a
mediocre
performing model that's more for portable convenience than reception.

To help you get the most out of your radio's reception, I wrote a
review on
nearly thirty antennas from many manufacturers. I even evaluated the
stock
units found on most of today's receivers.

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/rev_hant.htm

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

5725. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <35f904f1.1735593@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144445

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 22:55:00 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>Mike Derryberry wrote:
>
>> John it must make you feel like you have such power to get someone
>> kicked off their ISP.
>
>WRONG!
>
>First, I don't have the power to "get someone kicked off their ISP"
>(Only the ISP has that authority).
>Second, it is very sad that someone's actions were so bad that it causes
>their ISP to revoke their access.
>
>
>
>> The newsgroup is un-moderated and will
>> take care of itself, if you will just let it.
>
>The problems went un-controlled for nearly 3 years untill myself & a few
>others took actions. Your logic is seriously flawed.

Geezus H Kryst.......changed your posting name AGAIN mackey.......
Man, I'm not sure how many kill filters Agent can handle, but I'm sure
I'll find out with you.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

5726. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35f91314.1893443@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 144446

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

5727. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cop@com.net
Message-ID: <6C8K1.1331$Ly.283591@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 144447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <35F83FA4.7C1E@ix.netcom.com>, pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
>
>> >
>> >Ken, it is not clear to me. What I read is it is legal to use any radio
>> under
>> >part 97 to make the emergency call. It does not state "any" radio
>> especially
>> >one that is on a police frequency. Your ham license is not a license to
>> >operate any where you want.
>
>
>Let's examine the law again:

Yes lets do that.

>==============================
>S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
>life and immediate protection of property when normal communication
>systems are not available.
>==============================
>
YOUR:
>Translation: If you witness serious threat to life and property
>you may use "any means of radiocommunication" at your disposal, when
>normal systems are NOT available.
>
Mine and the Governments:
Only using a part 97 form of communications. Not part 90 or 85 or any of the other services. Read again, this is for part 97 rules..... If you use a public service frequency and you are not licensed to be there then you run the risk of being prosecuted. Part 97 does not save your "ass" when you do this.

>If you are not near a phone, you may transmit on *any* frequency you
>wish to resolve the situation.
>
>(ken)

COP

5728. Freq in Norway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: baara@baatsfjord.net
Message-ID: <35f920b9.863897@news.eunet.no>
Source record: 144448

Freq in Norway

Does anybody know, or have a list?

We can trade if you want.

5729. Service Manuals for Pro-62 an Pro-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: pturton@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35fa1f97.404504125@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 144449

It seems Tandy Canada is following its US boss by withdrawing availability of Service Manuals for their scanners from the scanner owners.

Yesterday while I was picking up a Service Manual for a Pro-60, I ordered Service Manuals for the Pro-62 and Pro-64. I listened as the store manager placed the call and was told that these manuals are NOT AVAILABLE. The clerk on the other end said something about copyright problemsï¿½. Yeah right!

I need Service Manuals for the Pro-62 and Pro-64. If anyone has a source of these manuals or others, please let me know.

Paul

5730. cool page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: noshoot@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tbcpikii1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144450

check out this cool page full of scanner info and neat frequency lookup subpage its the best place I've found yet

http://members.wbs.net/homepages/n/o/s/noshoot.html

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5731. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim@spittoon.com
Message-ID: <35f927e2.0@mercury.nildram.co.uk>
Source record: 144451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

"Ryan Fanny KC0DSZ" <jtossa@nospam.att.net> wrote:

>Did you even read my post? I said "in the future". Do you need to look
>"future" up in the dictionary?

A week ago I saw some butt hole posting a load of rubbish.

Starting from that time, we are now a week in the future,
and nothing has changed.

And as we always live in the present, the future will never come,
and presumably I will always see a butt hole posting rubbish.

Kim

5732. Help w/ Pro-2021 programming please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neen <ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <35F96679.BAAEB152@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144452

Hi All!

Just bought a RS pro-2021 last night (no manual). Can anyone tell me what the "monitor"
button/function is for and how to go about using it?

Also, are there any mods for this unit, like increased freq coverage in the VHF-LO area
(25-75MHz range) or increased sensitivity in this region?

I saw one mod on the NET about increasing scan speed by changing a 39k resistor to a 15k
resistor, but then saw another report on the same mod that says those resistors go in series!!
Which is it? The thing does scan pretty slow.

Many thanks!

MIKE, (ham radio callsign: ve9aa)

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271 Smith Road
Waterville Sunbury Co,
New Brunswick Canada E2V 3V6
<ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>

5733. FS: RS pro 37 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6tbc4ngol1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144453

I am selling a pro 37 in very good condition. It has not been modified but can be modified for full cell coverage. It has 200 ch., 800 mhz, delay, light, programmable search, lock out, priority channel, and hyperscan. It will also scan in some of the military range.
Reduced to $125.00

email at camper66@hotmail.com

5734. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980911143046 00.KAA07745@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144454

>Actually, I caught someone talking about the "Sportys aviation
>scanner" or something like that like 20ch with 100-400mhz coverage for
>like $150. I don't know a lot about it, but I'm sure someone here has
>a url! Sounds good, I might have to get one.

The Sporty's scanner is ok for someone on a really, really tight budget, but experienced scanner users are going to get frustrated. The radio suffers from terrible intermod and there is no channel lock-out. You have to delete an offending frequency from memory and re-program it later. The radio's one saving grace is great audio, and that's important for a scanner meant primarily for use at airshows.

John Ward

5735. pro2021 info found-tnx!MODS still wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neen <ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <35F96F61.54BBEC12@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144455

Hi All. Found the info I was looking for on the pro-2021 on the Net.
Actually, I found info on the RadioShack/Tandy page for the pro-2022
which must resemble
the 2021(!?). Either way, I think I have this *monitor* business
figured out.

Still looking for mods to the 2021-thanks!

MIKE-ve9aa :-)

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<ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>

5736. Re: Help w/ Pro-2021 programming please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980911150316600.LAA10662@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144456

the link for the radio shack scanner on-line manual page does not list the 2021
in its list, so most likely you will have to call rs.

5737. Re: cool page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091115032700.LAA13075@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144457

>From: noshoot@my-dejanews.com

>check out this cool page full of scanner info and neat frequency lookup
>subpage its the best place I've found yet
>http://members.wbs.net/homepages/n/o/s/noshoot.html
>
Gee, could it be the best you've found because you created it? Naw, it must be
a coincidence. Looks like the site is still under construction.

5738. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin.hayes@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f935d7.5587630@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144458

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 21:43:10 GMT, "Bill Crocker" <bcrocker@home.com>
wrote:

Bill:

>What is your source of information regarding the Icom PCR-1000? Have you
>actually owned one yourself, or are you judging it from comments made from
>other individuals?

I own both PCR1000 and WR1000. And no, I prefer to make my own
judgments. Let's face it, on the NGs, you can never be sure who posted
the message...

>I own one, it is made extremely well, it has been 100% reliable, and Icom
>supports it's own software, (included with the radio) very well, in my
>experience.

I have had WR1000i for about a year and PCR1000 for nine or so months.
During that time Winradio came out with about six or so good upgrades
(I mean adding new features not just fixing bugs). And yes, Icom has
fixed a few bugs in the meantime, but I can't regard a software
product supported well if, for example, it still can't run on the NT.

>I do find it interesting, in past flame wars regarding the Icom, vs. the
>WinRadio, that the major claim to fame, for WinRadio, was that it was an
>internal device, and Icom took a lot of heat, again for some unfounded
>claims, for being an external device.

If you look carefully at all the "flames", you will find that Winradio
was always on the defensive side. It was supposed to be worse because
it was internal, hence it had to be noisier. (In practice I haven't
experienced much difference between the two in this respect). If you
look at Icom's official advertizing, you will find that they even say
funny things such as their product being "100% external". It was not
Icom who took a lot of heat for being external, but rather Winradio
for being internal.

(BTW, I thought this "100% external" business advertized by Icom
was particularly funny given that it takes much more engineering to
fit the radio inside a PC than into an external box. Winradio must
have seen the funny side of this, because if you look carefully into
the recent issue of Monitoring Times, you will find, to your
amusement, "100% internal" printed alongside their internal cards and
"100% external" with their external boxes!)

> Now, WinRadio is following closely in Icom's footsteps, and introducing
> external devices.

Yes, they are, and I wouldn't be surprised if part of the reason is
that they felt the heat from Icom, but recall that it was not Icom who
invented a radio in a PC-controlled external box. Softwave (does
anyone still remember Softwave?) was the first.

I am looking forward to Icom's first "100% internal" model. It's gonna
be fun!

Martin
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>
>Martin Hayes wrote in message <35f7cb2a.7830902@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>...
>>On Tue, 08 Sep 1998 17:01:54 GMT, len999@ibm.net (Leonard Weldon)
>>wrote:
>>
>>I think you might have missed a point here: the WR-3100e is an
>>external radio. WinRadio have about 3 models of external radios and 3
>>models of internal ones. Their reputation is very good. Icom's is
>>also good of course, but not in the area of PC radios. Their first
>>(and so far only) product, the PCR1000, has earned itself a reputation
>>of poor construction, low reliability and non-existent software
>>support.
>>
>>Hope this helps.
>>Martin
>
>
>

5739. Re: What is a computer interface on a scanner good for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091115160600.LAA11926@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144459

>From: ft@mci.com (TJlbob)

>What does a computer interface on a scanner do? Does it help cellular
>scanning in any way?

The interface is only half the equation. It's the software that really "does"
stuff. Take a look at www.scancat.com, www.futurescanning.com,
www.interplaza.com/bensware and several other software related sites to find
out what sorts of features are available.

5740. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin.hayes@usa.net
Message-ID: <35f93aea.6886677@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 144460

On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 20:08:24 -0600, dcisive@earthlink.net (Lee Rothman) wrote:

>First of all, I applaud both Icom and WinRadio for their further designs >of "outboard" units. Especially the fact that WinRadio has woken up to >the fact that some of us like laptops and PCMCIA slots are a natural. Not >to mention the lessening of internally generated noise from the computer. >As an owner of an Icom PCR-1000 and having checked out some of WinRadio's >products, my personal opinion is that unless you want absolute "State Of >The Are" and are prepared to pay the $2,000.00 for the model WR-3100 I or >E version, you might just as well get the Icom.

Well, you already bought Icom, so, understandably, you need to defend your purchase, but since you say that "PCMCIA slots are a natural" and Icom doesn't seem to have one while WiNRADiO does (even on comparable receivers priced much less than $2000), then I remain a little puzzled by your choice....

5741. Re: Radio Shack pulse charger: OEM version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6tbk10$ur0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144461
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <ww7K1.865$E9.2955590@ptah.visi.com>,
jknoll@visi.com (Jim Knoll) wrote:

> Thats it. Heck for $14.00 plus shipping - not a bad price I think :)

It depends upon how much you value your investment in batteries, I guess.

NiMH and NiCd cells should NOT be treated the same for proper charging. And if your $14. charger does not monitor the temperature of your NiMH cells, than you might want to look elsewhere for a unit that will give you longer cell life.

- Clint Bradford

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5742. Re: Orange County Calif. Cabs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-1109981236080001@pm56-39.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144462

In article <35F8CFBF.431B@worldnet.att.net>,
stanleymkelton@worldnet.att.net wrote:

> Bud,
>
> Thanks for the tip. I had, and I did again, try the 5 MHz offset, as
> well as scanning that area, but no cigar.
>
> I think you are right about it having something to do with the way it is
> set up. The dispatcher sometimes barks at the cabbies about the order
> in which they are responding to his dispatches. I don't quite
> understand the set up, but maybe someone else who does will post.
>
> Thank,
>
> Stan Kelton

When I was a cab driver for 1 day in Pittsburgh, you could not hear the
other cabs radios..only the dispatcher. You have to wait for the dispather
to say that he is finished and is ready to speak to someone else. It can
be a real pain in the neck.

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

5743. Re: Radio Shack pulse charger: OEM version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6tblar$cls@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 144463
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,rec.photo.digital,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In alt.radio.scanner clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:
> In article <ww7K1.865$E9.2955590@ptah.visi.com>,
> jknoll@visi.com (Jim Knoll) wrote:
>
>> Thats it. Heck for $14.00 plus shipping - not a bad price I think :)
>
> It depends upon how much you value your investment in batteries, I guess.
>
> NiMH and NiCd cells should NOT be treated the same for proper charging. And
> if your $14. charger does not monitor the temperature of your NiMH cells,
> than you might want to look elsewhere for a unit that will give you longer
> cell life.

The cheap "pulse chargers" from MCM monitor nothing but the passage of time.

They use a CPU that divides the cycle into discharge, rapid charge,
top-off, and trickle, but does not monitor the voltage or temperature during
the charge process. They choose parameters that would be approximately
correct for most high-capacity AA cells, but they are just approximations.

5744. CTP Speech Inversion Descrambler royalty program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091117163300.NAA25777@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144464

Thanks for your interest in the CTP Royalty program.

Here is how it works.

1. You place our banner on your web page. This
will consist of a banner gif Picture of our DS49 Speech Inversion
Descrambler and text advertising it.
Once you place this banner on your
page you are done. There is nothing else to do. You are
given a number that goes after the Descrambler model number
right on the banner.
ie... DS-10. When someone calls us to order
with a credit card or orders through the mail using
your number, you earn a $5.00 royalty for that sale.

2. Royalty checks will be mailed at the end of each quarter.
ie.. end of March/ June/ September/ December.

3. You can email us at any time for an update of your sales.

4. Sales will greatly depend on the amount of traffic your site
gets daily, so increasing your site traffic through search
engine registration and link exchanges will help us both.

5. For each sale where the customer does not remember the model
number, ie... DS-10 we will asign the sale to the next
name on our list of program participants. This way eventualy
you will get credit for a sale even if the customer cant
remember the model number.

That's all there is to it.

If you are interested in participating in the CTP
royalty program, Email us at ctpds49@aol.com
your name and mailing address
and url of your web site and we will send you the banner asap.

Thanks for your time.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

5745. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: budhoward@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tbrekavv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144465

I saw this one also but do you think it will operate in AM mode??

Bud

In article <35f8b338.1311610@news.bell.net>,
kryppy_X@bellsouth.net wrote:
> On 11 Sep 1998 04:14:12 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:
>
> >Bud,
> >
> > While it is true that some Blue Angels and Thunderbirds frequencies are
in
> >the 225-400MHz range, many others are in the 138-150MHz range, also in AM
mode.
> >When you buy a scanner make certain that it has user selectable receive
modes.
> > There are no new scanners with the 225-400 range that sell for $200 or
> >less, but there are a number of used radios that are in your price range.
The
> >Pro-26 has already been mentioned, and it is a good choice. So are the Pro-43
> >and Pro-60. All three of these units were sold by RadioShack, and all are now
> >discontinued.
>
> Actually, I caught someone talking about the "Sportys aviation
> scanner" or something like that like 20ch with 100-400mhz coverage for
> like $150. I don't know a lot about it, but I'm sure someone here has
> a url! Sounds good, I might have to get one.
>
> > If you are interested in military monitoring then you should join
Milcom,
> >the e-mail listserver dedicated to military monitoring.
> >
> >To join MilCom,:
> >
> >Send an e-mail message to: majordomo@qth.net
> >In the subject put: milcom
> >In the text area put: subscribe milcom
> >
> >That's all there is to it. You should start receiving messages within a few
> >hours.
> >To post a message to the list members address it to milcom@qth.net
> >We have members all over the country, in Europe and Japan.
> >For help finding frequencies in your area just post a message stating your
> >location
> >and requesting frequency help and you should get some answers.

> >
> >John Ward
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5746. Re: Good handheld antenna???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: skypilot@writeme.com
Message-ID: <35fa5d01.18297508@news.visi.net>
Source record: 144466

Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com> pounded on the keyboard and wrote:

>Shaun wrote:
>> Whats a good rubber duck or whip type antenna for a handheld scanner for
>> VHF-Hi use? I don't mean one of those Radio Shack telescoping things, but a
>> rubber one? Any reccomendations?
>
>From the New Scanner Users FAQ:
>
> Handheld Scanner Antenna Review
> Looking to get a few more signals out of your scanner? The antenna is
>one of
> the most important pieces and yet manufacturers usually provide a
>mediocre
> performing model that's more for portable convenience than reception.
>
> To help you get the most out of your radio's reception, I wrote a
>review on
> nearly thirty antennas from many manufacturers. I even evaluated the
>stock
> units found on most of today's receivers.
>
> http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/rev_hant.htm
>
>Strong Signals,
>Rich Wells N2MCA
>http://www.strongsignals.net/

Hi,

I used Rich's tutorial to decide on a handheld antenna. I chose the Diamond
RH-77CA. All I can say is that it works great and runs rings around the
stock antenna that came with my AR8000.

Cheers

Brian

Brian J. Rueger | Hampton Div. of Fire & Rescue | "Who dares wins"
Lieutenant/Paramedic | EMS-3 (Station-10) | Hampton, Va.
B.S. Comm/I/SEL Pilot | MSgt, USAF (Ret.) 49199 | NREMT-P
Check out my home page: http://members.visi.net/~brueger
"Life is too short to drink LITE beer!!"

5747. OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <35F95BD3.181C@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144467

I found the following message, written by you, as reposted by Joe Nicholson. Obviously you still don't get the picture:

> YES, so have you considered the contribution you would make
> if you simply left? Didn't you get the hint when your previous
> employer Hughes Aircraft terminated you for abusing their internet
> connection?

To begin with, I asked you first. If you leave this NG, the crap will stop. You know it. I know it. Everyone else probably knows it too.

Secondly, my contributions to this NG and scanning in general far outweigh ANYTHING you have said or done for the hobby, period. How many scanner programs have you written, John? How many people have you helped on this NG? How many on topic posts have you made? I am not the only one who will agree that I have you beat on all three. So, my leaving this NG would be no contribution at all. However, your departure would be met with cheers and accolades from 90% of this group.

Feel free to conduct a survey on this NG if you like. Post a message asking everyone who wants you out to reply and say so, and see how big THAT thread gets. Personally, I don't think you've got the stones to post a message like that, so I just might do it for you.

Thirdly, leaving Hughes was MY decision, not theirs, and it had nothing to do with you. My family and I had made the decision to return to Arizona, and shortly after my arrival, I accepted a better, more rewarding and higher paying job, much closer to home than before. Never once was I even approached by ANYONE at Hughes regarding my use of their Internet resources - even if it was against policy, and I certainly was not and would not have been fired for it. Again, my apologies for disappointing you, but Hughes had more important things to do than listen to you snivel.

So I ask you again, bucko. Why haven't you shown yourself the door?

-Phil

5748. Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobby Woolard <bug@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <01bdddb3$e8dfafa0$2d71d6d1@ogleboog>
Source record: 144468
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

How do you program thes radios for other freq. and options?
You know that I know that you know!

5749. RS Mag-Mount Scanner Antenna on Clearance Sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: stmagnum@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091118300800.OAA04089@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144469

I was at my local RadShack the other day, and I noticed that the Magnet-Mount Mobils Scanner Antenna was on clearance for $9.97 !!! This is one-third of its original price of $29.99.

This is good-performing antenna, fair to good construction. Makes a great indoor antenna for a base scanner, too!

-- St. Magnum

"The early bird may get the worm,
but the second mouse gets the cheese."

5750. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr.Rogers@Kiddies.net
Message-ID: <35F998A4.3768@Kiddies.net>
Source record: 144470

Joe Nicholson wrote:
> john "diarrhea mouth" mackey is a DAMNED L I A R
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>
Welcome to the "Kiddies" scanner newsgroup. Readers should not be discouraged by the context of the previous posts by these susposed adult children. There some very interesting articles and help to new scanner listeners on this and the alt. scanner newsgroup.

My children act more like adults than some of the posters here.

5751. repeater inputs/outputs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35F96D3F.CF0687FA@geocities.com>
Source record: 144471

Hello,

I was wondering if anyone knew of a list of repeater input/output frequencies for the 150 MHz spectrum. I'm curious as to whether there is a fixed offset or if different services have their own in/out freqs. For example, I would like to know the repeater input for the repeater output 154.515 MHz and the repeater input freq for the output of 158.220 MHz. Being that these are two distinct services, is their offset different?

Thanks for any help.

--Michael

5752. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr.Rogers@Kiddies.net
Message-ID: <35F99A4C.68E@Kiddies.net>
Source record: 144472
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> YOUR logic is seriously flawed, Mackalooney ! The only reason there was a problem in the first place is because you CREATED one ! It is YOU that
> carried on with it for three years ! You`re STILL carrying on with it, even though Bill isn`t even HERE. You can`t keep your nose out of any posting about Bill Cheek. I would suggest that you get professional help, nutcake.
> You should have had these issues with your mental health addressed long ago.
> Once again :Bill is not your father, so you can stop "rebelling" against his "authority"..

Here we go in this newsgroup - adults acting like little children. My children act more adult than some of you people. You people sure can discourge new readers of this newsgroup from reading the interesting articles listed. I know that I don't appreciate digging through the junk to read the intent of the newsgroup - scanners -.

5753. Re: Relm MS200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6tbr7k$g3d@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 144473
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6tbq5l$94ua$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>,
Adam B Johnson <TXADAM1555@prodigy.net> wrote:

>...preparing to purchase a new scanner and have been looking
>at the Relm MS200 mobile/base unit. I was wondering if anyone
>has any information on this unit...

From my FAQ article SCANNER RADIO REVIEW BRIEFS:

[...]

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with
alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable
via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display.
Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio
jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs
are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob
Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review
which includes quantitative test results.

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

5754. Pro-2045 Discriminator Tap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: forts@mnsi.net
Message-ID: <35fd737d.2007835@snews.mnsi.net>
Source record: 144474
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I did a little surgery on my 2045 last night, and this is where I hooked into...

If you look at the CTCSS tone board (or the connectors if you don't have the board)....You will see 3 pins on one side, 4 on the other...

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o o o
^--------------I took the discriminator tap from here....
o o o o
^-------I took my ground from here.....
```

Using the standard data slicer that is available on the net, I have been running Trunker, ETrunk and MDT with no problems at all...

5755. WTB:pro-2021 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neen <ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <35F9AC18.F39CD1CF@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144475

The title sez it all.

73-Mike/ve9aa

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Michael Smith
271 Smith Road
Waterville Sunbury Co,
New Brunswick Canada E2V 3V6
<ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>

5756. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tbtsc$ekb@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144476
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <35F99A4C.68E@Kiddies.net> Mr.Rogers@Kiddies.net writes:
>

>Here we go in this newsgroup - adults acting like little children. My
>children act more adult than some of you people. You people sure can
>discourge new readers of this newsgroup from reading the interesting
>articles listed. I know that I don't appreciate digging through the
>junk to read the intent of the newsgroup - scanners -.

yes, you really told him off and
him and him and them and whoever.

it's kind of difficult walking
through a field of "cow patties"
not to have a "oh shit" experience.

and just think: that same shit in
a few months will flower many roses.

odd...no.

get an "attitude" change-up.

bill conduit
etc.

5757. Re: Pro 2040 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde73$f6b1e1a0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 144127

Hi Shannon,

The 2040 is a fast scanner. Thats about all I have to say `bout it that can be repeated in public.
I bought one when it first came out. I think it was a waste of money for what I spent on it. But for $80, maby I would have a different opinion of it.

The one thing I will warn you `bout is, Don`t hook it up to an outside antenna. The intermod is horrable. I get aircraft comming in on the police bands, & I don`t live close to an airport. I live in a small town with little radio traffic & STILL can`t use even the ant. that came with it. So it was stuck in a bedroom, without the ant. for use only when I hear the fire trucks go out at night.

The cheap plactic case lets in the strong freq`s. without the use of any antenna, so all I use it for is the police, rescue & fire.

Hats off to Radio Shack for lowering the price to $80. I hope they are starting to sell stuff for what it`s REALLY worth.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<35F9807D.1F88@hotmail.com>...
> Is this a good radio. Was at "The Shack" today and they have 1 left,
> Going for $79.99. Wondering if anyone has had any problems or complaints
> with this radio.
>
> Thanks,
> Shan
>

5758. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde74$a1193bc0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 144128

MAlexder,

Couldn`t you have put this another way? I don`t feel that this is fair to Bill. I know if Bill WAS Mackey`s father, he would have killed him when he was a pup. ;>)
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article <19980912014445OO.VAA06129@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>
> Dr Zombie Wolf has analyzed you and it is quite evident that you are fixated on
> your father bill Cheek.

5759. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde75$644008e0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 144129

Does anyone really think that John`s going to post ANYTHING that even closely resembles a good answer to ANY scanner question? Don`t hold yer breath!

Charlie

MAlexder <malexder@aol.com> wrote in article <19980912014847 00.VAA06827@ladder01.news.aol.com>...

> Hey John, I'm thinking of getting the UBC3000 or the Yupi MVT7100 but I can't
> decide. Which one do you think is the better buy? Keep in mind that they are
> both selling for about the same amount. Please post your response here so that
> everyone can benefit from your expertise. Thanks John!

5760. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde76$981593a0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 144130

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Happy Scanning,
Charlie

Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com> wrote in article
<6tdhst$48h$1@garnet.mint.net>...

>Your pathetic attempts to twist the facts are not being given any
> credence in these groups, because anyone that has a half a brain
installed
> and functioning knows the truth. I should have trusted in the basic
> intelligence of my fellow scannists and radio enthusiasts to have seen
the
> truth long ago. I , for one , will not bother to belabor the point
further,
> nor will I waste further bandwidth on it.(or you)

Very well put.

> I firmly believe that most people on here have twit - filtered you
long
> ago anyway.......

Most of us has, but he keeps changing his name to get past the filters.
Why was that again John,
something to do with some great new software you were working on wasn`t it?
HAHAHAHAHAHA
<still laughing>

5761. Computer Controlled Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35FAB6C4.D206E33C@erols.com>
Source record: 144131

Looking for some advise on computer controllable handheld scanners. Is there anything
out there that would run off of PROBE software. Price is no object.

5762. How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35FAB837.DC8945DF@nol.net>
Source record: 144132

I am very interested in starting with a Ham Radio. I currently have a scanner which I have Skywarn frequencies (also Police/Fire mutal aid) and such. I was wondering how I would "starts out" into ham radioing. I'd have to get a ham radio (mostly for car, a base would be nice later on) and then I would have to get some kind of license? If you know any info (or a website) please help.

Thanks

5763. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: repatch@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tejo9$88g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <35FAADE0.69360186@geocities.com>,
mrFSK <esoterix@geocities.com> wrote:
> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
> does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty
> useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.

It would probably be possible if you could find a scanner with a TON of
bandwidth, baout 5 MHZ I think depending on the system, I doubt a scanner like
that exists, although there are probably a few exceptions. TTYL

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5764. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35FABB5D.5D53EA43@datasync.com>
Source record: 144134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

NO IT IS NOT, i can own it i just can transmitt on it
please use correct sematics when legal talking
don

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
>
>
> :On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:
> :
> :>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
> :>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
> :>what the frequencies are!.
> :>You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2
> :>thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
> :>:-)).
> :
> :No, commercial radios are MUCH cheaper than that, as are modified
> :HAM radios.
> :
> :>Even after that, get ready to spend thousands on Lawer fees, and/or
> :>Fines, as it is VERY illegal to own a radio that will TX on police
> :>bands and even more illegal to do it!
> :
> :It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
> :bands.
>
> In the USA it is illegal to be in possesion of a transmitter for
> which you do not have a current license. Don't believe me? Check
> with the FCC.
>
> Barry

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5765. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35FABBD8.72D83520@datasync.com>
Source record: 144135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

and that should read ONWit but CAN'T transmitt
sorry for confusion

Don or Darla Arnold wrote:
>
> NO IT IS NOT, i can own it i just can transmitt on it
> please use correct sematics when legal talking
> don
>
> Barry O'Grady wrote:
> >
> > bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) wrote:
> >
> >
> > :On Fri, 04 Sep 1998 06:07:08 GMT, wcarc@hotmail.com (WCARC) wrote:
> > :
> > :>Well, I guess the question of why comes up.
> > :>If you want to transmit on Police frequencies, you first have to know
> > :>what the frequencies are!.
> > :>You then have to get a commercial radio which can cost in excess of 2
> > :>thousand dollars. Then find someone to program the radio (good luck
> > :>:-)).
> > :
> > :No, commercial radios are MUCH cheaper than that, as are modified
> > :HAM radios.
> > :
> > :>Even after that, get ready to spend thousands on Lawer fees, and/or
> > :>Fines, as it is VERY illegal to own a radio that will TX on police
> > :>bands and even more illegal to do it!
> > :
> > :It is not illegal to own a radio capable of transmitting on police
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5766. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091218345700.OAA21952@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144136

>I wonder what
>scanner out there would give good coverage in the 138-144AM band

My Uniden 9000XLT does well in this area. I'm searching 138-150MHz, AM mode, 25kHz steps, right now, and there was only one intermod/image/birdie at 144.000 that I needed to lock out. Of course, my antennas are cut to specific bands, and that goes a long way toward eliminating intermod and images.

JW

5767. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35FAC26E.3B94FE63@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144137

Oh yes John ... Your famous UV effect ... must not forget that now
should we ... you are the radio Guru ...

Mike

John Mackey wrote:
>
> Mike Derryberry wrote:
> > I just repalced a 50 foot run of RG8 in good shape with RG6 and am
> > hearing things on 800 & 900 mhz that I was not hearing before. The
> > impedence mismatch is by far out weiighed by the inprovement in
> > reception.
>
> Your improvement in reception was caused by replacing old RG-8
> coax. Old RG-8 coax becomes very lossy after a few years of being
> exposed to UV & that loss is mostly noticed at 800/900 MHz. You would
> have noticed the same improvement if you replaced with NEW RG-8,
> until the UV effect had aged the coax.

5768. MDT Decode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcvertex@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091218545000.OAA22547@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144138

Does anyone know how to recieve MDT messeges on your computer screen. I heard all you need is to get a scanner, a computer and some interface. If this is true please sent me some info
thanks

5769. Re: Computer Controlled Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980912191120000.PAA26946@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144139

>From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com

>Looking for some advise on computer controllable handheld scanners. Is
>there anything
>out there that would run off of PROBE software. Price is no object.

There's the Icoms and AORs... I'll guess that the AOR8000 is probably the most popular. None run off Probe. It's for the Opto interface only.

5770. San Antonio, Texas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: plantagenet@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6temd7atv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144140

I would like to hear from any other scanner fans in San Antonio. Also, are there any websites with lists of San Antonio frequencies?

Thanks.

Daines
plantagenet@my-dejanews.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5771. Re: Mackeys Record For Controlling The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tenfm$c0e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144141

In article <35F99911.5414@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:

> Your message was nothing more than repeating someone else's GIBBERISH!

You are wrong as usual little sick man. Mr. wirehead's message was very informative in showing that its true what everyone says about you - that you are a sick man and you lie a lot.

Merry

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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5772. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tenjb$c0m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144142

In article <35F99978.61A0@parg.org>,
jmackey@parg.org wrote:

> If you get the permission of both of those parties I will post the
> letters you request above.

Thats about the stupidest thing you've said yet. Why would you need permission from someone else when YOU wrote the letters?? You really are as stupid as everyone says you are.

Merry

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5773. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6tek70$q8l$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144143
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

So by this interpretation a call placed through an autopatch on a ham radio repeater would be illegal to monitor.

D. P. Roberts wrote in message <35fc6af1.1201447@news.swbell.net>...

>According to the ECPA, any communication which begins or ends in a
>wireline connection is protected. If the caller is calling his home
>office, home, or anyplace where the phone is wired into the wall, then
>it is protected. Probably by now, what with the additions to the ECPA
>a couple of years ago, it is illegal to listen to ANY "telephone" call
>no matter what the source or destination.

5774. Re: RS Mag-Mount Scanner Antenna on Clearance Sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6tek9p$q90$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144144

This is true. The new mag-mount that is to replace it has a BNC connector on it instead of a motorola jack.

>St Magnum wrote:
>>
>> I was at my local RadShack the other day, and I noticed that the Magnet-Mount
>> Mobils Scanner Antenna was on clearance for $9.97 !!! This is one-third of its
>> original price of $29.99.
>>
>> This is good-performing antenna, fair to good construction. Makes a great
>> indoor antenna for a base scanner, too!

5775. Re: repeater inputs/outputs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6zgp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091220414700.QAA09427@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144145

154.5150 is a B (Business) Band frequency strictly simplex (line-of-sight) no repeater use. Here at Magic Mountain it is known as CH.01 Security. Frequencies above the Amateur Radio 2M band (150-173MHz) do not have offsets they are pretty much assigned at random.

Bryan Herbert
BLH Communications-owner
Magic Mountain-Parking Lot Attendant / Tram Operator
Amateur Radio-KE6ZGP
LA Co. Disaster Communications Service-F-150
Civil Air Patrol-YOSEMITE 845

5776. FS pro-46 scanner, cell reception enabled.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark G. Taylor" <n3tel@intrepid.net>
Message-ID: <35FADE33.4197AE19@intrepid.net>
Source record: 144146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Works 100%, and cell mod has already been done. Reception is great.
100 channels, from 29-54, 108-174,406-512,806-956
Best offer over $100 will be taken by Friday, Sep 18.

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Visit:
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/3248/
for my PGP public key.
Or:
http://www.pgp.com/
To learn more about PGP.

5777. Re: RS Mag-Mount Scanner Antenna on Clearance Sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091220550900.QAA09213@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144147

In article <6tek9p$q90$1@news4.wt.net>, "John Habbinga" <habbinga@wt.net>
writes:

>
>This is true. The new mag-mount that is to replace it has a BNC connector on
>it instead of a motorola jack.

As usual, Radio Shack is right up there with the latest technological advances.
The rest of the scanner world made the switch from Motorola > BNC about 10
years ago.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5778. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091220551000.QAA09215@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144148

In article <35FAB837.DC8945DF@nol.net>, Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
writes:

>I am very interested in starting with a Ham Radio. I currently have a
>scanner which I have Skywarn frequencies (also Police/Fire mutal aid) and
>such. I was wondering how I would "starts out" into ham radioing.

Do yourself a favor; don't waste your time. Ham radio is dying. Unless your
idea of a good time is a bunch of old codgers exchanging boring World War II
stories and complaints about their health ailments, you won't enjoy it much.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5779. Re: San Diego County system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sdsoguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091221101400.RAA13301@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144149

I think that you are coming to conclusions with the little information you obtain.

You claim that the Sheriff's Dept. is online, eluding that they are using the RCS for their day-to-day operations. This is false.

You are correct that the Inland Fire (Zone 8) group has been using the system for a few months now, as well as Animal Control and Carlsbad City. Also, many otther agencies that you neglected to mention. I still fail to see how that translates to the Sheriff Dept.

Listening to public safety agencies via scanners is an excellent hobby. I have done so for many years. You may want to leave it at just that, though. A HOBBY. If you believe you are correct with the information you present, then just leave it be. It is very obvious your distaste for the RCS, from previous posts on this and other discussions on the subject.

But unless you involved in the RCS project directly, I again fail to see how your contacts with Sheriff "Officers" (as you call them), and others, makes you an expert in the matter.

And how do I know most of your information is incorrect? I DO work directly with the project.

Jeff

5780. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6teoqn$9i7$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

But you can already do that, by just hooking up a composite monitor to the av jacks on a vcr. Of course you have to have a TV antenna hooked to the VCR. Rigging up a scanner to re-invent the wheel is a bit redundant, don`t you think ?

mrFSK wrote in message <35FAADE0.69360186@geocities.com>...
>Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
>whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
>to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
>does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty
>useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.
>
>-Michael
>

5781. Re: Due to Popular Demand, it's Another WOGER WACKO WEEKEND!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <_cCK1.1539$hE.3413969@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144151

CB you aren't trying to divert our attention from the Starr report on Clinton are you?

CBRambo wrote in message <1998091217185900.NAA11806@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Yes, boys and girls...he's baaaack! More idiotic and obnoxious than ever!
>Hear him TALK TOUGH! Listen to him spout off on subjects he knows nothing
>about! Read with awe as he desperately tries to shed his West Virginny roots
>and appear to have a shread of intelligence! All this and more, right here on
>USENET, as we present another WOGER WACKO WEEKEND!
>
>Take it away, WOGER...
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5782. Re: RS Mag-Mount Scanner Antenna on Clearance Sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6teq84$t30$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144152

Actually almost all of the Bearcat mobiles used motorola jacks up until just recently.
CBRambo wrote in message <1998091220550900.QAA09213@ladder01.news.aol.com>...

>As usual, Radio Shack is right up there with the latest technological advances.
> The rest of the scanner world made the switch from Motorola > BNC about 10 >years ago.

5783. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091222185200.SAA22863@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144153

I went in and got mine today, just to see what would happen, clerk said it was free as long as I gave him a mailing address, not mine of course, ha ha, so it's free but for an address

Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

5784. Bearcat 760XLT for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091222321900.SAA22584@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144154

Bearcat 760XLT for sale. Cellular mod not done yet .DC power cord. No bracket.
Very good condition. $125. Thanks Rob

5785. Re: SKYWARN & WEATHER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7zzt@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tf1bn$nd1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'll call a friend of mine in Kansas and see what he can dig up for you. He makes it into ohio all the time on 6 meters, so it shouldn't be too much of a problem.

Eric.

In article <35FAB323.276C@ameritech.net>,
theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net wrote:
> I need skywarn frequencies, & weather frequencies & channel numbers for
> Franklin county, Ohio and all the surrounding counties.
> Thanks for the help folks.
>

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If Ignorance is bliss, then you must be real happy CBRAMBO

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5786. Who Is Warped & Causes Trouble ? - Proof !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <35FAF552.BE9C519C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144156

John Mackey wrote:

> That means nothing coming from someone as warped as you who causes so
> much trouble!

R E A L I T Y C H E C K

Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey).
Edited for the more salient point(s). Compelling nonetheless.

SNIP --- Data From Smally ----

I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed, folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------

Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
APR 98	194	128	27	41	25	12	0
MAR 98	254	240	49	24	50	18	0
FEB 98	200	274	51	27	46	18	0
JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
DEC 97	149	227	32	0	16	1	0
NOV 97	63	65	1	0	10	0	0
OCT 97	48	60	0	0	8	0	0
SEP 97	181	78	0	2	4	0	0
AUG 97	29	2	0	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	2139	2348	201	203	275	266	341

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5787. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <mpurdon@home.com>
Message-ID: <35FB0169.6BC7497E@home.com>
Source record: 144157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The NFM on most scanners only receives about 6kHz bandwidth, however TV image modulation requires 6MHz bandwidth therefore it would be impossible to receive a TV image on your scanner. (without major modifications)

mrFSK wrote:

> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
> does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty
> useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.
>
> -Michael

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Marc Purdon
Calgary, Alberta.
http://members.home.net/mpurdon/

5788. wanted:manuals pro-51 -pro62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bddea6$63fffc60$37f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 144158

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im in nee of manuals for the rdio shack pro-51 and pro-62 scanners
hope someone can help
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
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5789. WinRadio mods wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cygnet <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <6tf30l$34o$1@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 144159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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Looking for a winradio 100i or 1500i, also
would like any mod info on the or the pro-48
a neet little scanner Sam cygnet@cncnet,com
TNX & 73
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5790. Re: Collins R-390A/URR Technical Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6tf5vl$qum@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I don't believe that you will be able to receive SSB with the R390A as is.
The BFO is for CW and wasn't designed for SSB. There is a companion SSB
unit that takes the IF output of the 390 and allows for USB/LSB RX.
I don't remember the model number of the unit. I had a 390A and the SSB
unit, but sold them 2 years ago at a ham fest.

cheers

Rick

Paul, KC2DLA wrote in message <01bdde62$917a13e0$13a6accf@bert.poss.com>...
>Could some one please tell me where I can find the Technical manuals for a
>Collins R-390A/URR? I am new to Amateur Radio with a tech license, but use
>the radio to listen on HF. I can recieve AM and CW just fine, but I think
>the internal BFO pitch is off because I cannot get SSB. I have tried
>tuning in on the KHz knob while adjusting the pitch, but I still cannot get
>a clear voice at all. I am prepared to purchase a copy or authentic manual
>for the radio, but if someone could tell me where the internal adjustment
>is I would really appreciate it! Thanks.
>
> de Paul, KC2DLA
> Kpaul@usa.net

5791. Allsafe@netwit.com is a FAKE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Grant" <webmaster@netwit.com>
Message-ID: <35FB2293.2B83E221@netwit.com>
Source record: 144161

Please note: There is NO allsafe@netwit.com. This mailing address is a fraud.
Please do not direct any further mail to this server. Thank you.

5792. Ohio Ham Radio Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6tf7s5$k09$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 144162
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Anybody got any reperter freq. for Akron, OH.

Thanks in advance.

Mike

5793. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2915.7F45@parg.org>
Source record: 144163

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Thats about the stupidest thing you've said yet. Why would you need
> permission from someone else when YOU wrote the letters??

The officials I was working with a san.rr.com asked me not to
share the info with anyone else.

Why do you want to know anyway? it is obviously that Bill Cheek
was kicked off of his server! You knowing would make no difference.

5794. Re: Deja News Results - Mackey Uses It - Yet Denies Facts !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB296B.1527@parg.org>
Source record: 144164

allsafe wrote:

> John Mackey wrote:
> > YES!!!!! YOU should do a reality check!!! You have posted this
> > senseless
> > repost of someone else's post about 4 times just today!!!
>
> Yeah, pretty soon the whole damn planet is gonna know what kind of
> compulsive-obsessive loony-toon you are.

hehehehe, this is RICH!!!

YOU post the SAME MESSAGE in the SAME NG 4 or 5 TIMES A DAY, & you
try to point the finger of compulsive-obsessive at
someone else!!!!!!!!!

5795. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2993.4A2A@parg.org>
Source record: 144165

Mike Derryberry wrote:
> Oh yes John ... Your famous UV effect ...

Don't credit me, it is a well know fact & spec of cable manufacturers.

5796. All mods...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6tf9o5$k9p$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 144166
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can any one help me find a page of mods for any scanners?

Thanks.

Mike

5797. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB29D9.2356@parg.org>
Source record: 144167

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> Does anyone really think that John`s going to post ANYTHING that even
> closely resembles a good answer to ANY scanner question?

I gues you need to eat your words now, Charlie!!! Look at the thread
about 50 or 75 ohm coax I responded to yesterday!!!!!

5798. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2A45.5AA7@parg.org>
Source record: 144168

MAlexder wrote:
> Er, Johnny, if you're going to plagerize someone else's bon mot (mine), you
> should at least do it accurately: The phrase is: "I have been living rent free
> in your mind." Please note that "liging" is not a word that an educated person

You are an idiot!!!

Apparently you do NOT know anything about touch typing & type by hunt &
peck!

Look at your keyboard, "V" & "G" are neighboring keys, easy for a
trained touch typist to accidentially hit.

5799. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2A69.29E8@parg.org>
Source record: 144169

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> I don`t feel that this is fair to
> Bill. I know if Bill WAS Mackey`s father, he would have killed him when he
> was a pup. ;>)

I'm sure Bill would like to!

5800. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2AAE.6377@parg.org>
Source record: 144170

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> Private what....you wrote them
>
> they are yours to do what you want.

The authorities at san.rr.com asked me not to share the information
with others. As a courtesy I am abiding by their request.

5801. Re: Mackeys Record For Controlling The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2ACA.6C07@parg.org>
Source record: 144171

meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You are wrong as usual little sick man. Mr. wirehead's message was very
> informative in showing that its true what everyone says about you

Really, how is that?

5802. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB2B2F.7111@parg.org>
Source record: 144172

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> Well, Mackalooney, there is just no sense wasting any more time on the likes
> of you.

GOOD, I hope that means you will DROP this thread as has been requested
& let this NG return to normal. With Bill gone, things could be
nice again.

> Your pathetic attempts to twist the facts are

You never were able to demonstrate where I twisted any facts. You
are a liar!!!!

5803. Re: Attn-Florida/Alabama listeners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <djbaker@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6tfagt$3vu$1@news2.ee.net>
Source record: 144173
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

What do you expect?

5804. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6tfbqr$1ka@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144174

Start with the ARRL site at www.arrl.org they will give you the pointers
you need, what materials you need to study, and help you find a local ham
club in your area (which should offer classes and help).

The no-code license is available and extremely easy to get and will allow
you use of VHF, UHF and above frequencies.

Currently the Amateur radio licenses are as follows along with the morse
code requirements and technical/regulaiton knowledge requirements:

Novice 5wpm Morse code Simple regulation and technical questions
Technician no code simple technical and regulations
General 13wpm basic technical
Advanced 13wpm advanced technical
Extra 20 wpm a little more advanced technical

(wpm is Words Per Minute Morse code speed of understanding)

The technician license is the most popular as it is the easiest to obtain
(no morse code study, very little technical knowledge required) and will get
you "on the air".

Go for it and ignore the CBers cry -- ham radio isn't dead, just the minds
that want to kill it.

Cheers

Rick

Joshua Carroll wrote in message <35FAB837.DC8945DF@nol.net>...
>I am very interested in starting with a Ham Radio. I currently have a
>scanner which I have Skywarn frequencies (also Police/Fire mutal aid) and
>such. I was wondering how I would "starts out" into ham radioing. I'd
have
>to get a ham radio (mostly for car, a base would be nice later on) and then
I
>would have to get some kind of license? If you know any info (or a
website)
>please help.
>
>Thanks
>
>

5805. San Bernardino City trunked system(HELP)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radioman <radioman@uia.net>
Message-ID: <6tfeu1$p2j$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144175
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Need their new system freq.Nextel took most of them

5806. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6tfj0u$97l$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 144176
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Well I'll be sure to turn off my ham radio the next time I hear a autopatch
in use.

D. P. Roberts wrote in message <35fcffb6.659779@news.swbell.net>...
>>So by this interpretation a call placed through an autopatch on a ham
radio
>>repeater would be illegal to monitor.
>
>Unless it is excepted by the ECPA, I would say so.

5807. Where to buy Sony ICF-SC1PC for Best Price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1063853f1fd47f5298969f@news.naplesfl.net>
Source record: 144277
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Who has the best price on the Sony ICF-SC1PC scanner? The places who have the better prices on the other scanners dont seem to carry this model. The few places who have the Sony don't seem to have good prices on any scanner. Let me know where to buy, and while your at it give me your thoughts if you own this scanner. I read the review on Strong Signals and it sounds promising.

Dan Remove the "xxspam" if replying by email.

5808. Re: POLICE CALL: Burbank Neighborhood Watch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Jackson <DJackson@nospam.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35F9CDBA.67697F0D@nospam.netcom.com>
Source record: 144278

Ed Tobiasz wrote:
>
> David;
>
> Suggest you get a new copy of the FCC Rule book. Section 90.27 does not
> exist anymore. It has been replaced by a consolidated Public Safety Pool
> titled 90.20 by the refarming docket.
>
> BTW, Don't think these guys are legal. See this URL
>
> http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/freq_st_res.hts?db_id=2&rows=500
&state=CA&freq=00000155.38500000
>
> Regards
>
> Ed

Thanks for the info. I guess BNW Does not exist, or at least they don't
have a license to operate on that frequency. Oh well, case closed.

Thanks again.

David Jackson.

5809. Re: Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6tcjggrgk0@207.18.224.146>
Source record: 144279
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 18:40:43 GMT, "Bobby Woolard" <bug@bellsouth.net>
wrote:

>
>How do you program thes radios for other freq. and options?
>You know that I know that you know!

Of course we know!

You use Motorola RSS software, with your computer hooked to a RIB via
the Comport. The Rib hooks to the radio by the pins on the side,
usually through a programming cup.

Do a search on BATLABS, and you will find much information there. I
don't have the URL on this computer.

5810. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091201391300.VAA05179@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144280

>From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>

Mackey sputtered some meaningless nonesense to which I note:

13,000-plus off-topic postings... Do you expect that I or any one else should take you seriously?

5811. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091201444500.VAA06129@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144281

>From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>

Mackey sputtered several lies and then attempted to blame others for his own shortcomings...

Dr Zombie Wolf has analyzed you and it is quite evident that you are fixated on your father bill Cheek. It is the only reason that explains why you have posted 13,000-plus off-topic posts all with the singular aim of getting attention for yourself.

5812. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fcd117.4082829@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 14:24:16 -0600, Shannon Young
<race3fan@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right
>into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net
>all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10
>software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the
>whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly
> appriciated.

Your screwed, you need a newer computer that has com ports rather then
serial ports!

hehe...serial ports are comports!..a trip into the bios of your
computer might even find you a way to make serial a into com4..
but it might not, but anyway serial a/b are probably com 1/2.
I have an old IBM marked that way and they can't be changed from 1 and
2 but that shouldn't matter much..

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5813. Scanner Frequency Database Program Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamoper@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35f936f1.68031618@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 144283

Anyone know where I can find a good Scanner Frequency Database Program? I have used Scanner Buff 3.91 and I am very happy with it. Does anyone know if there is a newer version of it out and where I might be able to find it?

TIA...HamOper

UnzBcre (unzbcre@ubgznvy.pbz)

5814. Re: Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fdd295.4464591@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144284
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 18:40:43 GMT, "Bobby Woolard" <bug@bellsouth.net>
wrote:

>
>How do you program thes radios for other freq. and options?
>You know that I know that you know!

With a computer, rib box, and some software.

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5815. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091201484700.VAA06827@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144285

><jmackey@parg.org>
YOU are the one who keeps posting about Bill &
>starting new threads!

Wah, wah, wah. 13,000-plus off-topic posts and Mackey complains that Bill Cheek, who is not here is the problem.

Hey John, I'm thinking of getting the UBC3000 or the Yupi MVT7100 but I can't decide. Which one do you think is the better buy? Keep in mind that they are both selling for about the same amount. Please post your response here so that everyone can benefit from your expertise. Thanks John!

5816. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fed870.5964064@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144286
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 18:28:20 GMT, Mr.Rogers@Kiddies.net wrote:

>Here we go in this newsgroup - adults acting like little children. My
>children act more adult than some of you people. You people sure can

I'll bet your children would have skipped over an off-topic post that
bothered them and not felt the need to contribute more BS!

>discourge new readers of this newsgroup from reading the interesting
>articles listed. I know that I don't appreciate digging through the
>junk to read the intent of the newsgroup - scanners -.

Have you ever heard of a newsgroup filter? If you haven't you should
find out what they are before you are pushed over the edge and do
something crazy.....

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5817. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com>
Message-ID: <35F9DADB.770D52F3@home.com>
Source record: 144287

I admit that I don't know the issues about Bill Cheek (this time) as I
have been away from the list for 3 years. When I was on the list then
you were bashing this guy.....give it a REST. This is as bad
as a "virus warning".

Joe Nicholson wrote:
>
> From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
>
> > ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
> > This is all getting quite old, please drop it for the good of this NG.
>
> Me> Too bad for you, you starteds the subject so you can't just make
> Me> people stop. You are not the one to decide whayt is for the good of
> Me> this NG. At first I didn't think you were stupid and aliar like
> Me> everybody says you are but now i see that they weere right. I pity you,
> Me> you are a sick man, Mr. Mackey. Merry
>
> john "diarrhea mouth" mackey is a L I A R
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> Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
> From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
> To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
> Subj: Hello Replies: None
> Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06
>
> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>
> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about
> > him getting booted from Fido.
>
> which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such surety, eh?
>
> :)

>
> --
> |WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
> |Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

5818. FS: Uniden BC3000XLT, $215 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: axelb@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6tcnvb$5fb$3@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.marketplace

Unit is in excellent+ condition. Comes with 1 used battery
which seems to hold the charge just fine. Sorry I don't have the
charger (the charger is a simple coaxial type as available from Radio
Shack). Price inludes shipping COD (within cont. US).
I bought the BC3000XLT to upgrade from my BC2500XLT but found that I
am happier with the older model.

Axel

5819. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7zzt@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tcoiv$91j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

It is interesting though. Many states have some regulations governing the use of "radar detectors" but don't often post them (I have been through a few states where this is the case).

As for radar detectors being "burglar tools" thats taking things a bit far, don't you think?

Eric (N7ZZT)

In article <6t7il8$36j$1@siesta.packet.net>,
"K9Rocky" <k9rocky@pcsonline.com> wrote:
> If you read the road signs along the roadway you will discover the laws are
> posted. When you enter a state that radar detectors are prohibited, it will
> be posted.
>
>

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If Ignorance is bliss, then you must be real happy CBRAMBO

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5820. Re: San Diego County system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com>
Message-ID: <35F9EBBC.DB0194E3@home.com>
Source record: 144290
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The San Diego Sheriff system is to go on line Sunday 9/13.

Bud wrote:
>
> On 10 Sep 1998 00:03:46 PDT, tree <commace@usa.net> wrote:
>
> >Maybe the reason it crashed is because it is not fully functional yet!!!
> >Thats why they do testing before it is turned over to the user. Don't
> >start bashing a system or a vendor until you know the facts. you are
> >probably one of those guys tht is P.O.ed because you won't be able to
> >listen in the future without a trunk tracker.
>
> The County system has been in FULL operation for several months.
> Motorola will tell you that such a crash can NOT happen, but it obviously
> did (I called several other people to monitor, so they could verify what
> was happening). Maybe YOU would feel differently if it was YOUR life
> hanging in the balance?
>
> As for listening, I have a Spectra 800 mobile, STX and MTX 800 handhelds,
> base and handheld TrunkTrackers, as well as 2 2006s, a BC200, a Pro34, a
> BC101, and several other scanners, and mobile and handheld Ham radios, so
> NO problem listening from here.
>
> The City of San Diego bought an 800mhz trunked system from Motorola about 4
> years ago. On BatWings recommendation, they went with 2 different vendors
> to complete the system, one for MDTs and the other for the CAD software.
> Both those companies are now OUT of business. BatWing is trying to
> implement the 'extras' that were designed in but not activated (such as GPS
> location plotting). In doing that, they have tripled the time it takes to
> dispatch Fire calls, screwed up the MDTs worse then they were (which was
> bad enough), and caused so many problems that the City is having to hire
> more dispatchers.
>
> So, WHAT facts am I missing?

5821. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3600ed90.11372446@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144291

On 11 Sep 1998 14:30:45 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>>Actually, I caught someone talking about the "Sportys aviation
>>scanner" or something like that like 20ch with 100-400mhz coverage for
>>like $150. I don't know a lot about it, but I'm sure someone here has
>>a url! Sounds good, I might have to get one.
>
>The Sporty's scanner is ok for someone on a really, really tight budget, but
>experienced scanner users are going to get frustrated. The radio suffers from
>terrible intermod and there is no channel lock-out. You have to delete an
>offending frequency from memory and re-program it later. The radio's one saving
>grace is great audio, and that's important for a scanner meant primarily for
>use at airshows.

That explains the low price with UHF air coverage! I wonder what
scanner out there would give good coverage in the 138-144AM band.
My PRO 2005/2006/60 all suffer from 900mhz pager interference in this
range, ironically my PRO34/37 which gets every image under the sun
blaze through there with no problems..to bad that it is in FM!

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5822. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3601ef14.11760484@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144292

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 18:51:00 GMT, budhoward@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>I saw this one also but do you think it will operate in AM mode??

Most definatly...I wonder if it has any FM coverage.

>> Actually, I caught someone talking about the "Sportys aviation
>> scanner" or something like that like 20ch with 100-400mhz coverage for
>> like $150. I don't know a lot about it, but I'm sure someone here has
>> a url! Sounds good, I might have to get one.

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5823. Great website to check out....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgsmith <jeffgsmith@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6tcsbt$9th$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144293

Check out this website....good shortwave links and much more:

www.westerman.org

5824. Re: Where to buy Sony ICF-SC1PC for Best Price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Schmidt <bryschmidt@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35F9F36C.DC2BDFCB@mindspring.com>
Source record: 144294
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I only found 2 places that sold it, only 1 had them in stock.they were the same price both places $319.95.

I got mine from Scanners Unlimited they had them in stock and thier service was great.
http://www.best.com/~scanner/

Dan wrote:

> Who has the best price on the Sony ICF-SC1PC scanner? The places who
> have the better prices on the other scanners dont seem to carry this
> model. The few places who have the Sony don't seem to have good prices
> on any scanner. Let me know where to buy, and while your at it give
> me your thoughts if you own this scanner. I read the review on
> Strong Signals and it sounds promising.
>
> Dan Remove the "xxspam" if replying by email.

5825. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad McConahay <brad@DAMN-THE-SPAM.n8qq.com>
Message-ID: <35fa05dd.0@news.one.net>
Source record: 144295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Right! That's what they normally consider a loss-leader. I can't believe that wouldn't already be accounted for in their prices. If I'm asked to pay for the 1999 catalog, I'll probably do so, but not without protest. I'll bitch and moan on the local repeaters and so forth. That's ridiculous.

Brad, n8qq

JimK wrote in message <35f6c23d.22530967@nntp.ix.netcom.com>...
>Good points, but there's just something wrong about paying for a
>CATALOG that will help you pick out stuff to BUY in the future.
>
>Jim
>
>On Mon, 07 Sep 1998 20:35:43 GMT, rwr01@removethisbit.yahoo.com (Rob)
>wrote:
>
>>x-no-archive: yes
>>
>>The Radio Shack Catalog is a high quality publication printed on
>>quality paper (not newsprint like most of the others). It is expensive
>>to produce. Personally, I would gladly pay the cover price for the
>>catalog if requested; it's well worth it ! But as you didn't buy it,
>>you don't know, do you ?
>>
>>While we're on the subject, I have nothing but praise for the folks at
>>Radio Shack.
>>
>>Where the heck else can you pick up all the widgets that radio hams
>>and electronics hobbyists need at e.g. 8 o'clock at night ? AND return
>>your purchase for a FULL refund within 30 days if you've goofed-up and
>>bought the wrong thing ? I know that I would have at least an hour's
>>drive to the nearest place, instead of the 10 minute drive to the
>>local Radio Shack.
>>
>>I've always received my catalogs free at Radio Shack (including the
>>new one), but then again, I usually BUY stuff there !
>>
>>>> >
>>>> Dropped by the local Shack today to pick up the latest flyer and
>>>> noticed the new 1999 catalog. The owner said he had to charge for them
>>>> because he was charged for them. I didn't get one. On the way back to
>>>> the car I thought "You probably have to pay rent for the store so why
>>>> don't you set up a turnstile and charge everyone a quarter to enter ?"
>>>>

>>>> Oh well, there are probably other local stores who WON'T charge for
>>>> the catalog.
>>>
>>
>

5826. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Colvill <rcolvill@es.co.nz>
Message-ID: <01bdde13$5cee2de0$b8814dd1@rcolvill->
Source record: 144296
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

For goodness sake keep him off.

The to and fro drove me nuts.

Isp's do not take action without evidence.

As a Kiwi From NZ, this guy was an embarrassment to
the USA scanner groupies.

5827. Re: San Diego County system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sdsoguy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980912063359 00.CAA21131@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144297

>The Sheriffs Department has been on the new system since June.

And you know this to be true because why??

5828. Re: Help w/ Pro-2021 programming please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. Murphy" <paulmurphy@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6td6es$6md@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144298

Hey, I used to have one of those radios. Nice enough, ran it 'til it died, (the power switch got flaky). FORGET ANY 800MHz MODS. Just won't work. Can't tell you anything about the scan speed mod. Here's the scoop on the MONITOR button.

If you're scannng a range between two limits (like you're searching for unknown frequencies) and you hit something you want to get back to, just hit the MONITOR button, and it writes the frequency to one of ten "channels". Go past ten, and it overwrites Channel No. 1.

Hope this helps

Have Fun

5829. Re: Will the OYE BOY Make an Appearance this Holiday Weekend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980912073144400.DAA22839@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144299

In article <6tcm8v$6qc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, n7zzt@my-dejanews.com writes:

>In article <19980911103411800.XAA26450@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
> k5pf@aol.com (K5pf) wrote:
>> --
>> This conversation repeats every six months in the NG. Therefore, as a
>public
>> service, we are providing this advance copy of the remainder of the thread
>in
>> order to speed up everyone's browsing:
>ha ha ha!!!!! This should prove interesting. :)
>
>>
>> Rambo: And what exactly is it again that you do for a living?
>He has already asked this. My answer is still the same: NYK (and he doesn't).

The answer is: NOTHING! No job of any significance. Again, being a "gofer"
for the Maricopa County Sheriff's Department does not qualify.

>> Rambo: I asked you first. At least I have a job. You don't, or you
>wouldn't
>> have answered my question with a question.

>Its called the socratic method, and it is a valid method of obtaining
>information. Be that as it may, its not any of his business (even though he
>makes a big play trying to find out what I do). Good luck.

Your WHAT hurts?

>> Rambo: You have no job and you live with your mother.
>
>Assumption, as usual (this happened last time). still, why does he seem so
>interested in my familay addairs? is there something he wishes? I sure wish
>he'd get to the point.

I noticed you don't deny any of this, OYE BOY.

>> Rambo: I said, I asked you first. Tell me what you do. If you have a job,
>> that should be no problem.

>People lose jobs because of their "at home activites" such as this. CBRambo
>sounds like the type that would harrass others at their work

More unsubstantiated allegations, eh, OYE BOY?

> (its been known
>to happen). That kind of harrassment causes problems and eventually loss of
>employment for no real good reason . See my point now? I don't have to reveal

>where I work (in fact, I cannot because of Security issues on said job).

You don't have a real job anyway, so the point is moot. Can't "reveal" what you don't have.

>Personally, I don't care what CBRambo does, so long as he keeps it to himself
>and ceases interfering in my activites (on-line or off). Since this is not a
>direct response to him, it does not qulify under my previous postings issuing
>a cease and desist notice.

Gee, thank you, OYE BOY! I sure am glad to know that I have your personal approval to respond. Gosh, I just HATE to think of what might happen if I violated your self-imposed "ceasee and desist notice" and replied to you without permission! (What a freakin' JOKE! Where do you get this nonsense from? Old Perry Mason reruns?)

>Yous future look at this conversation has already deviated from the "planned
>event sequence" by a considerable amount. It is humorous though. However, I
>did not resurrect this, and choose to remain uninvolved directly. Anything
>cbrambo has to say, he can say to empty ether.

Thank you for your expert opinion, OYE BOY. Here's another clue for you, though: when you RESPOND to a thread, you become involved. Funny how that works, isn't it? Maybe someday your little pea-brain will finally understand that the way to make threads you personally dislike to disappear is to IGNORE THEM. DON'T RESPOND. As usual, you're still below sea level on the learning curve.

Still waiting to hear from your "lawyer", OYE BOY!
"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5830. Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Mansfield <davemanNOSPAM@vmicro.com>
Message-ID: <35fa2c0c.0@news.vmicro.com>
Source record: 144300
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

[This is one of those fuzzy legal questions.]

Listening to local public safety frequencies, and I hear telephone calls being broadcast over the same frequencies (vehicles have some kind of radio-telephone device; operates in simplex mode). Does this "phone" call fall into the realm of protection for normal (a.k.a. cell phones) telephone conversations?

Whether or not it does, some interesting dramas being played over the Riverside County SO freqs (trunked)...

5831. Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35fa304d.13947535@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 144301
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have started a new web site dedicated to Victorias Emergency
Services which will contain info on not just radio info but other
things also. Please have a look and let me know what you think about
it and any ideas for things you would like to see.

THIS SITE IS UNDER CONTRUCTION SO BE PATIENT!!!

There is also info on Victoria Polices' new F.L.I.R infra red camera.

Look at http://members.xoom.com/RadioComms/emerg.htm

David

xxradiocomms@yahoo.com

Please Remove "xx" from beginning of E-mail for replies

5832. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Mansfield <davemanNOSPAM@vmicro.com>
Message-ID: <35fa2e57.0@news.vmicro.com>
Source record: 144302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jeff Miller wrote in message <6tcnut$1ls0$1@news.gate.net>...
>COM PORT = SERIAL PORT They are the same thing if you are on Serail Port
1
>that = COM port 1.
>
>
>Shannon Young wrote in message <35F98575.517@hotmail.com>...
>>I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right
>>into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net
>>all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10
>>software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the
>>whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly
>> appriciated.
>>
>>Shan
>

This is kind of confusing: COM port is for a communications port, or some kind of I/O port that allows for comms. Serial port refers to how the "bit" stream is delivered/sent: In a serial fashion, one bit after another. This is in contrast to a parallel port, where as the name implies, you have some number of bits being sent down the wire in parallel. If someone wanted to conduct the exercise, they could write an I/O driver that COMs over either type of I/O port...

So, your real issue is trying to figure out which COM port the software expects, and then logically (either via BIOS or the operating system of your choice) associate that COM port with the SERIAL port the OPC-478 is plugged into...If your computer is older, then the COM to SERIAL association is probably fixed by the BIOS; you'll have to make sure you plug your cable into the correct COM port in this case.

5833. Re: OK Mackey, for the last time, READ and UNDERSTAND!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35fa2f84.11869512@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 144303

On 12 Sep 1998 01:44:45 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>>From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
>
>Mackey sputtered several lies and then attempted to blame others for his own
>shortcomings...
>
>
>Dr Zombie Wolf has analyzed you and it is quite evident that you are fixated on
>your father bill Cheek. It is the only reason that explains why you have posted
>13,000-plus off-topic posts all with the singular aim of getting attention for
>yourself.

Now, if we could just get Dr. Kevorkian to take John as a patient...

5834. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tde1v$ggm@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144304

In <35F99978.61A0@parg.org> John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org> writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>> why not share with the readers
>> the letters you sent the ISP.
>>
>> why not let us see how truthful
>> your "I did it to him's" were
>> up to our understanding of what
>> is real and what is smelly mackeral
>> at work.
>
>Those were private e-mail written to "abuse@san.rr.com" &
>"abuse@rr.com".
>If you get the permission of both of those parties I will post the
>letters you request above.

Private what....you wrote them

they are yours to do what you want.

so show us your mastery of verbiage
in your shit-pile and enlarge your
smallness for all to see....

it's the least you can do.

bill conduit
etc.

5835. Re: DROP the Cheek !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6tdhst$48h$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144305

Well, Mackalooney, there is just no sense wasting any more time on the likes of you. You are a commensurate liar , forger, agitator and hypocrite. I have twit -filtered you, for the sake of the group. Don`t even bother to reply because I won`t see it. I believe that people on both of these groups can see you for what you are.
Your pathetic attempts to twist the facts are not being given any credence in these groups, because anyone that has a half a brain installed and functioning knows the truth. I should have trusted in the basic intelligence of my fellow scannists and radio enthusiasts to have seen the truth long ago. I , for one , will not bother to belabor the point further, nor will I waste further bandwidth on it.(or you)
I firmly believe that most people on here have twit - filtered you long ago anyway.....

5836. Re: New station on shortwave!!!!! ALERT ALERT ALERT!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Tomkinson" <dtmknsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35FA518C.55964C8B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Its bogus. Supposedly the first stage landed west of Japan & the second
stage east of Japan. Nothing make it into orbit.

Don

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-
Location: N33d42m05s W117d59m25s Grid Sq: DM13AQ UTC -7hrs.
Scanners: Air-8, AR2001, AR900, BC50, BC101, BC142 (Wx sats),
BC20/20, BC2500, FRG9600, HP100, HX1000, HX1500,
Pro26, Pro2004/5/6, Pro2045, Pro2046, R10FM, R532,
R7000, Scout 40, SX200N.
Software: Deltacomm v3.9, Probe v3.0, ScanCat Gold-SE v7.242
ScanStar v3.66.
Shortwave: DC777, DX160, DX394, ICF2010, R70, R71A, R1000.

5837. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fc6af1.1201447@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144307
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>Listening to local public safety frequencies, and I hear telephone calls
>being broadcast over the same frequencies (vehicles have some kind of
>radio-telephone device; operates in simplex mode). Does this "phone" call
>fall into the realm of protection for normal (a.k.a. cell phones) telephone
>conversations?

According to the ECPA, any communication which begins or ends in a
wireline connection is protected. If the caller is calling his home
office, home, or anyplace where the phone is wired into the wall, then
it is protected. Probably by now, what with the additions to the ECPA
a couple of years ago, it is illegal to listen to ANY "telephone" call
no matter what the source or destination.

In this area there are apparently STILL some of those 150 MHz mobile
phones, because the guard tones are still there. You used to be able
to buy or build a device to plug into your scanner that would allow it
to bypass those tones. I don't know if the Sound Squelch will do it
or not.

5838. FREQUENCY SITE NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lynx <lynx.uk@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <01bddde9$6d3bdc80$6349a8c2@lynx>
Source record: 144308

CHECKOUT THIS NEW SCANNER SITE . INFO ON FREQUENCY CD ROM 98

http://freespace.virgin.net/lynx.uk/index/scanner.htm

5839. Re: Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrFSK <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35FA8A4A.20470213@geocities.com>
Source record: 144309
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bobby Woolard inquired about programming a motorola radio...

These are all informative answers to an annoying problem. But until someone posts the software for download on a site, these answers aren't worth much.

Just concerned.

5840. Re: PC Monitor causes interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mt <ampcamper@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35FA817C.4529FCB8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144310

My PC Monitor causes interference with my scanning<snip>
This is a common problem, with both old and new systems. Try an
external outside ant. Also move the scanner away from your system.
Some scanners are affected more then others. good luck.
mt

5841. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091214512800.KAA21949@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144311

><jmackey@parg.org>

>He was liging RENT FREE in YOUR little MIND!

Er, Johnny, if you're going to plagerize someone else's bon mot (mine), you should at least do it accurately: The phrase is: "I have been living rent free in your mind." Please note that "liging" is not a word that an educated person would use.

I'll add that I attempted to also squat in your mind at one time but found the quarters to be much too cramped. In fact, I also found that it was completely devoid of any of the usual amenities that I have grown accustomed to such as clarity, sophistication and wit.

5842. Attn-Florida/Alabama listeners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ClaytonF_Gibbs <cfgibbs@valdosta.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.980912111824.1383M-100000@grits>
Source record: 144312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I'm looking for any Fla Panhandle,Alabama and South Ga listeners.
Specifically anyone who can cover the 225-400 military band. There will be
something big going on in this area next week and I would like to make
other contacts in the area in order to trade info/freqs etc etc.. Please
contact me ASAP

Clay
Valdosta Ga

ICQ-5829817

5843. Trunker Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: motorola1000@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6te6u9pkv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144313

Is there any way to get the Trunker program to decode the Size Map of a Tyoe I system? Do I need a fast computer to do it.

Steve

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5844. Collins R-390A/URR Technical Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul, KC2DLA" <kpaul@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde62$917a13e0$13a6accf@bert.poss.com>
Source record: 144314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Could some one please tell me where I can find the Technical manuals for a Collins R-390A/URR? I am new to Amateur Radio with a tech license, but use the radio to listen on HF. I can recieve AM and CW just fine, but I think the internal BFO pitch is off because I cannot get SSB. I have tried tuning in on the KHz knob while adjusting the pitch, but I still cannot get a clear voice at all. I am prepared to purchase a copy or authentic manual for the radio, but if someone could tell me where the internal adjustment is I would really appreciate it! Thanks.

de Paul, KC2DLA
Kpaul@usa.net

5845. Radio Scanner FS(Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <35fa999c.0@carrera>
Source record: 144315
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,seattle.forsale.misc,ubc.ads.for-sale

BC 800XLT Base Scanner 40 Ch,800MHz,Weather Search,mint non smoker cond,c/w
manual,box and bill of sale,
Asking $150 CDN funds $100. US funds o.b.o
Located Langley BC(604)533-3567
Can ship Canada or US
panel56@intergate.bc.ca

5846. Re: RS Mag-Mount Scanner Antenna on Clearance Sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfwinstead <winstead@UNTairmail.net>
Message-ID: <750325F29188C2DA.7D5FB6A20E1F6759.97ACB554FCDD0C45@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144316

confirmed. #20-012
makes a great stocking-stuffer.

St Magnum wrote:
>
> I was at my local RadShack the other day, and I noticed that the Magnet-Mount
> Mobils Scanner Antenna was on clearance for $9.97 !!! This is one-third of its
> original price of $29.99.
>
> This is good-performing antenna, fair to good construction. Makes a great
> indoor antenna for a base scanner, too!
>
> -- St. Magnum
>
> ---
> "The early bird may get the worm,
> but the second mouse gets the cheese."

5847. G&G Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve B." <scanfreq@istlaplata.net>
Message-ID: <6te5lk$jk8$1@cyberusa.com>
Source record: 144317

Can any one please tell me the web address for G&G Communications?

5848. Re: G&G Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjheller-nospam-@west.net
Message-ID: <pjheller-nospam--1209981009130001@pm8-7.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 144318

Try this:

http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/

In article <6te5lk$jk8$1@cyberusa.com>, "Steve B."
<scanfreq@istlaplata.net> wrote:

> Can any one please tell me the web address for G&G Communications?

5849. Due to Popular Demand, it's Another WOGER WACKO WEEKEND!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091217185900.NAA11806@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144319

Yes, boys and girls...he's baaaack! More idiotic and obnoxious than ever! Hear him TALK TOUGH! Listen to him spout off on subjects he knows nothing about! Read with awe as he desperately tries to shed his West Virginny roots and appear to have a shread of intelligence! All this and more, right here on USENET, as we present another WOGER WACKO WEEKEND!

Take it away, WOGER...

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5850. TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrFSK <esoterix@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <35FAADE0.69360186@geocities.com>
Source record: 144320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.

-Michael

5851. Re: Deja News Results - Mackey Uses It - Yet Denies Facts !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35FAB355.4D30C4C5@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144321

John Mackey wrote:

> Mr. WireHead wrote:
>
> > R E A L I T Y C H E C K
> >
> > Definitive data on the posting his
>
> YES!!!!! YOU should do a reality check!!! You have posted this
> senseless
> repost of someone else's post about 4 times just today!!!

Yeah, pretty soon the whole damn planet is gonna know what kind of compulsive-obsessive loony-toon you are.

Must be annoying. Tough one to explain away. Aw well....ya don't have to read it. You can pretent it doesn't exist. You should be pretty good at that by now. But everybody'll still *see* it, plain as day; another virtual zit for that already festive face of yours.

You friggin' loon.

5852. SKYWARN & WEATHER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "JERRY K." <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <35FAB323.276C@ameritech.net>
Source record: 144322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I need skywarn frequencies, & weather frequencies & channel numbers for
Franklin county, Ohio and all the surrounding counties.
Thanks for the help folks.

5853. Re: Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6tecg9$2c1$0@207.18.224.122>
Source record: 144323
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 10:50:51 -0400, mrFSK <esoterix@geocities.com>
wrote:

>Bobby Woolard inquired about programming a motorola radio...
>
>These are all informative answers to an annoying problem. But until
>someone posts the software for download on a site, these answers aren't
>worth much.
>
>Just concerned.
>

Then of course, you could do the right thing, the legal thing,
and purchase the software from Motorola.

5854. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com>
Message-ID: <35FAB5EA.7DF84B3@erols.com>
Source record: 144324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

TV is broadcast in "Wide Band FM".

mrFSK wrote:

> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
> does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty
> useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.
>
> -Michael

5855. Re: pro2021 info found-tnx!MODS still wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde71$13807ba0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 144325

Neen,

The 2021 is an "allright" scanner for what it was designed for. By clipping a diode, you can make APPEAR to scan the 800mhz band. The fact is that the unit doesn`t have the front-end to recieve that band. No way, no-how. Period.

Now as far as speeding the 2021 up a bit, I asked Bill Cheek for help a couple of years ago. He had me change a value on a resistor near the CPU. I don`t remember what one it was, or the value, but it helped to speed it up by about 25%. It is still slow by my standards, but thats the best it gets.

I don`t know what mods. your looking for, but if you buy Bill Cheeks books, they have ALOT of mods. that can be made to work on your scanner. Contact CRB Books and spend a few bucks. You won`t regret it.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Neen <ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote in article
<35F96F61.54BBEC12@nbnet.nb.ca>...
> Hi All. Found the info I was looking for on the pro-2021 on the Net.
> Actually, I found info on the RadioShack/Tandy page for the pro-2022
> which must resemble
> the 2021(!?). Either way, I think I have this *monitor* business
> figured out.
>
> Still looking for mods to the 2021-thanks!
>
> MIKE-ve9aa :-)
>
> --
>
>
> Coreen & Michael Smith
> 271 Smith Road
> Waterville Sunbury Co,
> New Brunswick Canada E2V 3V6
> <ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>
>
>
>

5856. Re: pro2021 info found-tnx!MODS still wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdde71$fa0a6d60$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 144326

P.S. You COULD have reached Bill himself on this NG if it hadn`t been for
an a**-hole with an attitude & no knowlage of scanners, being intimidated
by Bill (& anyone else with an I.Q. over 80) who lied & half-truthed untill
he got Bill kicked of his server.

Take a bow John. & while your down there,.....
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

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> New Brunswick Canada E2V 3V6
> <ve9aa@nbnet.nb.ca>
>
>
>

5857. bos-control, poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: CoJack <kaffekuchen@cityweb.de>
Message-ID: <35FA2B28.379BF30C@cityweb.de>
Source record: 144376

Hello !

My name is Clemens. I can not so good english...sorry
I seach the program ï¿½ï¿½bos-controlï¿½ï¿½ and the registrier passwort for the program ï¿½ï¿½poc32ï¿½ï¿½.
Can yuo help me ??

Wenn yes, send me a mail or give me a wwwdownload-site.
Send the mail to kaffekuchen@cityweb.de

thank you
Clemens T.

P.S.: sorry my grammatik ;-))

5858. Re: Collins R-390A/URR Technical Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@NOSPAM.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <35fb114b.18919798@news.clark.net>
Source record: 144177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Recently, "Paul, KC2DLA" <kpaul@usa.net> wrote:

>Could some one please tell me where I can find the Technical manuals for a
>Collins R-390A/URR? I am new to Amateur Radio with a tech license, but use
>the radio to listen on HF. I can recieve AM and CW just fine, but I think
>the internal BFO pitch is off because I cannot get SSB. I have tried
>tuning in on the KHz knob while adjusting the pitch, but I still cannot get
>a clear voice at all. I am prepared to purchase a copy or authentic manual
>for the radio, but if someone could tell me where the internal adjustment
>is I would really appreciate it! Thanks.
>
> de Paul, KC2DLA
> Kpaul@usa.net

Paul, you can find them via the many suppliers listed at:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/manuals.htm

Enjoy!

5859. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@NOSPAM.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <35fb10a5.18754436@news.clark.net>
Source record: 144178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Recently, "Brad McConahay" <brad@DAMN-THE-SPAM.n8qq.com> wrote:

>Right! That's what they normally consider a loss-leader. I can't believe
>that wouldn't already be accounted for in their prices. If I'm asked to pay
>for the 1999 catalog, I'll probably do so, but not without protest. I'll
>bitch and moan on the local repeaters and so forth. That's ridiculous.
>
>Brad, n8qq

Hmmm, I got mine free!

5860. Sport cat???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: smokebowl@hempseed.com
Message-ID: <35fb2922.15705828@news.flash.net>
Source record: 144179

Hey I am thinking of buying a sportcat 150(uniden) can I modify this for cellular? if so, can someone direct me to a site with the mod info... Much appreciated

5861. pro-91

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawkjunior@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091302234700.WAA28707@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144180

DOES ANYONE HAVE MODS FOR THE PRO-91, IF YOU DO COULD YOU PLEASE EMAIL THEM TO ME AT HAWKJUNIOR@AOL.COM.

THANKS

5862. Re: Deja News Results - Mackey Uses It - Yet Denies Facts !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35FB441C.667ADC30@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144181

John Mackey wrote:

> allsafe wrote:
>
> > John Mackey wrote:
> > > YES!!!!! YOU should do a reality check!!! You have posted this
> > > senseless
> > > repost of someone else's post about 4 times just today!!!
> >
> > Yeah, pretty soon the whole damn planet is gonna know what kind of
> > compulsive-obsessive loony-toon you are.
>
> hehehehe, this is RICH!!!
>
> YOU post the SAME MESSAGE in the SAME NG 4 or 5 TIMES A DAY, & you
> try to point the finger of compulsive-obsessive at
> someone else!!!!!!!!!

Uh....ya lost me loony. You're not confusing your delusions again are ya? I suppose it's kinda hard to keep track of your detractors. Maybe you should get a rolodex.

I was just commenting that the Deja News numbers kinda speak for themselves. But I believe it's Mr. Wirehead that's posting Smalley's and Kendrick's data. Not me.

But I still think it's a damn good post. And it looks like Mr. Wirehead's making good use of it.

Sleep tight. The world will go on hating you 'till morning.

5863. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fd4619.6534191@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or

A TV station is not like a radio station. With radio, the station is broadcasting what you're hearing. With TV, the station is not broadcasting the picture, but rather a set of instructions that allows your TV set to produce a picture. Given that, it's still 6 MHz wide! Working at a station once, I had a guy call me and tell me to adjust the vertical roll control. Each line is transmitted and the TV scans it, at a various rate, depending on where in the world you are. You can't take your TV to Europe and have it work, but you could take your radio to Europe and it would work (if you get the right voltage adapters). Also, TVs themselves do not always operate in sync, which is why whenever you see a picture of a control room, all the monitors look like they're rolling. They're really not, but the synchronization between them and the video camera is off just slightly. That would hold true for any video camera, unless it was synched up to the control room equipment. For a wierd thing to see, use a movie camera or unsynched video camera and look at a timer on a video machine. Sometimes, due to the number of frames per second, the timer will jump.

Although you can get a small TV with a radio built into it, video is a completely different animal from radio. The above stuff is just very generalized and could probably be explained a heck of a lot better, though.

5864. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fcffb6.659779@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144183
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>So by this interpretation a call placed through an autopatch on a ham radio
>repeater would be illegal to monitor.

Unless it is excepted by the ECPA, I would say so.

5865. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6tfjcg$b2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

<Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<

Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
>>basically anything.
>
>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....

Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.

5866. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6tfjci$b2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

<Ryan Faricy here.>
Is your public insultation not rubbish itself?

Yep. It, and you, belong to the Devil as rubbish, and need to be disposed
of. You should consider having an exorcism performed...

You also have no grasp of symantecs.

Kim wrote in message <35f927e2.0@mercury.nildram.co.uk>...
>"Ryan Fanny KC0DSZ" <jtossa@nospam.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Did you even read my post? I said "in the future". Do you need to look
>>"future" up in the dictionary?
>
>A week ago I saw some butt hole posting a load of rubbish.
>
>Starting from that time, we are now a week in the future,
>and nothing has changed.
>
>And as we always live in the present, the future will never come,
>and presumably I will always see a butt hole posting rubbish.
>
>Kim
>
>

5867. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6tfjch$b2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

<Again, Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad>

Just Cause wrote in message <6C8K1.1331$Ly.283591@news.mci2000.com>...
> Mine and the Governments:

PROVE that your explanation is exactly the same as US Federal Regulations!

> Only using a part 97 form of communications. Not part 90 or 85 or any of the
> other services. Read again, this is for part 97 rules..... If you use a
>public service frequency and you are not licensed to be there then you run
>the risk of being prosecuted. Part 97 does not save your "ass" when you do
>this.

You do, in fact, run the RISK, however people have rarely EVER been prosecuted.

5868. Re: wanted:manuals pro-51 -pro62

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6tfji3$c2c@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144187

http://support.tandy.com/

m keller wrote in message <01bddea6$63fffc60$37f11ece@k9dzd>...
>im in nee of manuals for the rdio shack pro-51 and pro-62 scanners
>hope someone can help
>thanks
>monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

5869. Re: cool page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6tfjpu$dbb@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144188

Judging as how it is under construction, and that you've created it
yourself, I must say it isn't as advertised.

Capitalization and punctuation might help "sell it", too.

noshoot@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6tbcpikii1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>check out this cool page full of scanner info and neat frequency lookup
>subpage its the best place I've found yet

5870. Re: All mods...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35fb5513.37976443@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144189
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

try www.universe.digex.net/~bnr/tricks.html

Big Bad Berticus sends...

On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 22:27:09 -0400, "Mike Harmon" <dtfh32@raex.com>
wrote:

>Can any one help me find a page of mods for any scanners?
>
>Thanks.
>
>Mike
>
>

5871. ****POCSAG (PAGER) DECODING ON PC - HELP****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091305375400.BAA27117@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144190

Hey,

I got this program called PROCSAG Protocol Monitor from <http://aab.42.org/poc32/> or you can also get it from <http://www.inetone.net/Fsmith/index.html> It says it's suppost to decode most of the pager signals into text on your computer. It says you could either build a plug in or just use the Sound Blaster's LINE IN jack. My question is, can I just have a microphone connected to it and place the mic by the speaker? I'm using a ICOM W32A HT with it's Wide Recieve. If anyone actually gets it to work, please let me know how you got it to work.

73
Eugene
TeenHam@aol.com

5872. LF , Union City NJ PD Freq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <35FB5B7C.6474@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 144191

Looking for Union City N.J PD frequencies . Was in the UHF band , just changed over to 800 or 900 mhz . Help !!

5873. Re: SKYWARN & WEATHER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickh33923@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091305542200.BAA26677@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144192

>I need skywarn frequencies, & weather frequencies & channel numbers for
>Franklin county, Ohio and all the surrounding counties.
>Thanks for the help folks.

http://www.iwaynet.net/~brode/coares/web_sites/home.htm

Good place to start. Also see:

http://tgsv5.nws.noaa.gov/er/iln/iln.htm

DickH

5874. Re: Orange County Calif. Cabs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stanley M. Kelton" <stanleymkelton@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35FB6AEA.56C0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144193

Zeno,

Thanks. That explains part of it. The dispatcher tells the cabs to
wait until he acknowledges them before they are to speak -- no doubt
because they can't hear each other.

zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
>
> In article <35F8CFBF.431B@worldnet.att.net>,
> stanleymkelton@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> > Bud,
> >
> > Thanks for the tip. I had, and I did again, try the 5 MHz offset, as
> > well as scanning that area, but no cigar.
> >
> > I think you are right about it having something to do with the way it is
> > set up. The dispatcher sometimes barks at the cabbies about the order
> > in which they are responding to his dispatches. I don't quite
> > understand the set up, but maybe someone else who does will post.
> >
> > Thank,
> >
> > Stan Kelton
>
> When I was a cab driver for 1 day in Pittsburgh, you could not hear the
> other cabs radios..only the dispatcher. You have to wait for the dispather
> to say that he is finished and is ready to speak to someone else. It can
> be a real pain in the neck.
>
> --
> If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

5875. Looking for a Microtel PR-700A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpforest@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tfrj5gat1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144194

Does anyone wish to part with an old but reliable Microtel PR-700A receiver.
Please respond by private e-mail.

Thanks

J.P.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5876. Looking for a Microtel PR-700A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpforest@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tfsg3$hi7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144195

Does anyone wish to part with an old but reliable Microtel PR-700A receiver.
Please respond by private e-mail.

Thanks

J.P.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5877. Canadian Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcgs3333@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091307235200.DAA03963@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144196

Does anyone know if all scanners that have 800MHz capability and are sold in Canada are unblocked or if some are and some aren't. Specifically regarding current Radio Shack models.

5878. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FB72B0.6CEB@parg.org>
Source record: 144197

Bud wrote:

> I have already sent requests to verify that to Edwin Kruse
> (ekruse@san.rr.com Tech Supervisor at san.rr), and to rrhelp@san.rr.com,
> AND posted an open message in the rr support newsgroup just in case Edwin
> doesn't want to reply.

That is fine! You get Edwin to tell me it is okay to release
all the e-mails we exchanged & I'll release all.

This sorta goes against my better judgement, but I will show ONE example
of the messages exchanged with SAN.RR.COM about the abuse Bill caused.
You get the approval I spoke of above & I'll release all of it!!! See
the
end of this message for the ONE example!!!

> So, John, I'm FLAT OUT ACCUSING you of lying again. You've been caught
> MANY times here in lies, and THIS one, if proven to be a lie, will come
> back to haunt you, trust me on that.

This means NOTHING from you, Bud Jamison, who has been CAUGHT lying,
cheating, & forging on THIS NEWSGROUP!!!!

++

Subject: Re: [Fwd: Mackey Wins Sucker Competition]
Date: Thu, 23 Jul 1998 07:39:11 -0700
From: Postmaster <abuse@san.rr.com>
Organization: SWCTV
To: jmackey@usa.net
References: 1

I have heard Bill Cheek's side of this- would you please give me a call?
Or email me with your side of this story? I would appreciate it.

Thank you,
xxxxxxxxxxxxx
xxxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx Supervisor
RR San Diego
(619) 635-8420

mackey wrote:

> Dear Sir or MAdam:
>
> Attached is a message from a user of your systen named Bill Cheek.
> He uses the e-mail address of bcheek@san.rr.com & make newsgoups
> posts from the server of wagasa.cts.com. This person makes frequent

> unprovoked posts on the newsgoup of rec.radio.scanner about
> giving blow-jobs, homosexuality, & other similar nature.
>
> can you do something about this person?
>
>
> ----------

>
> Subject: Mackey Wins Sucker Competition
> Date: Wed, 22 Jul 1998 17:48:56 GMT
> From: bcheek@san.rr.com (Bill Cheek)
> Organization: COMMtronics Engineering & World Scanner Report
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
>
> Overheard on a private newsgroup......
>
> =======
>
> JOHN MACKEY WINS THE GREATER PORTLAND OREGON
> SUCKING CHAMPIONSHIP HANDS DOWN!
>
> Mackey walked away smiling from the quarter-finals
> after he effortlessly sucked a tennis ball through
> a 50-ft 3/4" garden hose.
>
> He gleefully captured the semi-finals when he sucked
> the chrome off a trailer hitch. The audience roared
> and applauded as he swallowed the chrome!
>
> Mackey proudly claimed the Championship after he
> nonchalantly suck-started a Harley Davidson motorcycle
> from the exhaust pipe.
>
> Mackey Sucks!

5879. Re: San Diego County system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35FB7564.7EA24B61@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144198

I really doubt that the CHP is on the San Diego County radio system.
They do not operatoe on county systems except for mutual aid in certain
areas. San Diego just went to new frequencies not to long ago.]

Mike

Bud wrote:
>
> On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 19:20:39 GMT, rmorien@usa.net wrote:
>
> >SO is NOT online yet. How do I know? I talked with people at the
>
>
> loose of the $$ for them. Animal Control, CHP, and LOTS more is on the new
> system, but you obviously would rather LOOK than listen.
>
> TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
> Thanks.

5880. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6tfse9$kul@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

James Tonsager <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
><Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<

>>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....

>Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
>ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.

Of course, now you have to tell us what equipment one would expect to
find at what the FCC would define as an "amateur station."
Jeff KH2PZ

5881. Re: cool page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29380-35FB6C80-76@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144200

Did I miss something?I was expecting something like scanners would be detailed.

5882. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <35fb6e71.1604139@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 144201

On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 21:03:40 GMT, meriadoc@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <35F99978.61A0@parg.org>,
> jmackey@parg.org wrote:
>
>> If you get the permission of both of those parties I will post the
>> letters you request above.
>
>Thats about the stupidest thing you've said yet. Why would you need
>permission from someone else when YOU wrote the letters?? You really are as
>stupid as everyone says you are.
>
>Merry
>
>

But he's not as stupid as he looks. Heh, Heh!

5883. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <35FB8185.194A1020@nol.net>
Source record: 144202

CBRambo wrote: Do yourself a favor; don't waste your time. Ham radio is dying. Unless your

> idea of a good time is a bunch of old codgers exchanging boring World War II
> stories and complaints about their health ailments, you won't enjoy it much.
>

The main reason I want to get into it is because I'm on the road alot and would like to hook up to the Skywarn net.

5884. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tfvhc$n96@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144203

In <36004094.42038559@news-server> thekat@san.rr.org (Bud) writes:
>
>On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 19:15:10 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:
>
>>The authorities at san.rr.com asked me not to share the information
>>with others. As a courtesy I am abiding by their request.
>

u little turd....i knew you
would weasel out of this too.

no such request was made, i'll bet...
two cents now.

of course that request was made
by e-mail: so you piece of vile
left=over from your mothers
stomach during c.c. repost it
for all us to see...

people...his whole existence is a
lie. His mother lied
to him and he's been
looking for daddy ever
since.

come on runt-end print the letter
you sent rr.com ISP and the letter
they sent you asking not to make
it your pubic wipe-cloth.

bill
etc.

5885. Albuquerque TRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio_cowboy@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tg4fmoep1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144204

Anyone know when the Albuquerque / Bernalillo County PD/FD is set to go online on the new EDACS system? So far only a few city dept's are active on it to date.

--
Faster horses

Younger women

Older Whiskey

More Money

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5886. Re: HIGH-TECH CRIME RING IN OHIO (part 2)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091309283401.FAA09189@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144205

Look, it's very easy to protect yourself. Just like all the windows in your house with aluminum foil. Be sure to put the shiny side out. When you want to go outside wear a football helmet lined with foil. For extra protection attach a lightweight chain to your helmet and let the loose end drag the ground. This will "ground" your helmet and allow all the radiation to bypass you completely.

JW

5887. Re: RS Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980913111130400.HAA12624@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144206

>I've got the Radio Shack frequency counter and now an
>Optoelectronics Scout. I haven't even thought about the
>RS one since it came. Heck, I'll sell it to you for $50.00.
>It's in a much lower class than the Scout. Just put it in
>viabrate capture mode and walk around (like in a mall or
>where ever...). It grabs all sorts of stuff. I love it!

Just curious, since you have both - if you set them side by side, which detects signals from a greater distance? Have you noticed which is more prone to getting flooded out by FM broadcast stations?

5888. Re: Collins R-390A/URR Technical Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <n4dj@juno.com>
Message-ID: <35FBABE4.2009@juno.com>
Source record: 144207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Paul, KC2DLA wrote:
>
> Could some one please tell me where I can find the Technical manuals for a
> Collins R-390A/URR? I am new to Amateur Radio with a tech license, but use
> the radio to listen on HF. I can recieve AM and CW just fine, but I think
> the internal BFO pitch is off because I cannot get SSB. I have tried
> tuning in on the KHz knob while adjusting the pitch, but I still cannot get
> a clear voice at all. I am prepared to purchase a copy or authentic manual
> for the radio, but if someone could tell me where the internal adjustment
> is I would really appreciate it! Thanks.
>
> de Paul, KC2DLA
> Kpaul@usa.net

I have used lots of older type receivers for SSB and most of them work reasonably well if you use the CW position, which turns the BFO on. Then the audio gain should be turned up, ususlly all the way and the RF gain control used to control the volume. That way the SSB signal does not over power the VFO signal. The VFO is replacing the carrier so that the detector demodulates the signal like it was AM. The VFO needs to be set to one side of the passband or the other. Which side depends on if you are on USB or LSB. For USB the BFO should be placed on the lower edge of the passband.
In addition you need to use a selecetivy position that is 2.1 or greater.
Tuning the SSB signal after doing the above should be done slowly but can be done and you will get better with practice.
I hope this helps.

5889. Re: Canadian Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35fbb5be.1558023@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 144208

If it is sold at Radio Shack here in Canada and has 800mhz
capability it is blocked. If you want unblocked here you have to go
to someplace like Durham Radio or Atlantic Ham Radio, both are here on
the web.

On 13 Sep 1998 07:23:51 GMT, wcgs3333@aol.com (Wcgs3333) wrote:

>Does anyone know if all scanners that have 800MHz capability and are sold in
>Canada are unblocked or if some are and some aren't. Specifically regarding
>current Radio Shack models.

5890. wtd scanner uk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <brian@generaldesign.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <IwZuvAAXl6+1Ewe3@generaldesign.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144209

hi does anybody have a full coverage handheld in the uk pref midlands
for sale. can go up to ï¿½200 for the right kit. anything considered.
email me at ..... generaldesign.demon.co.uk
--
brian

5891. Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6tgd4m$fp3$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 144210
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheek. You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:

ekruse@san.rr.com

and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.

5892. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091312292200.IAA18836@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144211

I know I'm beating a dead thread with a stick but all of you folks are missing some important points-

1. If you are serious about using a computer controlled scanning system for researching the spectrum you need:

A. SPEED. The PCR-1000 is very limited due to it's slow connection to the radio via a port. Doesn't matter a bit if you are running a 400 Mhz PCI bus pentium, you are still communicating with the unit via a slow port. How fast does the PCR-1000 search and scan? I get better speed with Probe and my 2006/OS456, about the same as the winradio 1000.

B. SENSITIVITY. I've heard the PCR-1000 is better, but not not by much. Seems it performs better on HF that the winradio. The Winradios are reported to have the edge on VHF/UHF. One poster compares the PCR-1000's sensitivity to the AR-8000. The AR-8000 I tried out wasn't very sensitive. If you want to see a sensitive radio try a Yupiteru 7100 or a R/S PRO-2045.

C. SELECTIVITY / Resistance to Intermod. Folks, I live in Chicago, if I don't use a tight radio all I'll be logging is pager noise. I suspect the the new Optocom will leave both these units in the dust in this regards, given it's GRE front end.

2. Software support. ICOM has refused to release the protocols for the PCR-1000. Not exactly "community friendly". Between Winradio, Bill Cheek (egads I mentioned his name, 50 lashes with coax for me!), and other developers, I suspect there are more programs out there for running and adding features to the Winradio than the PCR-1000, sorry Rich. In this regards, guess what? My 2006 / 456 wins again! Actually, you don't want a lot of software, you want GOOD software. The ICOM software, what I've seen of it, sucks. The Winradio's supplied software is much better. Probe or Scanstar for the opto systems are better than either.

3. ACCURACY - Doesnt matter how efficiiently you are logging information if the information is wrong. How well do these units record logged information, like digital PL tones? Very tricky timing here. My 2006 / 456 beats the 2042 / 556 system in this regard. I hate going through a log of PL tone hits and getting bad data.

4. Neither of these units, to my knowledge, directly support trunking, either fleet mapping / talk group tracking, or even the ability to collect this data. The Optocom will.

5. Having said that, the Optocom will ship with Scanstar for Windows software. This program uses drivers that load into windows and may create instability on some systems. I had a terrible time with the Scanstar Deluxe for Windows demo I downloaded from their web site. Crashed my AOL browser and HP printer drivers

on a regular basis. Got so bad I had to do an un-install to keep the wife (and me!) happy. (No PCI pentium here, 486 DX2 66 Mhz running Win 3.1, no less).

6. A company like ICOM, having to ship out bug fixes for their software, not so good. Bad beta testing. Pretty shocking. I've never had a single crash with any DOS version of Scanstar and only one with Probe, though that one was fatal to a huge datafile, yucky. If you lose data with probe, and you are a registered user, the kind folks there will attempt to rebuild your data for you if you send it to them. Will ICOM or winradio do that? Now that's what I call software support, not sending out bug fixes, geeez.

7. Quality of the case? How hot it gets? I guess if all you are doing with it is staring at it with your coffee cup resting on it, that's important.

8. As one poster pointed out, the guy who started this thread was asking about the Winradio 3100e. It's not really in the same class as the Winradio 1000 / 1500 / PCR-1000. I have seen zero reviews of the 3100e. But I understand that more than one government agency is pretty happy with their rackfull of these puppies. We are comparing apples and oranges, I'm afraid. The Optocom still looks hot in this regard. The Master / Slave and multi radio configuration aspects of Scanstar and the 2006/456 begins to approach this level of utility. Does the PCR-1000 or the WIN-1000/1500 support multiple radios? Master / Slave tuning? It's a feature not many people use, but it's pretty cool. Can I freely combine scanning and searching with the PCR-1000? I think you can with the Winradios, but again, it's primarily a software dependent feature.

9. How do these units do with PL recieve? I love the way my 2006 / 456 handles it, though it IS software dependent. Scanstar and Probe both offer true PL recieve. If you are scanning channels programmed with a PL tone does the radio momentarily un-squelch and or slow down a great deal when encountering a signal with a different or no PL Tone? Can you import pl tones into a data file? Or do you have to manually enter them?

10. Digital Signal Processing will be a very important feature in the future, maybe the most important, especially w/regard to digtal signal processing and data decoding. I think one would want this ability in some form. The PCR-1000 offers a board as an option. Correct me if I'm wrong, but I think the Winradios have it built in (all of them?). Not much available right now in terms of execution of the capability, at least apart from Amateur Radio protocols, but I think I'd want some ability to use DSP with whatever system I bought. There will be a lot of DSP stuff out there in the future. DSP is good not only for Audio processing, but could be used for many other things, too. Personally, I'm not too "up" on DSP. Don't know about the Optocom and DSP. Am I correct in thinking that one could always add this in at a later date, either through aftermarket black box devices or good software?

-I'll shut up now - Happy Scanning - Ted

5893. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tgf39$11t@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144212
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6tgd4m$fp3$1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
writes:
>
>

>and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
>
best you cry
another day
maybe bill
no more to say

get it

maybe the man has just
had it up to "here" with
the way it is and let it
go ...

consider not what you want
think more of the
reasons Bill has
not seen fit to go
into the NG from
the other doors
available to him.

bill wins by his silence.

as far as selling his "stuff"...well,
he'll do ok.

by his silence he draw the great
mackeral stink out even more....

look at what the stink has brought
to fore. Had bill not been out
these little "insights into this
cretin of runt-end birth-scream
not known as he is now....

bill conduit
etc.

5894. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6tgfh6rdl1@supernews.com>
Source record: 144213

In article <6tfbqr$1ka@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>, "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:
>Start with the ARRL site at www.arrl.org they will give you the pointers
>you need, what materials you need to study, and help you find a local ham
>club in your area (which should offer classes and help).
>
>The no-code license is available and extremely easy to get and will allow
>you use of VHF, UHF and above frequencies.
>
>Currently the Amateur radio licenses are as follows along with the morse
>code requirements and technical/regulaiton knowledge requirements:
>
>Novice 5wpm Morse code Simple regulation and technical questions
>Technician no code simple technical and regulations
>General 13wpm basic technical
>Advanced 13wpm advanced technical
>Extra 20 wpm a little more advanced technical

>(wpm is Words Per Minute Morse code speed of understanding)

You forgot the Tech plus class, which is a tech with the 5wpm certificate.

So if the possible Tech candidate can also pass the 5WPM test they can get
some more privileges. CW on 40,80 and 15 meters and CW/phone on 10 meters.

Tom

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Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

5895. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6tgfngrdl2@supernews.com>
Source record: 144214

In article <35FB8185.194A1020@nol.net>, Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net> wrote:
>
>
>CBRambo wrote: Do yourself a favor; don't waste your time. Ham radio is dying.
>Unless your
>
>> idea of a good time is a bunch of old codgers exchanging boring World War II
>> stories and complaints about their health ailments, you won't enjoy it much.
>>
>
>The main reason I want to get into it is because I'm on the road alot and would
>like to hook up to the Skywarn net.

Skywarn is very imprtant but there are many other fun reasons to get a
ham license. How about the chance to chat with people all over the world?! How
about the chance to talk to astronauts in space?! The chance of helping out
during public events, disasters, etc. Go for it, it's a lot of fun!

Tom

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5896. Re: ******Re: Florida: Using a scanner in a car*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Peck <steven.peck1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <MMPK1.3637$lg.15075061@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 144215

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
<6t77o6$job@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Not entirely correct (although, you are correct somehwat) -- an unlicensed
>person is not allowed to be a control operator, and many books state that
>unlicensed people should not have access to a radio (ie, it should be
locked
>up, disabled, etc).
>--
Just a thought, but you might find people more open to your ideas/comments
if you would stop pointing out whether they are right or wrong. The whole
point of usenet groups is to discuss ideas, share opinions etc. It is not
to continually point out who is wrong and who is right. The sharing of
ideas is the point. A discussion requires listening as much as it does
talking. This is not intended to be a flame, just a suggestion, as you do
have interesting points of view to contribute to the NG but the delivery
could be a little more diplomatic. Most people dont like being told they
are wrong or "somewhat correct" , you might find people are more willing to
discuss things that way.

Steve.

5897. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <35FBCA32.1763@concentric.net>
Source record: 144216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

D. P. Roberts wrote:
>
> > Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
> > whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
> > to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or

I had a Kenwood RZ-1 that had a video output. It ran through one of
those RF Modulators from radio shack. I scanned and scanned but only
found a couple of interesting things. It was not worth the trouble.

5898. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6tgip2qsd0@207.18.224.140>
Source record: 144217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 13 Sep 1998 04:57:52 GMT, "James Tonsager"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

><Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<
>
>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
>>>basically anything.
>>
>>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....
>
>
>Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
>ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.
>
>
Have you failed to read the rest of the thread?

The FCC interpets that rule, to mean that only HAM frequencies, as in,
a novice can use a advanced frequency.

They have stated that it does NOT mean that a HAM can use a public
safety frequency in an emergency.

5899. Re: Programming the IC-PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Peck <steven.peck1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <F3QK1.3821$IR.14383580@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 144218

Paul Robinson wrote in message <35F2064E.1ED5267D@bigpond.com>...
>Just wondering if anyone knows of any information for controlling this
>scanner dirrectly, im interested in writing some unix software for it,
>but i cant seem to find any information on how its done.. Anyone know?
>
>Regards, Paul
>
Check out the PCR-1000 mailing list on QTH.NET. There are least 5 amateur developers on that list and many of the others have programmed it on that list. There are some websites for the PCR-1000 which have the command sets documented which are in the archives of the list. Most importantly get PCR1000BUR (EEPROM Backup and Restore program) before attempting to program it. The PCR has a habit of losing its eeprom settings since there are no lockouts in the protocol for the write and read commands.

Steve.

5900. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35fbcfd2.293223@news.jps.net>
Source record: 144219
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>D. P. Roberts wrote in message <35fc6af1.1201447@news.swbell.net>...
>
>>According to the ECPA, any communication which begins or ends in a
>>wireline connection is protected. If the caller is calling his home
>>office, home, or anyplace where the phone is wired into the wall, then
>>it is protected. Probably by now, what with the additions to the ECPA
>>a couple of years ago, it is illegal to listen to ANY "telephone" call
>>no matter what the source or destination.

This explains why phone patch-type conversations can't be monitored on
my TrunkTrackers.

Remove "nospamno" to email.

5901. Re: WinRadio WR-3100e, to buy or not HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10657f837ec6e634989768@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144220

Whatever floats your boat Ted. I also did own a 2006 for a couple of years. It was indeed a remarkable radio, and I am sure with the Optocom and software even more amazing. I however travel for a living over 12 States by car and enjoy the portability of the Icom. I, strangely enough have not experienced the negative issues that I have read about it. It has been both sensitive, selective, fast enough (I admit no trunking) and decent audio that I am satisfied. I was only mentioning the 3100 from the standpoint that it was the "ultimate" toy and perhaps someday I would be interested in that level of performance. Have fun.

5902. Bearcat 200xlt Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Baier <ebaier@tcccom.net>
Message-ID: <35fbd3aa.0@tornado.tcccom.net>
Source record: 144221

I have a bearcat that was working fine then just started to not work. It powers up and scans but will not pick anything up. Can I send it somewhere or are they able to be worked on at home?

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Eric Baier
ebaier@tcccom.net

5903. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091314491300.KAA00647@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144222

><jmackey@parg.org>

>You are an idiot!!!

Please watch your language or I will report you to your ISP. I'm sure that you would not want to lose your account again for flaming and using abusive behavior.

>Apparently you do NOT know anything about touch typing & type by hunt &
>peck!

I guess I don't know as much as you. Your published works speak for themselves.

>easy for a
>trained touch typist to accidentially hit.
>

Easy for a trained typist to mistake two keys? That's quite a faulty leap in logic.

Anyway Johnny, I notice that you reacted to my making fun of your typo but had nothing to say about the clear case of plagarism. That's pretty typical for you: "Believe what you want to believe and disregard the rest." as one songwriter has said.

5904. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091314511500.KAA00943@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144223

><jmackey@parg.org>

>I gues you need to eat your words now, Charlie!!! Look at the thread
>about 50 or 75 ohm coax I responded to yesterday!!!!!

Not so fast, Johnny! You posted one on-topic post among 12 or more off-topic posts that you have littered the newsgroup with the past day. 13,000 posts, and now you can proudly assert that 10 were on topic. Yippee!

5905. Diamond X500HNA Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Domanico <cmd-dell@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35FBDDD9.3E997ACC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144224

Hi I wonder if there is someone out there who is very familiar with the Diamond X-500HNA Dual Band 144 / 440 Vertical Antenna.?? Recently, I purchased one and installed it on the roofï¿½. Anyone familiar with this type of design Antenna knows that there are no user adjustmentsï¿½.you just put the sections together attach your coax and your radioï¿½.I initially was using an older comet 144 / 440 a CA-2X4Zï¿½.it worked fine for about 8 yearsï¿½then I found it developed a problem with the S0-239 connector at the baseï¿½it seemed to have literally fell apartï¿½but as for the Antenna weï¿½ll it worked great for 8 yearsï¿½.great signal and great matchï¿½.Anyway I decided to go out and put up a new Antennaï¿½so I sprung for a big $ 240 for this Diamondï¿½a bit heavy in construction and it has an N connector at the basses even sprung for this LMR-400 Times-Microwave coax cableï¿½Weï¿½ll after the antenna was erected and this great cable was installedï¿½I proceeded to make an swr graph on both bands from one end to the otherï¿½.Weï¿½ll after checking 440 MHz..I was pleased..since the swrdid not exceed 1.5 from one end to the otherï¿½However, on two meters it was a horse of another colorï¿½It seemed that the bandwidth started a bit higher than it should haveï¿½down on 144 MHz I was getting 2.0. as I moved up the band it seemed to start to dropï¿½at 145 MHz..it was 1.6 ï¿½and then as I moved up further it came to a more normal readingï¿½I even went past 148 MHz and found it to be goodï¿½.Bottom line is the antenna was tuned to kick off a bit high than it shouldï¿½I called Diamond and they were very nice about it..They said I could send it back to them to have the Antenna Re-tunedï¿½Now this is all well and good but that means I would have to take it down..package it up..ship it to the West Coast from New Yorkï¿½pays shippingï¿½And then when I receive it back put it back up and hope it is correctly tuned.. There are no user adjustmentsï¿½and even if there were you have to be carefull that you donï¿½t knock the other Band out of wack..while trying to adjust oneï¿½What I need to know from someone who is very technically familiar with this antennaï¿½Is there a way I can Make an adjustment on it to bring the SWR back to where it is below 1.5 from 144 MHz..To ï¿½148 MHzï¿½.The Technical Design is 5 / 8 wave three- element C-Load antenna (2 Meters) and 5 / 8 wave eight-element C-Load antenna (70 cm).. I have various test gear..a Bird Wattmeterï¿½High End Digital VOMSï¿½a couple of SWR Metersï¿½and some good common senseï¿½.If anyone out there in the Radio field can help me out here I would be indebted foreverï¿½..

Thank You Very Muchï¿½.Carl M. Domanico N2MFW

5906. Arts and Apples Festival Today - Frequencies are Here!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zook Music <lazpaz@teleweb.net>
Message-ID: <905700387.646336@soam.wwnet.net>
Source record: 144225
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,mi.forsale,rec.radio.scanner

Today is the final day for the arts and apples festival in Rochester,
Michigan. If you want the frequencies for the show..you can find them here!

www.teleweb.net/lazpaz

5907. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <35fbec9d.12577300@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 144226
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mr. Cheek's account has been cancelled ?

Yeah... too bad about radio newsgroups. If someone posts too much
(even though appropriate), many call him spammer and try to get rid of
his ISP account for no reason. It's not as bad as in
rec.radio.amateur. but start to happen in scanner newsgroup too ????

De Sun, 13 Sep 1998 08:17:28 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com> a
�crit dans le message:

>
>It is time to stand up and be counted for your friend and mine, Bill Cheek.
>You can help by drafting a message to the following e-mail address, and tell
>them you want Bill back on the news group and you would like his account
>reinstated. Bill has done so much and worked so hard for us all, that I
>feel we owe it to him. Send your request to the following address:
>
> ekruse@san.rr.com
>
>and help us to save an important radio resource, before it is gone.
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URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit� McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

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*** To reply to me, remove the .PAS_DE_SPAM from my address ***

5908. Re: HIGH-TECH CRIME RING IN OHIO (part 2)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenner@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35FBFA27.1C217B63@uswest.net>
Source record: 144227

JTWard01 wrote:

> Look, it's very easy to protect yourself. Just like all the windows in your
> house with aluminum foil. Be sure to put the shiny side out. When you want to
> go outside wear a football helmet lined with foil. For extra protection attach
> a lightweight chain to your helmet and let the loose end drag the ground. This
> will "ground" your helmet and allow all the radiation to bypass you completely.
>
> JW

Very sound advice JT. Please don't forget that Reynolds Wrap now makes bags. He could lose the football helmet and simply put the bag over his head and poke eye holes in it at his disgression.

GR

5909. Need AR-880 Manual $$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Neil.R" <Neil.Ripston@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <6tgsflevs1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144228

If you have an AR 880 Manual or a copy of one, please email me. I will pay $8.00 for a copy.

I have a copy of a an AR900 manual from a reader of this newsgroup, and it will be helpful if there is nobody out there with an AR880 manual. Email me if you have one!

5910. Info needed on Alinco DJ-X10 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jng2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980913173901 00.NAA25357@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144229

I saw an add for a Alinco DJ-X10 for $399.95 yesterday and was wondering about this scanner. I am looking for a Alpha handheld scanner. Anybody own one of these and can answer my ?'s. Thanks

-Jeff

Jeff
JNG2000@AOL.COM

5911. Re: Mackeys Record For Controlling The RRS News Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fcfc46.3943471@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144230

>As long as people reply to the lame little (Mackey) fool he will
>continue to post. Just get a good news reader and learn to use your
>twit filters. Agent works very very well. But you have to make sure

Set them to "never expire" and be sure to put every possible
permutation of "John" and "Mackey" in there, because he frequently
changes his screen name to get around filters.

5912. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FC0A8E.602F@parg.org>
Source record: 144231
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Masataka Noda wrote:

> Mr. Cheek's account has been cancelled ?

Yea, Chek lost his ISP account on san.rr.com due to the numerous
complaints
received of his abuse on this NG. He is active again with his account
at
cts.com but has chosen not to return to this NG, instad posting on other
newsgroups.

5913. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FC0C15.49E4@parg.org>
Source record: 144232
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> bill wins by his silence.

And we win by Bill's silence! Lets let this situation die
rather than stirring it up!

5914. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FC0BAF.2438@parg.org>
Source record: 144233

Hawke wrote:

> I find this most interesting, considering that I know, PERSONALLY, 2
> of the sysadmins over there. Had they made such a statement, they

Fine then, get your two buddies to post their approval to release the
info!

> John, shut up while you are ahead, right now. If you don't, all you
> will do is simply cause yourself to be booted from yet one more isp

I've never been booted from an ISP yet!

5915. Re: military aircraft scan question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: p35hp@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091318181601.OAA03412@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144234

In article <6ta2a2opu1@news4.wt.net>, "John Habbinga" <habbinga@wt.net>
writes:

>You can probably pick up a Pro-26 used for around $200. It has continuous
>coverage (usually excepting the cellular band) and it has selectable
>am/nfm/wfm modes.
>
>

I can only second his advice, Pro-26 works for me. Jim

5916. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FC0E7F.1679@parg.org>
Source record: 144235

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> come on runt-end print the letter
> you sent rr.com ISP and the letter

You really are the newsgroup FOOL aren't you!!

See my response to BUD, just ABOVE your foolish response!! I give ONE example of the exchange between myself & san.rr.com. You get san.rr.com to give me the nod of approval, & I'll post ALL of it!

5917. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35FC10C9.226A575F@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144236

John Mackey wrote:

> Charlie Dwenger wrote:
> > Does anyone really think that John`s going to post ANYTHING that even
> > closely resembles a good answer to ANY scanner question?
>
> I gues you need to eat your words now, Charlie!!! Look at the thread
> about 50 or 75 ohm coax I responded to yesterday!!!!!

Dog-gone it; I missed that one. Let's see...it's been two days...so's I figure that loony boy has probably plastered two dozen useless posts in rrr by now. And I seriously don't want to dig through that much crud looking for the semi-annual parroted coax opinion. So's I guess that one's pretty much a goner. (I don't think I missed much. But that's just a guess.)

You friggin' loon

(P.S. One of these days I'm gonna quit lying to my "spell-checker" and *really* ignore you.)

5918. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35fc3a01.629605@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 144237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What you CAN do, is tune in an ATV (Amateur Radio Television) on the ham bands (depending on where you live, try the frequency for Ch. 65), and feed the DESCRIMINATOR output (NOT the speaker output) into the video input. Most transmissions of this type are Wide-Band FM (25-50 KHz bandwidth).
The quality sucks, but oh well :-)
L8R
Mike

On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 19:58:00 GMT, repatch@my-dejanews.com wrote:

5919. FS pro-51 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bddf50$de2cd620$34f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 144238

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i have a nice radio shack pro-51 with copy of manual,
price 139.00 shipprd,or trade for 2 meter mobile,or portable shortwave
receiver
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
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5920. FS: pro-51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bddf50$03c71b80$34f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 144239

i have a radio shack pro-51 in very good condition for sale..with
copy of manual.....
price 130.00 shipped

thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

5921. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <35fc2a38.1401229@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 144240
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

De Sun, 13 Sep 1998 11:10:22 -0700, John <john@parg.org> a �crit dans
le message:

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>> Mr. Cheek's account has been cancelled ?

>Yea, Chek lost his ISP account on san.rr.com due to the numerous
>complaints
>received of his abuse on this NG.

what did he abuse on this newsgroup ? mass "appropriate" articles ??

> He is active again with his account
>at
>cts.com but has chosen not to return to this NG,
> instad posting on other
>newsgroups.

I see his books on sale at various stores. Probably he is better off
the newsgroups to make a lot of $$ than losing customers by mass
posting.
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�tudient @ m�t�orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit� McGill
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URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit� McGill)
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5922. WTB: Yaesu FRG-9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zanzibar Gordon <keine@vapours.com>
Message-ID: <35FC460A.2E76@vapours.com>
Source record: 144241

Pref with video, and shortwave mod.

DO NOT respond via EMAIL. call Nate @ 414.886.2886.
Mon-9a-9p
Tue-9a-3p
Wed-no!
Thurs-9a-9p
Fri-9a-9p
Sat-9a-5p
Sun-no!

5923. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Hansen <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <35FC2BD1.EF43E6A8@usa.net>
Source record: 144242

John Mackey wrote:
>
> John wrote:
> > How critical is the ohm rating to scanner performance?? If my scanner
> > calls for 50 ohm and I use 75, will I harm the scanners electronics or
> > de-grade performance???
>
> You won't harm the scanner, but there will be a slight decline in
> performance compared to using 50 ohm coax.
>

So you would recommend using the 50 Ohm RG8 over 75 Ohm RG6 for overall
scanner performance?

5924. 235 vs 895 talk group differences

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: footdoc@zebra.net
Message-ID: <6thd6irk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144243

I've been using a 235xlt in standard system default and just got a 895 in standard system default. The 235 gives talk groups like 200-1 or 200-0. The 895 gives 5 digit talk groups. For example, police main is 200-0 on the 235 but has lots of different talk groups in the 5 digit format. Why is there a difference in group configuration? I thought the scanners were basically identical in function. Please send private email! Larry

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5925. FS RCA Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091320343900.QAA24491@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144244

Model RP-6100 20 channel handheld 29-512 Mhz. Can use 6 AA battery or nicads
Comes with ac adapter/charger. Scanner used only one time like new in box. $70
plus shipping.

5926. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091320435000.QAA23847@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144245

>From: John <john@parg.org>

>You really are the newsgroup FOOL aren't you!!
>See my response to BUD, just ABOVE your foolish response!!

Johnny, we're trying to make the newsgroup a better place. Please refrain from flaming and posting abusive messages and stay on-topic. If you persist with this unacceptable behavior, I will contact your ISP, as I have been forced to do on several occasions already.

5927. BC200XLT reset for all channels?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Roberts <dlr.36@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6thc3c$1u2@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144246

Is there a keypad sequence to reset all the frequencies to 000.000 on a BC 200XLT??

email to dlr.36@worldnet.att.net

5928. Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35fc3653.31850292@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 144247

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.
You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

5929. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fc385f.75109776@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144248

On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 19:13:25 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>MAlexder wrote:
>> Er, Johnny, if you're going to plagerize someone else's bon mot (mine), you
>> should at least do it accurately: The phrase is: "I have been living rent free
>> in your mind." Please note that "liging" is not a word that an educated person
>
>You are an idiot!!!
>
>Apparently you do NOT know anything about touch typing & type by hunt &
>peck!
>
>Look at your keyboard, "V" & "G" are neighboring keys, easy for a
>trained touch typist to accidentially hit.

Where were you "trained"? Do you have some sort of credentials to
present the group?

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5930. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fd3983.75402161@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144249

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 17:52:27 -0700, Mike Derryberry
<michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net> wrote:

>From personal experience I have learned the 75 ohm RG6 is better than 50
>ohm RG8 for listening to high frequencies (ie. 450, 800 & 900mhz).
>
>I just repalced a 50 foot run of RG8 in good shape with RG6 and am
>hearing things on 800 & 900 mhz that I was not hearing before. The
>impedence mismatch is by far out weiighed by the inprovement in
>reception.

The improvement was probably due to the PL-259 connector's being
replaced with bnc or type f's!

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5931. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fe39fc.75522686@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144250

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 23:45:14 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>Mike Derryberry wrote:
>> I just repalced a 50 foot run of RG8 in good shape with RG6 and am
>> hearing things on 800 & 900 mhz that I was not hearing before. The
>> impedence mismatch is by far out weiighed by the inprovement in
>> reception.
>
>Your improvement in reception was caused by replacing old RG-8
>coax. Old RG-8 coax becomes very lossy after a few years of being
>exposed to UV & that loss is mostly noticed at 800/900 MHz. You would
>have noticed the same improvement if you replaced with NEW RG-8,
>until the UV effect had aged the coax.

Bahaha, please! Don't you think that the connectors might have
contributed to his 800mhz+ problems? UV damaged RG/8...Maybe if it was
20 or so years old!

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5932. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <6thknq$8v1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144251

> So you would recommend using the 50 Ohm RG8 over 75 Ohm RG6 for overall
> scanner performance?

For many - many years, I have been using 75 ohm coax (RG6 & RG59) for all of my shortwave, VHF/UHF and SHF needs. It is cheap (very cheap --> 6 to 10 cents a foot) lower loss then the comparable 50 ohm cable and the "F" connectors are cheap too. And I use adaptors directly at the radio to "convert" from UHF, BNC or N connectors. I have transmitted with up to 100 watts for years too, with no ill effects. Rene - VE6WCA (ex PA0YS)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

5933. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <n3wtf@cyberix.com>
Message-ID: <35FC73E6.FCA084CB@cyberix.com>
Source record: 144252
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Dan wrote:

> I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR
> races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio
> communications.

SLICED----------

The one other problem that the others have seemed to have missed is theft!!
I had a person next to me at a Pocono event that tried to "Lighten my load
for me"
I stopped him on time but here are a few pointers! :
Try wearing a jacket with an inside pocket and place the radio there. I have
experienced
though from time to time that this can reduce sensitivity.
Make a "leash" that can be tied to your belt loops or wrapped around your
hand.
Or if all else fails KEEP it in your hands!!
Also if the worst does happen have a card in your wallet with the model and
serial #'s on it
So if it does get lifted you have proof that it is yours!!
Remember a lock is only there to keep an honest man honest!

>

5934. LF: TCI cable - Ship Bottom NJ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091322465800.SAA13015@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144253

Anyone know the freq for TCI cable in Ship Bottom NJ (Long Beach Island)?

Please email if possible.
Thanks.

5935. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tork <tork@cts.com>
Message-ID: <905726591.479333@wagasa.cts.com>
Source record: 144254

Want to be a Ham Radio Operator?

Now you can get an Amateur Radio license without learning the Morse code.
First, you need to study the FCC Rules that apply to Novices and Technicians, some antenna theory, and electronics theory. Next, you take a 30 question multiple choice test and a 25 question multiple choice test. You can buy a book with all the questions and answers in it at Ham Radio Outlet or any Radio Shack store ..and start studying.
If the Morse code does not scare you, you can get beginning code practice tapes with your study material and start with the Novice license which requires ability to copy code at 5-words per minute.
A Novice gets more HF privileges (longer distances) and a codeless Technician gets more VHF and UHF privileges. If you add the code at 5-words per minute to the Technician license, you get all of the Novice and Technician privileges.

If you are interested in computers, you can access bulletin boards and contact other computers via packet radio. Technicians can also get involved with Amateur TV, microwave transmission, satellites, earth-moon transmissions, community service, transmitter hunts, and use mobile UHF and VHF radios.

For more infor contact www.arrl.org and www.nocode.org
--
David Torkelson
KF6DGN
33.205 N 117.353 W
Grid Square DM13
Oceanside, Ca. United States

5936. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6thia6$ds6@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144255

In <35FC0E7F.1679@parg.org> John <john@parg.org> writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>> come on runt-end print the letter
>> you sent rr.com ISP and the letter
>
>You really are the newsgroup FOOL aren't you!!
>
>See my response to BUD, just ABOVE your foolish response!! I give ONE
>example of the exchange between myself & san.rr.com. You get
san.rr.com
>to give me the nod of approval, & I'll post ALL of it!

your mother was the world's greatest
fool...when she realized that brown
spot moving down her leg at the toilet
in the brothel she slept at made a
sound and sorry for us, she heard it
and decided to nurture it (ad sic hominum)

now we have what you have become...what a
joke on her.

you are the one who cannot live up to
what you say...you wrote it, it's yours
to do with what you think mostly about.

if you had any balls you would print it

I guess she ate those too.

bill conduit
etc.

5937. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <n3wtf@cyberix.com>
Message-ID: <35FC7909.84D13E06@cyberix.com>
Source record: 144256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

It has in the past!
A story in Pop Comm about a ham using an HT on a police freq because he couldn't hit
the local repeater STATED that the charges against him were dropped, his radio returned
and a formal apology was made in the local news paper by the FCC and local law enforcement!

Just Cause wrote:

> In article <35F83FA4.7C1E@ix.netcom.com>, pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com wrote:
> >Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:
> >
> >> >
> >> >Ken, it is not clear to me. What I read is it is legal to use any radio
> >> under
> >> >part 97 to make the emergency call. It does not state "any" radio
> >> especially
> >> >one that is on a police frequency. Your ham license is not a license to
> >> >operate any where you want.
> >>
> >>
> >>Let's examine the law again:
> >
> > Yes lets do that.
> >
> >==========
> >S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> >No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
> >any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
> >communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
> >life and immediate protection of property when normal communication
> >systems are not available.
> >==========
> >
> > YOUR:
> >Translation: If you witness serious threat to life and property
> >you may use "any means of radiocommunication" at your disposal, when
> >normal systems are NOT available.
> >
> > Mine and the Governments:
> > Only using a part 97 form of communications. Not part 90 or 85 or any of the
> > other services. Read again, this is for part 97 rules..... If you use a
> > public service frequency and you are not licensed to be there then you run

> the risk of being prosecuted. Part 97 does not save your "ass" when you do
> this.
>
> >If you are not near a phone, you may transmit on *any* frequency you
> >wish to resolve the situation.
> >
> >(ken)
>
> COP

5938. Re: LF: TCI cable - Ship Bottom NJ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <35FC5263.4DD4@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 144257

CableTek73 wrote:
>
> Anyone know the freq for TCI cable in Ship Bottom NJ (Long Beach Island)?
>
> Please email if possible.
> Thanks.

TCI has just signed a contract with Nextel to supply two-way comm
services nationwide. Any frequencies licensed to TCI or it's other cable
systems will be abandoned.

Regards

Ed

5939. Re: FS: RS pro 37 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091323153100.TAA17665@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144258

I AM WONDERING IF YOU SOLD THIS UNIT YET. PLEASE REPLY. pdoddy@aol.com

5940. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6thkbk$cr6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144259

Ham Radio is alive and doing well. I have heard of areas where Ham has
declined but
around my part of the world there are quite a few new Ham operators
including myself.
I've talked to some of the examiners in this area and they have told me that
interest
has increased quite a bit lately.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

CBRambo wrote in message
<1998091220551000.QAA09215@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>In article <35FAB837.DC8945DF@nol.net>, Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
>writes:
>
>>I am very interested in starting with a Ham Radio. I currently have a
>>scanner which I have Skywarn frequencies (also Police/Fire mutal aid) and
>>such. I was wondering how I would "starts out" into ham radioing.
>
>Do yourself a favor; don't waste your time. Ham radio is dying. Unless
your
>idea of a good time is a bunch of old codgers exchanging boring World War
II
>stories and complaints about their health ailments, you won't enjoy it
much.
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5941. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6thkp9$68k@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144260

Joshua,

I have been into scanners for quite a while. I had the technical background
to
get a technician license without much effort. My wife also got her license
by
simply studying the technician question pool and taking sample exams.

It's a great hobby and I'm learning more each day.

You can get a book called "Now You're Talking" at Radio Shack (which my
wife and I used) and take practice exams on the web:

http://w5ac.tamu.edu/ham-exam-v2/ham-exam.html

Hope this helps.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

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>I am very interested in starting with a Ham Radio. I currently have a
>scanner which I have Skywarn frequencies (also Police/Fire mutal aid) and
>such. I was wondering how I would "starts out" into ham radioing. I'd
have
>to get a ham radio (mostly for car, a base would be nice later on) and then
I
>would have to get some kind of license? If you know any info (or a
website)
>please help.
>
>Thanks

5942. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091323385900.TAA21176@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144261

In article <905726591.479333@wagasa.cts.com>, "Tork" <tork@cts.com> writes:

>Want to be a Ham Radio Operator?

Been there, done that, got the piece of paper from the FCC. *yawn*

Best thing about having a ham ticket is that I can now operate my mobile scanners without police harrassment. Guess it was worth the $6 after all.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5943. Re: Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <n3wtf@cyberix.com>
Message-ID: <35FC83C7.DA613F4A@cyberix.com>
Source record: 144262

I think he was dumb enough to think 2 meters was a radio with 2 meters (ie swr/pwr)
DOH!

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote:

> I said nothing about any meters, Barry.
>
> --
> 73 de Ryan Faricy
> Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
> Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
> SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
> ICQ: 2865322
>
> Experience is the worst teacher.
> It gives the test first and teaches after.
>
> Barry O'Grady wrote in message <35f663bd.7931937@news.fastlink.com.au>...
> >The number of meters on your radio has no bearing on how it works.
> >

5944. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6thlqcopf1@207.18.224.109>
Source record: 144263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

On Sun, 13 Sep 1998 19:01:46 -0700, Tom <n3wtf@cyberix.com> wrote:

>It has in the past!
>A story in Pop Comm about a ham using an HT on a police freq because he couldn't
>hit
>the local repeater STATED that the charges against him were dropped, his radio
>returned
>and a formal apology was made in the local news paper by the FCC and local law
>enforcement!
>
And any number of cases where the radios were never returned,
apologies never made, neither by the FCC, or anyone else.

5945. Re: What are advantages of base scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <n3wtf@cyberix.com>
Message-ID: <35FC857E.C7CE6167@cyberix.com>
Source record: 144264

In my past experiences if you take apart two scanners from the same manf. that boast the
same features and tear them down to just the circuts EVERY thing is usually the same
But this is not always true! maybe 85% of the time it is though

Dimen wrote:

> Are there any advantages to base scanners? Do they have better
> antennas or do they pick up more stuff than handhelds? If they do,
> would a base scanner with an added antenna always be better than a
> handheld also with and added antenna?

5946. Looking for New 800 Mghz. Frequencies for San Francisco City & County

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: RFCBear@postoffice.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <35FC5A45.39B0B46@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 144265

I am looking for new 800 Mghz. Frequencies for San Francisco City &
County. Can anyone nelp me? Thank You-Russ

5947. Ham & Scanner Page for Seveir Co. TN.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <35FC79C7.4DED@qsl.net>
Source record: 144266
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page!
Reviews on: Opto Cub frequency counter and the CTP De-scrambler.
Humor on "how to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S."
East Tennessee frequencies and pictures of my equipment.

Top 100 ham sites @
http://www.webfringe.com/host/w5www/

5948. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6thv5pbda1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 144267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

TV video is AM, not FM.

Pathagarus wrote in message <35FAB5EA.7DF84B3@erols.com>...
>TV is broadcast in "Wide Band FM".
>
>mrFSK wrote:
>
>> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
>> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
>> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
>> does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty
>> useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.
>>
>> -Michael
>

5949. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6thv98$c9i$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 144268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The Yaesu FRG-9600 receiver will receive any video signals between
60 and 900 MHz. The optional TV board is required.

Pete

D. P. Roberts wrote in message <35fd4619.6534191@news.swbell.net>...
>> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
>> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
>> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
>
>A TV station is not like a radio station. With radio, the station is
>broadcasting what you're hearing. With TV, the station is not
>broadcasting the picture, but rather a set of instructions that allows
>your TV set to produce a picture.

5950. Please visit: The FREQUENCY BOOKMARK is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duez Samuel <McLeod1455@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35FBE6FB.76271DF2@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144269

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The frequency bookmark is born
go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
sorted links to scanning ressources pages
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5951. Rate a Camnis HSC-010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tonekh@REMOVEonline.no
Message-ID: <35fd1d4b.250769948@news.eunet.no>
Source record: 144270

How du you rate a Camnis HSC-010.
Is this something to buy? or do i find something better?
Whats the price?

5952. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <35FD65E1.A9451871@fnal.gov>
Source record: 144028

Pursuit10851 wrote:

>
> This explains why phone patch-type conversations can't be monitored on
> my TrunkTrackers.
>

As I recall (from the TT manual), these "private calls" are blocked just
like cell phone freqs are blocked. Of course, that doesn't prevent the
poor man's TT. (That's where you program the freqs in desending order, L/O
the control channel of the day and press Scan a lot. Of course my freqs
are programmed in desending order by chance ;-)

--

--> Rick Colombo@fnal.gov

5953. The frequency bookmark is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duez Samuel <McLeod1455@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35FD6B47.51CB9C16@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144029

The frequency bookmark is born
go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
sorted links to scanning ressources pages

5954. Hutchinson County {TX} Area Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.E.PALMER" <jep@infinitytx.net>
Message-ID: <35fd6b0c.0@news.usenetnews.org>
Source record: 144030

A list of scanner freqs. for the Hutchinson County {TX} area can be found at
http://www.eocradar.com/freqs.htm

6820

5955. My pro67 !?!?!?!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <35fd6e85.856445@usenet.idirect.com>
Source record: 144031

I have been following this newsgroup for a while, and have not seen mention of my scanner at alll.. I have a radioshack PRO67... is it that bad that nobody else owns one ? am I missing out on something here ??

Mina Naguib
a.k.a. Dafrog
http://dafrog.cjb.net

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my email address.

5956. Re: AOR 1000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjheller-nospam-@west.net
Message-ID: <pjheller-nospam--1409981305200001@pm9-29.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 144032

I have an original AOR 1000 (for sale, I might add), which came with full unblocked 800 coverage. I never heard of them selling it with 800 blocked.

PJH
pjheller@west.net

In article <19980914190427 00.PAA09773@ladder01.news.aol.com>, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

> ><pheaton@sunlink.net>
>
> >Is there anyone out there in Cyber land that has the equipment and
> >knowledge or could help me in this endeavor? Please respond.
> >
>
> Funny, I wasn't aware that the AOR1000 was ever blocked. I thought they simply
> stopped selling them when the law changed. Did you happen to try it by any
> chance? Enter the appropriate freqs in one of the search banks and see what
> happens.

5957. Re: AOR 1000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5YGlTgBqbX$1EwCs@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 144033

In article <35FD43E1.76E47E77@sunlink.net>, Paul Heaton
<pheaton@sunlink.net> writes

Hi Paul,

>About 2 years ago I purchased an AOR 1000 scanner from a noted dealer.
[snip]

>Is there anyone out there in Cyber land that has the equipment and
>knowledge or could help me in this endeavor? Please respond.

I always thought AR1000 and variants were all full coverage but if not a
full reset of the CPU should do the trick for you.

http://www.javiation.co.uk/cpu1.html

Note the slight variations in keypad routine depending of which version
of the family you have and you will clear all memory channels and search
banks.

Hope that helps, have fun.
Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
\--/

5958. FS: BC3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Gryniewski, I.S. Director" <mski@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6tjthrnuo1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 144034

FOR SALE!! BC3000XLT 400 CHANNEL SCANNER. I have 2 of these, need to sell
at least one, maybe both. Looking at getting the 9000 base to replace them.
have box/books/charger/battery/ant for both.

used 1 year - no damage at all works perfect - $230 + 10 shipping = $240
or
brand new - no use at all - $300 + 10 shipping = $310
leather case for either is $20 extra
Scanner sells for $339-$400 us dollars in scanner mags.

email to get info: mski@bright.net
can be returned in 10 days if not satisfied my description is correct.

Mark Gryniewski
Orrville OH
mski@bright.net

5959. Re: BNC (ug) connectors for RG6 cable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35FD7E50.7F94987D@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 144035

I use 'F' connectors with F-to-BNC adaptors

Mike

John J. Smith Jr. wrote:
>
> Does anybody know if the Radio Shack UG-89 (I think that is the
> designation) connectors will fit RG6 coax? I checked the specs for
> the cable, and for RG59 cable which these connectors are made for, and
> the RG6 appears to be a little larger in diameter. Does this really
> matter? What are others using to connect RG6 to their scanners?

5960. two way radio id ic chips wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Herb <dcbus@nospam.sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <01bde01e$7fd443a0$0d2567d1@computer-2>
Source record: 144036

Any one aware of id modules used for the identification of transmitting two
way radios (taxi dispatcher identifies which radio is transmitting)
Any info would be helpful hope to find some used equipment at areasonable
price
Thanks Gerry from Canada
dcbus@sprint.ca
don't forget to remove the "nospam" from my e-mail address before sending
--

5961. please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike hays <hayshouse@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bde01f$b09e1500$ce23fed0@default>
Source record: 144037

Please remove my address from your list.

Mike Hays

5962. Sony icf-sc1pc Discriminater tap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Schmidt <bryschmidt@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <35FD818A.950273E0@mindspring.com>
Source record: 144038

Does anyone know where the discriminator output is on a Sony ICF-SC1PC

Thanks

5963. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36038599.78013315@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144039

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 00:44:36 -0700, John <john@parg.org> wrote:

>Jack wrote:
>> >Look at your keyboard, "V" & "G" are neighboring keys, easy for a
>> >trained touch typist to accidentially hit.
>>
>> Where were you "trained"? Do you have some sort of credentials to
>> present the group?
>
>This is incredible! What type of training or "credentials" are needed
>to see that on a computer keypoard "V" & "G" are next to each other?

You claimed to be "trained touch typist"!, implying formal training. I
was just wondering if you would present proof of these credentials
to prove that you are not just hunt & pecking!

5964. Re: RS Pro2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bde027$319a8b00$40dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 144040
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Mike,

The 2004 price ranges from $225 to $290, depending on the shape it`s in, does it have the box & manual, is the back light bright & how bad a person wants it. It`s a great scanner with lots of mods available from Bill Cheek. I hate to see you sale it, but good luck.
--
Happy Scanning,
Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

Mike Arthur <shannona@airmail.net> wrote in article <4AE5907E911C2465.2173AB6DA0BB0EB5.ADBD61551AC1CBBA@library-proxy.airnews.net>...
>
> I have a RS Pro2004 Scanner That I bought back in 1986 no mods I am
> wondering how much is it worth
> Thinking of selling
> --
> Michael J. Arthur
>
>
>

5965. Re: FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3604869b.78271023@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144041

On 14 Sep 1998 11:10:32 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>>>From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
>>>I have a new in box RS-508 20Ch VHF UHF small tabletop scanner. Comes
>>>complete in the original box with manual, power pack and telescopic
>>>antenna. This is a great deal for one third of the catalog price. $55
>>
>>From: malexder@aol.com (MAlexder)
>>These were selling for $12 at clearance not long ago.
>>
>That's true, but try to find one now at that price. Remember the laws of supply
>and demand. "If I've got the supply, and you've got the demand, then I get to
>set the price."
>
>JW

If anyone REALLY wanted one bad enough they could take a trip to the
Sawgrass mills RadioShack in Sunrise Florida and get 10 or 12 of them
for $12.97 a piece. The boxes are not in the best shape but I'm sure
that they carry the standard warranty. For the price it is a great
little scanner with a Motorola antenna plug and no earphone
jack..but...if it breaks in the next year I'll be in luck!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5966. PRO-64 at RS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36058775.78489375@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144042

The much sought after RS PRO-64 handheld scanner (actually 6 of them) can be had at the Radio Shack store located in Margate, Florida if anyone out there wants to teach the droid behind the counter at their RS how to get stuff from other stores.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

5967. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bde026$71aa30c0$40dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 144043

John,

You wouldn`t by any chance have been Clinton`s secretary, would you? I think the names have been changed from Mackey to Monica. In that case, you are VERY qualified.

Charlie

John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org> wrote in article <35FB2A45.5AA7@parg.org>...

> Look at your keyboard, "V" & "G" are neighboring keys, easy for a
> trained touch typist to accidentially hit.

5968. Re: a NEW idea!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bde028$091f45c0$40dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 144044

OK, All who agree that John should be committed, speak up !!! Here!

Charlie

John <john@parg.org> wrote in article <35FCCE99.4620@parg.org>...

> I will commit to that RIGHT NOW, can all of you?

5969. Re: Single Frequency Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pwolsko@nac.net>
Message-ID: <QdgL1.16921$0f.8959483@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 144045

Kevin,

Ask any volunteer fireman about his Plectron (sic), and he can probably tell you how to get one. HOWEVER, if you're not in that situation, why not just get a good, small scanner. You can get those too and, should you only want to monitor one frequency...you can do that.

Paul

Kevin Dilworth wrote in message <35FD394B.6391@phnx.uswest.net>...
>Anyone know of a single frequency receiver radio to be used to monitor
>just fire dispatch? I seem to remember seeing an ad for one in one of
>the scanner magazines a while ago - it was recommended for those who
>work for volunteer fire departments. It was manufactured by a company
>somewhere near Santa Barbara, California. Any help in locating one of
>these would be greatly appreciated!

5970. Re: Sport cat???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pwolsko@nac.net>
Message-ID: <MggL1.16922$0f.8961112@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 144046

Can't modify for cellular.

PJ

smokebowl wrote in message <35fb2922.15705828@news.flash.net>...
>Hey I am thinking of buying a sportcat 150(uniden) can I modify this
>for cellular? if so, can someone direct me to a site with the mod
>info... Much appreciated
>
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>

5971. Hilton Head freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: &#65533;arah <sobyo@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35FDAEF6.2D5D@mc.net>
Source record: 144047

I am heading to Hilton Head SC Friday from Il. Can anyone help me out with some freqs. Thank you, J.N.

5972. RS Pro-2040 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackwy@clark.net
Message-ID: <6tk4nadqm1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 144048

I bought a Pro-2040 at a flea market recently and after
firing it up I noted a couple of things.
First it seems to have very poor sensitivity in the 800 MHz
ranges (lots of local police use it here). It this characteristic
of this unit?
Second, the audio seems really bad on some frequencies.
Does this unit have a problem with internal interference with
the audio or just generally have poor audio?
Any info appreciated.

Jack jackwy@clark.net

5973. UHF Motorola Maxtrac 4Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: seleong@world.northgrum.com
Message-ID: <MPG.106732149597d1f0989695@news.northgrum.com>
Source record: 144049

For Sale:
Motorola Maxtrac Mobile Radio - excellent condition:

I have one of the 16-channel UHF (D44MJA7DA5_K, S/N 428PQS5049) radios for sale. I'm asking $250 OBO. Package will consist of radio and mic (5-pin accessory connector), but no bracket. Radio is in excellent shape (physically and functionally), and has been programmed to HAM frequencies. Please let me know if interested. Thanks!

Steve KC6IJM

5974. For Sale: Alinco DJ-X10 wideband receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KreageR <kreager@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bde030$a6490fe0$b2a92fd1@doleh_home.software.mitle.com>
Source record: 144050

I am selling my 4 month old Alinco DJ-X10 wideband receiver. This scanner is in perfect condition and receives from 0.1mhz to 2000mhz. There are 1200 memory banks with alphanumeric tags for each individual freq. that is programmed. There are many features that you can check out at http://www.alinco.com.

The scanner comes complete with instruction manual, antenna, batter pack, battery charger, belt clip, and box. I am asking US$350-$375

If you are interested please e-mail me.
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kreager@usa.net

5975. Re: FS AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091423043200.TAA16634@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144051

In article <Uw4KXAASjU$1Ew0a@keith1.demon.co.uk>, Keith Rogers
<tonefloat@keith1.demon.co.uk> writes:

>I have an as new AOR 8000 scanner for sale, inc. mains PSU/battery
>recharger, batteries, UK Scanning Directory. 1000 channels, all-mode,
>100khz - 1950 Mhz no gaps. ï¿½220, UK buyer preferred.

Are these even LEGAL in the UK? I thought they had serious bans on monitoring
(?)

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5976. Re: AOR 1000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091423043300.TAA16638@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144052

In article <pjheller-nospam--1409981305200001@pm9-29.sba1.avtel.net>,
pjheller-nospam-@west.net (P.J. Heller) writes:

>I have an original AOR 1000 (for sale, I might add), which came with full
>unblocked 800 coverage. I never heard of them selling it with 800 blocked.

Correct. ALL AOR 1000s have full 800Mhz coverage.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

5977. Re: FS: RS pro 37 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: camper <h2oguy@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6tk7l0gie1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144053

SOLD

Skezzo wrote in message <19980913231531100.TAA17665@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>I AM WONDERING IF YOU SOLD THIS UNIT YET. PLEASE REPLY. pdoddy@aol.com

5978. Introduction to Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6tk7d3$67e@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 144054
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The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

Why Scanning?
Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
What is a CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature?
How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
Scanner Antennas
Coaxial Cable Feedlines
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How Can I Use Equipment to Uncover New Frequencies?
Scanner Clubs and Mailing Lists

Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is http://www.grove-ent.com

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp sites including the /pub/hamradio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises,
7540 Highway 64 West,
Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

I don't get any part of this reprint fee.

Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 828-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

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As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

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For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

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Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation. This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

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1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and try to determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

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You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

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Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than any pile of magazines.

Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 fee for 200 hours use of the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83
and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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HOW DO YOU FIND THESE SCANNER FREQUENCIES?

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I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

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Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

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http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

Companies have appeared which are "plugged into" the FCC licensing system and they sell computer time allowing on-line file access. They also sell paper copies of FCC information. Washington Radio Reports is one example. A monthly publication, it lists license applications made to the FCC. A few members of my scanner club subscribe and share the information with me.

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Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

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Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

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Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

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If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

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- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

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How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

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Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios
and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get
it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

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Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but
you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used
scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used
radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment.
Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in
today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase
most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

Cal Crystal Lab Inc.
1142 N. Gilbert St.
Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

G & G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, NY 14482.
tel. 716-768-8151

Jan Crystals
Box #-6017
Fort Myers, FL 33911
tel. 813-936-2397

Monitor Crystal Svc
124 W Walnut St Watseka, IL 60970
tel. 815-432-5296

Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
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REPAIR TIPS: BEARCAT SCANNER RADIOS

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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

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I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

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Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. See March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine for BC800XLT capacitor locations and repair information.

The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner

owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. Gary Bean reports he substituted a 2SA1298 for | Q201 and it worked fine. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140.

Sources for Replacement NiCd Battery Packs

Replacement NiCd battery packs and inserts for the BC100XLT, BC200XLT, BC2500XLT, BC3000XLT, and other scanners are available from Uniden. I've purchased them at lower cost from:

1. Mr. NiCd - E. H. Yost and Company, 2211-D Parview Rd., Middleton, WI 53562. tel. (608)831-3443. email ehyost@midplains.net

2. Battery-Tech Central, 2818 Southland Street SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404-4141. tel. (800)267-3087 or (319)364-0855. email rlassoc@inav.net

Batteries Plus has stores across they country and some have rebuilt Uniden NiCd packs for under $20.

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. I published the pinout for both Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor receivers in June 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

You can buy the proper replacement power cords but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and solder

on a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760

email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent to return to its original value when the cause of the change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching. The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a 1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis? Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping" the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003, PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

4. If space permits, you can replace the stock resistor with a higher value variable resistor ("trimpot") and adjust to suit.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14

	of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197 47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148 47K remove R148
	or replace with 220K.
	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board.

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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than 70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises, but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor receivers of various brands in my collection. This article describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
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Nov 1995 - selected AOR AR-8000 measurements
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Jun 1996 - modifications & tips for the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT
Jul 1996 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT-10 mobile
Oct 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2046 mobile
Dec 1996 - AOR AR5000
Jan 1997 - ICOM R8500
Feb 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-2045
Mar 1997 - ICOM IC-R10
Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
Jul 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC235XLT portable Trunktracker
Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
Oct 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-67
Nov 1997 - Sporty's JD-100 Air Scan
Dec 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC895XLT Trunktracker
Mar 1998 - RELM MS-200 mobile
Apr 1998 - RCA RP-6150 portable
May 1998 - Radio Shack PRO-2050 base Trunktracker
Jun 1998 - Opto DC442 CTCSS/DCS/DTMF display
Aug 1998 - Sony SC1PC portable

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally

generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong, causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are 287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot

be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks. Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/BEARCAT AND ELECTRA/BEARCAT

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be

arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics). The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service

Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at http://www.grove-ent.com for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older

Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as

federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob. Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during

search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

REGENCY

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby

SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RCA

RP-6150: 1997 vintage. No frills, good performing portable. 200 channels in 10 banks. No military aircraft frequency coverage. Triple conversion and a flexible battery arrangement. Lacks duplicate channel detection, search skip, and empty channel lockout features of newer designs. Our sample isn't super sensitive at 470 - 512 MHz and has some intermod around the VHF railroad channels but is generally more resistant to image problems than the BC230XLT. For technical test results and a review, see "The RCA RP-6150 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1998.

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. See "The RELM HS-200 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display. Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

RADIO SHACK

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other

owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be

loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound

Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod,

especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed. Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT

but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2050: 1998 vintage 300 channel Motorola trunk system tracking base made by Uniden. Tight front end. Excellent performance. Chassis-less, plastic construction. Squelch and volume knobs too close and Manual key is hard to find. IFs are 380.7 (approx.), 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. AM and NFM modes are factory set and not selectable. 300 channels in 10 banks and a 2 second rescan delay may be programmed on a per channel basis. Query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Our PRO-2050 scans at 78 channels/sec., skipping over empty channels. 10 priority channels. Up to 50 frequencies may be locked out from limit search. A single pair of limits may be programmed for a limit search. No Direct key or direct search facility. Factory preprogrammed frequencies for police, fire/emergency, commercial air, public service, and weather, but not marine. See May 1998 Monitoring Times for a review which includes quantitative test results.

SONY

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers 25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size and mode. Computer control and downloading with software and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries. Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10 banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per-channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out ("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds. SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. See "The SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test

results.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

CRAIG (division of PIONEER)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you find one in good condition.

SONAR

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no

scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

Sonar Model	#chan- nels	VHF low	VHF high	UHF scans?	lock- outs?
FR104	6	X		no	
FR105	6	X		no	
FR2512	24	X		no	
FR2513	24	X		no	
FR2514	8	X		yes	no
FR2515	8	X		yes	no
FR2516	10	X		yes	yes
FR2517	10	X		yes	yes
FR2525	10	X		yes	yes
FR2526	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2527	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2528	10	X	X	yes	yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

TENNELEC

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel

programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. For more information, see "Add a Crystal Receiver to Your Arsenal," by Bob Parnass, January 1996 Monitoring Times.

Custom Color Map & Report
of Transmitter Sites Near You

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state,

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RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

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For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

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A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $4.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central

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Washington, DC 20231

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There are various patent servers on the world wide web, including IBM's server:

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5986. Re: please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ##aheely##@##downcity##.net
Message-ID: <35fda2ff.17804609@news.downcity.net>
Source record: 144062

This got to be a joke. Nobody is this stupid.

On 14 Sep 1998 20:46:54 GMT, "mike hays" <hayshouse@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>Please remove my address from your list.
>
>Mike Hays

5987. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6tk7e2$67j@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 144063
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1998 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
last updated September 14, 1998 |

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the | information.

SEPTEMBER 1998

Sep 12 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see | details below). Lake County Fairgrouds. |

Sep 13 (Sun), Joliet, IL. Bolingbrook ARS. Inwood Recreation Center. 3000 W. Jefferson St. Joliet, IL. Talkin on 147.330 (+6020KHz), 224.540 (-1.6 KHz), and 146.820 (-600KHz). VE Testing 9AM-Noon. Outdoor flea market area (no charge for space) and indoor dealer tables ($8-$12). Admission $5 at the gate. Gate opens at 8AM. For additional information contact N9GH at (630) 759-4955 or listen to the weekly BARS Net, Thurs at 8PM on 147.330 (+600) or 224.540 (-1.6). You can also E-Mail dshourd@juno.com.

Sept 26, 27 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

Sept 20 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale | (see below). orland Park Civic Center. |

Sept 27 (Sun) Valparaiso, IN. Porter County ARC annual Hamfest at Valparaiso Natinal Guard Armory on US30 just west of RT2. Take I 94 to Rt49 exit south to Rt30. Go west. Watch for signs or take Rt30 to Valparaiso IN. Watch for signs. Inside tables 6.00 ea admission 3.00. outside venders with your addmission plently of room. Food will be avaiable. Door prizes. Talk in 146.775- 131.8 pl or 146.000. Info: contact Carl W9TAD 219 878 9675.

OCTOBER 1998

Oct 4 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). |
Dupage County Fairgrounds. |

Oct 11 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale |
(see below). orland Park Civic Center. |

Oct 17 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see |
details below). Lake County Fairgrouds. |

NOVEMBER 1998

Nov 22 (Sun), Wheaton, IL. GMRS Electronics Flea Market. |
Dupage County Fairgrounds. Sponsored by GMRS of Illinois, |
Inc. Admission $5. Kids under 12 free. Open for setup at |
6:30 AM. Building doors open for buyers at 8 AM. Info: |
(815)756-3933 or (630)393-3937.

Nov 28 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see |
details below). Lake County Fairgrouds. |

DECEMBER 1998 |

Dec 19 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see |
details below). Lake County Fairgrouds. |

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES |

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of
DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park
Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5
admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am
- 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web |
site.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park
Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or
at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester
Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM
- 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information,
call (847)974-3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com |

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer |
expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30 |
AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies, |
games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors, |
diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables, |
expansion boards, services, and anything else in the domain |
of computers! Lake County Fairgrounds, Route 120 (Belvidere |
Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall Building #1=9720,000 |
sq. feet of everything Computer! For a show map, exhibitor |
info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at |
http://www.ccxpo.com.

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5988. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35FDAF44.9CFD96E9@datasync.com>
Source record: 144064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

NOW there that should settle that!!
don

Mickey McInnis wrote:
>
> 7.111@news.mci2000.com> <6tfjcg$b2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
<6tgip2qsd0@207.18.224.140>
> Organization:
> Keywords:
>
> In article <6tgip2qsd0@207.18.224.140>, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
> |> On 13 Sep 1998 04:57:52 GMT, "James Tonsager"
> |> <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> |>
> |> ><Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<
> |> >
> |> >Just Cause wrote in message ...
> |> >>>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
> |> >>>basically anything.
> |> >>
> |> >>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....
> |> >
> |> >
> |> >Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
> |> >ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.
> |> >
> |> >
> |> Have you failed to read the rest of the thread?
> |>
> |> The FCC interpets that rule, to mean that only HAM frequencies, as in,
> |> a novice can use a advanced frequency.
> |>
> |> They have stated that it does NOT mean that a HAM can use a public
> |> safety frequency in an emergency.
>
> You claim "They have stated...". Please clarify.
>
> Please cite Federal law or official statements of policy from the FCC.
>
> I'll cite FCC part 97:
>
> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of

> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
> not available.
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> --
> Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
> --
> All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

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5989. FS:Icom PCR 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenner@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35FDCA7F.C88D7ABB@uswest.net>
Source record: 144065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Icom PCR 1000 in excellent cosmetic and electronic condition. Works fine no EEPROM problems. Comes with all original stuff including the box. This radio can be software modified for cell. This mod has not been done.

$350 shipped in the U.S. 48 via UPS

Greg Renner

5990. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Mansfield <davemanNOSPAM@vmicro.com>
Message-ID: <35fdc19c.0@news.vmicro.com>
Source record: 144066
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Pursuit10851 wrote in message <35fbcfd2.293223@news.jps.net>...
>
>>D. P. Roberts wrote in message <35fc6af1.1201447@news.swbell.net>...
>>

<<snip>>

>
>This explains why phone patch-type conversations can't be monitored on
>my TrunkTrackers.
>
>
>Remove "nospamno" to email.

I don't think that is true: Monitoring the EDACS system used here in Riverside County (noting current TrunkTrackers from Uniden/RS don't follow), when a phone call is patched thru the system, it is somehow "given" the frequency it is assigned to for the duration of the call (system only allows 3 minutes). During that time, other than warning beeps at minute intervals, and a series of beeps when the 3 minute limit approaches, one does not hear any other "control" tones or the like. This would seem to indicate phone calls are handled differently by the system, not within the normal talkgroup scheme. It will be interested to see if anyone can verify this...

At any rate, it would also be interesting to hear whether or not this limitation was built in by the radio system designer due to the law, or some technology limitation...

Dave

5991. Re: a NEW idea!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <35FDC0C7.E78A0223@INVALID.com>
Source record: 144067

Charlie Dwenger wrote:

> OK, All who agree that John should be committed, speak up !!! Here!
>
> Charlie
>
> John <john@parg.org> wrote in article <35FCCE99.4620@parg.org>...

Here-Here! And *keep* him there!

"They're comin' to take him away....Oh me!...Oh my!....comin' to take him
away!"

5992. FS: Motorola GP-68 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35FDC925.495C@mc.net>
Source record: 144068

We have plenty of Motorola GP-68 VHF models available.

136 -174 Mhz
20 channel plus vfo
scan with nuisence delete
1/5 watt output
FULLY KEYBOARD programmable
LCD display
PL/DPL
DTMF ID
1200mah battery
3 Hour Rapid charger

$275.00 includes shipping prepay

5993. Federal Law and Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Drrocks <bacol@rof.net>
Message-ID: <35FDE819.7504A27B@rof.net>
Source record: 144069

I'm sorry to butt right in here, but I need this reference fast, didn't see any reference to such a question in the most recent 100 messages, and don't know where FAQ is, if there is one.

Can someone give me the actual regulation that covers disclosure of intercepted radio transmissions? That is the actual CFR chapter and verse, or at least close? Or the USC reference???

Thanks in advance,
Bruce

5994. PRO-2004 MINT ! FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35FDF447.357A8F82@alaska.net>
Source record: 144070

I have a MINT perfect 2004 for sale, all mods, original box, original manual, original owner. non smoker, no kids dogs, birds, $250.

Also a NEW UNUSED..... LCD Display for above @ $50 shipped

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

5995. BC-200 NEW Batterys FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <35FDF52C.FBBEF95F@alaska.net>
Source record: 144071

I have the following :

Both are NEW/UNUSED

1. 1350 ma Nickel-metal hydride battery insert
2. AA Battery pak for BC-200

Both for $55 shipped and I'll throw in a NEW Auto
charger cord for the 200!!!!!

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

5996. IC-R1 FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mikes@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <35FC6E60.EDBC6598@optonline.net>
Source record: 144078

Just Purchased an R1 with No Documentation, Are there ANY sites that can help me program
this thing!

Regards
Mike

5997. CTP Freq Inv Descrambler Royalty program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091401404900.VAA13766@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144079

Thanks for your interest in the CTP Royalty program.

Here is how it works.

1. You place our banner on your web page. This
will consist of a banner gif Picture of our DS49 Speech Inversion
Descrambler and text advertising it.
Once you place this banner on your
page you are done. There is nothing else to do. You are
given a number that goes after the Descrambler model number
right on the banner.
ie... DS-10. When someone calls us to order
with a credit card or orders through the mail using
your number, you earn a $5.00 royalty for that sale.

2. Royalty checks will be mailed at the end of each quarter.
ie.. end of March/ June/ September/ December.

3. You can email us at any time for an update of your sales.

4. Sales will greatly depend on the amount of traffic your site
gets daily, so increasing your site traffic through search
engine registration and link exchanges will help us both.

5. For each sale where the customer does not remember the model
number, ie... DS-10 we will asign the sale to the next
name on our list of program participants. This way eventualy
you will get credit for a sale even if the customer cant
remember the model number.

That's all there is to it.

If you are interested in participating in the CTP
royalty program Email us at ctpds49@aol.com
your name and mailing address
and url of your web site and we will send you the banner asap.

Thanks for your time.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

5998. Re: BC200XLT reset for all channels?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: midnightt@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6thsia$41j@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144080

I saw this in an earlier post. Let us know if it works.

"On Mon, 24 Aug 1998 19:08:29 -0700, "David R. Firbank"
<firbank@mountain-inter.net> wrote:

>Does anyone know how to clear (1) or all memory locations without using
>another frequency and how to reconfigure scanning to clear any or all locked
>out sectors?

Hold down the 2, 9, and 'man' keys while turning on the radio to
completely reset it (erase ALL stored freqs).

Not sure if it works on the 200 (it does onnthe 235), but holding down
the 'l/o' key for about 2 seconds, then hitting the 'e' key will clear
all lockouts."

On 13 Sep 1998 21:05:48 GMT, "Don Roberts" <dlr.36@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>Is there a keypad sequence to reset all the frequencies to 000.000 on a BC
>200XLT??
>
>
>email to dlr.36@worldnet.att.net
>

5999. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fc77db.8963313@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144081

On Sun, 13 Sep 1998 00:22:24 -0700, John Mackey <jmackey@parg.org>
wrote:

>> JOHN MACKEY WINS THE GREATER PORTLAND OREGON
>> SUCKING CHAMPIONSHIP HANDS DOWN!
>>
>> Mackey walked away smiling from the quarter-finals
>> after he effortlessly sucked a tennis ball through
>> a 50-ft 3/4" garden hose.
>>
>> He gleefully captured the semi-finals when he sucked
>> the chrome off a trailer hitch. The audience roared
>> and applauded as he swallowed the chrome!
>>
>> Mackey proudly claimed the Championship after he
>> nonchalantly suck-started a Harley Davidson motorcycle
>> from the exhaust pipe.
>>
>> Mackey Sucks!

Did you get a large trophy?

haha

6000. Re: Ohio Ham Radio Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: curlinob@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091402122200.WAA17307@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144082

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>Subject: Ohio Ham Radio Freq.
>From: "Mike Harmon" <dtfh32@raex.com>
>Date: 9/12/98 9:55 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <6tf7s5$k09$1@tenax.raex.com>
>
>Anybody got any reperter freq. for Akron, OH.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>Mike
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>

29.680-
146.640-
146.985-
147.300+
147.330+
223.940-
442.100+
442.700+
443.625+
444.200+
1291.020-

You should be able to find someone to talk to on one of these.

73 de N8PPS
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6001. Re: Probe without OS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fd89e4.13566597@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144083
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 14 Sep 1998 01:22:58 GMT, Highcove Family
<Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I'm interested in using Probe with at least one of my scanners (Pro
>2042, Icom R10, Pro 60) but do not want to shell out the $185+ for an OS
>interface. Is there any way to build one that would be compatible with
>the software and the scanner? (I know the 2045 is the obvious candidate
>for computer control, but that's my baby, and I'm afraid of screwing it
>up) Would an interface for the R10 work?

If you want to use Probe you are going to have to install a OS535 in
your PRO-2042/2035 or an OS456 in your PRO-2005/2006 OR MAYBE you
could get a new Optocom unit and it MIGHT support is now or in the
future. If not you are SOL, if you had an 2005/2006 you could get an
OS456lite board with no PL,DPL or signal strength decoding for only
$100 and I think that's all they offer now anyway besides the OS535,
good luck!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6002. Re: Which scanner for NASCAR races? Please suggest a few.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Stegner <dstegner@home.com>
Message-ID: <rZ%K1.730$aE.16456973@news.rdc1.va.home.com>
Source record: 144084
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I brought my RE Alpha2000 to the Busch race in Richmond, VA last Friday and
it was awesome. The CTCSS capabilites reduced intermode problems
significantly. The alpha readout was nice too. I would highly recommend
this scanner for NASCAR races. You can get more info at
http://www.racingelectronics.com/
Tom wrote in message <35FC73E6.FCA084CB@cyberix.com>...
>
>
>Dan wrote:
>
>> I have had an 855 xlt for several years. Now I am going to a few NASCAR
>> races and want to take a scanner along to monitor the drivers radio
>> communications.
>
>SLICED---
>
>The one other problem that the others have seemed to have missed is theft!!
>I had a person next to me at a Pocono event that tried to "Lighten my load
>for me"
>I stopped him on time but here are a few pointers! :
>Try wearing a jacket with an inside pocket and place the radio there. I
have
>experienced
>though from time to time that this can reduce sensitivity.
>Make a "leash" that can be tied to your belt loops or wrapped around your
>hand.
>Or if all else fails KEEP it in your hands!!
>Also if the worst does happen have a card in your wallet with the model and
>serial #'s on it
>So if it does get lifted you have proof that it is yours!!
>Remember a lock is only there to keep an honest man honest!
>
>>
>

6003. Re: Scanner & 2 meter radio on same ant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fe8b5b.13941891@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144085

On Sun, 13 Sep 1998 19:47:36 -0700, Tom <n3wtf@cyberix.com> wrote:

>I think he was dumb enough to think 2 meters was a radio with 2 meters (ie
>swr/pwr)
>DOH!

LOL

6004. Re: New Pro-26's only $149!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <35fc7bd9.670067@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 144086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 10 Sep 1998 22:28:36 GMT, jvillafane@aol.com (JVillafane) wrote:

>dude you are out in left field some where the pro 26 doesn't use crystal(s)
>
>
>
Not really, there actually is two models of the Pro-26 that have been
sold by Radio Shack. The first Pro-26 was a small crystal scanner that
was made by GRE. The later version of the Pro-26 was a 200 ch. scanner
that was made by Uniden.

Wiggie

6005. can anyone modify a radioshack pro-91 to scan below 29mhz??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtwin@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <35fe8cdd.35945913@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144087

I would love to be able to pick up the CB bands or even lower if possible.

6006. Re: ****POCSAG (PAGER) DECODING ON PC - HELP****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35ff90ca.15333517@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144088

On 13 Sep 1998 05:37:54 GMT, teenham@aol.com (Teen Ham) wrote:

>Hey,
>
> I got this program called PROCSAG Protocol Monitor from
><http://aab.42.org/poc32/> or you can also get it from
><http://www.inetone.net/Fsmith/index.html> It says it's suppost to decode most
>of the pager signals into text on your computer. It says you could either
>build a plug in or just use the Sound Blaster's LINE IN jack. My question is,
>can I just have a microphone connected to it and place the mic by the speaker?
>I'm using a ICOM W32A HT with it's Wide Recieve. If anyone actually gets it to
>work, please let me know how you got it to work.

At the very least you will have to plug a cord from your earphone out
jack on the scanner to the input of the soundcard, a microphone will
not work.

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6007. Re: FS RCA Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <360091a3.15550064@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144089

On 13 Sep 1998 20:34:39 GMT, pstringy@aol.com (PStringy) wrote:

>Model RP-6100 20 channel handheld 29-512 Mhz. Can use 6 AA battery or nicads
>Comes with ac adapter/charger. Scanner used only one time like new in box. $70
>plus shipping.

Is this the one kinda shaped like a pyramid?

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6008. FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35FC988B.45EA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a new in box RS-508 20Ch VHF UHF small tabletop scanner. Comes complete in the original box with manual, power pack and telescopic antenna. This is a great deal for one third of the catalog price. $55 shipped. 73 Chris

6009. wtb: scanner parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbarrett9@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091404521000.AAA12750@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144091

I am looking for scanner parts out of a bearcat 700A. If you know where I might be able to get them please contact me. Thanks

Jason

jbarrett9@aol.com

6010. Re: FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3607a20e.19752814@news.bell.net>
Source record: 144092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 00:16:11 -0400, Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I have a new in box RS-508 20Ch VHF UHF small tabletop scanner. Comes
>complete in the original box with manual, power pack and telescopic
>antenna. This is a great deal for one third of the catalog price. $55
>shipped. 73 Chris

They can be had for $12.97 at RS now!

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Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6011. Re: Are bands trunked in New York City and what is left to listen to?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35fca3a6.1466809@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 144093

The NYPD uses the UHF system. Most freguencies are in the area of
470.000 and up. If you need specifics let me know.
On Thu, 10 Sep 1998 23:05:50 GMT, nospam@nospam.com (Steven) wrote:

>Could anyone tell me if there are any bands trunked in New York City,
>for example police, fire, etc. I've heard some other people say that
>their cities have gone trunked and now they can't listen to alot of
>stuff. If a city goes trunked what is affected and what are the things
>left to listen to if you don't have a trunk scanner?

6012. Re: HIGH-TECH CRIME RING IN OHIO (part 2)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hh357@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091406090200.CAA17560@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144094

In article <35FBFA27.1C217B63@uswest.net>, Greg Renner <grenner@uswest.net>
writes:

>
>
>Very sound advice JT. Please don't forget that Reynolds Wrap now makes bags.
>He
>could lose the football helmet and simply put the bag over his head and poke
>eye
>holes in it at his disgression.
>
>GR

I disagree. Opening those holes will let in too much energy. Better to
leave the bag intact and tie it up tight under the chin.

HH

| The price of freedom is eternal vigilance. |

6013. Re: 235 vs 895 talk group differences

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com>
Message-ID: <35FCB464.36451A56@home.com>
Source record: 144095

Don't hog the answer to yourself Larry. I want to know too. :-)

Timothy McGowen

footdoc@zebra.net wrote:
>
> I've been using a 235xlt in standard system default and just got a 895 in
> standard system default. The 235 gives talk groups like 200-1 or 200-0. The
> 895 gives 5 digit talk groups. For example, police main is 200-0 on the 235
> but has lots of different talk groups in the 5 digit format. Why is there a
> difference in group configuration? I thought the scanners were basically
> identical in function. Please send private email! Larry
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6014. Need schematic for BC-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com>
Message-ID: <35FCB572.AF0DA12D@home.com>
Source record: 144096

Several folks on this list some years ago were looking for a schematic for the ORIGINAL Bearcat 220. This was the base unit manufactured in the late 70's.

Did anyone ever find one?

I have been looking ever since.

Thanks

Timothy McGowen

6015. Re: Looking for New 800 Mghz. Frequencies for San Francisco City & County

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tiep7$ije@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144097

In <35FC5A45.39B0B46@postoffice.pacbell.net>
RFCBear@postoffice.pacbell.net writes:
>
>I am looking for new 800 Mghz. Frequencies for San Francisco City &
>County. Can anyone nelp me? Thank You-Russ
>

well grass-sniffer

problem is they are not in use

won't be until next year, maybe.

The mayor is having problems with
the final details of how the `
system will work...plus do women
officers get pink phones to go with
their under-panties. ?

it's going to be digital...the next
generation. That's what i was told.

also, new listening radios will have
to be made for SF. if it's allowed.
that means only the Press will be
privvy at first...then two or 3 years
later, as with Motorolla, they will
be commonplace items.

bill conduit
etc.

there is a list of them in
any Radio Shack Police Call book.

no workee now....just there.

6016. Re: COAX**50or75 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FCC961.2D99@parg.org>
Source record: 144098

dutch@dish-NET.com wrote:
> For many - many years, I have been using 75 ohm coax (RG6 & RG59) for all of
> my shortwave, VHF/UHF and SHF needs. It is cheap (very cheap --> 6 to 10
> cents a foot) lower loss then the comparable 50 ohm cable and the "F"
> connectors are cheap too. And I use adaptors directly at the radio to
> "convert" from UHF, BNC or N connectors. I have transmitted with up to 100
> watts for years too, with no ill effects. Rene - VE6WCA (ex PA0YS)

Yea, sometimes you can do it & get away fine! Other times it causes
problems. I have seen things like you describe to be the cause
or contributer of intermod (especially when using a lot of converting
connectors).

6017. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FCC895.493@parg.org>
Source record: 144099

Jack wrote:
> >Look at your keyboard, "V" & "G" are neighboring keys, easy for a
> >trained touch typist to accidentially hit.
>
> Where were you "trained"? Do you have some sort of credentials to
> present the group?

This is incredible! What type of training or "credentials" are needed
to see that on a computer keypoard "V" & "G" are next to each other?

6018. a NEW idea!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <35FCCE99.4620@parg.org>
Source record: 144100

Lets ALL just DROP the bullshit & get back to the topic of scanners.

Bill is GONE so lets NOT agitate that situation or spoil it.

I will commit to that RIGHT NOW, can all of you?

6019. The frequency bookmark is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duez Samuel <McLeod1455@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35FCA555.CD985391@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144101

The frequency bookmark is born
go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
sorted links to scanning ressources pages

6020. new site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: yo4aul@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tilc4$bf4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144102

I have the pleasure to invite you to visit my site
http://www.qsl.net/yo4aul/
where, i'm sure, you will find things of interest for you.

73 de Corneliu - YO4AUL
corneliu@usa.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6021. prm80 30 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <paulsm@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <35FCD849.CEA6FE1@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 144103
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

Hi, I'm after the programming software for the philips prm80 30 series radio.
Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Paul.

6022. Re: San Antonio, Texas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: A <A@A.A>
Message-ID: <6tj1ts$2t5$1@boris.eden.com>
Source record: 144104

Try this:
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/state_county.hts

plantagenet@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6temd7atv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I would like to hear from any other scanner fans in San Antonio. Also, are
>there any websites with lists of San Antonio frequencies?
>
>Thanks.
>
>Daines
>plantagenet@my-dejanews.com
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6023. Re: FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Aad J. van Strien" <Aad-van.Strien@klm.nl>
Message-ID: <6tilv8$c7p$1@newnews.nl.uu.net>
Source record: 144105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You must be kidding ... $55 ... better post your
ad in the ALT.TASTELESS.JOKES newsgroup.

Chris wrote in message <35FC988B.45EA@ix.netcom.com>...
>I have a new in box RS-508 20Ch VHF UHF small tabletop scanner. Comes
>complete in the original box with manual, power pack and telescopic
>antenna. This is a great deal for one third of the catalog price. $55
>shipped. 73 Chris

6024. Re: INCREDIBLE STORY ONLINE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091409422200.FAA28250@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144106

>I happen to have dropped by http://www.despotovic.net

Sure you did, just in your wanderings, of course.

INCREDIBLE STORY

Yep, that says it all. The prefix IN means not, so this story is not credible at all. Don't waste your time.

6025. Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35fcec0f.1122173@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 144107
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have started a new web site dedicated to Victorias Emergency
Services which will contain info on not just radio info but other
things also. Please have a look and let me know what you think about
it and any ideas for things you would like to see.

THIS SITE IS UNDER CONTRUCTION SO BE PATIENT!!!

There is also info on Victoria Polices' new F.L.I.R infra red camera.

Look at http://members.xoom.com/RadioComms/emerg.htm

David

xxradiocomms@yahoo.com

Please Remove "xx" from beginning of E-mail for replies

6026. Re: FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091410424300.GAA28045@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144108

>From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
>I have a new in box RS-508 20Ch VHF UHF small tabletop scanner. Comes
>complete in the original box with manual, power pack and telescopic
>antenna. This is a great deal for one third of the catalog price. $55

These were selling for $12 at clearance not long ago.

6027. Re: FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091411103200.HAA01521@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144109

>>From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
>>I have a new in box RS-508 20Ch VHF UHF small tabletop scanner. Comes
>>complete in the original box with manual, power pack and telescopic
>>antenna. This is a great deal for one third of the catalog price. $55
>
>From: malexder@aol.com (MAlexder)
>These were selling for $12 at clearance not long ago.
>
That's true, but try to find one now at that price. Remember the laws of supply and demand. "If I've got the supply, and you've got the demand, then I get to set the price."

JW

6028. Re: FS New RS-508 Scanner $55 Shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Aad J. van Strien" <Aad-van.Strien@klm.nl>
Message-ID: <6tiuj9$q85$1@newnews.nl.uu.net>
Source record: 144110

Who do you think has the demand for such a device, after all? You've got the scanner, I've got the bucks, 'n am going to keep them. Who wins?

AS

6029. [FS] Yaesu FT-900/CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sehrlich@shore.net
Message-ID: <KF7L1.35$7C3.728581@news.shore.net>
Source record: 144111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

I have a 6/7-month old Yaesu FT-900/CAT HF Transceiver, purchased brand new from the store, placed back in its original box, available for best offer.

It comes with a Bencher low-pass filter.

Please feel free to make any offer.

Thanks.

--

Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich
Amateur Radio Callsign: wy1z

6030. Need Icom R1 HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mikes@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <35FD04B8.BB407954@optonline.net>
Source record: 144112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Just Purchased an IC-R1 with No Documentation
Are there ANY sites that can help me with programing or commands!

Regards
Mike

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Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, ï¿½227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S.".
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

6031. The frequency bookmark is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duez Samuel <McLeod1455@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35FD0987.99620BEE@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144113

The frequency bookmark is born
go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
sorted links to scanning ressources pages

6032. Help With Regency DX-3000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bddfe0$1727e200$ea8492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 144114

I picked up a marginally functional Regency DX-3000 at a yard sale. Can anyone help me with information about specs, and perhaps a copy of the manual and schematic? Any known mods? -- Thank You! & 73, DavidC AA1FA

6033. Re: Need AR-880 Manual $$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Pdp4iLCWXS$1EwVF@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 144115

In article <6tgsflevs1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, Neil.R
<Neil.Ripston@bigfoot.com> writes

Hi Neil,

>If you have an AR 880 Manual or a copy of one, please email me. I will pay
>$8.00 for a copy.
>

AOR (UK) have just "revamped" their web pages and they now provide .pdf
file downloads of several manuals together with other details.

Main AOR (UK) Ltd page
http://www.demon.co.uk/aor

Most (all) the files are actually on a different server:

http://www.aoruk.demon.co.uk/

The direct link for the AR880 manual/leaflet is:

http://www.aoruk.demon.co.uk/880m.pdf

Hope that helps.
Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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6034. artcc freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer1538@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091415322900.LAA18113@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144116

is there a website where artcc freqs can b found ?

6035. Re: Please visit: The FREQUENCY BOOKMARK is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: talley@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <09980814081237.OUI74.talley@earthlink.net>
Source record: 144117

My Nescape got a severe case of indigestion and shut down on your Java
so I didn't get to your scanner section. Could you put a way to get in
without going through the page with the Java apps on it? I'd really like
to look at it. Richard

On September 13 1998, you wrote:
> The frequency bookmark is born
> go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
> This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
> sorted links to scanning ressources pages

6036. Single Frequency Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Dilworth <kvndil@phnx.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <35FD394B.6391@phnx.uswest.net>
Source record: 144118

Anyone know of a single frequency receiver radio to be used to monitor just fire dispatch? I seem to remember seeing an ad for one in one of the scanner magazines a while ago - it was recommended for those who work for volunteer fire departments. It was manufactured by a company somewhere near Santa Barbara, California. Any help in locating one of these would be greatly appreciated!

6037. Re: How to Start Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35FD40A3.55DA@ibm.net>
Source record: 144119

Joshua Carroll wrote:
>
> I am very interested in starting with a Ham Radio. I currently have a
> scanner which I have Skywarn frequencies (also Police/Fire mutal aid) and
> such. I was wondering how I would "starts out" into ham radioing. I'd have
> to get a ham radio (mostly for car, a base would be nice later on) and then I
> would have to get some kind of license? If you know any info (or a website)
> please help.

Hi Joshua,

If you are in the USA I suggest you go and check out the ARRL site.
They are the primary group affiliated with Amateur Radio in the USA. In
Canada it is RAC and the UK is RSGB.

Despite what others might tell you, I still believe that Ham Radio is
the greatest hobby in the world! Like anything in life you get out of
it what you put into it. I like scanners too, but they lack the
"interactive" side and let's face it, there are enough spectators in the
world already! 8-)

People often criticize Hams as being geeky, nerdy or propellor heads.
That's often true too! But many of my friends are Hams and none of us
are any of the above. Hams have great Hamfests, organized field days,
digital and analgue networks, satellites, public service organizations,
help out with local non-profit events and much more. Try that with
stamp collecting!

Cheers!
Andy
VE3YES

6038. AOR 1000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Heaton <pheaton@sunlink.net>
Message-ID: <35FD43E1.76E47E77@sunlink.net>
Source record: 144120

About 2 years ago I purchased an AOR 1000 scanner from a noted dealer. This scanner was without the 800 Mhz. activation so the dealer had a plan that after I would purchase the scanner I could send it back and have the radio modified for $40.00.

Well I received the scanner and was so happy with all of the other functions that I soon forgot that I was not able to receive 800 Mhz. Once I finally remembered I contacted the dealer to see about sending it in for the modification. I was informed that this was no longer available as it was against the law. One could only do this at home with special equipment and software. However, the dealer continued we no longer will provide the hardware or the software to do this mod yourself.

Is there anyone out there in Cyber land that has the equipment and knowledge or could help me in this endeavor? Please respond.

6039. FS AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Rogers <tonefloat@keith1.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Uw4KXAASjU$1Ew0a@keith1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144121

I have an as new AOR 8000 scanner for sale, inc. mains PSU/battery recharger, batteries, UK Scanning Directory. 1000 channels, all-mode, 100khz - 1950 Mhz no gaps. ï¿½220, UK buyer preferred.
--
Keith Rogers

6040. FT-50 FAQ: can the latest FT-50's be modified? Well, here's how....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <35FD5B89.1D39@blarg.net>
Source record: 144122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Can the latest FT-50's be modified for freeband? Well, no they
can't but you can come close though. Find out how by reading v.02b of my
FT-50 faq, downloadable from my web page:

http://www.blarg.net/~tdragon/faqs/

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
| -=Jack the TechnoDragon=- | Please remove the second, |
| a.k.a. | anti-spamming N from the |
| -=Jack T.Dragon=- | end of tdragon in my |
| tdragonn@blarg.net | address to respond. |
+---------------------------+---------------------------+
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6041. BNC (ug) connectors for RG6 cable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsmith@ix.connect.net
Message-ID: <35fd5e33.139515365@news.millennianet.com>
Source record: 144123

Does anybody know if the Radio Shack UG-89 (I think that is the designation) connectors will fit RG6 coax? I checked the specs for the cable, and for RG59 cable which these connectors are made for, and the RG6 appears to be a little larger in diameter. Does this really matter? What are others using to connect RG6 to their scanners?

6042. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6tjmsl$1d4k$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 144124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

7.111@news.mci2000.com> <6tfjcg$b2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
<6tgip2qsd0@207.18.224.140>
Organization:
Keywords:

In article <6tgip2qsd0@207.18.224.140>, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
|> On 13 Sep 1998 04:57:52 GMT, "James Tonsager"
|> <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
|>
|> ><Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<
|> >
|> >Just Cause wrote in message ...
|> >>>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
|> >>>basically anything.
|> >>
|> >>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....
|> >
|> >
|> >Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
|> >ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.
|> >
|> >
|> Have you failed to read the rest of the thread?
|>
|> The FCC interpets that rule, to mean that only HAM frequencies, as in,
|> a novice can use a advanced frequency.
|>
|> They have stated that it does NOT mean that a HAM can use a public
|> safety frequency in an emergency.

You claim "They have stated...". Please clarify.

Please cite Federal law or official statements of policy from the FCC.

I'll cite FCC part 97:

S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
not available.

|>
|>

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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

6043. Mods for a Undien 895XLT Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980914190327700.PAA09651@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144125

Hi Group,
I am new to this one...is there a site or info on a mod for my 895XLt??
Thanks in advance, John
John W Gardner

6044. Re: AOR 1000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091419042700.PAA09773@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144126

><pheaton@sunlink.net>

>Is there anyone out there in Cyber land that has the equipment and
>knowledge or could help me in this endeavor? Please respond.
>

Funny, I wasn't aware that the AOR1000 was ever blocked. I thought they simply stopped selling them when the law changed. Did you happen to try it by any chance? Enter the appropriate freqs in one of the search banks and see what happens.

6045. Re: Need AR-880 Manual $$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Buining <eric.Buining@club.tip.nl>
Message-ID: <6thkd3noe1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 144271

Check http://www.aoruk.demon.co.uk/880m.pdf if the link does not work try
http://www.aoruk.demon.co.uk choose manuals click AR880 with your right
mouse button and choose save taget as

Greetzzz

Eric

Neil.R wrote in message <6tgsflevs1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>If you have an AR 880 Manual or a copy of one, please email me. I will pay
>$8.00 for a copy.
>
>I have a copy of a an AR900 manual from a reader of this newsgroup, and it
>will be helpful if there is nobody out there with an AR880 manual. Email
me
>if you have one!
>
>

6046. Interested in free radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fc586f.3819189@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144272
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.free,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Interested in free radio? Try this guy's page for some of his observations and tips

http://www.voicenet.com/~goody/pirate_radio.htm

6047. Recent pirate busts 'n' stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fd59fa.4213978@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144273
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.free,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Recent pirate busts 'n' stuff:

http://rtb.home.texas.net/
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6048. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim@spittoon.com
Message-ID: <35fc6703.0@scooby.nildram.co.uk>
Source record: 144274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

"James Tonsager" <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Is your public insultation not rubbish itself?

Yes

>Yep. It, and you, belong to the Devil as rubbish, and need to be disposed
>of. You should consider having an exorcism performed...

Probably

>You also have no grasp of symantecs.

Unless you are referring to a software company, that makes us
about even, you cannot spell it, I do not understand it,
and we are both off topic :-)

Kim

Bye

6049. Re: Service Manuals for Pro-62 an Pro-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mooreb@primeline.net
Message-ID: <35fc68a4.40251178@news.primeline.net>
Source record: 144275

I visited my local Radio Shack recently to order a service manul for my Pro 43 as I had read about the problems described below and he placed the ordr with no problems. When the manual arrived it was a photocopy with a note to say to avoid added costs the manual was copied from an orginal by Radio Shack. But as you can see I had no problem at all in getting the manual. This was approx one month ago.

Bob Moore
Kincardine Ont.
On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 13:10:10 GMT, pturton@iaw.on.ca wrote:

>It seems Tandy Canada is following its US boss by withdrawing
>availability of Service Manuals for their scanners from the
>scanner owners.
>
>Yesterday while I was picking up a Service Manual for a Pro-60,
>I ordered Service Manuals for the Pro-62 and Pro-64. I listened
>as the store manager placed the call and was told that these
>manuals are NOT AVAILABLE. The clerk on the other end said
>something about copyright problems. Yeah right!
>
>I need Service Manuals for the Pro-62 and Pro-64. If anyone has
>a source of these manuals or others, please let me know.
>
>Paul

6050. Probe without OS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <35FC6E6D.3382@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144276
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm interested in using Probe with at least one of my scanners (Pro 2042, Icom R10, Pro 60) but do not want to shell out the $185+ for an OS interface. Is there any way to build one that would be compatible with the software and the scanner? (I know the 2045 is the obvious candidate for computer control, but that's my baby, and I'm afraid of screwing it up) Would an interface for the R10 work?

6051. Need Mods for 895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091522170400.SAA09152@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143928

Hi Group...
Any mods for this scanner? I am looking to restore cell band...Thanks in advance.....John
John W Gardner

6052. Re: Need Mods for 895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <LKBL1.694$ej4.19006305@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 143929

John:

I don't think it can be done.

Bill Crocker

BUGGIE CAR wrote in message
<1998091522170400.SAA09152@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Hi Group...
>Any mods for this scanner? I am looking to restore cell band...Thanks in
>advance.....John
>John W Gardner

6053. WTB: Optoelectronics R-10 Near field receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Wayne G. Namerow" <beatlesfan@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <35FEE6EB.7925D394@sprynet.com>
Source record: 143930

I'm looking for a Optoelectronics R-10. Please contact me if you have
one you
would like to sell.

-Wayne N2MCM

6054. Re: Want Centrral, MA and all of Massachusetts too.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: history67@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091522534100.SAA12792@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143931

Try buying ScannerMaster for Massachusetts.

Just to keeep you from a big dissapointment, All Worcester Municipal functions are using a G.E./Erickson Trunked system. It is intentionally filled with SHIT that annoys the listener.

No scanning by Police/Fire... you get all of them, all the time (I hope you like listening to the water dept. or sewer dept, most of them are childlike morons who hold their radios up the the music all day)

OR spend a mint, buy 2 scanners and a PC and run a mediocre program that might allow you to listen to some of the action, sometimes.

PS Worcester EMS is 462.950

>>>>>" It's Never too late to be what you might have been"<<<<<<
Elliot

" It's Never enough until your Heart Stops Beating"
new order

6055. Re: AOR 1000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6tmralcul1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143932

CBRambo

I just wanted to tell you all that there is another AR 1000 that
has the cell blocked. I just acquired one today, I have had at least
5 others in my time and this is the first one I didn't beleive it
was possible either. do you have to take it all apart to undo
it?
regards.....jerr

6056. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35FEF23E.E77543B1@datasync.com>
Source record: 143933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

THIS is also correct
don

Mickey McInnis wrote:
>
> In article <6tkffr$6v2@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
> |> Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com> wrote:
> |> >NOW there that should settle that!!
> |>
> |> You'd think so until you begin looking at definitions. Our idea of
> |> "amateur station" doesn't necessarily coincide with that of the
> |> government's. Radios capable of transmitting on police frequencies don't
> |> fall under the catagory of "amateur station."
> |> Jeff KH2PZ
>
> Please cite federal law or official FCC policy that "Radios capable of
> transmitting on police frequencies don't fall under the catagory of
> "amateur station."
>
> Even if your definition is correct, you are allowed to use
> "any means of radiocommunication at its disposal." (S 97.403 quoted
> fully below) There is no requirement that the equipment be part of the
> "amateur station". If you know of such a requirement, please cite a
> reference from federal law or official FCC policy.
>
> |>
> |> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
> |> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> |> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
> |> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
> |> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
> |> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
> |> >> not available.
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> --
> Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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> All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

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6057. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35FEF20E.26CB73FC@datasync.com>
Source record: 143934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

AMATUTRE stations are ones that are CAPABLE of transmitting in the
amature bands
don

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6058. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <35FEF327.4D170982@datasync.com>
Source record: 143935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

> Sure, some court may decide that this was a real emergency and that
> you acted appropriately, but at that point you'll have to prove it
> because you're off the Part 97 page at that point, and you have no
> more rights to act as you did than any other citizen with no license.
>
> Regards,
> --
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

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HO all have done so in my time (twice) and was justified both time by
the HIWAY PATROL and the FCC, they took about tow weeks to
investigate
and concluded that I ACTED PROPERLY
IF HOWEVER Illegally which is a technicality cause i was not an
AUTHORIZED user of the freq by the the CONTROL STATION OPERATOR
(hiway patrol dispatch, he never gave me authorization but he talked
to me and took the info and dispatched help
don

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6059. f.s. uniden bct-7 mobile scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <35FF032A.9B87B684@owc.net>
Source record: 143936

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for sale bct-7 bear tracker 800
comes with cig lihter plug,no mobile mount.....$100.00
thanks jack
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6060. WTB OPTO456 NOT LITE VERSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: unitygm <unitygm@wamusa.com>
Message-ID: <01bde102$623b9ca0$a2049dd0@default>
Source record: 143937

Looking for optoelectronics 456 board for pro2006 scanner. Please e-mail
direct to
unitygm@litchfieldil.com any info you have. Thanx

6061. Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: talley@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <09980815164119.OUI44.talley@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143938

I've been looking at various options for monitoring Trunked Systems in the LA area and wondering if it's worth the effort. It looks like the LAPD is still using conventional single chanel equipment. A web site which lists trunked sysems has LA County using an Ericcson system. Does anyone know if the Opto and Bearcat hardware will handle Ericcson???

6062. Long Beach , NY =>What Happened to Detectives Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas S. Sandridge" <sndrdg@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6tn2bglct1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 143939

Anyone out there familiar with Long Beach, NY PD Freqs.
I no longer hear detectives or surveillance's on any of their regulars
(154.74, 155.37).

I miss the action.

If they have gone encrypted - is there any hope ?

Doug

6063. Minn.,St Paul

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <35FEEF88.43A9A3F3@ncia.net>
Source record: 143940

I am gong to be moving just north of the Minneapolis, St Paul area.Any hot freq in that area?Dea,mil air etc

6064. FS: Motorola GP-68 VHF HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35FF0E17.FC1@mc.net>
Source record: 143941

FOR SALE: brand new in the box plenty of

MOTOROLA GP-68 VHF HT's

136 - 174 MHz

FULLY keyboard PROGRAMMABLE

20 channel plus vfo

memory scan with nuisance channel delete

Selectable PL/DPL (can program tx and rx independently)

9 memory phone memories

LCD Display

low battery, signal strength indicators

Programmable time out timer

accepts GP-300 speaker/mic and other audio accessories

1200mah battery pack

3 hour drop in RAPID charger

spring action heavy duty belt clip

excellent rx audio

$270.00 includes shipping prepay

John "Chip" Santucci WB9JVM

6065. Re: Pro 2037 Fire Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bheaton@txdirect.net
Message-ID: <35ffbb54.41601099@news.txdirect.net>
Source record: 143942

Your PRO-2037 covers the following bands:
30-50 MHz (VHF Lo)
50-54 MHz (6-Meter Ham Band)
118-136.975 MHz (Aircraft)
137-144 MHz (Government)
144-148 MHz (2-Meter Ham Band)
148-174 MHz (VHF Hi)
380-450 MHz (Ham Radio and Government)
450-470 MHz (UHF Lo)
470-512 MHz (UHF TV)
806-823.9875 MHz (UHF Hi)
849.0125-868.9875 MHz (UHF Hi)
894.0125-960 MHz (UHF Hi)
BDH

On Tue, 15 Sep 1998 16:47:29 -0400, "richard flores"
<RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net> wrote:

>I seen this scanner marked down to $79.99.
>
>Is this a VHF/UHF scanner only? Is it decent and does it pick up 900MZ?
>
>As always replies appreciated
>

6066. New Domain Activated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k7on@qsl.net
Message-ID: <72DBB062FD9B77E2.F76BD8A366BAB8BE.4995262BB6330CBE@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143943

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New Domain Activated

Please see: http://www.qex.net

While there, please submit your favorite links to
our automated links free for all.

73, Brian
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6067. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16507-35FF1132-5@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143944

Man are you wrong on that this is a nusury group the name should be change to Rec.scanner.nursery group

born to be wild (thats my theam)

6068. BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: David L Litz <dlitz@wdn.com>
Message-ID: <6tna97lic1@supernews.com>
Source record: 143945

Does anybody no how to get the descriminating audio out of the scanner? I would like to use it to decode some signaling.

David

6069. Re: PRO-64 at RS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <6tnac8$65a$1@news.ipa.net>
Source record: 143946

I had to just had to go to my local RS, pre-pay, they called the RS store that had them in stock, the RS sent the 64 to my RS via UPS, at no cost to me, and I picked it up in a few days...no problems.

CATHY

Jack wrote in message <36058775.78489375@news.bell.net>...
>The much sought after RS PRO-64 handheld scanner (actually 6 of them)
>can be had at the Radio Shack store located in Margate, Florida if
>anyone out there wants to teach the droid behind the counter at their
>RS how to get stuff from other stores.
>
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

6070. Re: PRO-2004 MINT ! FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <35FF3A71.4D0E@prodigy.net>
Source record: 143947

Skezzo wrote:
>
> Have you sold the 2004 yet. If not let me know.pdoddy@aol.com
What is the correct e-mail address? Are you pdoddy@aol.com or
skezzo@aol.com?

6071. Need Bearcat UBC100XLT Circuit.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenville." <gsawyer@dove.net.au>
Message-ID: <35fe7458.0@news.mtx.net.au>
Source record: 143948

HI, there - Yes I am a new subscriber to this newsgroup, but where else can I look for the sort of info that appears here ! :-)

I have a Uniden UBC-100XLT scanner that appears to be "dead in the water"

The Microprocessor section appears to work, i.e I can prog Freqs in, scan / Manual
up/dn, Light works etc etc,

No audio output, voltage appears to be low on the Receiver P.C Board.

What I would really like is a scanned copy of the Circuit Diagram, and perhaps
an "overlay" of the P.C Board layouts, (to identify where the parts are from the
Circuit Diagram)... Well you know what I mean !

If any of you out there are prepared to assist me I would be most appreciative,
Grateful... etc etc etc - like HAPPY.

Would like to get this one going again, it does not have the 800Mhz unit - if this makes a
difference to the circuit that I need.

If you CAN help, then perhaps via my email address would be the way to go...
email: helpscan@gsawyer.mtx.net

I really look forward to hearing from someone on this NG that is prepared to help.

Thank you and all the best.

Glenville.

From South Australia - where it is still cold !

6072. Re: Telephone over radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtbikerno@spamnojps.net
Message-ID: <35fe4406.536023@news.jps.net>
Source record: 143949

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 13:52:17 -0500, Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
wrote:

>Pursuit10851 wrote:
>
>>
>> This explains why phone patch-type conversations can't be monitored on
>> my TrunkTrackers.
>>
>
>As I recall (from the TT manual), these "private calls" are blocked just
>like cell phone freqs are blocked. Of course, that doesn't prevent the
>poor man's TT. (That's where you program the freqs in desending order, L/O
>the control channel of the day and press Scan a lot. Of course my freqs
>are programmed in desending order by chance ;-)

I used to do that all the time on my conventional scanners before I
bought the TT's. On one of the two trunking systems here there are
three frequencies that are used exclusively for phone patches, and the
conversations stay on the same frequency from beginning to end.
Unfortunately, I can usually only hear one side of the conversation.

Remove "nospamno" to email.

6073. FS:Message Tracker Software Ver 3.12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091503184000.XAA28868@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143978

FS: Message Tracker Software Ver 3.12 (Basic)
Complete with Software and SIA-200 Interface Cable & Instructions.
Made by K & L technologies and purchased from Grove. (no longer available as
far as I know).

Enables you to monitor paging freqs, messages, capcodes, etc on your computer.

$175 or B/O
Email if intrested please.

6074. Re: RS Pro-2040 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbiczak@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091504054600.AAA08505@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143979

Hi Jack!
I have a Pro-2040 that I bought in May when they were on clearance. I don't have any of the problems you seem to be having. The sound is good and sensitivity is also good on 800 mHz, which is very popular here too. If I can give you any more info, let me know. Steve

6075. For Sale: Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35FE1392.19D73D58@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 143980

FOR SALE: Radio Shack Pro-26. Frequency Coverage is continuous from
25 - 1300MHz and has CELLULAR MODIFICATION.
See http://www.javiation.co.uk/pro26.html for all the info. Will
sell for $180.00.
Works and looks like new. Manual included

scott

6076. Re: For Sale: Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091504345300.AAA10277@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143981

If you havent sold it how do you want payment.pdoddy@aol.com

6077. Re: please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <35fff768.107152998@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143982

On 14 Sep 1998 20:46:54 GMT, "mike hays" <hayshouse@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>Please remove my address from your list.

OK

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6078. Reno Air Race freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ssevenup@slip.net
Message-ID: <35fdfbfb.814054@news.slip.net>
Source record: 143983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.aviation.misc

I would like to attend the Reno Air Races this year equipped with as many relevant frequencies as possible. Usually I just wing it and check the airport freq guide, but I would like some team frequencies as well if possible. Can anyone help me out with a freq list? I have never found anything besides the generic tower and some of the demonstration teams freqs.

--thanx

Mark Moorcroft Ssevenup@slip.net KF6NTD
Actual home Silicon Valley
Virtual home www.slip.net/~sevenup

6079. Home Made CB Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <ewsu@pl.jaring.my>
Message-ID: <35FE05BA.64AF@pl.jaring.my>
Source record: 143984

Hi. I'm quite new to this CB Radio thing. I have browsed through several web sites and got a bit of information about CB Radios.

I would like to make my own CB Radio so that I can communicate with my friend who stays about 3 Kilometers from here. Does anyone have any ideas of suggestions? I know how to make a CB Receiver with just a few components and I'm sure a tranceiver can be made that way too.

If anyone can give me information on how to build my own CB Radio or links to web sites that shows how, I would really appreciate it.

Thanks in advanced.
Brian. :)

6080. Re: PRO-2004 MINT ! FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091505580000.BAA20235@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143985

In article <35FDF447.357A8F82@alaska.net>, Gina McBride & John Miller
<mcmiller@alaska.net> writes:

>I have a MINT perfect 2004 for sale, all mods,
>original box, original manual, original owner. non
>smoker, no kids dogs, birds

How about rabbit poop?

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6081. Re: RS Pro-2040 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091505580100.BAA20237@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143986

In article <1998091504054600.AAA08505@ladder03.news.aol.com>, sbiczak@aol.com (SBiczak) writes:

>Hi Jack!

Don't say that at the airport!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6082. Re: please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35FE1899.807AA55F@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 143987

You have to "Unsubscribe" from the newsgroup yourself

mike hays wrote:
>
> Please remove my address from your list.
>
> Mike Hays

6083. any Denver folks here?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0jio@delphi.com
Message-ID: <6tl5uh$qc5@lotho.delphi.com>
Source record: 143988
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi all,
I'm wondering if there are any denver folks reading here? I'm needing
ifno about bus and other systems, and would like to know if anyone has
especially the access-a-ride bus channel?
thanks,

* * * * * * * *
| BILL K. *
| THE *
| DENVER DUDE *
* * * * * * * *
BILL KOPPELMANN

6084. Re: Single Frequency Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <6tl50a$piv@news.snowcrest.net>
Source record: 143989

I know AOR had one years ago...tunable over about 8 MHz by using thumb-wheels...about cigarette pack size. It was one chanel, EXCELLENT reception...they had a 2 channel job also...maybe them? (they were in Irvine or Tustin CA at the time)

Harry Marnell, N6URU
marnells@snowcrest.net

Kevin Dilworth wrote in message <35FD394B.6391@phnx.uswest.net>...
>Anyone know of a single frequency receiver radio to be used to monitor
>just fire dispatch

6085. Re: a NEW idea!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35FE19A0.65649547@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 143990

Yes, please commit him !!! The sooner, the better !!!

Mike

Charlie Dwenger wrote:
>
> OK, All who agree that John should be committed, speak up !!! Here!
>
> Charlie
>
> John <john@parg.org> wrote in article <35FCCE99.4620@parg.org>...
>
> > I will commit to that RIGHT NOW, can all of you?

6086. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: TEKHED@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14730-35FE2727-1@newsd-171.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143991

I picked mine up on the way out after a purchase before I noticed they were charging for it.

Guy at the counter was already on the phone and didn't say anything so I don't know whether he just didn't notice or if he put it toward the sale.---TEKHED

6087. Re: Dare County, NC frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Kathy <lynchs@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6tlbe6frk1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 143992

I have a few frequencies on my web page that you can
check out. I'm looking for updates also - if you would be kind
enough to post when you return. Thanks.

- Ed Lynch
Chesapeake, VA

http://www.erols.com/lynchs/RP2.html

Iam wrote in message
<01bde04b$04b9dae0$aba21e26@mkraieski_ISDN.delta-air.com>...
>I have a trip coming up to the Outer Banks shortly. Would appreciate any
>frequencies of interest. I have Daren Magness' list from '95. Hoping for
>something more current. Also, is the trunk system actually operational?
>
>Iam

6088. Re: FS AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <GFVActAICk$1EwUw@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 143993

In article <19980914230432000.TAA16634@ladder03.news.aol.com>, CBRambo
<cbrambo@aol.com> writes

Hi,

>>I have an as new AOR 8000 scanner for sale, inc. mains PSU/battery
>>recharger, batteries, UK Scanning Directory. 1000 channels, all-mode,
>>100khz - 1950 Mhz no gaps. ï¿½220, UK buyer preferred.
>
>Are these even LEGAL in the UK? I thought they had serious bans on monitoring

There are no restrictions on the sale, ownership or frequency coverage
of receivers in the UK.

The Radio Communications Agency Web site has a little more detail:
http://www.open.gov.uk/radiocom/rahome.htm

Information Sheet RA169 relates to Receivers/Scanners:
http://www.open.gov.uk/radiocom/ra169.htm

A licence is not required for a radio receiver as long as it is not
capable of transmission as well (The Wireless Telegraphy Apparatus
(Receivers) (Exemption) Regulations 1989 (SI 1989 No 123). The
exception to this is that it is an offence to listen to unlicensed
broadcasters (pirates) without a licence. Licences are not issued for
this purpose.

Although it is not illegal to sell, buy or own a scanning or other
receiver in the UK, it must only be used to listen to transmissions
meant for GENERAL RECEPTION. The services that you can listen to
include Amateur and Citizens' Band transmissions, licensed broadcast
radio and at sea you may listen to weather and navigation information.

The "chances" of you actually having problems are very slim and whilst
reports of people having equipment confiscated and being hauled in front
of the courts are sometimes seen these would normally involve
circumstances a little more serious.

All the best
Cheers,
/---\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000

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| http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000 |
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6089. Re: Good handheld antenna???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35FE4D04.6BB01060@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 143994

Brian Rueger wrote:
> I used Rich's tutorial to decide on a handheld antenna. I chose the Diamond
> RH-77CA. All I can say is that it works great

Hi Brian,
Glad you could put it to good use!

> and runs rings around the stock antenna that came with my AR8000.

I'm not really sure what that says...most rocks have better
wide-band coverage ;-)

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

6090. Re: Computer Controlled Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35FE4E6C.B374DF0@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 143995

MAlexder wrote:
> >From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com
> >Looking for some advise on computer controllable handheld scanners. Is
> >there anything
> >out there that would run off of PROBE software. Price is no object.
>
> There's the Icoms and AORs... I'll guess that the AOR8000 is probably the most
> popular. None run off Probe. It's for the Opto interface only.

Don't forget the Sony ICF-SC1PC!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

6091. Re: Info needed on Alinco DJ-X10 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <35FE4FAD.DB6432F1@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 143996

JNG2000 wrote:
> I saw an add for a Alinco DJ-X10 for $399.95 yesterday and was wondering about
> this scanner. I am looking for a Alpha handheld scanner. Anybody own one of
> these and can answer my ?'s. Thanks

Try starting at my web site below.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

6092. Re: IC R-10 Computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6tlgb5$48i$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The terms COM port and serial port are interchangeable.

Shannon Young wrote in message <35F98575.517@hotmail.com>...
>I have a question about this also. I have the OPC-478 and it plugs right
>into my Serial port A. But the programs I have Downloaded from the net
>all have Com port ?, not serial port ?. I'm still waiting for my CS R10
>software to come in. Will it have "Serial Port" or am I screwed on the
>whole thing? Any help on hooking this radio to my puter would be greatly
> appriciated.
>
>Shan

6093. Re: PRO-2004 MINT ! FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dltsmith@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <35ff5feb.2476429@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143998

Hey that's a great price for a scanner with 25,600 channels,
signal and center tune meters, extended squelch, data squelch,
hb/ce-232 interface, keyboard memory controller, and all the other
classic mods for this radio.

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 20:59:52 -0800, Gina McBride & John Miller
<mcmiller@alaska.net> wrote:

>I have a MINT perfect 2004 for sale, all mods,
>original box, original manual, original owner. non
>smoker, no kids dogs, birds, $250.
>
>Also a NEW UNUSED.............. LCD Display for
>above @ $50 shipped
>
>e-mail or call 907-337-9168

6094. **CAMP PENDLETON FREQS**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: blade1@home.com
Message-ID: <35fe631a.41653139@news>
Source record: 143999

Does anyone have the Camp Pen freqs for military police? At one time I was able to receive in the area of 406.xxx but no longer. Any suggestions?

Thanks

6095. sportcat sc150y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <broemer@mdn.net>
Message-ID: <35fe6e9d.0@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 144000

looking to unlock the 869mhz to 894mhz frequencies

6096. Re: prm80 30 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: interc@globalnet.co.uk
Message-ID: <35fe7633.89908709@read.news.global.net.uk>
Source record: 144001
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 18:43:36 +1000, Paul <paulsm@mailexcite.com>
wrote:

>Hi, I'm after the programming software for the philips prm80 30 series
>radio.
>Any help would be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>Paul.
>

Hi Paul,

Sorry can't help with software, but just to let you know that we do a
PC > Radio interface box and programming lead.

The interface box (UPA) is 26.95
The Programming lead (L11) is 9.95
Add 5.00 for registered P&P
Add VAT to the lot.

Duncan
East London Comms
Tel: 0181 807 5252

6097. Re: The frequency bookmark is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dvibbert@pop.service.ohio-state.edu
Message-ID: <dvibbert-1509981050500001@ts41-10.homenet.ohio-state.edu>
Source record: 144002

In article <35FE3CC0.7CEB2D81@hotmail.com>, Duez Samuel
<McLeod1455@hotmail.com> wrote:

> The frequency bookmark is born
> go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
> This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
> sorted links to scanning ressources pages

No thanks Sam,
I try not to revisit sites that keep track of me and tell me how many
times I've visited.

--
Don't Trend On Me!

6098. Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <35fe9016.14809817@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 144003

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.

You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to have a look, you can get more information
on the program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

6099. Re: S.F. Bay area Trunk freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: clarkm@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <clarkm-1509980911020001@192.168.2.101>
Source record: 144004

In article <35F7DA3A.5AEE@home.now>, Gunner <iam@home.now> wrote:

>I live in Oakland, and even though I don't have a Trunk Radio, I really
>enjoy listenning to BART. I always figured that most of what I would hear
>with both the BART trains and Bart Police would be pretty boring, but I
>hear some very interesting stuff with them.

I live in Redwood City and I pick up BART traffic very clear. The have a very good repeater system but then they would need to. When I first tried a scanner, I just used the search function and I was hearing police calls for the Richmond area. I never checked the frequency but it must have been the BART PD.

I bought my scanner primarily for listening to railroads. I can hear CalTrains but for the most part it's pretty routine. I can also hear UP over in the East Bay but I have a problem following stuff sometimes as I don't know the tracks over there that well. I can also hear the SJ trolley clearly most of the time.

I live under one of the approach paths to SFO and listening to the aircraft traffic is pretty interesting. Most of the time I can't hear the tower (handheld antenna only so far).

--
Clark Martin
Redwood City, CA, USA
Macintosh / Internet Consulting
clarkm@pacbell.net

"I'm a designated driver on the Information Super Highway"

6100. Want Centrral, MA and all of Massachusetts too.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: sluggo60 <sluggopo@telegram.infi.net>
Message-ID: <35FEBD6C.69AF@telegram.infi.net>
Source record: 144005

I want Central, MA freq. and all Massachusetts too, freq. Thanks.

6101. WTB: Grove ANT-8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Birckhead <birck@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <35FE98AB.A10C89F8@ibm.net>
Source record: 144006

I would like to buy one of these discontinued antennas. If you have one
that
you are not using please e-mail me the price and condition.

Thanks-
Ted--

6102. Lawndale CA Freqs Please!!??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonomoose <nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6tm6jteuk1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 144007
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello,

Does anyone know what the Lawndale California Police, Fire, Etc...
Frequencies are???

Thank you in advance!

vtrop@gte.net

6103. Re: Want Centrral, MA and all of Massachusetts too.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091517084900.NAA29099@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144008

><sluggopo@telegram.infi.net>
>Date: 9/15/98 3:18 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <35FEBD6C.69AF@telegram.infi.net>
>
>I want Central, MA freq. and all Massachusetts too, freq. Thanks.

Geez, you're not asking for too much, are you? Ever consider buying Police Call, Scannerbase CD-ROM, or Mass Freq Guide--not sure of the precise name, but it's a very good reference that can be bought from You Do It in Newton-- or Scanner Master, another very thorough reference?

There also happens to be a few good web sites with the info that you want if you bother to do a search.

6104. Re: Reno Air Race freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Gerharter <agerhart@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <35FEA3A2.2D3C9F79@teleport.com>
Source record: 144009
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.aviation.misc

Mark Moorcroft wrote:

> I would like to attend the Reno Air Races this year equipped with as many
> relevant frequencies as possible. Usually I just wing it and check the airport
> freq guide, but I would like some team frequencies as well if possible. Can
> anyone help me out with a freq list? I have never found anything besides the
> generic tower and some of the demonstration teams freqs.
>
> --thanx
>
> Mark Moorcroft Ssevenup@slip.net KF6NTD
> Actual home Silicon Valley
> Virtual home www.slip.net/~sevenup

Reno Nevada Frequencies:

My thanks to "Chicolini" who recently cleaned out his closet.

39.3400 NEVADA COUNTY SHERIFF DISPATCH TRUCKEE
39.6800 PLACER COUNTY SHERIFF PRIMARY TAHOE CITY
42.5000 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F2 CAR TO CAR
42.5600 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F7 UNIT TO UNIT
42.5800 NEVADA GAMING CONTROL
42.5000 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F6 SHARED LAW ENFORCEMENT
42.7000 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F3 CAR TO CAR
42.7400 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F5
42.7800 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL, RURAL PAIRED W/ 42.94
42.8000 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F8 AIRCRAFT
42.8800 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F4 RENO
42.9400 NEVADA HIGHWAY PATROL-F1 RURAL PAIRED W/ 42.78
45.1000 EL DORADO COUNTY SHERIFF SECONDARY LAKE TAHOE
45.3000 EL DORADO COUNTY SHERIFF PRIMARY LAKE TAHOE
46.3600 NEVADA COUNTY FIRE TRUCKE FPD
117.9000 CANNON ATIS
118.1000 STEAD-RENO AIR RACES AIR TO AIR
118.4000 SOUTH TAHOE TOWER
118.5000 STEAD-RENO AIR RACES RACE CONTROL
118.7000 CANNON TOWER
119.2000 CANNON APPROACH DEPARTURE WEST
120.8000 CANNON APPROACH/DEPARTURE EAST
121.9000 CANNON GROUND
121.9000 SOUTH TAHOE GROUND
122.2000 CANNON FSS
122.3500 CANNON FSS

122.5000 CANNON FSS
122.8000 STEAD UNICOM
122.9500 CANNON ATIS
123.1000 CIVIL AIR PATROL
124.9000 CANNON CLEARANCE DELIVERY
125.8000 CANNON ATIS
126.3000 CANNON APPROACH/DEPARTURE NORTH
126.3000 STEAD APPROACH/DEPARTURE
127.9500 SOUTH TAHOE APP/DEPR OAKLAND CTR-W
128.8000 CANNON-OAKLAND CENTER
128.8000 SOUTH TAHOE APP/DPRT OAKLAND CTR-E
134.4500 CANNON-OAKLAND CENTER
151.3400 NEVADA STATE PARKS
151.4750 NEVADA DIV OF WILDLIFE
151.6250 RENO AIR RACES RAMP CONTROL
151.7500 RENO AIR RACES
151.7750 EL DORADO CASINO RENO
151.8050 HARRAH'S RENO
151.9250 RENO AIR RACES PYLONS
152.3600 RENO AIR RACES
153.9500 S. TAHOE FIRE, DISPATCH
154.0100 PLACER COUNTY FIRE FIREGROUND
154.1150 SPARKS POLICE
154.1450 CARSON CITY FIRE
154.1750 CARSON CITY FIRE
154.2350 N. TAHOE FIRE DISPATCH
154.2650 FIRE CHIEF NET
154.2800 FIRE CHIEF NET
154.2800 S.TAHOE FIRE, SECONDARY WHITE
154.2950 FIRE CHIEF NET
154.3400 EL DORADO COUNTY FIRE
154.4000 PLACER COUNTY FIRE DISAPATCH
154.4300 CARSON CITY FIRE, PRIMARY
154.5150 RAMADA INN RENO
154.5400 SANDS MOTOR INN RENO
154.5700 FITZGERALD'S RENO
154.6250 CARDA HOTELS RENO
154.6250 RAMADA INN RENO
154.6500 S. TAHOE POLICE, SECONDARY
154.7250 WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF
154.7400 DOUGLAS COUNTY SHERIFF DISPATCH LAKE TAHOE
154.8450 EL DORADO COUNTY SHERIFF EXTENDERS
154.8900 DOUGLAS COUNTY SHERIFFEAST
154.9200 S. TAHOE POLICE, CLEMARS
154.9500 WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF
155.0100 WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF DETECTIVE BLUE
155.0250 DOUGLAS COUNTY FIRE
155.1300 SPARKS POLICE DISPATCH
155.1450 NEVADA EMS, RURAL MEDICAL
155.1750 PLACER COUNTY SHERIFF EXTENDERS TAHOE CITY

155.2050 SEARCH & RESCUE TEAMS RENO
155.3100 WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF DISPATCH, TAHOE
155.3700 WASHOE COUNTY DA
155.4300 JUVINILE AUTHORITIES RENO
155.5200 CARSON CITY SHERIFF
155.5200 WASHOE COUNTY SHERRIF DISPATCH,RENO GREEN
155.5350 CARSON CITY SHERIFF
155.6850 CARSON CITY SHERIFF
155.8500 SPARKS POLICE, CAR TO CAR
155.9400 RENO LOCAL GVT
155.9700 CARSON CITY SHERIFF DISPATCH
155.9850 WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF, CAR TO CARWHITE
156.0300 S. TAHOE POLICE DISPATCH
158.7450 TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE DISPATCH
158.7750 SPARKS FIRE
158.8950 NEVADA DIV OF FORESTRY PRIMARY
158.9400 TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE SOUTH NET
158.9950 NEVADA DIV OF FORESTRY
159.2700 NEVAD DI OF FORESTRY TACTICAL
159.3450 NEVAD DIV OF FORESTRY TACTICAL "RED"
159.8800 TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE NORTH NET
171.5750 USFS LAKE TAHOE BASIN MGMT
172.3750 USFS LAKE TAHOE BASIN MGMT
453.0500 RENO FIRE, FIREGROUND
453.1000 WASHOE COUNTY GVT
453.2500 RENO FIRE
453.3000 NEVADA GAMING CONTROL
453.3500 RENO POLICE, AIRPORT
453.4000 RENO POLICE, DETECTIVES BROWN
453.4500 RENO FIRE, AIRPORT
453.5000 RENO AIRPORT POLICE
453.5500 RENO POLICE STAKEOUT
453.5750 RENO POLICE-CAR TO CAR WHITE
453.6000 RENO POLICE, RECORDS-INVESTIGATION BLUE
453.6500 RENO POLICE DISPATCH, NORTH-DOWNTOWN GREEN
453.7000 RENO POLICE, DISPATCH-SOUTH YELLOW
453.7500 RENO FIRE, PRIMARY
453.8125 RENO AIRPORT OPERATIONS
460.0500 WASHOE COUNTY JAIL
460.0750 RENO POLICE, TACTICAL BLACK
460.2000 WAQSHOE COUNTY SHERIFFS TAKEOUT
460.2125 EL DORADO COUNTY SHERIFF
460.6375 N. TAHOE FIRE
461.1250 CIRCUS CIRCUS RENO
461.2250 BALLY'S RENO
461.3000 PLAZA HOTEL RENO
461.3250 PEPPERMILL INN RENO
461.7000 HILTON RENO
461.8500 HILTON RENO
461.8500 SAHARA RENO

461.9000 CIRCUS CIRCUS RENO
461.9250 BALLY'S RENO
462.1750 COMSTOCK RENO
462.7500 EL DORADO RENO
462.7750 HILTON RENO
462.8000 HOLIDAY INN RENO
462.8250 BALLY'S RENO
462.8750 HAROLD'S CLUB RENO
462.9500 MT PLUTO MED 9
462.9750 REMSA/CAREFLIGHT DISPATCH MED 10
463.1250 MT PLUTO-NORTH TAHOE MED 6
463.1500 HORIZON HOTEL-SOUTH TAHOE MED 7
463.1750 RENO SCOUT PEAK MED 8
463.2500 CIRCUS CIRCUS RENO
463.2500 HARVEY'S RENO
463.3000 CIRCUS CIRCUS RENO
463.5750 CIRCUS CIRCUS RENO
463.6750 CASINO SERVICES RENO
463.7000 RENO HOUSING AUTHORITY
463.7250 CHEERS HOTEL RENO
463.8250 EL DORADO RENO
463.9250 HARRAH'S RENO
463.9750 PIONEER RENO
464.0500 RENO SPA
464.1250 SUNDOWNER RENO
464.2000 FITZGERALD'S RENO
464.3750 HOLIDAY INN RENO
464.5250 PEPPERMILL INN RENO
464.5750 BALLY'S RENO
464.6250 HILTON RENO
464.8500 EL DORADO RENO
464.8500 SAHARA RENO
464.8750 HARRAH'S RENO
464.9250 ONSLOW HOTEL RENO
855.8125 HORSESHOE RENO
857.9125 DOLD DUST INN RENO
859.9125 BALLY'S RENO
859.9375 CALIF STATE PARKS LAKE TAHOE

6105. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6tm8fg$1aok$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 144010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <905858891snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>, tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") writes:
|> On 15 Sep, in article <6tkhrl$1btk$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
|> mcinnis@austin.ibm.com "Mickey McInnis" wrote:
|>
|> > Even if your definition is correct, you are allowed to use
|> ^^^^^^^
|> > "any means of radiocommunication at its disposal." (S 97.403 quoted
|> > fully below) There is no requirement that the equipment be part of the
|> > "amateur station". If you know of such a requirement, please cite a
|> > reference from federal law or official FCC policy.
|> >
|> > |> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
|> > |> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
|> > |> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
|> > |> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
|> > |> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
|> > |> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
|> > |> >> not available.
|>
|> But that's not what the rule says. Please find the word allowed
|> written or even implied in what you quoted, or any equivalent like
|> authorized, permitted, entitled, tolerated, sanctioned, etc.
|>
|> It only says in essence that the Part 97 rules do not prevent you
|> from using your amateur station in any means of radiocommunications
|> needed in the event of a qualifying emergency where alternatives are
|> not available. Please stick to the hymn book and don't make up your
|> own verses :-)
|>
|> Part 97 is not the only law of the land, but it is the only law which
|> governs a licensed amateur's use of the amateur frequencies. If you
|> misbehave on the amateur bands, only the FCC can come after you and
|> they can only come after you for a Part 97 violation. So in the case
|> of a qualifying emergency, you will be immune from penalty if you
|> stick to amateur band. But if you stray outside the amateur bands
|> you have lost that immunity. At that point anyone can come after you
|> including the authorized user and even your next door neighbor for
|> TVI.
|>
|> Sure, some court may decide that this was a real emergency and that
|> you acted appropriately, but at that point you'll have to prove it
|> because you're off the Part 97 page at that point, and you have no

|> more rights to act as you did than any other citizen with no license.
|>
|> Regards,
|> --
|> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

S 97.111 Authorized transmissions.
(a) An amateur station may transmit the following types of two-way
communications:

...

(2) Transmissions necessary to exchange messages with a station in
another FCC-regulated service while providing emergency communications;

...

S 97.111 authorizes transmissions. It does not restrict the frequency
in this authorization.

Other provisions of Part 97 restrict the frequency you may use in normal
situations. These provisions do not matter in a "97.403" (covered by
97.403 "Safety of life and protection of property") situation. (97.403
is quoted above).

i.e. (in simpler terms)

In the right emergency situation,

1) S97.111 (a)(2) authorizes transmissions. Frequency is not restricted
in this provision of the rules.

2) S97.403 means that "No provision of these rules prevents" you from
using any frequency in an appropriate emergency situation.

3) Other provisions of Part 97 restrict your choice of frequency under
normal conditions, but don't apply if S97.403 (or S97.405) does.

Whether or not you'll lose a court case is another thing entirely.
Money and connections with big brother often talk louder than the law.

The "safest" choise is to not make any emergency transmissions on
non-ham frequencies unless the emergency is serious enough that you'd do
it even if you knew you'd be convicted of illegal transmissions.

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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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All opinions expressed are my own opinions, not my company's opinions.

6106. FS: Radio Shack PRO-25 100 channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: erodommoc2@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091517540700.NAA05476@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144011

This has some slight use, but radio is in good condition. Comes with rubber duckie and manual. For information on radio, check out Tandy's page:

http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/28556.htm.

I'm looking for +- $100.00 or best offer. Please contact me via e-mail (subject "PRO-25") at erodommoc2@aol.com.

Regards,
Cory

6107. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: orcinus@netcom.com
Message-ID: <orcinusEzC999.KHB@netcom.com>
Source record: 144012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

n7zzt@my-dejanews.com wrote:
: It is interesting though. Many states have some regulations governing the use
: of "radar detectors" but don't often post them (I have been through a few
: states where this is the case).

: As for radar detectors being "burglar tools" thats taking things a bit far,
: don't you think?

: Eric (N7ZZT)

Well, some outdoor alarm systems do use RF microwaves [radar].
Question is it in the band the detector covers.

An aresol can can be used to detect light beams, so does that make it a
burglar tool also ?

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6108. Buying & Selling, forms of payment on the net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbake777@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091519211200.PAA13049@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144013

For the newbies that haven't experienced the thrill of buying and selling equipment on the internet, this might help you.

Generally speaking, when you have a product for sale, make the subject line clear so that the group can decide easily whether to view your post.

Example:
"FS Pro60 $150.00 obo" is much better than "Scanner for sale"

Also, indicate that you would like all interested parties to respond directly to you via email and whether your price includes shipping. Also indicate whether you have original box, manuals, acessories etc.

Once you have struck the deal, you have to get the scanner to the buying party. You can use any of the standard shipping companies like Mail boxes etc (very $$$, not recommended) UPS (cost effective but sometimes veeery slow), FED EX (Fast but $$$) etc. Personally, I prefer the US Postal system 1st class mail (2-3 days, inexpensive and protected by mail fraud if party doesn't pay or pays by bad check).

You can request payment in several ways:

COD, costs extra to have this service but the package will not be left without payment. Probably the fastest way for them to get the scanner at the lowest cost.

Prepaid moneyorder via US Postal service. Safe & secure but they have to wait for you to receive the payment before you ship. They have to trust you!

Personal check. Usually the longest way, most sellers require the check to clear before shipping.

Hopefully this will help those of you that haven't bought or sold products through a newsgroup. I have sold climbing equipment, camera equipment and a scanner and have bought a scnner as well. Every time though, I have requested the buyer/sellers phone number to call or have them call me directly. I can usually feel someone out and get/give more specific answers about the product this way.
Chris Baker
94 RMX 250
88 Z50R (The Beast)

6109. Loudoun county VA.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Park <jpark@homemail.com>
Message-ID: <35FEE7BE.61BC@homemail.com>
Source record: 144014

Does anyone have the infomation on Loudoun and Fairfax county VA
police frequency lists ??

thanks in advance,

Jim

6110. Binghamton NY PD Codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfm <wmerrell@parsley.epix.net>
Message-ID: <6tmf4mhpu1@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 144015

Does anyone have a list of the codes used by
the Binghamton, NY Police Dept?
tia
bill

6111. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6tmgmr$lng@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6tkhrl$1btk$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>,
Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
>In article <6tkffr$6v2@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
>|> Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com> wrote:
>|> >NOW there that should settle that!!
>|>
>|> You'd think so until you begin looking at definitions. Our idea of
>|> "amateur station" doesn't necessarily coincide with that of the
>|> government's. Radios capable of transmitting on police frequencies don't
>|> fall under the catagory of "amateur station."
>|> Jeff KH2PZ

>Please cite federal law or official FCC policy that "Radios capable of
>transmitting on police frequencies don't fall under the catagory of
>"amateur station."

Look up the definitions of "amateur station" and "amateur service."
Then look at the frequency tables available to the "amateur service."
(It takes a little detective work, but you'll eventually come to the
correct conclusion.)

>Even if your definition is correct, you are allowed to use
>"any means of radiocommunication at its disposal." (S 97.403 quoted
>fully below) There is no requirement that the equipment be part of the
>"amateur station". If you know of such a requirement, please cite a
>reference from federal law or official FCC policy.

The "its" you reference above refers to "amateur station" - no fair
taking it out of context: "... an amateur station ... at its disposal."
Just what equipment would be at the disposal of an *amateur station*?
Jeff KH2PZ

>|> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
>|> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>|> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>|> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>|> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
>|> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
>|> >> not available.

6112. Re: ****POCSAG (PAGER) DECODING ON PC - HELP****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: *jbl*@dcsol.com
Message-ID: <3603c5ad.30952503@207.126.101.101>
Source record: 144017

-:>On 13 Sep 1998 05:37:54 GMT, teenham@aol.com (Teen Ham) wrote:
-:>
-:>>Hey,
-:>>
-:>> I got this program called PROCSAG Protocol Monitor from
-:> It says you could either build a plug in or just use the Sound
-:>Blaster's LINE IN jack. My question is,

You need to bypass the heavily filtered lineout/record plug(s) on
your scanner & tap into a place before the filtering starts.

Al

al dudley ... jbl at dcsol dot com
wash dc metro area , usa
535d,code3g,m1200,r1000

6113. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: foxcat@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <foxcat-1509981616000001@ip159.philadelphia6.pa.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 144018

In article <14730-35FE2727-1@newsd-171.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
TEKHED@webtv.net wrote:

> I picked mine up on the way out after a purchase before I noticed they
> were charging for it.
>
> Guy at the counter was already on the phone and didn't say anything so I
> don't know whether he just didn't notice or if he put it toward the
> sale.---TEKHED

My RS guy actually rang it up as a $0.00 charge on the reciept. I guess
they do that so they can see if people are collecting 1999 RS catalogs
like people collect beanie babies? :^)

So far I've collected 235 copies. Available for $1.00 each. Get 'em while
they last! Email...

JUST KIDDING!

Take it easy,

Andy
foxcat@mindspring.com
http://www.mindspring.com/~foxcat
I have a great memory, it's just short.
67 Bug
98 GTI/vr6

6114. Re: please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Papa <richard.papa@snet.net>
Message-ID: <35FEC6ED.69E19128@snet.net>
Source record: 144019

OK, your address is off my list. No more Christmas cards, Birthday cards, nothing.

mike hays wrote:

> Please remove my address from your list.
>
> Mike Hays

6115. Pro 2037 Fire Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6tmjs4$783a$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144020

I seen this scanner marked down to $79.99.

Is this a VHF/UHF scanner only? Is it decent and does it pick up 900MZ?

As always replies appreciated

6116. Re: Federal Law and Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6tmjnu$1e5q$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 144021

Drrocks wrote in message <35FDE819.7504A27B@rof.net>...
>I'm sorry to butt right in here, but I need this reference fast,
didn't
>see any reference to such a question in the most recent 100 messages,
>and don't know where FAQ is, if there is one.
>
>Can someone give me the actual regulation that covers disclosure of
>intercepted radio transmissions? That is the actual CFR chapter and
>verse, or at least close? Or the USC reference???
>
>Thanks in advance,
>Bruce

Check the NF2G Scannist Pages USA section under "Laws & Regulations"

http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/usa_index.html

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

6117. Re: Binghamton NY PD Codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6tmjnt$1e5q$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 144022

wfm wrote in message <6tmf4mhpu1@news1.epix.net>...
>Does anyone have a list of the codes used by
>the Binghamton, NY Police Dept?
>tia
>bill

Yep. They're on the NF2G Scannist Pages, under Broome County Public Safety. Just click on the occurrence of either the words "Law Enforcement" or any police agency name that looks like a link to bring up the window with the codes.

http://www.ggw.org/nf2g

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

6118. Re: PRO-2004 MINT ! FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6tmjo0$1e5q$3@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 144023

Gina McBride & John Miller wrote in message
<35FDF447.357A8F82@alaska.net>...
>I have a MINT perfect 2004 for sale, all mods,

I think I know what you meant to say, but "MINT" and "all mods"
contradict each other. "Mint" means "just like it originally came out
of the box".

73 de Dave, NF2G, NYSING-01

6119. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Wood <timfy@csi.com>
Message-ID: <e0bX9vO49GA.170@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 144024

For crying out loud ... get a life, all of you. This is a scanner newsgroup, not a bloody nursery school. I don't need to download this amount of crap on a daily basis.

Jack wrote in message <36038599.78013315@news.bell.net>...
>On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 00:44:36 -0700, John <john@parg.org> wrote:
>
>>Jack wrote:
>>> >Look at your keyboard, "V" & "G" are neighboring keys, easy for a
>>> >trained touch typist to accidentially hit.
>>>
>>> Where were you "trained"? Do you have some sort of credentials to
>>> present the group?
>>
>>This is incredible! What type of training or "credentials" are needed
>>to see that on a computer keypoard "V" & "G" are next to each other?
>
>You claimed to be "trained touch typist"!, implying formal training. I
>was just wondering if you would present proof of these credentials
>to prove that you are not just hunt & pecking!
>
>

6120. FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091521414500.RAA02061@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 144025

400 channel handheld like new in box. $225 plus shipping.

6121. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6tmng2lok1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 144026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6tmgmr$lng@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> In article <6tkhrl$1btk$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>,
|> Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
|> >In article <6tkffr$6v2@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> >|> Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com> wrote:
|> >|> >NOW there that should settle that!!
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|> >|> "amateur station" doesn't necessarily coincide with that of the
|> >|> government's. Radios capable of transmitting on police frequencies don't
|> >|> fall under the catagory of "amateur station."
|> >|> Jeff KH2PZ
|>
|> >Please cite federal law or official FCC policy that "Radios capable of
|> >transmitting on police frequencies don't fall under the catagory of
|> >"amateur station."
|>
|> Look up the definitions of "amateur station" and "amateur service."
|> Then look at the frequency tables available to the "amateur service."
|> (It takes a little detective work, but you'll eventually come to the
|> correct conclusion.)
|>

I have looked at the definitions. I have come to the conclusion that
you are wrong. Please feel free to provide references to convince
me otherwise. Simply stating that you have made some logical
inferrences does not constitute proof.

I see nothing in part 97 forbidding possession of equipment capable of
transmitters capable of transmitting of outside ham bands. If you see
any such prohibitions, please cite them. You are claiming that part 97
forbids hams to possess equipment that can transmit outside of ham
bands. Would you contend that a ham can't own a CB radio, a family
service radio, licensed radios for other services, etc.?

As far as I know, there is no prohibition, even on non-hams, of owning
equipment capable of transmitting on any frequency, but there are
restrictions on transmitting. (There are some restrictions
on "external RF power amplifiers".) Perhaps you know of some such
restrictions and can cite federal law or official FCC policy. I would.
be interested in any such information.

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|> >Even if your definition is correct, you are allowed to use

|> >"any means of radiocommunication at its disposal." (S 97.403 quoted
|> >fully below) There is no requirement that the equipment be part of the
|> >"amateur station". If you know of such a requirement, please cite a
|> >reference from federal law or official FCC policy.
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|> The "its" you reference above refers to "amateur station" - no fair
|> taking it out of context: "... an amateur station ... at its disposal."
|> Just what equipment would be at the disposal of an *amateur station*?
|> Jeff KH2PZ
|>

Q. Just what equipment would be at the disposal of an *amateur station*?

A. Anything you own, or can borrow, build, modify, etc. at the time of
the emergency. Disposal clearly means anything the operator can make
use of at the time.

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|> >|> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
|> >|> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
|> >|> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
|> >|> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
|> >|> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
|> >|> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
|> >|> >> not available.
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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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6122. FS Pro26 $180 (has cell mod)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <gt2923a@prism.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <35FF0BED.AEA40768@prism.gatech.edu>
Source record: 144027

FOR SALE: Radio Shack Pro-26 for $180.00, shipping not included
Frequency Coverage is continuous from 25 - 1300MHz and already has
CELLULAR MODIFICATION (works great).

See http://www.javiation.co.uk/pro26.html for detailed info.

REASON FOR SELLING: Im in atlanta and there are motorola trunking
systems here so I need to get a trunk tracker.
Scanner works and looks like new. original manual included.
Email if interested.

Scott....

6123. Re: BNC (ug) connectors for RG6 cable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XfastlinkX.com.au
Message-ID: <35fdb5c1.1751515@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 144072

Kevin Dilworth wrote in message <35FD394B.6391@phnx.uswest.net>...

:Anyone know of a single frequency receiver radio to be used to monitor
:just fire dispatch? I seem to remember seeing an ad for one in one of
:the scanner magazines a while ago - it was recommended for those who
:work for volunteer fire departments. It was manufactured by a company
:somewhere near Santa Barbara, California. Any help in locating one of
:these would be greatly appreciated!

I have such a unit. It is a Realistic PRO-27.

Barry

6124. Re: Single Frequency Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <35fdc22b.2746410@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 144073

>Anyone know of a single frequency receiver radio to be used to monitor
>just fire dispatch? I seem to remember seeing an ad for one in one of
>the scanner magazines a while ago - it was recommended for those who

I've seen one- or two-channel crystal-controlled receivers. I think
they run about $60 or $70. For that kind of money you could buy a
10-channel scanner. Program the fire dispatch into channel 1 and set
it as priority.

6125. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6tkffr$6v2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com> wrote:
>NOW there that should settle that!!

You'd think so until you begin looking at definitions. Our idea of
"amateur station" doesn't necessarily coincide with that of the
government's. Radios capable of transmitting on police frequencies don't
fall under the catagory of "amateur station."
Jeff KH2PZ

>Mickey McInnis wrote:
>> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
>> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
>> not available.

6126. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6tkhrl$1btk$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 144075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6tkffr$6v2@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com> wrote:
|> >NOW there that should settle that!!
|>
|> You'd think so until you begin looking at definitions. Our idea of
|> "amateur station" doesn't necessarily coincide with that of the
|> government's. Radios capable of transmitting on police frequencies don't
|> fall under the catagory of "amateur station."
|> Jeff KH2PZ

Please cite federal law or official FCC policy that "Radios capable of
transmitting on police frequencies don't fall under the catagory of
"amateur station."

Even if your definition is correct, you are allowed to use
"any means of radiocommunication at its disposal." (S 97.403 quoted
fully below) There is no requirement that the equipment be part of the
"amateur station". If you know of such a requirement, please cite a
reference from federal law or official FCC policy.

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|> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
|> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
|> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
|> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
|> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
|> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
|> >> not available.
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6127. Dare County, NC frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Iam <iam@notherwest.com>
Message-ID: <01bde04b$04b9dae0$aba21e26@mkraieski_ISDN.delta-air.com>
Source record: 144076

I have a trip coming up to the Outer Banks shortly. Would appreciate any frequencies of interest. I have Daren Magness' list from '95. Hoping for something more current. Also, is the trunk system actually operational?

Iam

6128. FS: AOR1000 (unblocked)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjheller-nospam-@west.net
Message-ID: <pjheller-nospam--1409981946370001@pm0-5.sba1.avtel.net>
Source record: 144077

AOR 1000 scanner, full-coverage scanner (including 800) includes case, antenna, nicads, original box, instructions and Bornstein's Guide to the AR1000. In excellent condition. $250 plus shipping (or will consider trade for BC3000XLT).

If interested, reply to pjheller@west.net (or remove -nospam- from address if auto replying)

6129. Looking for a particular Freq. Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: joesmow@gte.new
Message-ID: <3600ad20.2658074@news.jps.net>
Source record: 143829

This may be stupid but oh well, I am looking for the freq. for Community Transit, In Washington State, Snohomish County. If anyone knows I would appreicate it

6130. My SA scanning site - TOTALLY REDONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rev@newave.net.au
Message-ID: <35ffaecf.18798410@news.newave.net.au>
Source record: 143879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner

Ive totally redone my SA SCANNING SITE.

Lots of scanner frequencies for Adelaide, South Australia.

New layout with links.

www.newave.net.au/~rev

Email me from site to let me know what you all
think.....suggestions/additions etc

6131. FS: Motorola GP-68 VHF HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip Santucci <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <35FFBE1E.3702@mc.net>
Source record: 143880

FOR SALE:

(these are BRAND NEW in the box)

MOTOROLA GP-68 VHF HT's

136 - 174 MHz

FULLY keyboard PROGRAMMABLE

20 channel plus vfo

memory scan with nuisance channel delete

Selectable PL/DPL (can program tx and rx independently)

9 memory phone memories

LCD Display

low battery, signal strength indicators

Programmable time out timer

accepts GP-300 speaker/mic and other audio accessories

1200mah battery pack

3 hour drop in RAPID charger

spring action heavy duty belt clip

excellent rx audio

$270.00 includes shipping prepay

If seriously interested please e-mail.

THANKS.

John "Chip" Santucci WB9JVM

6132. Optoelectronics OS456Lite Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6toddc$363$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 143881

Hi all,

Just wondering what your experiences are regarding the use of the
Optoelectronics OS456Lite add-on board for the Pro2005/6?
Good, bad, etc..
$99 seems like a bargain to enable the use of pc for programming.
Your help is greatly appreciated.

Please reply to email.

Dan

6133. Re: FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: zortman@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tols9$3u0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143882

Yep, I just bought one from Radio Shack for the $99.97 + tax and another used one like new for $107.50 shipped. They are going for much higher prices on ebay and other auctions. Paul

In article <6tnr7i$8u4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
sgambino@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <1998091521414500.RAA02061@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
> pstringy@aol.com (PStringy) wrote:
> > 400 channel handheld like new in box. $225 plus shipping.
> >
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> If you knock a hundred bucks off your price, you'll be more
> in the ballpark. Radio Shack was closing them out at around
> $120 and there are still some to be found at that price and
> that's for a new scanner with warranty.
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> /Sal
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> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
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http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6134. Oneida County, New York Info Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: watnny@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916122909.21124.00000179@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143883

Anyone out there have a better idea of unit numbers for all of the village PD's ??? I know the 450 & 460 units are Sheriff patrols, but can someone break down all of the 500 units ???

Mike

6135. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6top9t$1jgu$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 143884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

<6tjmsl$1d4k$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com> <6tnia0ju0@207.18.224.128>
Organization:
Keywords:

In article <6tnia0ju0@207.18.224.128>, bbowers@townsqr.com (Blake Bowers) writes:
|> On 14 Sep 1998 18:22:13 GMT, mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com (Mickey
|> McInnis) wrote:
|>
|>
|> >You claim "They have stated...". Please clarify.
|> >
|> >Please cite Federal law or official statements of policy from the FCC.
|> >
|> Phil Kane, former Engineer in Charge, San Francisco office, FCC.
|>
|> Stated while he was the EIC.
|>

That's not a citation. That's a name.

Do you have an actual, verifiable, statement by this person, or just
his name?

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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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6136. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <6topon$1jgu$2@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 143885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6tncan$bv4@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
|> Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
|> >
|> >S 97.111 Authorized transmissions.
|> > (a) An amateur station may transmit the following types of two-way
|> > communications:
|> >
|> >...
|> >
|> > (2) Transmissions necessary to exchange messages with a station in
|> > another FCC-regulated service while providing emergency communications;
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|>
|> Ah yes, we do this every Armed Forces Day. Hams transmit on specific
|> amateur frequencies, and listen on specified military frequencies;
|> military stations listen to the frequencies the hams are transmitting
|> on, and transmit on the military frequencies the hams are monitoring
|> (sort of a "cross band" operation). Exchanges are made in this way.
|> The military sends out very nice QSL cards! (Note that the military
|> is not an FCC-regulated service.)
|>
|> What S97.111(a)(2) allows us to do is transmit on an amateur freq'y,
|> and listen to say, a police freq'y; the policy dispatcher would
|> transmit and receive in just the opposite manner. Hence, we would
|> "exchange messages with a station in another FCC-regulated service"
|> without transmitting out-of-band.
|>
|> Jeff KH2PZ

That's an example or interpretation, not what the rule says. Do you
have any citations of Federal law or official FCC policy to back up this
interpretation?

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Mickey McInnis - mcinnis@austin.ibm.com
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6137. Antenna Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevek@io360.com
Message-ID: <slrn6vvr92.8ue.stevek@spheara.horizonlive.com>
Source record: 143886

I have a couple of questions about antennas, and any help or pointers to other sources would be greatly appreciated:

I have a BC235, and although I got it so that I could be able to listen to 800Mhz trunked systems, I'm also interested in monitoring local railroad communications. The railroads of interest (LIRR, NYCTA) all operate on about 160MHZ (FRA frequency range).

I've found that my reception quality has been less than what I expected (If I'm sitting next to an operating cab, I hear the RR radio picking up things on the same channel clearly that are unintelligable on my set). and I'd like to improve it. I've already gotten myself the Radio Shack Whip (20-006?) with the loading coil, and follow their instructions for tuning it (keep the top 4 sections only extended).

I've also noticed that the LIRR railcar radio sets all use a strange looking antenna mounted on the roof of the cars -- it is about 1" wide, 3" high, and about a foot long. It is shaped something like a C-clamp, although it may be attached at the other side (not sure):

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a matching transformer?

Thanks for any insight -- I'm pretty new to this..

-SteveK

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Steve Kann - Horizon Live Distance Learning - 841 Broadway, Suite 502
Personal:stevek@SteveK.COM Business:stevek@HorizonLive.com (212) 533-1775
Non voglio il vostro prodotto o servizio, e non voglio i vostri soldi
Pertanto, non mandatemi alcuna informazione a riguardo.

6138. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: talley@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <09980816093504.OUI98.talley@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143887

Bill,
Someone replied to me by e-mail saying tht RS will shortly come out with a new reciever that will handle Ericcson. I'm suprised that the techies at Optoelectronics didn't built that into their OptoTrakker or their hybrid/GRE radio. Regards Richard

On September 16 1998, you wrote:
> if it's ERICCson...it's
> not able to be
> Trunktracked....
>
> you got to listen to
> the full spectrum on a scanner
> and hope it makes sense.
>
> Ericcson is rumored to be
> ready to changing how their
> computer handles freq's as
> done now...after all it's
> about four years old or more.
>
> bill conduit
> etc.

6139. PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: leigh@rain.org
Message-ID: <6torij$2on$1@news.rain.org>
Source record: 143888

I recently picked up a PRO-2004 scanner for a mere $100. Following are several questions:

--The display is dim, and pressing the "dimmer" switch has no effect. Any suggestions on where to start trouble-shooting? I hope it's not the LCD display itself going bad, as I suppose that's now unreplaceable, right?

--Mine is missing the antenna. (I'm using a 2 meter telescoping half-wave whip on it currently.) What did the original antenna look like that it originally came with?

--I found the cell mod; looks easy. I also found in the same file a mod to up the number of channels from 300 to 400, and increase the scanning speed by adding two diodes. Do these latter two mods work well? If so, I wonder why the 2004 was made without these easy-to-add features.

--Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts without replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.

All in all, an excellent scanner for the mere $100 I paid for it. I also have a PRO-2005, and the older 2004 actually has better audio than the internal speaker of the 2005. (More bass; less tinny.)

Thanks in advance. --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE in Santa Barbara.

6140. Re: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Kunz" <noaa14@wzdave.com>
Message-ID: <35FFF247.879@wzdave.com>
Source record: 143889

David L Litz wrote:
>
> Does anybody no how to get the descriminating audio out of the scanner? I
> would like to use it to decode some signaling.
>
> David
> IC3, pin #9. Solder a 10K resistor very carefully to pin 9 and if you
> want, series a .01 uF cap and connect to a rca female mounted on the
> back of the scanner.
> David Kunz, SFO CommCenter

6141. Antenna for BC200XTL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <35FFF346.973@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143890

I would like to improve the reception of my handheld. I notice adds for an after market antenna that looks like a space helmet. Lots of claims. Do they work? Any ideas for improving receiption of portable scanners. Thank You Bob

6142. Re: FS AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gameye@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916133406.28385.00000132@ng41.aol.com>
Source record: 143891

i am in london, where are you

6143. AOR8200: What's the Fuss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916134033.21125.00000340@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143892

Some people have been waiting for the arrival of the AOR8200 as though it were the Holy Grail of scanning. I'm not holding my breath, that's for sure.

I'm among the first people who'll buy almost any new scanner just because I'm a unrepentant button pusher, but after reading the product sheets, a couple of reviews and talking to people who really know their stuff, I wouldn't touch an AOR8200 for any reason. Given the choice, I would stick with my Yupiteru MVT-9000 for overall performance; and if I really wanted computer control, I would go with the AOR8000. Not only is the 8000 less money than the 8200, its overall performance is better too.

The 8200 is a dog of a scanner, especially for the money (between $500 and $600 in many places). It's noisy, susceptible to intermod distortion, and has poor VHF and HF performance compared to the 8000 and the Yupis (both the 7100 and 9000). That opinion belongs to a technician I know who has been putting the 8200 through its paces. Wells says the same thing in his review (www.strongsignals.com). He says in his review that the 8000 is "deaf under 25 MHz!" He also notes that: "Testing both radios for how well they were aligned once again showed the AR8000 was superior. On HF, both radios did very well. Up in the VHF-hi band, the AR8200 appeared off by about 450Hz while the AR8000 was about 250. Up at 450Mhz, the AR8200 was 1.3kHz off while the AR8000 showed 800Hz. Near 900MHz the AR8200 was off by nearly 4kHz!"

Looks like I'll wait until they iron the bugs out of this supposedly "new concept in scanning." Better yet, I'll wait and see if they drop the price on the 8000 so I can buy another one (sold the first)!

6144. Re: Pro 2037 Fire Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard flores <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6tov10$55ba$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143893

Sorry I'm fairly new to this.

I meant does it pick up 800mhz and is it a better scanner than the 2041?

Thanks

6145. Sears 5 Band scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <johnsrud.michael@mcleodusa.net>
Message-ID: <01bde19d$c52cbb00$0b2a10d0@pavilion>
Source record: 143894

Has anyone heard of a "Sears 5 Band" progammable scanner, it uses some type of punch card that is inserted in the scanner. I has a manual called "Code Book" for setting up the frequencies, and has 16 channels. Looks like it is more than 15 years old. Michael

6146. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36000416.4227@ibm.net>
Source record: 143895

Leigh Marrin/KM6JE wrote:

Hi Leigh,

> --The display is dim, and pressing the "dimmer" switch has no effect. Any
> suggestions on where to start trouble-shooting? I hope it's not the LCD
> display itself going bad, as I suppose that's now unreplaceable, right?

As far as I know the displays are no longer available.
Electroluminesence panels do have a rather finite lifespan. You will
still be able to read the display, but the backlight will be gone.

> --Mine is missing the antenna. (I'm using a 2 meter telescoping half-wave
> whip on it currently.) What did the original antenna look like that it
> originally came with?

These aren't the greatest antennas to use for monitoring. They work
well on the normaly VHF frequencies (136-174 & 30-54) but they are not
very good at all on anything else.

> --I found the cell mod; looks easy. I also found in the same file a mod
> to up the number of channels from 300 to 400, and increase the scanning
> speed by adding two diodes. Do these latter two mods work well? If so, I
> wonder why the 2004 was made without these easy-to-add features.

This was done so that the next model would have the features enabled -
but would cost no more money to develop. As it turns out, nosy
hobbyists discovered these "hidden" upgrades.

> --Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be
> close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts without
> replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.

They wear out eventually and, once again, I don't believe that
replacements are available.

> All in all, an excellent scanner for the mere $100 I paid for it. I also
> have a PRO-2005, and the older 2004 actually has better audio than the
> internal speaker of the 2005. (More bass; less tinny.)

That may be in large part due to the speaker itself. Scanners over the
years have had progressively poorer audio! 8-D

Enjoy your new acquisition.

6147. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6tov0f$e6o$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 143896

Leigh Marrin/KM6JE (leigh@rain.org) wrote:
: I recently picked up a PRO-2004 scanner for a mere $100. Following are
: several questions:

: --The display is dim, and pressing the "dimmer" switch has no effect. Any
: suggestions on where to start trouble-shooting? I hope it's not the LCD
: display itself going bad, as I suppose that's now unreplaceable, right?

It's not the LCD display:it's the backlight panel BEHIND the LCD display.
The panel is replaceable..BUT Tandy has been out of stock on them for
quite a while.

: --Mine is missing the antenna. (I'm using a 2 meter telescoping half-wave
: whip on it currently.) What did the original antenna look like that it
: originally came with?

Simple whip...Tandy probably still has this part.

: --I found the cell mod; looks easy. I also found in the same file a mod
: to up the number of channels from 300 to 400, and increase the scanning
: speed by adding two diodes. Do these latter two mods work well? If so, I
: wonder why the 2004 was made without these easy-to-add features.

The cell mod involves removing a diode.
The add 100 channel mod involves adding a diode(I think)

I forget exactly how the speed mod works-but I think only one diode is
involved.
To answer your questions:
1.yes, all 3 of the mods mentioned above are for real and do work.
2.As why Tandy did not make the unit with those functions enabled from the
factory-well, you know why the cell block was done(Tandy sells cell
phones, and they were afraid of a "sticky" situation)-it looks odd-"Tandy
sells cell phones, and they sell scanners capable of receiving them"!
So they blocked most of the 2004's(this was before the ECPA even existed)!
As for the channel and speed mods-who knows!
: --Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be
: close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts without
: replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.

The membrane holds up reasonably well, assuming it has not been abused.
I don't know if they are still available.

: All in all, an excellent scanner for the mere $100 I paid for it.

$100.00 for a WORKING 2004(even with the dim backlight) is a good deal.

: I also have a PRO-2005, and the older 2004 actually has better audio
: than the internal speaker of the 2005. (More bass; less tinny.)

: Thanks in advance. --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE in Santa Barbara.

6148. Re: My pro67 !?!?!?!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu
Message-ID: <35fffce6.98108961@news.utoledo.edu>
Source record: 143897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 19:30:05 GMT, open@REMOVETHISidirect.com (Mina Naguib) wrote:

>I have been following this newsgroup for a while, and have not seen
>mention of my scanner at alll.. I have a radioshack PRO67... is it
>that bad that nobody else owns one ? am I missing out on something
>here ??

I own a Pro-67, it was the first scanner I bought. It's a trusty little handheld, and got it for a good price when they first came out. They were only out for about a year, maybe that is why not much is heard about them.

Jeff

wwwww RS Pro-67, RS Pro-2045, Uniden BC895xlt
g(o o)g http://eng.utoledo.edu/~jpryor/scanner/main.html
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The Preceding was transmitted by JEFFREY M. PRYOR

.ooo0 0ooo. jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu UIN@ICQ=1944152
( ) ( ) jpryor@my-dejanews.com
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_) (_/ STOP the SPAM - Keep an Eye on our Government

6149. FS: PRO-2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdallan@usacoop.com
Message-ID: <36000b46.14439781@news.110.net>
Source record: 143898

I have for sale a PRO-2005.
It is in good condition.
Only mod is the cell enable mod.
Asking $225.00
Contact me by email if you have any questions or offers.

John D. Allan <jdallan@usacoop.com>

6150. WTB: MT2000 UHF 403-470

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Faricky <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3600093A.462F844E@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143899

Looking for:

Motorola MT2000 UHF 403-470
48/99/160 ch
full keypad
Must be in good condition

Please respond via email

Thanks
Dave Faricky

6151. WTB: MT2000 UHF 403-470

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Faricky <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3600093E.547E2972@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143900

Looking for:

Motorola MT2000 UHF 403-470
48/99/160 ch
full keypad
Must be in good condition

Please respond via email

Thanks
Dave Faricky

6152. London Fire Services

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Faricky <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <36000A84.CAD2366B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143901

I am looking for frequencies and trunk tracter talkgroups for the London (Ontario) Fire Department

Please respond via email

Thanks
Dave Faricky

6153. Canadian Forces Bases

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Faricky <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <36000BAE.8D29D23B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143902

I am looking for any freqs that are used at the following bases
CFB Borden
CFB Trenton
CFB Petawa

6154. Toronto Fire Service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Faricky <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <36000D3E.7BADD031@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143903

Does any one know what the NEW Toronto Fire Service will be doing for
their new radio system. Will they amalgamate NYFD/SFD/EYFD/EFD/YFD/TFD
into one system.

Please help and respond by email

Thanks
Dave Faricky

6155. Frequencies for the Portland area MAX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Decker <sdecker@esg.intel.com>
Message-ID: <36000DFF.6D2F215C@esg.intel.com>
Source record: 143904

Hi all,
I'm looking for the frequencies for the new/org MAX trains in the Portland
OR area.
Thanks

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Scott Decker
AKA: PadMasterson
Praegitzer Design On Location at
Enterprise Server Group CO3
Intel Corporation
Ph: (503)-677-6582 E-MAIL: Scott.Decker@pii.com

6156. Ericsson GE Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae721@sfn.saskatoon.sk.ca
Message-ID: <6tp11k$4fu$1@missing.its.to>
Source record: 143905

This radio is a handheld 16ch VHF. I picked it up at a liquidation action. It seems to work well but, I need a way to program it. I checked and it can be programed through the computer with a patch cord. Are there any shareware programs that will do this?
Thanks

6157. Re: FS:YUPITERU MVT9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3600125d.134948883@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143906
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 16 Sep 1998 13:08:28 GMT, cwest69521@aol.com (CWest69521) wrote:

>
>I'm glad you didnt buy it because i did and it's great the guy is a buyer
>trader like some of us. I'll keep it for a bit a post it again . It is a
>great unit verus the aor's and trident I recently sold. I also found out
>that this guy is a man of his word. The 9000 had only a stratch on the glass
>that was it I just wanted to share that with you.I live for deal like this.

How do we know that you and pdoddy are not the same person trying to
play games on the NG? You could both be screen names on the same
account at AOL, that's for sure!

6158. Re: Sears 5 Band scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6tp504$o1o@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I own the same Sears 5-band scanner model.
It was manufactured in Japan by the same people
who made the SBE Optiscan -- GRE (General Research Electronics
of Tokyo).

GRE made the better known PRO-2004/5/6 for Radio Shack.

In article <01bde19d$c52cbb00$0b2a10d0@pavilion>,
Michael <johnsrud.michael@mcleodusa.net> wrote:

>Has anyone heard of a "Sears 5 Band" progammable scanner,
>it uses some type of punch card that is inserted in the scanner....
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Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@bell-labs.com

Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

6159. For Sale: Alinco DJ-X10 wideband receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KreageR <kreager@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bde1b8$72e53d20$afa92fd1@doleh_home.software.mitle.com>
Source record: 143908

I am selling my 4 month old Alinco DJ-X10 wideband receiver. This scanner is in perfect condition and receives from 0.1mhz to 2000mhz. There are 1200 memory banks with alphanumeric tags for each individual freq. that is programmed. There are many features that you can check out at http://www.alinco.com.

The scanner comes complete with instruction manual, antenna, batter pack, battery charger, belt clip, and box. I am asking US$350-$375 or will consider trade for radar detector of around the same price.

If you are interested please e-mail me.

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kreager@usa.net

6160. Re: Home Made CB Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12818-36002790-66@newsd-153.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143909

Don't know what country you are located but here in the US citizens band transmitters must be FCC type accepted. Many years ago some kits were offered by mail order firms but now even that's out. While it is possible to build a transmitter and receiver that would work on cb frequencies, why bother? Used CB's can be had for next to nothing at yard sales or second hand shops.

73 de Jim, KB9KEB

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
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6161. BC3000 DC Power Cord

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <36003bd7.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 143910

I made my own power cord to run my BC3000 in the car...
It runs from the back of the scanner directly to the cigarette lighter plug.
Will this hurt the scanner?

The AC power supply that comes with the BC3000 is a "trickle" type power
supply (450mA).

Will I be over-powering the radio with it direct to the lighter plug. Seems
to work okay...

I've seen an "official" BEARCAT power cord at SCANNER WORLD for around $12.
Just wondering if I need it.

6162. BC3000 BATTERY (Need)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <36003bfa.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 143911

Need a cheap/good place to get a BC3000 battery pack...

6163. Need MD MARC Train Freqs...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <36003c6b.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 143912

I have freqs out of POLICE CALL for AMTRACK and CSX, but I'm looking for the ones for the MARC trains that run around the Baltimore/Washington area.

6164. Re: Canadian Forces Bases

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Bate <david.bate@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <hbXL1.4251$IR.16561296@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 143913

See my web page listed below for the Trenton freq's.

Dave Faricky wrote in message <36000BAE.8D29D23B@hotmail.com>...
>I am looking for any freqs that are used at the following bases
>CFB Borden
>CFB Trenton
>CFB Petawa
>

David Bate
http://www3.sympatico.ca/david.bate
Durham Region Radio Group
http://www3.sympatico.ca/david.bate/drrg

6165. Re: Toronto Fire Service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Bate <david.bate@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <BcXL1.4252$IR.16562008@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 143914

The Toronto Fire system has not been amalgamated yet. They are still working out the finer details for the new disatch system and the related compter system..

Dave Faricky wrote in message <36000D3E.7BADD031@hotmail.com>...
>Does any one know what the NEW Toronto Fire Service will be doing for
>their new radio system. Will they amalgamate NYFD/SFD/EYFD/EFD/YFD/TFD
>into one system.
>
>Please help and respond by email
>
>Thanks
>Dave Faricky
>

David Bate
http://www3.sympatico.ca/david.bate
Durham Region Radio Group
http://www3.sympatico.ca/david.bate/drrg

6166. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy <kc5mmc@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <6tpg1rfli1@news13.ispnews.com>
Source record: 143915

I work for Radio Shack. The catalogs are inventoried, so they must appear on a receipt. However, there should not be a charge applied.

TEKHED@webtv.net wrote in message <14730-35FE2727-1@newsd-171.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
I picked mine up on the way out after a purchase before I noticed they were charging for it.

Guy at the counter was already on the phone and didn't say anything so I don't know whether he just didn't notice or if he put it toward the sale.---TEKHED

6167. F.S. Trunk Tracker Pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Smith" <rusty@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <3600433C.5863B955@direct.ca>
Source record: 143916

For Sale,
PRO-90, 300 channel Trunk Tracker
In great condition
Offers

6168. Bearcat 350 in Need of Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Joslyn <grj2@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <36004180.2D8D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143917

I have a Bearcat 350 which will not scan when it's turned on--It appears to be "Locked up" and will do nothing!!

Does anyone have any ideas on where to get it repaired---It's about 15 years old, and I would like to put it back in operation without too much hassle--thanks!!

George Joslyn
grj2@earthlink.net

6169. Re: AOR8200: What's the Fuss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1069f1512a5ed44a98976d@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143918

If you want a real laugh. Try using the Q-7A Icom Transceiver as a scanner. It can be done if you are not in serious need of specific "scan banks" and can live with search ranges instead. Although for me as it turns out 2 banks is enough, subjectively, it blows away the sensitivity and selectivity of any scanner currently available including the Yupiteru 9000! I for one do admire the audio and performance of the Yupi's but for 2 hundred bucks you get a receiver that is of no compromise in performance and meets military specs, and what the Hell, if you are so inclined to get your Novice Ham License, you can even talk on it!

6170. Web Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <FRG9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bde1c7$a6249a00$23afbacd@gpfzqmga>
Source record: 143919

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http://members.aol.com/frg9600/Yaesu.html

6171. Sony scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich <rich@scanner.guy>
Message-ID: <360058C3.4F0B4811@scanner.guy>
Source record: 143920

Hi;
I just got a new Sony WAVEHAWK hand held scanner. The model is ICF-SC1PC and your supposed to be able to program it through your computer,

Has anyone heard of this scanner and do you know how to get it to work?

Any information would be greatly appreciated.

THANKS........ RICH

6172. BC-700A Mobile Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Waters <cwaters@info2000.net>
Message-ID: <36005AAE.E7B1AC2B@info2000.net>
Source record: 143921

Does anyone know of any mods that can be done to this radio? It already has the built in 800-969 Continuous scanning feature. I'm looking to see if this can go maybe to the 10/11 meter band (26-32Mhz), or anywhere in that range? Also, does anyone know anything about the programming on this scanner? I have gotten the Private band programmed fine, but what I'm wondering is if/when you program the Fire, Police, Med, Air, etc. bands, is there a way to just have it scan those programmed freq's instead of the whole built in police ones? Please let me know. It'd also be appreciated if anyone can tell me where I can possibly get a copy of the book for this? Thanx.

--- Charles!

6173. f.s. realistic pro-2050 trunk tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <36006F08.6E5AEB7F@owc.net>
Source record: 143922

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i have or sale a realistic pro-2050 trunk tracker scanner for sale.like
new....$175.00
thanks jack
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6174. Need Tinker AFB Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Miles <miles@brightok.net>
Message-ID: <360080C3.7A85@brightok.net>
Source record: 143923

Does anyone have a active list of vhf/uhf air freqs for
Tinker AFB?

Thanks in advance
jim

6175. Border Patrol or customs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <36006919.F524A4BF@ncia.net>
Source record: 143924

I live near the VT, Canadian border in NH.Can anyone give me info on US or Can. border Patrol or customs freqs.? I know there is a US Border Patrol office in Rangley Me.>>>Thanks

6176. Re: FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <360091A2.3665@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143925

Same here. Paid $100 + Tax, Brand new about 2 weeks ago.

6177. Re: Bearcat 350 in Need of Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916192845.13520.00000285@ng10.aol.com>
Source record: 143926

George wrote:>I have a Bearcat 350 which will not scan when it's turned on--It appears
>to be "Locked up" and will do nothing!!
>
>Does anyone have any ideas on where to get it repaired---It's about 15
>years old, and I would like to put it back in operation without too much
>hassle--thanks!!

Uniden has a flat fee for factory repair it used to be $80 check with a local dealer on how to reach them. Warning the fee applies wether or not they are able to fix your radio!

BP

6178. FS: RS2005 Scannner $300 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <xxtimkelly@axion.net>
Message-ID: <6tq92f$qp6$1@amanita.axion.net>
Source record: 143927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Condx is excellent, only a couple small nicks in case, no wear, hardly used. Full rx enabled, no other mods. No box or manual, but I have printed the instruction set from Tandy's support site. 300 USD shipped Conus or Canada.Trading references upon request.

Regards,

Tim VE7SEZ

6179. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091600014500.UAA24985@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143950

>From: "Tim Wood" <timfy@csi.com>

>For crying out loud ... get a life, all of you. This is a scanner newsgroup,
>not a bloody nursery school. I don't need to download this amount of crap on
>a daily basis.

Great, so that means you'll be posting something about scanners soon instead of
your usual off-topic posts!

6180. Re: PRO-2004 MINT ! FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091600265900.UAA28896@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143951

Have you sold the 2004 yet. If not let me know.pdoddy@aol.com

6181. FINALLY YUPITERU MVT9000 SOLD; THANKS CHARLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091600290500.UAA27380@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143952

Thanks again CHARLIE.

6182. Re: Motorola SP50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091600450400.UAA02030@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143953

I can program the SP50 for you. It is $12. plus return shipping.
Bob
Summit Radio

6183. nfl

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: iwc <iwc@icanect.net>
Message-ID: <01bde111$142059c0$9ea88ece@iwc>
Source record: 143954

does anyone have the freqs for the nfl?

6184. Re: HIGH-TECH CRIME RING IN OHIO (part 2)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bde111$67c68900$b1685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143955

> THE TRUTH IS OUT THERE! (WAY out there)--
> Gets MY vote for strangest post seen here.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

HH357 <hh357@aol.com> wrote in article
<1998091406090200.CAA17560@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> In article <35FBFA27.1C217B63@uswest.net>, Greg Renner
<grenner@uswest.net>
> writes:
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> >
> >Very sound advice JT. Please don't forget that Reynolds Wrap now makes
bags.
> >He
> >could lose the football helmet and simply put the bag over his head and
poke
> >eye
> >holes in it at his disgression.
> >
> >GR
>
> I disagree. Opening those holes will let in too much energy. Better
to
> leave the bag intact and tie it up tight under the chin.
>
> HH
>
> ----------
> | The price of freedom is eternal vigilance. |
> ----------
>

6185. DC Power Cord for Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: echofoxx@aol.com
Message-ID: <1998091602442700.WAA22666@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143956

Did RS use a slightly smaller pin on the back of the 2006 to thwart folks "making their own" cigarette lighter adapter plugs?
I tried making my own, but find that it rarely makes good contact. Most of the time it won't work at all. I know the lighter plug has current and I have current all the way to the plug that goes to the scanner, yet the scanner won't function. Any suggestions, or can one still buy the cigarette lighter adapter unit from RS?

6186. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6tna65$aea@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
>I see nothing in part 97 forbidding possession of equipment capable of
>transmitters capable of transmitting of outside ham bands. If you see
>any such prohibitions, please cite them. You are claiming that part 97
>forbids hams to possess equipment that can transmit outside of ham
>bands. Would you contend that a ham can't own a CB radio, a family
>service radio, licensed radios for other services, etc.?

I made no claim at all. I said nothing about the illegality of possession
of any transmitting equipment. This thread (and almost all of Part 97)
concerns the *act* of transmitting, and my comments were to make you
consider the definition of "amateur station" and what equipment would
be at the disposal of an "amateur station" (as defined by the FCC) in
carrying out that act.

I have a VHF-FM marine band transceiver in my shack. Is that part of
my "amateur station" (as defined by the FCC)? Absolutely not.
S97.403 mentions equipment at the disposal of an "amateur station."

I also have an HT designed for service between 150.000 and 159.995
MHz in my shack. Is that part of my "amateur station" (as defined by
the FCC)? Again, no. Therefore, it is not at the disposal of my
"amateur station."

>As far as I know, there is no prohibition, even on non-hams, of owning
>equipment capable of transmitting on any frequency, but there are
>restrictions on transmitting. (There are some restrictions
>on "external RF power amplifiers".) Perhaps you know of some such
>restrictions and can cite federal law or official FCC policy. I would.
>be interested in any such information.

Not sure what you're smoking but stop it. It's making you grossly
misinterpret my comments.

>>Q. Just what equipment would be at the disposal of an "amateur station"?

>A. Anything you own, or can borrow, build, modify, etc. at the time of
>the emergency. Disposal clearly means anything the operator can make
>use of at the time.

And here is where you are in error. Out-of-band transmitting equipment
is not included in the FCC's definition of "amateur station." Sure, it's
in your shack - you're free to possess it, but it's outside the realm of
"amateur station."

Jeff KH2PZ

>|> >|> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
>|> >|> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>|> >|> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
>|> >|> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>|> >|> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
>|> >|> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
>|> >|> >> not available.

6187. FS: Kenwood TK-330

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimmi@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <35ff32e1.26401849@24.128.44.7>
Source record: 143958

Kenwood TK-330 UHF 2-way portable with charger. Both pieces are
New in box. Features up to 20 channels, alphanumeric display, DTMF
pad, scanning, and its user programmable from the keypad. Asking
$250 (that includes shipping)

If interested please contact via e-mail or call 617-770-2452

6188. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6tncan$bv4@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
>
>S 97.111 Authorized transmissions.
> (a) An amateur station may transmit the following types of two-way
> communications:
>
>...
>
> (2) Transmissions necessary to exchange messages with a station in
> another FCC-regulated service while providing emergency communications;

Ah yes, we do this every Armed Forces Day. Hams transmit on specific amateur frequencies, and listen on specified military frequencies; military stations listen to the frequencies the hams are transmitting on, and transmit on the military frequencies the hams are monitoring (sort of a "cross band" operation). Exchanges are made in this way. The military sends out very nice QSL cards! (Note that the military is not an FCC-regulated service.)

What S97.111(a)(2) allows us to do is transmit on an amateur freq'y, and listen to say, a police freq'y; the policy dispatcher would transmit and receive in just the opposite manner. Hence, we would "exchange messages with a station in another FCC-regulated service" without transmitting out-of-band.

Jeff KH2PZ

6189. Re: please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <36073648.2768638@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 143960

> Please remove my address from your list.

You know, back in the days of the BBS, a couple of the systems (PCBoard for one) would display each user's information if you put something like (*HOMEPHONE*) in your message.

Of course, each user saw HIS OWN phone number, but almost every time you'd get at least a couple of outraged replies asking "How did you get my phone number?!?!?!?!" -- and the person would quote back the phone number, which you didn't have before, but they sent it to you!

6190. Bearcat 8500XLT Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: No@No.Com
Message-ID: <35ff3758.4748931@NEWS.EROLS.COM>
Source record: 143961

Does anyone know how to replace the backlights for the main display. All 4 bulbs burnt out. I tried to replace them with bulbs of similar voltage but they will not light. Anyone have any ideas? Thanks for any help you can provide.

6191. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <360330a8.1328652@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 143962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

> As for radar detectors being "burglar tools" thats taking things a bit far,
> don't you think?

You're not burgling anything, heh. It can even be argued that your intent is to use it to AVOID breaking the speed limit, because 99.999% of the cars that are stopped do not have detectors in them, and the vast majority of cars overall do not have them, yet they still catch speeders.

The thing is, if you get stopped, your insurance rates go up and you have to send your insurance company more money. If you don't get tickets, you send them a lesser amount of money, and they don't like you avoiding chances for them to raise your rates. It's not about safety at all. If the speed limit was 100, you'd have dorks going 100 mph or more. If it was 25 (on the same highway), you'd have dorks going 25 mph.

6192. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tneq0$m72@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143963

In <09980815164119.OUI44.talley@earthlink.net> talley@earthlink.net
(Richard Talley) writes:
>
>I've been looking at various options for monitoring Trunked Systems in
>the LA area and wondering if it's worth the effort. It looks like the
>LAPD is still using conventional single chanel equipment. A web site
>which lists trunked sysems has LA County using an Ericcson system.
Does
>anyone know if the Opto and Bearcat hardware will handle Ericcson???
>

if it's ERICCson...it's
not able to be
Trunktracked....

you got to listen to
the full spectrum on a scanner
and hope it makes sense.

Ericcson is rumored to be
ready to changing how their
computer handles freq's as
done now...after all it's
about four years old or more.

bill conduit
etc.

6193. Re: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tnetp$qs5@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143964

In <6tna97lic1@supernews.com> "David L Litz" <dlitz@wdn.com> writes:
>
>Does anybody no how to get the descriminating audio out of the
scanner? I
>would like to use it to decode some signaling.
>
>David
>
>
The CHEEK=guy knows....

see, his silence is audible
in the still of the plight....

your plight.

all right

out of sight

bill conduit
etc.

6194. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6tnia0ju0@207.18.224.128>
Source record: 143965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 14 Sep 1998 18:22:13 GMT, mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com (Mickey McInnis) wrote:

>You claim "They have stated...". Please clarify.
>
>Please cite Federal law or official statements of policy from the FCC.
>
Phil Kane, former Engineer in Charge, San Francisco office, FCC.

Stated while he was the EIC.

6195. What Is The PRO-90 Light Mod???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kallen@nospamrnet.com
Message-ID: <35FF4D12.C72BFB25@nospamrnet.com>
Source record: 143966

Could someone please fill me in on the PRO-90 light mod? I have a PRO-90 and have seen references to a light mod but don't know what it is or what it does.

I appreciate any info.

Please email me at:

kallen@rnet.com

6196. WTB/WTD for Opto Scout and R-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: crowef@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tnjb9$v2t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143967

Need a portable setup. If you've got a R-10 and a Scout and want a new toy
or just hard currency, tell me. Unblocked models only please.
Willing to trade or just buy...

crowef@hotmail.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6197. Re: FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tnr7i$8u4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143968

In article <19980915214145 00.RAA02061@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
pstringy@aol.com (PStringy) wrote:
> 400 channel handheld like new in box. $225 plus shipping.
>

If you knock a hundred bucks off your price, you'll be more
in the ballpark. Radio Shack was closing them out at around
$120 and there are still some to be found at that price and
that's for a new scanner with warranty.

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6198. Re: Lawndale CA Freqs Please!!??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <35FF6777.CCE418B0@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 143969
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Lawndale uses LASO for police services. Try 483.4375 Dispatch, 486.4375
mobile and 482.8875 L-Tac. They use LA County Fire for fire servives.
Try 470.5375 Dispatch, 470.4375 Tactical, Response 470.5625.

Hope that helps ... Good luck

Mike

Anonomoose wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> Does anyone know what the Lawndale California Police, Fire, Etc...
> Frequencies are???
>
> Thank you in advance!
>
> vtrop@gte.net

6199. Victorian Emergency Services Web Site - NEW PICS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <35ff72af.4043373@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 143970
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Victorias Emergency Services Web Site now contains info on not just
radio info but other things also. Please have a look and let me know
what you think about it and any ideas for things you would like to
see.

THIS SITE IS UNDER CONTRUCTION SO BE PATIENT!!!

There is also info on Victoria Polices' new F.L.I.R infra red camera.
ADDED WEDNESDAY 16th - Screen shots from and of the camera system

Look at http://members.xoom.com/RadioComms/emerg.htm

David

xxradiocomms@yahoo.com

Please Remove "xx" from beginning of E-mail for replies

6200. The frequency bookmark is born

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duez Samuel <McLeod1455@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <35FF913B.A388BF09@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143971

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The frequency bookmark is born
go to http://come.to/SamHomepage
This site is under Construction but about 50 pages are available.
sorted links to scanning ressources pages
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6201. Re: Are Radar Detectors "Burglar's Tools" or "Safety Devices?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hackman <hackman@hacked.net>
Message-ID: <35FF9CF5.6679669E@hacked.net>
Source record: 143972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch

Orca wrote:

> n7zzt@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> : It is interesting though. Many states have some regulations governing the use
> : of "radar detectors" but don't often post them (I have been through a few
> : states where this is the case).
>
> : As for radar detectors being "burglar tools" thats taking things a bit far,
> : don't you think?
>
> : Eric (N7ZZT)
>
> Well, some outdoor alarm systems do use RF microwaves [radar].
> Question is it in the band the detector covers.
>
> An aresol can can be used to detect light beams, so does that make it a
> burglar tool also ?
>

well..if you carry it around in a bag that also has a crow bar, lock picks,
flashlight and wire cutters in it, it might be.

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>

6202. Re: FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cathy De Viney <cdeviney@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <6to871$g5s$1@news.ipa.net>
Source record: 143973

Last I heard, they were $99.97; but hard to find.

CATHY

Radio Shack was closing them out at around
>$120 and there are still some to be found at that price and
>that's for a new scanner with warranty.
>
>/Sal
>
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion
==------
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member
Forum

6203. Re: Bill Cheek can use your help now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916075204.28942.00000023@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143974

>From: Mrchess@webtv.net (dave archer)

>Man are you wrong on that this is a nusury group the name should be
>change to Rec.scanner.nursery group
>
>born to be wild (thats my theam)

Well, based on your spelling ability and limited intellect, one would have to believe that you are still in kindergarten.

Born to be stupid should be your theme.

6204. FS/TRADE PRO-51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: m keller <k9dzd@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bde169$a7a0f080$0af11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 143975

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i have for sale a Radio Shack PRO-51
29-956 Mhz
price 130.00 shipped
might trade on 2 meter mobile or portable shortwave receiver
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
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6205. Re: prm80 30 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: prm8040@senet.com.au
Message-ID: <35ffad2c.1349751@news.senet.com.au>
Source record: 143976
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 18:43:36 +1000, Paul <paulsm@mailexcite.com>
wrote:

>Hi, I'm after the programming software for the philips prm80 30 series
>radio.
>Any help would be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>Paul.
>

Paul , any simoco dealer should be able to supply the software it
should be about $150 , i dont know where you are but if your in
adelaide try DJM Electronics at Kilburn..

6206. Interesting Adelaide freqs!! - repost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rev@newave.net.au
Message-ID: <35ffaea0.18751779@news.newave.net.au>
Source record: 143977
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Heres some interesting Adelaide AUSTRALIA frequencies:

473.975 Some taxi chat channel. Same regular users.

486.200 Used by security firm checking car dealers yards.

464.925 MYER CENTRE management Adelaide

131.600 Police air-ground

486.475 Transit police/Transadelaide supervisors

486.400 Chubb security

463.450 Royal Adelaide Hospital security

487.925 " " " " porters type staff

473.800 Adelaide Impressions Chaueffered Cars

473.650 Channel 7 .....not much though

489.500 Channel 9 " " "

154.575 Coast Guard

146.850 Amateur Repeater

147.000 " " " "

126.325 air - ground.......adel-kingscote

129.500 qantas air-ground

130.650 ansett " "

473.150 Adelaide Airport Operations

486.500 SA FM.......funny

411.750/412.100 St John Ambulance cadets local communications. Used
at sport events, Royal Show etc etc etc

418.100 AN Train Control....north to Pt Pirie etc

418.475 " " "

418.675 " " "

488.925/483.725 Suburban Taxi Voice base/car

484.550 Qantas operations Adelaide (local simplex)

463.600 Ansett operations Adelaide (repeater)

464.950 Qantas International (repeater)

134.500 Adelaide Airport ATIS.....weather, runway use etc

473.550 West Lakes Mall (repeater)

469.700 Westfield Kilkenny/Marion

485.600 Parking Inspectors Adelaide

463.575
464.225 Charles Sturt Council

487.325/488.850 Main RAA voice channels

6207. FS : Radio Shack Pro- 90 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <360152e2.307470@news>
Source record: 143779
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This scanner has been SOLD, thanks to all who responded..

Dan

6208. FS: Bearcat 760 XLT with PL board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: fsmoyer@sgi.net
Message-ID: <36016A54.5580@sgi.net>
Source record: 143780

For Sale

BC 760 XLT with PL decode board
around 1 yr old

Would trade for Relm MS2000

works great asking 150 US dollars

Reply via email
Frank Smoyer
fsmoyer@sgi.net

6209. Re: packet on CB...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6trs4l$9km$3@supernews.com>
Source record: 143781

In article <19980917140601.14997.00000668@ng31.aol.com>, teal9425@aol.com (Teal9425) wrote:
>
>what is packet radio?

It's communicatiing digitally using a computer. The radio is hooked up to a TNC, or Terminal Node Controller. This small box converts analog signals to digital and visa-versa. Mainly used in Ham radio.

Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

6210. Re: Grand Rapids Michigan Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: forrest@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36027677.36745563@news1.iserv.net>
Source record: 143782

On 17 Sep 1998 17:51:49 GMT, dep3177@aol.com (DEP3177) wrote:
>Can someone help me with frequencies for the Grand Rapids Michigan area.

try this link.
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/localfrqs/michigan/grandrapids.frq

Better than a smart ass answer anyday - dont you agree?

6211. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "@ndre" <akctd@telekabel.nl>
Message-ID: <6truu3$5n7@news3.euro.net>
Source record: 143783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

"Normal terrestial TV is AM , but Satellite is Wide FM video, with some
narrow FM audio carriers.

Also ICOM has a Option module to hook on to the IF out of the
R7000 to receive Video and Audio broadcast.

grtz @ndr&#65533;

CommQuart heeft geschreven in bericht
<6thv5pbda1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>TV video is AM, not FM.
>
>Pathagarus wrote in message <35FAB5EA.7DF84B3@erols.com>...
>>TV is broadcast in "Wide Band FM".
>>
>>mrFSK wrote:
>>
>>> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode

6212. Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgreenli@NoSpam#Please.vr-net.com
Message-ID: <36018000.7384530@news.coho.net>
Source record: 143784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I went to this WEB page and the download has been removed. It said
something about nobody sending him any money. I think it has to do
with the $50 price tag and $15 shipping cost. I mean come on $65 for
a program I cant check out first. Who does he think he is Bill Gates?
;-) Has anybody tried this program? Is it worth the money?

Thanks,
Tom

On Sun, 13 Sep 1998 21:17:21 GMT, in alt.radio.scanner you wrote:

>
> It's now HERE!!
> Pro-Turbo
>
> Now Updated to do even more!
<SNIP>
> So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
>program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>
>

6213. WHERE'S WOGER WACKO?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917214400.RAA03052@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143785

Just logged on and...to my surprise...there are NO insulting, degrading, libelous, or moronic messages from Woger Wacko today.

Hmmm...it's so unlike him to not spend several hours a day on here posting garbage...especially during WORKING HOURS.

You don't suppose AOL cut his access? Or perhaps his employer learned of his shenanigans?

Bye, bye, Woger Wacko!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6214. Re: Bearcat 350 in Need of Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ts0ij$if8@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143786

In <19980916192845.13520.00000285@ng10.aol.com> bpowell632@aol.com (BPowell632) writes:
>
>
>George wrote:>I have a Bearcat 350 which will not scan when it's turned on--It
>appears
>>to be "Locked up" and will do nothing!!
>>
>>Does anyone have any ideas on where to get it repaired---It's about 15
>>years old, and I would like to put it back in operation without too much
>>hassle--thanks!!
>
>Uniden has a flat fee for factory repair it used to be $80 check with a local
>dealer on how to reach them. Warning the fee applies wether or not they are
>able to fix your radio!
>
> BP

just got my mr8100 back from
them...took three months to get
it back.

sent a check with order for prepayment
mail it back right after fix.

after awhile get a post card saying
delivery date would be Aug 8, 1998.

seems they sent the unit on July 28 and
no one around to pay the COD fee...
"COD FEE" you yell. Yes. They
sent it that way after I sent them
a check. Go Figure. wanted to
eliminate the COD hassles.

It was sent back. Called. They have
no record of a check. No check
cashed, so far.

Get this: I ask "when will I get it
sent me?"

This was on Aug 4, 1998. She says
it will go out on Sept. 15, 1998.

What?

Just turn it around and rehip. I say.

She says it has to be fixed first and it will
take that long to fix.

I tell her: "excuse me but it's been fixed".

She says: "i'll put you on hold"

six minutes she comes back...lucky I'm only
paying .10 per minute. from Calif.

she continues: "someone forgot to put a tag
on it to reship. A form has to be filled in
and i'll do it now"....etc.

I got the unit on Tues.

Three months.

They seem to lose things very easy at Uniden.

the fee: 49.95 flat rate for scanner...total
54.95 including shipment back.

where did you get this 80 buck rate?

bill conduit
etc.

6215. FS : RS Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6ts107hvo1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

$300 Firm. Box and Manual included.

6216. FS: Opto Xplorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6ts1dd$if8$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

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Unit is in as new condition, Hardly used at all. $650
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6217. Re: Detroit Dispositon Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6ts6r6alk1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143789

am monitoring MDTs

Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com> wrote in message 35F63E14.78502EE@mich.com...
>Are you monitoring the MDTs, or are you just curious about the couple MDT
>disposition codes they sometimes mention over voice-radio, such as AFR
(Alarm
>False, Residence), NPF (No Problem Found), FLT (Flat Tire), etc?
>
>XFile112 wrote:
>
>> Hi! Does anyone happen to know the disposition codes for the Detroit
Police
>> Department? Any help would be greatly appreciated..Thanx
>> Brad
>> XFile112@aol.com
>
>
>
>--
>Tim Tyler
>ttyler@mich.com
>http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/
>
>

6218. Re: please take me off your mail list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith A Monahan <kamst39+@pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <3601074D.13B8@pitt.edu>
Source record: 143790

Hahahaha. It's been some time since Ive seen that. I remember writing
MOTD's which read

Hi, my name is <$variableforusersname> and Im a homosexual. Please call
me at <$variableforusers#>.
You can visit me at <$usersaddress>.

Hell, people used to flip out.

hahaha.

Thanks for reminding me.

Keith

D. P. Roberts wrote:
>
> > Please remove my address from your list.
>
> You know, back in the days of the BBS, a couple of the systems
> (PCBoard for one) would display each user's information if you put
> something like (*HOMEPHONE*) in your message.
>
> Of course, each user saw HIS OWN phone number, but almost every time
> you'd get at least a couple of outraged replies asking "How did you
> get my phone number?!?!?!?!" -- and the person would quote back the
> phone number, which you didn't have before, but they sent it to you!

6219. Re: RS2005 Scannner $300 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <xxtimkelly@axion.net>
Message-ID: <6ts9u8$8qf$1@amanita.axion.net>
Source record: 143791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

OOPS, sorry I forgot. Please reply to timkelly@axion.net

Tim

VE7SEZ wrote in message <6tq92f$qp6$1@amanita.axion.net>...
>Condx is excellent, only a couple small nicks in case, no wear, hardly
used.
>Full rx enabled, no other mods. No box or manual, but I have printed the
>instruction set from Tandy's support site. 300 USD shipped Conus or
>Canada.Trading references upon request.
>
>Regards,
>
>Tim VE7SEZ
>
>

6220. FS(Canada)DrakeReciever/Scanner (Pic's)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <3601bf65.0@carrera>
Source record: 143792
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Selling two radios c/w pic's on my web page
Drake SW8 $625 CDN or $425 US funds
BC800XLT Base Scanner $150 CDN or $100 US funds.
More info on my web page plus pic's to see conditon,go to my web page scroll down to radio/diecast page
http://www.intergate.bc.ca/56panel/
Langley BC(Vancouver area)

6221. Racing Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim & Wendy Ray <jpray@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3601C2C1.678DF29A@swbell.net>
Source record: 143793

I've spent an hour or so looking for a free source of scanner radio frequencies for racing series. In particular, SCCA's Trans Am, and CART's Indy car series. Would appreciate it if anyone could give me a lead where to find a list. Thanks for the help.

Jim

6222. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3601D157.E5C86563@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Len G. Carpenter wrote:

> Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
> or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
> just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
> person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
> and nothing has showen up yet.
> $50 is not allot of money for a program that will run under
> windows and let you still use your computer, I am running a P100 and
> doing a search and store at the same time and am running about 25% on
> the CPU usage, try that with the DOS version. What did you pay for
> your interface in the first place $300? And you really need a second
> computer to use the thing because under windows it uses 100% of the
> cpu and that is about all you can do with it
> >> So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
> >>program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
> >>
> >>

Whoa Whoa!!! Jeez. I shoulda dropped ya guys an "Attaboy" for that program. I'm *very* interested in that application. I was all over your web page a couple of times checking out that slick interface. But I didn't have the right scanner *or* the interface.

I ended up discussing this with Bill Cheek and he set me up with a sweet deal on a well stored and little used Pro-2006. He personally checked these units out, (He's seriously into scanners, ya know; Prez of COMMtronics and World Scanner Report, authored three books on scanners and modifications, contributor to the "Monitoring Times", the guy knows what he's doing.)

The scanner arrived Tuesday and it's a joy to behold. I didn't think I was ever gonna get my paws on a decent one of these. Bill Cheek delivers. (It's playin' right now! Can y'all hear it?)

Which brings me to another point: Anyone know what a used Pro-2032 in great condition (bright backlight, with original box, and brand new "screw-in" telescoping antenna) is fetching? Pricewise that is? Seems I have one to unload.

Next is the interface. And If that software works as advertised, you got my fifty bucks. It's just gonna take me a while to get the interface together. But that's where I'm heading with this unit. When I get the hardware interface together, I'll be talking to y'all for the software. That's an attractive application you got there.

6223. Modify a Pro 64?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonomoose <nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6tsl0m$70f$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?

Thank you very much in advance for your reply.

vtrop@gte.net

6224. Re: DES encryption question .WAV file attached (sorry!!) - cusrkey.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya023180001709982248570001@nntp.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 143796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <36013495.78164563@reallyfake.gov>, someone.who.cares@gov.net wrote:

> How can DES encryption employed by customs and other gov entities be
> secure from hackers and other evil empires around the world when using
> the off-the-air rekey sequence? Listen to the wav and tell me how
> everything you need isn't in there!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I've taken
> measures to stay anonymous because with the ECPA this file might be
> rouge or something....!

Everything you need isn't there....The over-the-air rekey information is
encrypted by another key that is only used to encrypt keys for over-the-air
rekey. Unless you know the "shadow key" you won't be able to decrypt and
load the "traffic key."

If it wasn't secure you can be certain that nobody, much less Customs,
would have ever bought the product.

--
John Gilbert
johng@comm.mot.com

6225. Re: Racing Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6tskjikdp1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 143797

This site is for the CART frequencies for the Texaco Grand Prix in Houston.
http://hometown.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/attractions/cart/cart.html

Jim & Wendy Ray wrote in message <3601C2C1.678DF29A@swbell.net>...
>I've spent an hour or so looking for a free source of scanner radio
>frequencies for racing series. In particular, SCCA's Trans Am, and
>CART's Indy car series. Would appreciate it if anyone could give me a
>lead where to find a list. Thanks for the help.
>
>Jim
>

6226. Trade C558A HT for AOR 8k, Icom R-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zanzibar Gordon <keine@vapours.com>
Message-ID: <3601F8A9.3500@vapours.com>
Source record: 143798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Fellow Radio People:

Will trade Standard C558A HT for Icom R-10 or AOR 8000. (unblocked ONLY.)

Standard C558A:
144-148mhz FM Transmit
438-444.999mhz FM Transmit
100-200mhz AM/FM Recieve
400-500mhz FM Recieve
800-900mhz FM Recieve
CTCSS, DTMF, 200 memories, dual vfo's, SMALL!

With rapid desktop charger, manual, 2 antennas, no box. In VGC,
I just lost interest in 2m/70cm.

Please do not contact me via email, this is not my account.

I can be reached at 414.423.9001

Nate.

6227. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike 'Iyceman' Marroquin <iyceman@mail.softcom.net>
Message-ID: <3601E4C3.B6977FF9@mail.softcom.net>
Source record: 143799

It is unfortunate for you. I have heard nothing but BAD things about that paticular model scanner. You should get your money back if you can.

jerry r wrote:

> I programmed 8 freqs between 856-860 mhz. Are is NYC. I have activity on
> all theses channels, but never hear anything in trunk mode. Nor do I
> "see" any codes. Antenna is external and manually these channels are ok.

6228. radio mounting in 98 Chevy Blazer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <6tsqbj$5ta@news.snowcrest.net>
Source record: 143800
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm about to purchase a 98 Chevy Blazer 4Dr with front bucket seats. Any suggestions on how best to mount a couple mobile radios (2m ham, scanner, maybe a CB)...want them within reach, but not too visible to would-be radio thieves. Commercial brackets? Under dash? Facing up between seats? Or??

Thanks.

******
Harry Marnell, N6URU
marnells@snowcrest.net

"With email and the Internet it is now possible to get huge amounts of erroneous information in milliseconds"

6229. Re: LF: TCI cable - Ship Bottom NJ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rob7732@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916202027.22787.00000670@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 143801

Thats all nice, but what are they using at the MOMENT? They have some very nice vertex mobiles in the trucks and look like UHF antennas, anyone have any info?

6230. Re: Need Tinker AFB Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916234316.08047.00000410@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 143802

To join MilCom, the military monitoring e-mail listserver,:

Send an e-mail message to: majordomo@qth.net
In the subject put: milcom
In the text area put: subscribe milcom

That's all there is to it. You should start receiving messages within a few hours.
To post a message to the list members address it to milcom@qth.net
We have members all over the country, in Europe and Japan.
For help finding frequencies in your area just post a message stating your location
and requesting frequency help and you should get some answers.

John Ward

6231. Re: Sony scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcmdemp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980916232737.02686.00000471@ng142.aol.com>
Source record: 143803

>
>Has anyone heard of this scanner and do you know how to get it to work?

Yes i bought one of those and there is a recall for all models recently
produced, it was found that none worked. I'd return it!
-jc()()

6232. Re: BC3000 DC Power Cord

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: p35hp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918172700.NAA05489@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143804

In article <36003bd7.0@news1.annapolis.net>, abrock@annapolis.net (Adam Brock) writes:

>The AC power supply that comes with the BC3000 is a "trickle" type power
>supply (450mA).
>
>

The only negatives I have with my UBC3000 are the Uniden battery pack vs just "AA"s and the absence of a seperate power port that just runs the radio without overcharging said battery pack (like the PRO- 26). What we are talking about here is a DC pwr cord running a fully charged battery pack from 12 volts. Will it overcharge the battery pack if the radio is on? Unlike the BC3000, the UBC3000 came with neither AC recharger nor DC cigar lighter pwr. cord. Jim

6233. Re: bos-control, poc32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ##aheely##@##downcity##.net
Message-ID: <36005c2e.37451001@news.downcity.net>
Source record: 143830

I don't generally post serial numbers but the asshole that wrote POC32
pissed me off by disabling the freeware version when you run the trial
of the one he is trying to sell.

POC32 v.2.03/2.05 Name: LOMAX Code: 1CTYNZU1C6SADS

On Sat, 12 Sep 1998 01:04:56 -0700, CoJack <kaffekuchen@cityweb.de>
wrote:

>Hello !
>
>My name is Clemens. I can not so good english...sorry
>I seach the program ï¿½ï¿½bos-controlï¿½ï¿½ and the registrier passwort for the
>program ï¿½ï¿½poc32ï¿½ï¿½.
>Can yuo help me ??
>
>Wenn yes, send me a mail or give me a wwwdownload-site.
>Send the mail to kaffekuchen@cityweb.de
>
>thank you
>Clemens T.
>
>P.S.: sorry my grammatik ;-))

6234. Re: Bearcat 350 in Need of Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tpphb$3fa@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143831

In <36004180.2D8D@earthlink.net> George Joslyn <grj2@earthlink.net>
writes:
>
>I have a Bearcat 350 which will not scan when it's turned on--It
appears
>to be "Locked up" and will do nothing!!
>
>George Joslyn
>grj2@earthlink.net

it heard about what happened
to the check guy

it's on strike. smart scanner.

bill could have helped

now just silence

no answers

just pathos

scanners piling up

awaiting the call

bill conduit
etc.

6235. FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulegan@interlog.com
Message-ID: <36007f9a.83165@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 143832

100Khz to 2Ghz
Medium wave, Short wave, VHF, UHF.
All in one Handheld
WFM, NFM, AM, USB, LSB, CW
1200 Memories
Battery and Charger
Manual and strap

Mint Condition

$300 US firm

email: paulegan@interlog.com

6236. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3600821b.3944600@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143833

I won't go on about the rest of the stuff you ask about as it
has been answered very well. But the keyboard in the 2004 is about
the best thing going, I bought my 2004 about 6 to 12 months after it
was released and my keyboard is working fine, I could be wrong but I
thing the switches are better than some of the ones in the newer
scanners.

On 16 Sep 1998 17:12:51 GMT, leigh@rain.org (Leigh Marrin/KM6JE)
wrote:

>I recently picked up a PRO-2004 scanner for a mere $100. Following are
>several questions:
>
>--The display is dim, and pressing the "dimmer" switch has no effect. Any
>suggestions on where to start trouble-shooting? I hope it's not the LCD
>display itself going bad, as I suppose that's now unreplaceable, right?
>
>--Mine is missing the antenna. (I'm using a 2 meter telescoping half-wave
>whip on it currently.) What did the original antenna look like that it
>originally came with?
>
>--I found the cell mod; looks easy. I also found in the same file a mod
>to up the number of channels from 300 to 400, and increase the scanning
>speed by adding two diodes. Do these latter two mods work well? If so, I
>wonder why the 2004 was made without these easy-to-add features.
>
>--Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be
>close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts without
>replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.
>
>All in all, an excellent scanner for the mere $100 I paid for it. I also
>have a PRO-2005, and the older 2004 actually has better audio than the
>internal speaker of the 2005. (More bass; less tinny.)
>
>Thanks in advance. --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE in Santa Barbara.
>

6237. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6tq325qhp0@207.18.224.64>
Source record: 143834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 16 Sep 1998 16:41:59 GMT, mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com (Mickey McInnis) wrote:

>That's an example or interpretation, not what the rule says. Do you
>have any citations of Federal law or official FCC policy to back up this
>interpretation?

Exactly. It is how the FCC interpets the rule.

Bottom line is, do YOU want to be the test case? Fine. Do it. Don't

tell other people that it is legal, until you finish the case.

6238. Re: RS Pro-2040 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobpriv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917001521.19855.00000452@ng109.aol.com>
Source record: 143835

I also have the R/S Pro-2040 which I bought locally at a R/S store for $79.

I have a R/S/ Pro-43 handheld scanner that blows thw Pro2040 away in the 800 MHz area. Of course, the Pro-43 is quite good at 800 MHz - still the Pro2040 if O.K., but does not impress at 800 MHz in my opinion.

6239. Re: Sony scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mklitzing@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917014322.20160.00000409@ng17.aol.com>
Source record: 143836

never heard of a sony scanner, maybe the tech spot on there web page might help. if not try calling them.

6240. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nickle911@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917014858.21207.00000460@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 143837

Sounds good price due you still have it.Phil

6241. Re: FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ali Mehrabi <mehrabi@watervalley.net>
Message-ID: <3600C61B.627B@watervalley.net>
Source record: 143838

PStringy wrote:
>
> 400 channel handheld like new in box. $225 plus shipping.

Radio Shack just cleared this scanner for $99. Is this a rip off or
what?

Ali

6242. How to tune AR-1000 scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ali Mehrabi <mehrabi@watervalley.net>
Message-ID: <3600C762.CBF@watervalley.net>
Source record: 143839

I have a AOR AR-1000 scanner which requires tunning. The display is around 15kHz off. Does anyone have the procedure on how to tune this scanner? I would really appreciate any help on this. Thanks,

Regards,
Ali

6243. SABER RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: shanebarnes@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tqe7d$6qg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143840

FOR SALE UHF 12 CHANNEL SABER"I" PORTABLE RADIO BAND SPLIT 445-470. TRANSMITS AND RECEIVES WELL. NEW BATTERY,. "NO CHARGER" $200.00 PLUS $8.00 SHIPPING.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6244. Re: FS Pro 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tqai1$1pp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143841

In article <6to871$g5s$1@news.ipa.net>,
"Cathy De Viney" <cdeviney@ipa.net> wrote:
> Last I heard, they were $99.97; but hard to find.
>
> CATHY
>
> Radio Shack was closing them out at around
> >$120 and there are still some to be found at that price and
> >that's for a new scanner with warranty.
> >
> >/Sal
> >

They're closing out the old magnet mount mobile scanner antenna
(20-012) too for $9.97. I bought two of them. I love it when
Radio Shack closes stuff out :)

/Sal

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6245. Re: Antenna Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgambino@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6tqcqd$4ct$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143842

In article <slrn6vvr92.8ue.stevek@spheara.horizonlive.com>,
stevek@SteveK.COM wrote:
> I have a couple of questions about antennas, and any help or pointers to
> other sources would be greatly appreciated:
>
> I have a BC235, and although I got it so that I could be able to listen
> to 800Mhz trunked systems, I'm also interested in monitoring local
> railroad communications. The railroads of interest (LIRR, NYCTA) all
> operate on about 160MHZ (FRA frequency range).
>
> I've found that my reception quality has been less than what I expected
> (If I'm sitting next to an operating cab, I hear the RR radio picking up
> things on the same channel clearly that are unintelligable on my set).
> and I'd like to improve it. I've already gotten myself the Radio Shack
> Whip (20-006?) with the loading coil, and follow their instructions for
> tuning it (keep the top 4 sections only extended).
>
> I've also noticed that the LIRR railcar radio sets all use a strange
> looking antenna mounted on the roof of the cars -- it is about 1" wide,
> 3" high, and about a foot long. It is shaped something like a C-clamp,
> although it may be attached at the other side (not sure):
>
> XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
> XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
> XXXXXXXXXX XXXX
> XXXXXXXXXX XX
> XXXXXXXXXX XXXX
> XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
> XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
> XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

>
> 3) It seems to me that the only types of antennae that naturally
> present a 50ohm impedance are 1/4 wavelength whips,
> right? Even if some other kind of antenna has better
> recepetion wouldn't you lose a lot of signal, even with
> a matching transformer?
>
> Thanks for any insight -- I'm pretty new to this..
>

My best guess would be that the antenna on the train is directional
and is oriented to the front and rear of the train. Try getting
further away and up or down the track a ways. The radio shack
telescoping whip is a good antenna and much better than the rubber
duck that comes with portables. I usually just extend mine all
the way and don't bother trying to adjust it for different bands.
The portables that the train crews use just have the rubber ducks
so your antenna is better than what they're using. You might try
using a magnet mount mobile antenna. Radio shack is closing out their
20-012 at $9.97 which is a steal *if* you can find one.

/Sal

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6246. Re: FS: Motorola GP-68 VHF HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <3600AE11.E03B2768@mich.com>
Source record: 143843

So, why would someone want to use a (gray-market) GP-68 as a scanner?

Or are you just spamming out your commercial to any newsgroup that
has anything to do with radio communications?

--
Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

6247. Need Info on Montgomery Wards #835

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dxer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917025257.29858.00000461@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 143844

A friend of mine has as an old Mongomery Wards scanner model #835 that was built by Undien/Bearcat. He needs to know where he can get a schematic for this scanner. Or possibly the Uniden/Bearcat model number for this radio.
Does SAMS have a web page that anyone knows of ?

Thank You
Craig
DXer@aol.com

6248. Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6tqcer$l7f@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Archive-name: radio/personal-intro

This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb, rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ, (jeffreyh@hawaii.edu), or Paul Schleck, K3FU, pschleck@novia.net.

This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.

History
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Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio. The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.

Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process, developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one hierarchy.

The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net, and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.

Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists that don't have newsgroups.

The Current Groups
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It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them, and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing, don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.

The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any message that's not more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.

The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.

The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups, especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions. There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there. To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're out of luck.

The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules, regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.

The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens' Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams and CBers - and very few topics are.

The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL

bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the group is rec-radio-info@stat.com. Inquires and other administrivia should be directed to rec-radio-info-request@stat.com. For more information about rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are regularly posted to that newsgroup.

The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications. Each of these subgroups has its own charter and FAQ; please refer to the archives to find these documents.

Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions on how to use the mail server.

All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way, change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.

Mailing Lists

In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio, and discussion is focused on just those areas.

The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio. To join, send email with the word "subscribe" on a line by itself to cq-contest-request@tgv.com.

The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to

dx-request@unbc.edu.

There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.

The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.

The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write: subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire index.

The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military, and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to: listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors

For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology, there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to:
majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>

The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.

Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the complete index.

For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves; that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list. Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the person maintaining the mailing list.

A Few Words on Crossposting
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Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers of this article.

One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please cross-post as appropriate.

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Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ
jeffreyh@hawaii.edu

6249. Re: Frequencies for the Portland area MAX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: cozyoak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917033042.17894.00000465@ng111.aol.com>
Source record: 143846

Hi Scott, I don't know if anyone has responded to your request for MAX frequency's, but I have to ask you first. Do you have a trunktracker scanning radio? You will need this to receive the MAX frequencys. If you need to know more let me know.

Jim Peters
cozyoak@aol.com
Portland, Oregon

6250. Re: DROP the Bill Cheek i

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beaker <beaker@beaker.com>
Message-ID: <6tqh4m$7kb@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 143847

Bill and John are the only interesting things about scanning... sheesh

Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com> wrote in message
35F9DADB.770D52F3@home.com...
>I admit that I don't know the issues about Bill Cheek (this time) as I
>have been away from the list for 3 years. When I was on the list then
>you were bashing this guy..............give it a REST. This is as bad
>as a "virus warning".
>
>Joe Nicholson wrote:
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>> From: meriadoc@my-dejanews.com
>>
>> > ka0ssf@parg.org wrote:
>> > This is all getting quite old, please drop it for the good of this NG.
>>
>> Me> Too bad for you, you starteds the subject so you can't just make
>> Me> people stop. You are not the one to decide whayt is for the good of
>> Me> this NG. At first I didn't think you were stupid and aliar like
>> Me> everybody says you are but now i see that they weere right. I pity
you,
>> Me> you are a sick man, Mr. Mackey. Merry
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>> john "diarrhea mouth" mackey is a L I A R
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>> Date: 2:27 am Sun Aug 2, 1998 Number : 964 of 1000
>> From: Brenda Donovan Base : NET202 SYSOP
>> To : Joe Nicholson Refer #: None
>> Subj: Hello Replies: None
>> Stat: Sent Origin : 01 Aug 98 21:57:06
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>> > You got that right. <g> "HE" left just about a year ago.
>>
>> > Nowadays the Portland Psycho is spreading stories about

>> > him getting booted from Fido.
>>
>> which is totally false... amazing how misinformation takes on such
surety, eh?
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>> :)
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>> --
>> |WarpGate: Joe Nicholson 1:202/777
>> |Internet: Joe.Nicholson.@f777.n202.z1.warpgate.com
>> | The WarpGate Network Internet Gateway El Cajon, CA.

6251. Re: AOR8200: What's the Fuss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: edwin@cs.uu.nl
Message-ID: <6tqm5b$hg9$1@krant.cs.uu.nl>
Source record: 143848

In <19980916134033.21125.00000340@ng92.aol.com> malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) writes:

| unrepentant button pusher, but after reading the product sheets, a couple of
| reviews and talking to people who really know their stuff, I wouldn't touch
| an AOR8200 for any reason. Given the choice, I would stick with my Yupiteru
| MVT-9000 for overall performance;

I'm in doubt too, trying to choose between MVT-9000 and AOR-8200. I own and
have owned a few other Yupiteru scanners and have been very pleased with them.

One reason to go for the AOR is because it implements the eight-and-a-third
kHz shift on the VHF aviation band. The MVT-9000 doesn't (of course, other
steps come close, but you'll be running off when searching the band).

What's wisdom here? Is there a successor of the MVT-9000 on the horizon?

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Edwin H. Kremer, systems- and network administrator. <edwin@cs.uu.nl>
Dept. of Computer Science, Utrecht University, The Netherlands [WHOIS: ehk3]
---------- http://www.cs.uu.nl/people/edwin/ ----------

6252. An open letter to AOR-USA Vice President Nakayama

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neal Fildes <fildes@att.com>
Message-ID: <6tqt48$6ai@newsb.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 143849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

re: the recent email from your vice president (below):
I would like to know, as an ar8000 owner who would be considering the purchase of an ar8200, how one can
see this 'quality improvement' process at work in the prior product, namely, the AR8000. I would like some
indication as to how this "improvement process" caused later manufactured product to be any better with regard to the following
symptoms:

1) lcd display window scratches very easily
2) markings quickly wear off the keypad, especially the bottom row/bottom half of key
3) hundreds of 'wandering birdies' that make the scanner stop on channels that actually don't have a signal present
4) holes for screws in side of case are so close to edge of plastic that a drop or two cracks the plastic
5) grey color of case quickly wears off to yield mixed black and grey color
6) after spinning the tuning dial 3 clicks in one direction, the scanner can still be back on the same frequency it started on
7) the famous 'sputtering squelch' problem
8) receiving pager signals where they are not, cell phone calls where public safety should be, and the whole
800mhz band repeated up in the 1500 mhz range

A company's honor is based on its actions more than its words, and I would like some information about Actions supports your Words!

thanks for listening
Sincerely,

Neal R. Fildes

**** EMAIL FROM YOUR VICE PRESIDENT: ****

from Takashi "Taka" Nakayama, Vice President of AOR USA, who wishes to clarify his posting on September 2:
Dear Rich,

I'd like to inform you about the US version of the AR8200 (AR8200B).

After I sent you an e-mail responding to yours, I have noticed that my comments seem to cause a misunderstanding among owners of the AR8200 in the UK. Therefore, I would like to correct my statement.

Due to my improper expression, some UK customers may feel that UK version of the AR8200 has poor design. Needless to say, it is not true. The point I

want to mention is that at AOR, we are continuing to improve our products day after day, and newer production of the AR8200 will be improved.

Since no perfect receiver exixts, we need to improve our products. That's why I mentioned that newer production will be improved.

I hope you'll understand the point and this will clarify the misunderstanding. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thank you,
Taka Nakayama

6253. Re: Sony scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6tqth0$lf5$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 143850

Does the manual not cover the computer controle? That seems odd.

Rich wrote in message <360058C3.4F0B4811@scanner.guy>...
>Hi;
>I just got a new Sony WAVEHAWK hand held scanner. The model is ICF-SC1PC
and
>your supposed to be able to program it through your computer,
>
>Has anyone heard of this scanner and do you know how to get it to work?
>
>Any information would be greatly appreciated.
>
>THANKS........ RICH

6254. Descrambling Speech Inversion Schemes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917081705.10678.00000462@ng121.aol.com>
Source record: 143851

Speech Inversion is accomplished by mixing the speech spectrum
(typically 300-3000 Hz) with a tone (commonly 3500 Hz) to produce some
audio frequencies (3800-6500 Hz) then filtering to 3200-500 Hz
constituting the speech inversion.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion
Descramblers/Service Manuals/Signal Meters</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

6255. Re: Border Patrol or customs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: watnny@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917082352.21127.00000843@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143852

try 163.625 for US Border Patrol and 165.2375 (or 165.235 if your radio won't do the 4th digit after the decimal) for US Customs.

Mike

6256. packet on CB...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: micro94099@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917083126.17388.00000263@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 143853

Hey, if anyone is interested in getting into packet radio using their
CB radio drop me a line...I can answer your questions...

micro94099@aol.com

6257. Re: BC3000 BATTERY (Need)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6tr2l1$2vb$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143854

Adam Brock wrote:
>
> Need a cheap/good place to get a BC3000 battery pack...

IF you want something GOOD you don't use the word CHEAP.....jerr

6258. Re: FS: BC3000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: khanawalt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917100241.10988.00000422@ng22.aol.com>
Source record: 143855

>FOR SALE!! BC3000XLT 400 CHANNEL SCANNER.

>used 1 year - no damage at all works perfect - $230 + 10 shipping = $240

>Scanner sells for $339-$400 us dollars in scanner mags.

That is if you want the blocked version. You can get the overseas unblocked BC3000XLT new from Bandercom for $269 U.S. and from Javiation for $285 U.S. including shipping.

You do lose the Weather channel button, however.

Ken

6259. FS: BK Precision Scope 1541 40MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@NOSPAMcouples.org
Message-ID: <scott-1709981014340001@1cust122.tnt9.atl2.da.uu.net>
Source record: 143856
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE

BK Precision Oscilloscope Model 1541, 40 MHz, No reasonable offer refused.
Scope and power cord ONLY. No manuals, leads, etc.

MC/Visa/AMEX only. Sorry, NO COD's, PO's, or checks. Prepaid certified funds OK.

Scott Coats
Innovative Data Solutions

6260. help: I need a scanner frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: itm123@usa.net
Message-ID: <6tr7mo$hs4$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143857

If someone could provide me with the frequency for the
Prince Georges county Maryland Animal control (P.G. county)
I would appreciate it.

I lost my dog about 2 months ago, and I'd like to monitor it incase
there is any descriptions for a dog like mine.

We've contacted every place we could, and put up flyiers of course,
checked various dogs which weren't ours. note: if you find a lost dog,
and can't foster it a home, please make sure you turn over to a animal
control facility that has a no kill policy. There are usually a few
animal shelters in the area. Try www.spca.org.

I've searched the web, deja news, and my old file archives, but I
can't seem to find the frequency. If you have one of those frequency
databases, I would greatly appreciate your help.

I guess I will go to a bookstore or radioshack and look it up,
hopefully I can find that.

Thanks for your time/help!

Daniel.

emial: itm@netkonnect.net
plz cc: itm123@usa.net

6261. Web Page For Iowa Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Grams <egrams@iastate.edu>
Message-ID: <3601293E.A3AB740D@iastate.edu>
Source record: 143858
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have set up a web page containing many frequencies for the state of Iowa. This includes trunktracker id's for the trunked systems in Central Iowa, mostly in the Ames area. I'm continuously updating and changing this page and, as I get more information and time, will be putting more information on here. I have a good start, but I'm still in the process of adding frequencies for a wider area of Iowa. If you live in Iowa, this page is a must see.
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~egrams/homepage.html

6262. Re: Antenna Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Raymond <tss@ma.ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bde251$ecfeecc0$6a4006d1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143859

Hi Steve: the whip ant. on your scanner is a compromise ant. and is not
very efficient at the freq. range that you desire. an outside type ant.
with the proper freq. range is nessasary for what you want to do, such as a
RAD SHACK Discone type ant. with a rangge from say 28 MHz. to 1.3 GHz.
Also bear in mind that most of the signals you are intercepting have line
of sight propagation so the higher your ant. is the better you will receive
those signals. also type of feed line is important at freq. above 100 MHz.
signal loss per foot becomes greater as you increase in freq.
Railroad communication is generally directional, towards the front and
back of the train. hope this of some help.
Ken Raymond
KA1UBH
tss@ma.ultranet.com

Steve Kann <stevek@io360.com>
>

6263. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6trbj5lhr1@carroll.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 143860

Richard Talley (talley@earthlink.net) wrote:
: I've been looking at various options for monitoring Trunked Systems in
: the LA area and wondering if it's worth the effort. It looks like the
: LAPD is still using conventional single chanel equipment. A web site
: which lists trunked sysems has LA County using an Ericcson system. Does
: anyone know if the Opto and Bearcat hardware will handle Ericcson???

LAPD is still using conventional repeaters, but their radios are
trunking capable. At one time, it was proposed to use conventional
repeaters for dispatching and a trunked system for other comms, but
it didn't/hasn't happened (there were some rather serious time
constraints for getting the 484MHz system on the air, and one
suspects that they just ran out of time to seriously examine the
trunking option).

LA City and LA County both run Ericcson trunks up in the 866-869
range for non-public safety operations. The current crop of Bearcat/RS
scanners will not do Ericcson, and I'm rather certain that Opto won't
either. There are some PC-based systems that do Ericcson (eg. Trunker)
but I think that's it.

The Bearcat/RS scanners only do trunk tracking in the 800 MHz
range, and they only handle Motorola trunks. In my part of LA,
much to my suprise - there aren't that many trunked systems to
listen to! UCLA has one (relatively short range), Getty Center,
Caltrans (just out of range for me, but I occasionally catch it's
data signal), Anheuser Busch (they DES everything), and a system
located in Sherman Oaks that never has any traffic on it - that's
about all I'm really aware of, directly (Signal Hill apparently
has an 800Mhz trunk, but I can't hear it out here). There are
some significant systems at 900MHZ (eg. LADWP) - but the BC/RS
scanners won't track 'em. If LAPD adopts some form of trunking
at 484MHZ, they won't track them either...

Opto will do Motorola (and Johnson?) in any band, as it relies
on handshake signals rather than the trunk controller. It can
scan several trunked systems at a time, and even mix trunked and
conventional scanning. There is one *minor* bugaboo - sort of
an ambiguity in TG decoding that the Opto system is vunerable to,
but you'll never see it on the vast majority of systems out there.

AFAIK, there are PC-based solutions for Moto and Ericcson (not Johnson?).
These require you to buy/build a small "data-slicer" circuit (<$5), and
tap the discriminator of your radio. There should be some way of
controlling the tuning of your radio by PC as well - either a real
data-port, or something you home-brew yourself.

Is it worth it? A TT'er can be had relatively cheap - ~<$200. You might not have much to use it on in LA, but if you drive to San Bernardino County or San Diego, or Orange County you'll have lots to listen to. The PC-based solutions aren't too expensive, provided you have or have access to the expertise to install them. To listen to LA City and County trunked systems, the PC-based systems are currently your only option...

Hope that helps...

6264. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: leigh@rain.org
Message-ID: <6trejr$5ig$1@news.rain.org>
Source record: 143861

A public thanks to Marc and Bud for their informative responses.

Bud (thekat@san.rr.org) wrote:
: Good price! Any more where that one came from? :)

Sorry, no more $100 PRO-2004s left.. just happened to run into a guy who'd bought a 1000 channel Radio Shack scanner, and wanted to let his old PRO-2004 go cheaply.

About a year ago, I came close to buying another 2004 for $125 plus tax from a local pawn shop, but I'm glad I waited. The pawn shop 2004 had small little rubber bumpers GLUED to the membrane switchpad, and they looked like hell. I considered buying it, but probably would have trashed the membrane switches removing those ugly little bumpers.

6265. Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mecaswell@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917130801.28335.00001183@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143862

I'd probably going to buy a Pro-90 next time they go on sale. I realize that these handhelds are designed primarily for scanning on the move, but can they also effectively serve as a base scanner if an external antenna is added?

If it WON'T work well, I may just buy a Pro 2050 now (while they're on sale) and possibly pick up a handheld later.

--Mike

6266. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <360149D6.106C@ibm.net>
Source record: 143863

MECaswell wrote:
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> these handhelds are designed primarily for scanning on the move, but can they
> also effectively serve as a base scanner if an external antenna is added?
>
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> and possibly pick up a handheld later.
>
> --Mike

Mike,

You can use a handheld unit as a base station with an external antenna.
However, you should keep in mind that the performance will not be quite
as good as a base station unit. This is primarily due to the
selectivity of the unit(s).

If you are in a rural area, or any other place with minimal RF traffic
the performance could be quite adequate. I believe that Radio Shack has
a good return policy.

6267. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mecaswell@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917134237.01266.00001152@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143864

>>You can use a handheld unit as a base station with an external antenna. However, you should keep in mind that the performance will not be quite as good as a base station unit. This is primarily due to the selectivity of the unit(s). <<

I've also read that the Pro 2050 is basically just a Pro 90 handheld placed in a base scanner enclosure. With that in mind, would there be any advantage to getting the 2050 (aside from ergonomics)?

--Mike

6268. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917135053.28940.00001146@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143865

>From: Andy Moss

>You can use a handheld unit as a base station with an external antenna.
>However, you should keep in mind that the performance will not be quite
>as good as a base station unit.

Also keep in mind that the equivalent base units generally have a few added features--perhaps a rotary knob, CTCSS or others. Using a handheld is kind of a pain--LCD and buttons are small, the scanner is invariably at an awkward angle or worse, falls over, if you don't have some kind of stand for it and so on. Unless you absolutely need a handheld, go with the base unit. Better yet, get both, which what you'll probably wind up doing.

6269. Grand Rapids Michigan Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dep3177@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917135149.03466.00000769@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 143866

Can someone help me with frequencies for the Grand Rapids Michigan area.

6270. Sony ICF-SC1PC critical user interface bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Briccetti <daveb@davebsoft.com>
Message-ID: <36014C2F.5538C10C@davebsoft.com>
Source record: 143867

I bought one of these units and installed it and here's what I see on the computer:

http://www.davebsoft.com/assets/images/sc1pc-badui.gif

Is there a newer version of the software than 1.0? Why isn't there anything at http://www.sony.com/radioscanner as the manual says there is?

6271. Re: Grand Rapids Michigan Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917140422.14997.00000665@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 143868

try the percon freq database

6272. Re: packet on CB...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917140601.14997.00000668@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 143869

what is packet radio?

6273. Re: Need Tinker AFB Freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917140836.14997.00000669@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 143870

i can get you some freqs this evening

6274. SAMS CLUB SITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917141329.14446.00000624@ng32.aol.com>
Source record: 143871

for the person who asked in this group if sams has a site, its www.samsclub.com

6275. Re: Sony ICF-SC1PC critical user interface bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6trj1e$1ai@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

As I wrote in the SONY SC1PC review (see 8/1998 Monitoring Times
magazine):

''... The control software assumes your Win95 Control Panel
Display Settings are configured to "small fonts." We saw
the same bug when reviewing RELM MS-200 software...''

In article <36014C2F.5538C10C@davebsoft.com>,
Dave Briccetti <daveb@davebsoft.com> wrote:

>I bought one of these units and installed it and here's what I see on
>the computer:
>
>http://www.davebsoft.com/assets/images/sc1pc-badui.gif
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Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@bell-labs.com

Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

6276. FS: BC3000XLT SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Gryniewski, I.S. Director" <mski@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6trkap$989$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 143873

OK, Ive tried to sell one of my BC3000xlt 400 channel scanners and haven't had a bite. Too high a price? (240 used or 300 new!!!) can't be! they sell at a discount for at least $329 plus shipping (or tax if not mail order), so my prices seem very fair.

Lets go this route people.....BC3000XLT 400 channel scanner used one year has everything with it (battery, charger, ant, manual, belt clip) - MAKE ME AN OFFER ON THIS!!!! I'll consider fair offers. MAKE ME AN OFFER!

OR, how bout a brand new one of the above, NEVER used???? MAKE ME AN OFFER!!! I'm not going to tell you a price, let's see if I can get some FAIR offers (bites) on this one! MAKE ME AN OFFER!

mski@bright.net

Mark

6277. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3601102b.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 143874

leigh@rain.org (Leigh Marrin/KM6JE) wrote:

>I recently picked up a PRO-2004 scanner for a mere $100. Following are
>several questions:

>--The display is dim, and pressing the "dimmer" switch has no effect. Any
>suggestions on where to start trouble-shooting? I hope it's not the LCD
>display itself going bad, as I suppose that's now unreplaceable, right?

The display is likely 'worn out'. Unfortunately, new ones are no
longer available.

>--Mine is missing the antenna. (I'm using a 2 meter telescoping half-wave
>whip on it currently.) What did the original antenna look like that it
>originally came with?

It is a telescopic whip, about 18" extended...with a 90 degree BNC
connector that plugs into the antenna jack on the back of the 2004.
.

>--I found the cell mod; looks easy. I also found in the same file a mod
>to up the number of channels from 300 to 400, and increase the scanning
>speed by adding two diodes. Do these latter two mods work well? If so, I
>wonder why the 2004 was made without these easy-to-add features.

The mods are easy and do work. It could have been that a later model
of the 2004 would have offered the extra memories and faster scanning
in the same form-factor but in the meantime, GRE redesigned a smaller
version of it using more surface mount technology...called the
PRO-2005.

>--Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be
>close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts without
>replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.

For the mostpart, membrane keypads work well under normal
circumstances however they don't holdup well to being poked with
pencils or other sharp objects. Indeed, you would replace the
complete keypad if one of the keys became problematic.
However, as with the LCD display, most parts for the 2004 are
no longer available.

>All in all, an excellent scanner for the mere $100 I paid for it. I also
>have a PRO-2005, and the older 2004 actually has better audio than the
>internal speaker of the 2005. (More bass; less tinny.)
>Thanks in advance. --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE in Santa Barbara.

It's also more mechanically sound and better shielded with the metal
case.
You got a good deal !
Cheers,
Hugh Duff VA3TO Toronto

6278. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <36011089.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 143875

leigh@rain.org (Leigh Marrin/KM6JE) wrote:

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6279. Re: BC-700A Mobile Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KEB@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15667-36015B44-49@newsd-153.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143876

Can't help you on the mods but if it's like the 350 you can lock out each of the preprogramed frequencies in "police" and "fire" and just use the ones you put in. It's time consuming, but it can be done.

KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
.....

6280. FS : Radio Shack Pro-64 Scanner - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <3601531e.366899@news>
Source record: 143877
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This scanner has been SOLD, thanks to all who responded..

Dan

6281. FS : Radio Shack Pro- 90 Scanner - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <36015350.417210@news>
Source record: 143878
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This scanner has been SOLD, thanks to all who responded..

Dan

6282. REQ: I desperately need a schematic for a Uniden BC100XLT. TIA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mooman@thebarn.eating
Message-ID: <35d8fdd1.1218840@netnews.att.net>
Source record: 143679

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The Mooman!

6283. State Scanner and RADAR Detector Laws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Delgaddo <"Dave Delgaddo"@fastnet.com>
Message-ID: <3602F0B0.F89C3928@fastnet.com>
Source record: 143680
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.autos.dodge.truck

Dan wrote:
>
> Can you please list the states in which they're outlawed?
> Is Utah one of them?
>
> Teal9425 wrote:
> >
> > yes, mobile scanners are legal in california.
> > There are only 7 states that do not allow them.

The URL for State Scanner Laws is: http://www.afn.org/~afn09444/scanlaws/

For RADAR Detectors, click here: http://www.radar.org

6284. Re: FRS Mods....?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Delgaddo <"Dave Delgaddo"@fastnet.com>
Message-ID: <3602F2CC.7FCA4616@fastnet.com>
Source record: 143681
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

DickH33923 wrote:
>
> >Hi I have a set of FRS radios and I was wondering if there were any mods
> >available for them. Maybe doubling the antennas length to be more receptive?
>
> try posting in alt.radio.family

a bit of advice, the FRS people are against any type of modification to
FRS Radios. They fear the FRS will degenerate into CB radio.

6285. FS : Radio Shack Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6tusvo$9on$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Shack Pro 2006 with manual and box. $300 Firm

6286. Re: Pro 2037 Fire Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David A. Heupel" <dheupel@talstar.com>
Message-ID: <6tv0gm$9r2$1@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 143683

Picks up the following 800MHz frequencies:

806.0000-823.9875 MHz (UHF Hi)
849.0125-868.9875 MHz (UHF Hi)
894.0125-960.0000 MHz (UHF Hi)

richard flores wrote in message
<6tov10$55ba$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>Sorry I'm fairly new to this.
>
>I meant does it pick up 800mhz and is it a better scanner than the 2041?
>
>Thanks
>
>

6287. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.106cb7ea66a1d752989771@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143684
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In my humble opinion, LOL, I would say that the only true portable that would obviously outperform the handheld scanner-shortwave radios today would be something of the level of the Sony ICF-2010. It's synchronous selectable sideband would allow superior rough condition listening. Otherwise I don't feel the differences are all that marked.

6288. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <6tv668$gb9@news.snowcrest.net>
Source record: 143685

LAPD's "Astro" radios aren't trunking-capable, but they ARE digital-capable, and digital is used for some specialized operations/divisions. Cmdr. Keith Bushey was one of the "prime movers" with APCO back in the 1980s to get TV channel 16 opened up to public safety radio users in the LA area...nearly every law agency in the county is now on UHF, and today's radios can easily cover the range from 453 - 512 MHz. (When I started with LAPD in 1968, the VHF radios had trouble receiving freqs as widely spaced as Tac 2...154.77 and Dispatch "E" ...158.865, so they had to use so-called "dual-front-end" [DFE] radios!) Wouldn't make sense to go off to a trunked system now, with all the existing mutual aid capabilities on conventional UHF.

Brian Humphrey, LAFD PIO, tells me they expect LAFD to be required to go DIGITAL - but NOT trunked - within 10 years; mainly, I presume, as freq spacing gets cut to 6.25 from the current 12.5 khz with most analog systems.

******
Harry Marnell, N6URU
marnells@snowcrest.net

"With email and the Internet it is now possible to get huge amounts of erroneous information in milliseconds"

6289. Help Please: Beartracker system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sumo_Ken@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19229-3603107D-12@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143686

I'm interested in purchasing a Uniden scanner with the Beartracker technolody. I understand how it works -- just need to know IF it works (range, reliability, etc). Is it viable in mountainous rural terrain (where normal transmissions are received). If you have info, please b/c me at sumo_ken@webtv.net. Thanks!

6290. Re: packet on CB...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <36033338.769@parg.org>
Source record: 143687

Micro94099 wrote:
> Hey, if anyone is interested in getting into packet radio using their
> CB radio drop me a line...I can answer your questions...

Are you using AM or FM?

If AM, what percent modulation are you using?

6291. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19033-36032E82-34@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143688

Well I received about 20 emails from you guys on this.And I would ask you to post rather than email me directly to get a better perspective.Thanks nonetheless.Anyway half say pay-half say don't pay.A couple did say offer half.Since I did not insure it and he didn't ask about insurance.The main ? raised is how do I know he didn't receive it? Well I don't. He hasn't called the police like requested,talk to neighbors or give me the name of the postmaster he talked to.I have offered him half.He wants all of it-not a penny less.I would have thought this to be fair to split it up.What do you think now? please post and not email me if possible.

6292. California International Air Show (Salinas, CA)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <36033D78.5427@prodigy.net>
Source record: 143689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Here is my list for the show later this month (9/25-27). I would appreciate any corrections or additions you may have.

Thunderbirds
66.900 - GROUND OPS
114.950
118.100 - REPORTED OPS
118.200 - REPORTED OPS
120.450 - OPERATIONS
123.400 - AIRSHOW COMMON
123.450 - AIR TO AIR CHIT CHAT
124.920
134.100 - REPORTED OPS
138.875 - REPORTED OPS
140.000 - REPORTED OPS
140.400 - AIR TO AIR TAC AND GROUND CHIT CHAT
141.300 - REPORTED OPS
141.850 - VICTOR 1 PRIMARY
142.000
143.100 - GROUND OPERATIONS
143.5875
143.850 - VICTOR 2 SECONDARY
148.175
148.550 - REPORTED OPS
148.850 - REPORTED OPS
235.250 - T-BIRD CONTROL (TEAM LEADER)
236.550 - SOLOS 5 AND 6 AIR TO AIR
236.600 - AIR TO AIR
241.400 - REPORTED AIR TO AIR
250.850 - REPORTED LEADER CUES
263.550 - SOLOS
273.500 - F2
273.850 - REPORTED OPS
283.500 - F3
294.700 - REPORTED OPS (AIR TO AIR)
295.700 - F1
319.700 - REPORTED OPS
322.300 - F4
322.600 - F5
322.950 - T-BIRD REPLY TO TEAM LEADER AND SOLOS
382.900 - F6
392.900 - REPORTED OPS
394.000 - F7

413.000
413.025 - GROUND OPS F1
413.100 - GROUND OPS F2
Snowbirds Frequencies
141.850 - AIR TO AIR
275.800 - CHANNEL 1
295.600 - CHANNEL 2
310.800 - CHANNEL 3
227.600 - CHANNEL 4
243.400 - CHANNEL 5
240.500 - CHANNEL 6
378.500 - CHANNEL 7
266.300 - CHANNEL 8
294.500 - CHANNEL 9
322.800 - CHANNEL 10
245.700 - CHANNEL 11
316.500 - CHANNEL 12
344.500 - CHANNEL 13
356.600 - CHANNEL 14
236.600 - CHANNEL 15
283.900 - CHANNEL 16
363.800 - CHANNEL 17
289.400 - CHANNEL 18
245.000 - CHANNEL 19
239.800 - CHANNEL 20
278.800 - CHANNEL 21
227.650 - CHANNEL 22
266.310 - CHANNEL 23
294.700 - CHANNEL 24
321.700 - CHANNEL 25
344.400 - CHANNEL 26
356.600 - CHANNEL 27
236.800 - CHANNEL 28
282.800 - CHANNEL 29
245.500 - CHANNEL 30
239.900 - CHANNEL 31
299.900 - CHANNEL 32
381.800 - EMERGENCY
413.025 - GROUND CREW
Airshow Common Frequencies (Check Itinerant Frequencies Also)
122.725 - UNICOM/Non-Public
122.750 - Air to Air UNICOM
122.775
122.850 - MULTICOM/Federal
123.100
123.400
123.450
126.400 - Show Time Control
120.450 - Stunt Coordination
123.450 - Stunt Coordination

122.920 - Talk Through PA System
133.850 - Airshow Control
122.950 - UNICOM
123.125 -TO- 123.575 FLIGHT TEST
122.675 -TO- 123.000 MISC
WAYNE HANLEY
122.725
SEAN TUCKER
122.950
122.975
SALINAS AIRPORT
CTAF: 119.4
UNICOM: 122.95
ATIS: 124.85
GROUND: 121.7
TOWER: 119.4
TOWER: 239.3
MONTEREY APPROACH/DEPARTURE: 133.0
Local PD
159.21
460.3
460.35
460.375
460.5
460.175
42.34 (CHP)
42.46 (CHP)
42.54 (CHP)
Local Fire
154.205
154.175
154.28
154.37
154.995
Other Local
154.04
156.165
453.5
Media
450.02
450.6
450.65
450.7
450.8
450.9
455.02
455.6
455.65
455.7
455.9

455.99

6293. F.S.Pro-90 Trunk Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Smith" <rusty@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <360352B3.D182CF28@direct.ca>
Source record: 143690

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For Sale,
Pro-90 Trunk tracker,300 channel hand held
$175 US shipped
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6294. Re: Trunktracker Pro 90 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob A Booey <bob@booey.com>
Message-ID: <36031e2b.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 143691
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

or buy a brand new one from radio shack for 190 bucks
hummmm

Michael wrote in messa
ge <01bde334$600b4dc0$2f2a10d0@pavilion>...
>I have a friend who has a Pro 90 for sale, he is asking $166 + shipping

6295. Re: Low BC895XLT Audio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ka3jjz@erols.com" <ka3jjz@erols.com>
Message-ID: <360305CD.1FEA@erols.com>
Source record: 143692

EchoFoxx wrote:
>
> I note the audio in the 800mhz portion, or on trunked systems is very low on
> my BC895XLT. Other bands are received loud and clear but 800 frequencies
> require the volume to be turned up about 3/4 of the way or more just to hear
> the transmissions clearly. Is this normal, or is this something to have
> corrected?
Some trunk systems are using a very small bandwidth so their audio
would sound much lower than on conventional systems. This has been
written about somewhat in some of the newsgroups. And with the
implementation of APCO25, I believe the bandwidth is supposed to be
smaller.
Nothing you need to return the radio for...progress (if you call it
that) marches on...73s Mike ka3jjz@erols.com

6296. Re: ? What is a G-Wiz Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918064452.21125.00001862@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143729

>peach@pulsenet.com

>What is a G-Wiz board ?

If you listen to GE trunked radio systems, then you want it. If you don't, you don't. www.scannermaster.com has the info

6297. Re: What is the right thing to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918064833.21125.00001864@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143730

><michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net

>That's a pretty crappy situation all around. I think I would refund his
>(the buyers) money and file a claim with my homeowners insurance.

I'm sure that he has a deductible on his homeowners insurance so that he won't see the money any way.

The shipper failed to insure the package and I think he has to swallow the loss.

6298. Newbie Needs Help Setting Up Outside Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rons515@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918080825.11519.00001156@ng145.aol.com>
Source record: 143731

Hi!

I am a newbie to scanners. I just bought one at a ham-radio store, and an outside antenna to go with it. The antenna is a Channel Master Monitenna. Instructions said I should use regular RG6 cable with it. But the antenna is
going to be located about 150 feet away from the scanner, and the dealer said I should go with something called 9913. Its very expensive. He also said I would need a balun, whatever that is.

Should I use 9913? I can afford it, but is it worth it? What kind of balun and connectors do I need? Also, are there any good amplifiers on the market that cover the whole range from 40-950? I am in the boonies about 40 miles from 2 large cities (opposite directions) and I would like to be able to pick up signals from them.
(This dealer is new to me, and I'm not sure if he is just trying to get more money out of me. He also told me about this newsgroup, and another one.)

Finally, how do I go about grounding the antenna? Just 2 weeks ago we had a severe thunderstorm, and lightning struck and destroyed a tree in my front yard, only a short distance from where the antenna is going to be put.

Thank you very much. You can respond here, or e-mail me directly.
I appreciate your suggestions and help!!!

RonS515
@aol.com

6299. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bde2fd$281044c0$25685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143732

Leigh Marrin/KM6JE <leigh@rain.org> wrote in article
<6torij$2on$1@news.rain.org>...
> I recently picked up a PRO-2004 scanner for a mere $100.
{cut to}
>
> --Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be
> close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts without
> replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.
>
>
> Let me pass on something I had occur on my 2004 keypad-something fell
against the face of the scanner, denting in one of the sections of the
keypad membrane - my 2004 locked up - one of the switches beneath the
membrane was being held down by the membrane surface, which 'stayed in'
when I depressed it, holding the switch depressed. No other key would
operate while this one stayed depressed, and after pondering it for a
while, what I had to do to correct it was:
> cut around the edge of the stuck key's outline with an exacto knife, on
THREE sides of the square, to create a flap which could be swung out
> 'un-dent' the membrane surface (the convex surface had become concave,
holding the switch down) with my finger
> lay the membrane 'flap' back down over the switch and carefully glue it
back down (I used crazy glue)
>>> It worked fine and I had no more problems with it - been using it since
I bought it new in the mid-eighties. Just thought this might help someone
along the way if it happens to them.
>
>Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

6300. Re: What is the right thing to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6ttoscnca1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143733

In article <13141-360203AF-127@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net (Bruce K) wrote:
> This is kind of off topic-but does have to do with scanner.I sold a
> scanner-not on this newsgroup.Anyway I shipped this scanner Priority
> Mail uninsured (abscence of mind-not on purpose).Anyway the scanner was
> shipped.The buyer checked his mail and saw a note on a piece of
> junkmail.The postman scribbled "package at the door".When the buyer
> looked for it it wasn't there.It was stolen.The postman said since it
> wasn't insured he has the option of leaving it at the doorstep rather
> than having the person come pick it up at the post office.MY ? TO YOU IS
> WOULD YOU REFUND THE MONEY FOR THE SCANNER? Initially there was no talk
> about insurance.I always insure otherwise though. I think this is more
> of a theft issue and not an insurance issue and almost always works out
> that it doesn't get stolen.What would you do? no flames please
>

Well as far as i can see there is only one fair way to settle this. Since the
package was not insured (which it should be) but it was delivered I would say
split the loss. Each one of you share the loss. In the future use UPS as you
automaticly get $100 insurance and the additional insurance is a lot cheaper
than snail mail. I have had UPS leave packages when no one was home but one
time it was misplaced and they paid the insurance no questions asked.

>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6301. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: schuster_@at_panix_.dot_com
Message-ID: <6ttlk9$fdc@news1.panix.com>
Source record: 143734
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <MPG.106bac8a596f83579896a0@news.naplesfl.net>,
Dan <xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net> wrote:
>Will a decent portable short wave receiver (considering a Sangean
>ATS 909) give me better performance than a AOR 8000, 8200 or a
>Yupiteru 7100, 9000 for shortwave receiving?

As a rule: yes.

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Mike Schuster | 70346.1745 at CompuServe dot COM
schuster at panix dot com | schuster at pol dot net

6302. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <36056a4e.5234516@news.erols.com>
Source record: 143735
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 04:30:21 GMT, xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net (Dan)
wrote:

>Will a decent portable short wave receiver (considering a Sangean
>ATS 909) give me better performance than a AOR 8000, 8200 or a
>Yupiteru 7100, 9000 for shortwave receiving?

Yes. You can do a lot with scanners like the AOR 8000 and the like,
but they are no match for most inexpensive portable shortwave
receivers (such as the ATS909 or the Grundig YB 400).

The reason: Scanners are optimized for wide bandwidth and sensitivity.
Inter-Modulation Distortion (IMD), selectivity, and dynamic range are
secondary. This is exactly the opposite of a shortwave receiver,
where signals (and noise) are usually stronger and it is more
important to have good selectivity and dynamic range.

It is possible to make a single box which does it all. However, given
the current state of the art, you might not like the price tag.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

6303. RS 2004 for sale $225 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: harleyfxd <harleyfxd@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3602745C.F0CDAC96@erols.com>
Source record: 143736

Radio Shack Pro 2004 base scanner, in very clean condition. Display is bright, 400 ch and cell mod done. Operators manual included, but I do not have the original box. $225 shipped prepaid. No C.O.D's. I will be taking the unit to the VA Beach hamfest this weekend in case anyone interested in the scanner is planning to be there.
Please repsond to this by sending email to me at the address below.

harleyfxd@erols.com

6304. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: unclebob@ripco.com
Message-ID: <6ttsdq$49$1@gail.ripco.com>
Source record: 143737

zortman@rifle.net wrote:
: Yes it can! After I'd sold my BC3000XLT and purchased a BC895XLT base our
: electricity went out. Spent the next 3 hours looking at my new base and
: wondering what was going on. I learned a lesson though!! 1st scanner always a
: handheld, 2nd scanner a base!
: Paul

It's also useful to get an external speaker for the handheld/base if you
plan on hearing it from other rooms in your digs.

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Uncle Bob.............unclebob@ripco.com

6305. Re: For Sale: Alinco DJ-X10 wideband receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: yung@lansol.com
Message-ID: <360274e7.2656880@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 143738

Hi,

do you still have this for sale?

On 16 Sep 1998 16:25:11 +0500, "KreageR" <kreager@usa.net> wrote:

>I am selling my 4 month old Alinco DJ-X10 wideband receiver. This scanner
>is in perfect condition and receives from 0.1mhz to 2000mhz. There are 1200
>memory banks with alphanumeric tags for each individual freq. that is
>programmed. There are many features that you can check out at
>http://www.alinco.com.
>
>The scanner comes complete with instruction manual, antenna, batter pack,
>battery charger, belt clip, and box. I am asking US$350-$375 or will
>consider trade for radar detector of around the same price.
>
>If you are interested please e-mail me.

6306. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3604754d.2758716@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 143739

Phil,

They sell these NEW at $359.00 at AES... check it out:

http://www.aesham.com/alinco.shtml

On 17 Sep 1998 05:48:58 GMT, nickle911@aol.com (Nickle911) wrote:

>
>Sounds good price due you still have it.Phil

6307. Re: DC Power Cord for Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zman7 <wwwmzealor@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ttt2d$2vq$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143740

You can still buy the adapter from RS. It costs about four dollars. It is
a pretty standard plug that can be used for a number of items, however,
check the polarity of the plug first...
EchoFoxx wrote in message
<19980916024427OO.WAA22666@ladder03.news.aol.com>...
>Did RS use a slightly smaller pin on the back of the 2006 to thwart folks
>"making their own" cigarette lighter adapter plugs?
>I tried making my own, but find that it rarely makes good contact. Most of
the
>time it won't work at all. I know the lighter plug has current and I have
>current all the way to the plug that goes to the scanner, yet the scanner
won't
>function. Any suggestions, or can one still buy the cigarette lighter
adapter
>unit from RS?

6308. ny trunktracking freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerry r <jerryrc@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <36027C9E.791FF65C@pobox.com>
Source record: 143741

I looked at http://www.trunktracker.com/states/ny.html the freqs for
nyc DOITT were left out anybody know them?

6309. Un-listed frequency guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wiz Kid <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6tttpc$n0c$1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 143742

Ontario Unlisted Frequency Guide/Listening-Post. site is dedicated to scanner radio hobbists who are frequency hunters. On here you will find lists of Ontario radio frequencies that are not listed on any web page, published in any scannner book (Haruteq or Scantrix) or listed on a government web page (Industry Canada's TAFL). This list is all based on research.

Download Un-listed frequency guide:

Ftp: listening-post.dyn.ml.org /pub/un-lis~1

Submit your frequency:

ftp://www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/submit~1.htm

questions/comments please email:Jmedica@listening-post.dyn.ml.org

John Medica - System adminstrator [Listening-Post]

6310. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: talley@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <09980818081833.OUI69.talley@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143743

Hi Brent, Thanks for your comprehensive and most useful discussion on the state of trunk listening in LA. Since I live it Torrance your analysis confirms my believe that it's best to wait until LAPD goes to trunking.

I can do without hearing the LA Arboretum order another bag of fertilizer.

You mentioned Johnson Systems vis-a-vis the Optotronics systems with a "?". I think that when Optoelectronics mentions LTR, that's the Johnson system.

Regards
Richard

On September 17 1998, you wrote:
> LAPD is still using conventional repeaters, but their radios are
> trunking capable. At one time, it was proposed to use conventional
> repeaters for dispatching and a trunked system for other comms, but
> it didn't/hasn't happened (there were some rather serious time
> constraints for getting the 484MHz system on the air, and one
> suspects that they just ran out of time to seriously examine the
> trunking option).
>
> LA City and LA County both run Ericcson trunks up in the 866-869
> range for non-public safety operations. The current crop of
> Bearcat/RS scanners will not do Ericcson, and I'm rather certain that
> Opto won't either. There are some PC-based systems that do Ericcson
> (eg. Trunker) but I think that's it.
>
> The Bearcat/RS scanners only do trunk tracking in the 800 MHz
> range, and they only handle Motorola trunks. In my part of LA,
> much to my suprise - there aren't that many trunked systems to
> listen to! UCLA has one (relatively short range), Getty Center,
> Caltrans (just out of range for me, but I occasionally catch it's
> data signal), Anheuser Busch (they DES everything), and a system
> located in Sherman Oaks that never has any traffic on it - that's
> about all I'm really aware of, directly (Signal Hill apparently
> has an 800Mhz trunk, but I can't hear it out here). There are
> some significant systems at 900MHZ (eg. LADWP) - but the BC/RS
> scanners won't track 'em. If LAPD adopts some form of trunking
> at 484MHZ, they won't track them either...
>
> Opto will do Motorola (and Johnson?) in any band, as it relies
> on handshake signals rather than the trunk controller. It can

> scan several trunked systems at a time, and even mix trunked and
> conventional scanning. There is one *minor* bugaboo - sort of
> an ambiguity in TG decoding that the Opto system is vunerable to,
> but you'll never see it on the vast majority of systems out there.
>
> AFAIK, there are PC-based solutions for Moto and Ericcson (not
> Johnson?). These require you to buy/build a small "data-slicer"
> circuit (<$5), and tap the discriminator of your radio. There should
> be some way of controlling the tuning of your radio by PC as well -
> either a real data-port, or something you home-brew yourself.
>
> Is it worth it? A TT'er can be had relatively cheap - ~<$200. You
> might not have much to use it on in LA, but if you drive to San
> Bernardino County or San Diego, or Orange County you'll have lots to
> listen to. The PC-based solutions aren't too expensive, provided you
> have or have access to the expertise to install them. To listen to LA
> City and County trunked systems, the PC-based systems are currently
> your only option...
>
>
> Hope that helps...

6311. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Waits <swaits@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <360286DB.DC0E18D0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143744
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: swaits.vcf

Mike 'Iyceman' Marroquin wrote:
>
> It is unfortunate for you. I have heard nothing but BAD things about that
> paticular model scanner. You should get your money back if you can.
>
> jerry r wrote:
>
> > I programmed 8 freqs between 856-860 mhz. Are is NYC. I have activity on
> > all theses channels, but never hear anything in trunk mode. Nor do I
> > "see" any codes. Antenna is external and manually these channels are ok.

This is odd. It seems that most people that have submitted actual
reviews to strongsignals.net have really liked this scanner.

--Steve

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

6312. ## FS: AOR AR8000 Receiver/Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aj547@lafn.org
Message-ID: <1998Sep18.161329.28623@lafn.org>
Source record: 143745

Brand new AOR AR8000 Receiver/Scanner for sale. Paid $599 at HRO. Sale for
$479.00. Brand new with manual, charger, batteries, box, etc.
Features:
All Mode
500 kHz to 1900 Mhz continous
4 Line DOT Matrix Display
1000 Memory Channels
Can be connected to Computer for Remote Control.
More.....

6313. Re: ## FS: AOR AR8000 Receiver/Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918122131.03751.00000570@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 143746

I'M INTERESTED WHERE AND HOW DO YOU WANT PAYMENT. pdoddy@aol.com

6314. Civil Aviation: North Atlantic (busy) Airspace - "Radar View" and Log last night

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Brandao <l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.980918172544.26204E-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 143747

Hello

61 flights in 59 minutes
From 0202 to 0301 UTC
Listening to only 3 frequencies: 5616, 5598 and 6628 KHz
Excellent signals

This give aprox 1 flight/minute and a very very busy airspace:
have a look at the following Screen Shot done with AirNav and you
will have a complete "Radar View" of the North Atlantic airspace at that
time:

http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Lakes/9420/shotex7.gif

Really hope you enjoy the log.

Best regards, Andre Brandao

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/ /\ AirNav 2.10 - http://fly.to/airnav
\__/ File generated by the Aircraft Tracking Software
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LOG FILE STARTING AT 0201 16 SEP 98 UTC

UTC Freq(KHz) Callsign Report
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W220.60.-42+4740N35W.219.76.-41 SCDER
0241Z 5616 DAL118 SCDES
0242Z 5616 UAL962 51N30W/0205 F360 51N20W/0248 51N15W/ U51.9
SCEQR
0242Z 5616 DAL134 SDFCS
0242Z 5598 MPH602 41N40W/0200 F330 47N30W/0300 48N20W/ W-44.217.4
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0301Z 5616 UAL928 54N40W/0257 F340 54N30W/0337 54N20W/ U58.6
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0301Z 5616 COA26 52N40W/0303 F330 53N30W/0343 53N20W/ U35.5
0301Z 5616 CDN86 54N30W/0301 F330 54N20W/0339 54N15W/ U51.7

Report: F+Flight_Level S+SELCAL M+Mach U+Fuel W+Weather Q+Frequency
R+Registration T+Aircraft_Type A+Airports C+Company
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6315. Re: RS 2004 for sale $225 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918123234.28448.00000521@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 143748

WHERE ARE YOU LOCATED AND
HOW WOULD YOU LIKE PAYMENT.pdoddy@aol.com

6316. deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William J. Crawford" <wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <36029008.564A5A45@pop.omah.uswest.net>
Source record: 143749

would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
for your apprecation and cooperation.

6317. Re: What is the right thing to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19030-36028A58-49@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143750

Thanks for telling me what you would do.I will listen to my heart and
you and refund the money.

6318. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith A Monahan <kamst39+@pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <3601F04F.23C1@pitt.edu>
Source record: 143751

Please send unsubscribe as the subject.

In the body of the message put,

"G3+4cl00"

Thank You.

William J. Crawford wrote:
>
> would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
> for your apprecation and cooperation.

6319. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6tua17$b26$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143752

I use my BC3000xlt with computer speakers and a Diamond discone antenna and
it's great. The audio is very good. If I want to take it with me, no problem.
Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

>
> I'd probably going to buy a Pro-90 next time they go on sale. I realize that
> these handhelds are designed primarily for scanning on the move, but can they
> also effectively serve as a base scanner if an external antenna is added?
>
> If it WON'T work well, I may just buy a Pro 2050 now (while they're on sale)
> and possibly pick up a handheld later.
>
> --Mike
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6320. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6tu5oa$t59$1@carroll.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 143753

Richard Talley (talley@earthlink.net) wrote:
: Hi Brent, Thanks for your comprehensive and most useful discussion on
: the state of trunk listening in LA. Since I live it Torrance your
: analysis confirms my believe that it's best to wait until LAPD goes to
: trunking.

: I can do without hearing the LA Arboretum order another bag of
: fertilizer.

My pleasure -

: You mentioned Johnson Systems vis-a-vis the Optotronics systems with a
: "?". I think that when Optoelectronics mentions LTR, that's the Johnson
: system.

I think you're right. I wasn't 100% certain that I remembered the specs
offhand (Up until a week or two ago, I thought I remembered hearing that
Opto did Ericcson 8*)...

6321. Re: ny trunktracking freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warren Whitby <wwhitby@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3602BDE8.308C@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143754

jerry r wrote:
>
> I looked at http://www.trunktracker.com/states/ny.html the freqs for
> nyc DOITT were left out anybody know them?

Go to my web page (see my .sig for the URL) and then go to the New York page. I've got the frequencies for the DOITT system as well as trunktracker information.

--
Warren Whitby
Trunked Radio Systems Users Page: members.aol.com/wwhitby2/trs.html
Trunked Radio Communications columnist - Scanning USA Magazine
wwhitby@worldnet.att.net
<><

6322. Iowa Frequencies and Radio Inforamtion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Grams <egrams@iastate.edu>
Message-ID: <3602A232.1857FF26@iastate.edu>
Source record: 143755
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have set up a web page containing many frequencies for the state of Iowa. This includes trunktracker id's for the trunked systems in Central Iowa, mostly in the Ames area. I'm continuously updating and changing this page and, as I get more information and time, will be putting more information on here. I have a good start, but I'm still in

the process of adding frequencies for a wider area of Iowa. If you live

in Iowa, this page is a must see.
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~egrams/homepage.html

6323. Re: Racing Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerold Klassen <jerold_klassen@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3602A50F.243C@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 143756

John Habbinga wrote:
>
> This site is for the CART frequencies for the Texaco Grand Prix in Houston.
> http://hometown.aol.com/jdhtex/houstonscan/attractions/cart/cart.html
>
> Jim & Wendy Ray wrote in message <3601C2C1.678DF29A@swbell.net>...
> >I've spent an hour or so looking for a free source of scanner radio
> >frequencies for racing series. In particular, SCCA's Trans Am, and
> >CART's Indy car series. Would appreciate it if anyone could give me a
> >lead where to find a list. Thanks for the help.
> >
> >Jim
> >
Try racelink.com, I found CART frequencies, and INDYLITES as well.

Have fun in Houston.

6324. Trunktracker Pro 90 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <johnsrud.michael@mcleodusa.net>
Message-ID: <01bde334$600b4dc0$2f2a10d0@pavilion>
Source record: 143757
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I have a friend who has a Pro 90 for sale, he is asking $166 + shipping

6325. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgreenli@NoSpam#Please.vr-net.com
Message-ID: <3602a8f0.11576415@news.coho.net>
Source record: 143758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 00:41:59 GMT, in rec.radio.scanner you wrote:

> Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
>or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
>just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
>person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
>and nothing has showen up yet.

Sorry but what about the "non regulars" like me that just checked out
the group reciently?

> $50 is not allot of money for a program that will run under
>windows and let you still use your computer, I am running a P100 and
>doing a search and store at the same time and am running about 25% on
>the CPU usage, try that with the DOS version. What did you pay for
>your interface in the first place $300? And you really need a second
>computer to use the thing because under windows it uses 100% of the
>cpu and that is about all you can do with it

I paid $149.00 for my interface. I bought the "kit form" because I
like the challange of building my own electronics. My DOS program
works just fine in a window using windows95. And I can multitask other
programs just fine on my cheap old 486/66.

> Bill Gates? No we don't think we are him, but with the time
>and money we have invested in this program and no one sends e-mail
>thanking us for it or telling us it sucks or is great or even talk
>about it in the newsgroups? We figure why waste our time giving it
>away and not even getting thanked or anything. Hell since it has been
>available on the net here we have had 3 major changes to it and still
>nothing. You could download it and run it all you wanted
>nothing on it was disabled it everything was 100% functional and no
>one would tell us anything so down it came.

The Bill Gates comment was intended to be a joke. The product has
only been available for three months and you are complaining it has
not taken off yet? Wow, I know of many businesses that wait years for
a return on their investments. Get rich quick ideas don't generally
work. PS: 200 downloads is not a lot! dont forget this is the
internet. There are millions and millions of people who read this
stuff. I can't tell you what I think about the program if the
download page you advertise is removed and I can't evaluate the
program. I support shareware. I have found many programs on the
internet that are wonderful must have applications. When I find one I
like I send the registration fee to the author. On the other hand I

have seen advertised programs that are supposed to be the best thing since sliced toast and they suck. I like to be the one who decides if I like something. I never rely on someone telling me I'm going to like something.

>
> People have had all kinds of time to download and evaluate the
>program and not have to pay any shipping costs and yet no one cared.
>THis $50 program makes a $300 interface usable again.

I don't have the oportunity you speak of. My $300 ($149) interface never lost it's usability.

> I can tell you that I only used the dos program to program my
>scanner and that was it, with this program it runs almost all the
>time.

Hmmm, you left a lot of powerful tools unexplored.

> Do you like the what the DOS program does? If so this program
>doe sit all and more, A?D conversion built in so now you can have a
>signal strength meter and center tune meter, audio recording to your
>harddirve so you don't need a couple hundred dollar Vader card.

Sounds good, I wish I could try it out!

>
> I don't know what else I can say to me it would be worth every
>penny of $50 hell I would pay $100 for it to get a $300 interface that
>just sits doing nothing.

My interface does not sit around doing nothing. However, If there is a nifty upgrade like this sounds then I'm interested.

6326. FS RCA handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918144425.13953.00001328@ng28.aol.com>
Source record: 143759

Model RP6100 20 channel used one time. Like new in box with ac adapter/charger.
Can use 6 AA batteries or nicads. Covers 29-512 Mhz. $60 plus shipping.

6327. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3602a9ea.23312360@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 09:52:29 GMT, nobodies@home.now wrote:

>On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 00:41:59 GMT, jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)
>wrote:
>
>> Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
>>or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
>>just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
>>person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
>>and nothing has showen up yet.
>
><snip>
>
>Well, I have been test driving your program for about 10 days now.
>
>It is a big improvement over the original CE-232 DOS program
>It isn't perfect yet, there is a bug in the look-up that will not use
>the standard APF files as is. You have to strip out the comas in
>the APF files to make them usable by the look up function. Other
I don't believe that you have read the manual but I will tell you if
you press the lookup button and check the "only show comments when
using APF File" your problem will go away. So it is not a bug but an
overlooked function. Now it could be that you do not have this
setting, depending on what version of the program you have.
If this is the only problem you have with it and you register
the program you will get the latest version along with your
registration code.
> see all kinds of utility in the A/D
>converter support you are building in.
>
>I hope you keep up you efforts. The CE232, is IMO, superior to
>OPTO 456 as a piece of hardware, but it suffers from a lack of
>software support.Hopefully, if the word gets out, there will be
>more CE232's built and eventually more software customers for
>it.
>
>Most likely I will be sending in a registration fee (to get rid of the
>annoying time outs).
>
>
>
>

6328. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3603ac06.23852068@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Thu, 17 Sep 1998 23:19:52 -0400, allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
wrote:

>
>
>Len G. Carpenter wrote:
>
>> Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
>> or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
>> just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
>> person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
>> and nothing has showen up yet.
>> $50 is not allot of money for a program that will run under
>> windows and let you still use your computer, I am running a P100 and
>> doing a search and store at the same time and am running about 25% on
>> the CPU usage, try that with the DOS version. What did you pay for
>> your interface in the first place $300? And you really need a second
>> computer to use the thing because under windows it uses 100% of the
>> cpu and that is about all you can do with it
>> >> So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
>> >>program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>> >>
>> >>
>
>Whoa Whoa!!! Jeez. I shoulda dropped ya guys an "Attaboy" for that
>program. I'm *very* interested in that application. I was all over your
>web page a couple of times checking out that slick interface. But I didn't
>have the right scanner *or* the interface.
>
>I ended up discussing this with Bill Cheek and he set me up with a sweet
>deal on a well stored and little used Pro-2006. He personally checked
>these units out, (He's seriously into scanners, ya know; Prez of
>COMMtronics and World Scanner Report, authored three books on scanners and
>modifications, contributor to the "Monitoring Times", the guy knows what
>he's doing.)
>
>The scanner arrived Tuesday and it's a joy to behold. I didn't think I was
>ever gonna get my paws on a decent one of these. Bill Cheek delivers.
>(It's playin' right now! Can y'all hear it?)
>
>Which brings me to another point: Anyone know what a used Pro-2032 in
>great condition (bright backlight, with original box, and brand new
>"screw-in" telescoping antenna) is fetching? Pricewise that is? Seems I

>have one to unload.
>
>Next is the interface. And If that software works as advertised, you got
>my fifty bucks. It's just gonna take me a while to get the interface
>together. But that's where I'm heading with this unit. When I get the
>hardware interface together, I'll be talking to y'all for the software.
>That's an attractive application you got there.
>
>
As you can tell from the e-mail I sent you that yes this
program does work as stated. After more than 200 downloads and the
only comment we have seen about is that when using the apf file as a
lookup file you have to delete the comma's and stuff form it. The
problem there is that he never read the manual and when setting up for
the look-up file there is a check box to ignore all that stuff and
show only the comments and that persons problem is gone.
Me, I have a lookup file that only has freqs and comments in
it and has all my listings in it so that this way no matter what bank
I am in or what freqs are programmed into the scanner they are in my
one lookup file so that they will always be found.
When ready send me some mail.
Len

6329. Re: BC-700A Mobile Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Waters <cwaters@info2000.net>
Message-ID: <3602B05A.FA08D162@info2000.net>
Source record: 143762

Jim;

I never thought about that. Thank you. I will try and do that, and see just how much patience I can have! :) And yes, it is like the 350. It's basically the exact same radio, 20 channels each band, except this has the built in 800Mhz capabilities. By chance, do you have any of the mods for the 350?

Jim Wardrip wrote:

> Can't help you on the mods but if it's like the 350 you can lock out
> each of the preprogramed frequencies in "police" and "fire" and just use
> the ones you put in. It's time consuming, but it can be done.
>
>
> KB9KEB@webtv.net / Jim Wardrip
> ....

6330. unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William J. Crawford" <wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3602B33E.522B8571@pop.omah.uswest.net>
Source record: 143763

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"G3+4c100"
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6331. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3607b2ca.25585023@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 18:40:17 GMT, tgreenli@NoSpam#Please.vr-net.com
wrote:

>On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 00:41:59 GMT, in rec.radio.scanner you wrote:
>
>> Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
>>or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
>>just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
>>person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
>>and nothing has showen up yet.
>
>Sorry but what about the "non regulars" like me that just checked out
>the group reciently?

E-mail me since you don't have a valid e-mail here I cannot reply to
you.
>
>> $50 is not allot of money for a program that will run under
>>windows and let you still use your computer, I am running a P100 and
>>doing a search and store at the same time and am running about 25% on
>>the CPU usage, try that with the DOS version. What did you pay for
>>your interface in the first place $300? And you really need a second
>>computer to use the thing because under windows it uses 100% of the
>>cpu and that is about all you can do with it
>
>I paid $149.00 for my interface. I bought the "kit form" because I
>like the challange of building my own electronics. My DOS program
>works just fine in a window using windows95. And I can multitask other
>programs just fine on my cheap old 486/66.
I am glad you did yours for the $149 in kit form, my was done
from scratch form for $60 Canadian. I believe that the working
interface was around the $300 mark and installed in your scanner it
was a little higher, I don't have the info handy to check it out and
with the @&$(*@@&*&@*&#*(@ on here that caused Bills site to go down I
could not get the info from there.
I know your system will still multitask but look at your CPU
usage, it will be 100% and your system will be real slow in responding
to anything.

>
>> Bill Gates? No we don't think we are him, but with the time
>>and money we have invested in this program and no one sends e-mail
>>thanking us for it or telling us it sucks or is great or even talk
>>about it in the newsgroups? We figure why waste our time giving it

>>away and not even getting thanked or anything. Hell since it has been
>>available on the net here we have had 3 major changes to it and still
>>nothing. You could download it and run it all you wanted
>>nothing on it was disabled it everything was 100% functional and no
>>one would tell us anything so down it came.
>
>The Bill Gates comment was intended to be a joke. The product has
>only been available for three months and you are complaining it has
>not taken off yet? Wow, I know of many businesses that wait years for
>a return on their investments. Get rich quick ideas don't generally
>work. PS: 200 downloads is not a lot! dont forget this is the
Yes you are right 200 downloads is not allot but that is about 10% of
the approx. 2000 interfaces out there, so we should have at least
gotten a 10% response either in e-mail about how the program worked
good, bad or otherwise or registrations. We got shit.

Here is what we did get so far
a) Cannot get it to work (No response to our replies to him.)
b) Like the program will send the money immediately (That was 2
months ago.)
c) Cannot test it because it times out. (It's a demo.)
d) Would like to test it, do you have a demo. (Sent it off to him.)
e) Can I have another free program, I lost mine when my drive burned.
(Check your house insurance for
coverage.)

>internet. There are millions and millions of people who read this
>stuff. I can't tell you what I think about the program if the
>download page you advertise is removed and I can't evaluate the
>program. I support shareware. I have found many programs on the
When that message you responded to was put up along with
others for quite awhile before that the page was valid for
downloading. We made a decision to remove the file. We may put up
the manual for the program so that at least you can get all the
documentation and help you decide whether the program is for you.

>internet that are wonderful must have applications. When I find one I
>like I send the registration fee to the author. On the other hand I
>have seen advertised programs that are supposed to be the best thing
>since sliced toast and they suck. I like to be the one who decides if
>I like something. I never rely on someone telling me I'm going to
>like something.
We have a friend that has bought all kinds of software for his
scanner for data basing and others and he thought it was the best
thing he has seen.

>
>>
>> People have had all kinds of time to download and evaluate the
>>program and not have to pay any shipping costs and yet no one cared.
>>THis $50 program makes a $300 interface usable again.

>
>I don't have the oportunity you speak of. My $300 ($149) interface
>never lost it's usability.

e-mail me.

Our page has an e-mail link so that it makes it easy to send us e-mail
but the only uses it has gotten was the 5 you see above.
>
>> I can tell you that I only used the dos program to program my
>>scanner and that was it, with this program it runs almost all the
>>time.
>
>Hmmm, you left a lot of powerful tools unexplored.

What tools? Pro-Turbo does everything that the DOS version
does and more!

>
>> Do you like the what the DOS program does? If so this program
>>doe sit all and more, A?D conversion built in so now you can have a
>>signal strength meter and center tune meter, audio recording to your
>>harddirve so you don't need a couple hundred dollar Vader card.
>
>Sounds good, I wish I could try it out!

e-mail me

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>>
>> I don't know what else I can say to me it would be worth every
>>penny of $50 hell I would pay $100 for it to get a $300 interface that
>>just sits doing nothing.
>
>My interface does not sit around doing nothing. However, If there is
>a nifty upgrade like this sounds then I'm interested.
>

6332. Washingon CJTC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilrobnson@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918155356.04773.00001040@ng75.aol.com>
Source record: 143765

Does anyone happen to have freqs for the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Center (aka police academy) located in Normandy Park? Some of their cars have VHF-high antennas, but months of on-off listening to ALL the licensed washington state vhf-high and low freqs have provided nothing. Likewise with business bands. Someone said they may have BEEN using borrowed 800 simplex radios, but could not give any freqs. Can anyone help???
Thanks in advance,
Brett

6333. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918160654.01265.00002091@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143766

>From: "William J. Crawford" <wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net>
>Date: 9/18/98 3:23 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <3602B33E.522B8571@pop.omah.uswest.net>
>
>"G3+4c100"

Brother did you get your chain yanked big time! Now, you're a laughingstock! Why didn't you do what I suggested in the first place. Go into your newsreader and take out this newgroup. You put it in there, you must be able to figure out how to remove it. But don't keep sending unsubscribe and nonsense to the newsgroup--it ain't going to work--and it marks you as a complete amateur!

6334. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <3602BE6F.9228D2A5@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 143767

Another one ... I don't believe it ... some people need to learn how to use their computers. If you subscribed then you should be able to figure out how to un-subscribe.

Mike

William J. Crawford wrote:
>
> would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
> for your apprecation and cooperation.

6335. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <3602b311.10618669@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143768

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 11:53:28 -0500, "William J. Crawford"
<wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net> wrote:

>would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
>for your apprecation and cooperation.
>

We here at rec.radio.scanner would love to help you with this dilema,
however once subscribed, a mandatory 6 month Federal Cooling off
Policy is put into effect.
Please contact us after this period has expired. Or, when Mackey has.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

6336. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospamwbowery@bright.net
Message-ID: <6tufai$2ng$2@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 143769

In article <3601CCB9.A38966AF@pobox.com>, jerry r <jerryrc@pobox.com> wrote:
>I programmed 8 freqs between 856-860 mhz. Are is NYC. I have activity on
>all theses channels, but never hear anything in trunk mode. Nor do I
>"see" any codes. Antenna is external and manually these channels are ok.

My 895 has worked fine from day one, unlike some others who have posted here.
A few things to try:

First, make sure the frequencies you enter are for a Motorola system.

Second, make sure they all belong to the same system.

Third, make sure you enter them from the truntracking mode - not from
conventional scan mode.

If that doesn't help, it just might be broken after all!!

Warren Bowery

Remove the nospam to reply

6337. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: talley@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <09980818131307.OUI49.talley@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143770

On September 18 1998, you wrote:
>
> I think you're right. I wasn't 100% certain that I remembered the
> specs offhand (Up until a week or two ago, I thought I remembered
> hearing that Opto did Ericcson 8*)...

Someone answered a query last week saying that RS is coming out with a scanner that will do Ericcson this fall.

Somewhere else I read (was it you) that to do Ericcson you need a slicer and a discriminator tap. I'm not sure what that entails. I guess I also heard that OptoTrakker also requires a discriminator tap.

Anyway, maybe it's moot for me until LAPD stops using its single channel plus repeater per "fleet".

NOt that I listen to LAPD all that much. More interesting are the TV stations sending their choppers and newsmen around making our news. What a cynical bunch.

Chopper: I'm out here at Thousand Oaks and there's no sign of a brushfire.

Dispatch: Haven't you got a match or lighter?

6338. PRO-2004 Reduced !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <3602CBC9.6BA76D82@alaska.net>
Source record: 143771

I will sell the previous listed 2004 for $230+
ship

JM

6339. FS HTX 202 not 212

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fsmoyer@sgi.net
Message-ID: <3602CCF0.5E4C@sgi.net>
Source record: 143772

Correction to my last posting

For sale

HTX 202 5w HT 2m radio with alkaline and ni-cd pack

asking $100 dollars
around a year old

Frank Smoyer
fsmoyer@sgi.net

6340. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <xxtimkelly@axion.net>
Message-ID: <6tudqo$b5e$1@amanita.axion.net>
Source record: 143773

No you did it wrong!!!! now you read the instructions carefully and try
again!

William J. Crawford wrote in message
<3602B33E.522B8571@pop.omah.uswest.net>...
>"G3+4c100"
>
>

6341. Re: Bearcat 350 in Need of Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tul50$ilo@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143774

In <6ts0ij$if8@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) writes:
>
>In <19980916192845.13520.00000285@ng10.aol.com> bpowell632@aol.com
>(BPowell632) writes:
>>
>>
>>George wrote:>I have a Bearcat 350 which will not scan when it's
>turned on--It
>>appears
>>>to be "Locked up" and will do nothing!!
>>>
>>>Does anyone have any ideas on where to get it repaired---It's about
>15
>>>years old, and I would like to put it back in operation without too
>much
>>>hassle--thanks!!
>>
>>Uniden has a flat fee for factory repair it used to be $80 check with
>a local
>>dealer on how to reach them. Warning the fee applies wether or not
>they are
>>able to fix your radio!
>>
>> BP
>
>
> just got my mr8100 back from
> them...took three months to get
> it back.
>
> sent a check with order for prepayment
> mail it back right after fix.
>
> after awhile get a post card saying
> delivery date would be Aug 8, 1998.
>
> seems they sent the unit on July 28 and
> no one around to pay the COD fee...
> "COD FEE" you yell. Yes. They
> sent it that way after I sent them
> a check. Go Figure. wanted to
> eliminate the COD hassles.
>

> It was sent back. Called. They have
> no record of a check. No check
> cashed, so far.

Now on Sept. 18, 1998 I get my bank
statements and what do I spy: right.
The check they claimed did not arrive
with the unit when I sent it in for
repair end of June, 1998, was cashed.

They did not have a record of it and
so they demanded I use my credit card
for payment seeing as how their mistake
for sending it back COD was not wanted.

go figure: now they have two amounts
for which only one segment was completed
upon it.

UNIDEN is not very efficient. beware.
>
> Get this: I ask "when will I get it
> sent me?"
>
> This was on Aug 4, 1998. She says
> it will go out on Sept. 15, 1998.
>
> What?
>
> Just turn it around and rehip. I say.
>
> She says it has to be fixed first and it will
> take that long to fix.
>
> I tell her: "excuse me but it's been fixed".
>
> She says: "i'll put you on hold"
>
> six minutes she comes back...lucky I'm only
> paying .10 per minute. from Calif.
>
> she continues: "someone forgot to put a tag
> on it to reship. A form has to be filled in
> and i'll do it now"....etc.
>
> I got the unit on Tues.
>
> Three months.
>
> They seem to lose things very easy at Uniden.
>

> the fee: 49.95 flat rate for scanner...total
> 54.95 including shipment back.
>
> where did you get this 80 buck rate?
>
> bill conduit
> etc.
>
>
>

6342. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6tulb9$560@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143775

In <3601CCB9.A38966AF@pobox.com> jerry r <jerryrc@pobox.com> writes:
>
>I programmed 8 freqs between 856-860 mhz. Are is NYC. I have activity
on
>all theses channels, but never hear anything in trunk mode. Nor do I
>"see" any codes. Antenna is external and manually these channels are
ok.
>
>
>
are you sure you programmed it right?

sounds like you forgot to do the
frequency storage on the
trunk mode?

or the NYC is not Motorolla radio

if you don't see codes that is
a signal: the proper putting
in of the freq's in trunk mode
was never done or:

they use Ericsson radio

or : you don't have the control
freq in there...that sets up the
working of the unit.

bill conduit
etc.

6343. Re: Any interesting Birmingham AL frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aellery@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918191223.11372.00001284@ng12.aol.com>
Source record: 143776

Check out this web site for freqs:

http://members.aol.com/ke4oyn/scanner.html

6344. Re: My pro67 !?!?!?!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aellery@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918192106.11372.00001289@ng12.aol.com>
Source record: 143777

>Subject: Re: My pro67 !?!?!?!?
>From: jpryor@eng.utoledo.edu (Jeffrey M. Pryor)
>Date: Wed, Sep 16, 1998 14:04 EDT
>Message-id: <35fffce6.98108961@news.utoledo.edu>
>
>On Mon, 14 Sep 1998 19:30:05 GMT, open@REMOVETHISidirect.com (Mina
>Naguib) wrote:
>
>>I have been following this newsgroup for a while, and have not seen
>>mention of my scanner at alll.. I have a radioshack PRO67... is it
>>that bad that nobody else owns one ? am I missing out on something
>>here ??
>
>I own a Pro-67, it was the first scanner I bought. It's a trusty
>little handheld, and got it for a good price when they first came out.
>They were only out for about a year, maybe that is why not much is
>heard about them.
>
>Jeff

I agree with Jeff -- a solid value overall (at the sale price). Good audio, great display and backlight, and fast scanning speed (~60 cps). I think RS decided to concentrate on trunktracking radios, so this and th PRO-64 had a short shelf life in the stores.

Allen

6345. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Phipps <sphipps@clandjop.com>
Message-ID: <6tumre$fqv@news3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143778

What's up with all these people posting "subscribe" and "unsubscribe"
messages to public newsgroups? Seems like over the last month or so lots of
people have been doing this in many of the major newsgroups...

SP

William J. Crawford wrote in message
<36029008.564A5A45@pop.omah.uswest.net>...
>would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
>for your apprecation and cooperation.

6346. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3601a730.4624243@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
and nothing has showen up yet.
$50 is not allot of money for a program that will run under
windows and let you still use your computer, I am running a P100 and
doing a search and store at the same time and am running about 25% on
the CPU usage, try that with the DOS version. What did you pay for
your interface in the first place $300? And you really need a second
computer to use the thing because under windows it uses 100% of the
cpu and that is about all you can do with it
Bill Gates? No we don't think we are him, but with the time
and money we have invested in this program and no one sends e-mail
thanking us for it or telling us it sucks or is great or even talk
about it in the newsgroups? We figure why waste our time giving it
away and not even getting thanked or anything. Hell since it has been
available on the net here we have had 3 major changes to it and still
nothing. You could download it and run it all you wanted
nothing on it was disabled it everything was 100% functional and no
one would tell us anything so down it came.

People have had all kinds of time to download and evaluate the
program and not have to pay any shipping costs and yet no one cared.
THis $50 program makes a $300 interface usable again.
I can tell you that I only used the dos program to program my
scanner and that was it, with this program it runs almost all the
time.
Do you like the what the DOS program does? If so this program
doe sit all and more, A?D conversion built in so now you can have a
signal strength meter and center tune meter, audio recording to your
harddirve so you don't need a couple hundred dollar Vader card.

I don't know what else I can say to me it would be worth every
penny of $50 hell I would pay $100 for it to get a $300 interface that
just sits doing nothing.

On Thu, 17 Sep 1998 21:34:12 GMT, tgreenli@NoSpam#Please.vr-net.com
wrote:

>I went to this WEB page and the download has been removed. It said
>something about nobody sending him any money. I think it has to do
>with the $50 price tag and $15 shipping cost. I mean come on $65 for
>a program I cant check out first. Who does he think he is Bill Gates?

>;-) Has anybody tried this program? Is it worth the money?
>
>Thanks,
>Tom
>
>On Sun, 13 Sep 1998 21:17:21 GMT, in alt.radio.scanner you wrote:
>
>>
>> It's now HERE!!
>> Pro-Turbo
>>
>> Now Updated to do even more!
><SNIP>
>> So if you would like to give it a try, you can download the
>>program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>>
>>

6347. pro 46 help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0jio@delphi.com
Message-ID: <6tsb2u$ehs@lotho.delphi.com>
Source record: 143806

Hi, I'm getting a pro 46, and as I'm a blind guy, I'd be interested in knowing if either someone has a copy of the instructions in ascii that they could email me, or if you're in the Denver area, I'd appreciate a few tips about the unit.
Thanks,

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* * * * * * * *
| BILL K. *
| THE *
| DENVER DUDE *
* * * * * * * *
BILL KOPPELMANN
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6348. Re: FS:Message Tracker Software Ver 3.12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cabletek73@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980917212218.21124.00001422@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143807

This has been sold.

6349. FS: Pro-2006 / G-Wiz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bat22@iquest.net
Message-ID: <6tsd8n$50c$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 143808

Pro-2006 with G-Wiz board installed. Have box, manual and antenna. Will sell for $325 with G-Wiz board or $275 without it (price includes shipping). I will accept pre-payment in the form of cashiers check or money order....

Mike N9LFN
Noblesville, IN.USA

6350. WTB; Icom 7100 & RS2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3602c1a4.14600093@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 143809

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Wanted: Icom 7100 Also want Radio Shack 2006
Reply email with price and condition.
Rich
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6351. Re: Racing Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <3601c7a6.3334693@news2.penn.com>
Source record: 143810

On Thu, 17 Sep 1998 21:17:37 -0500, Jim & Wendy Ray <jpray@swbell.net>
wrote:

>I've spent an hour or so looking for a free source of scanner radio
>frequencies for racing series. In particular, SCCA's Trans Am, and
>CART's Indy car series. Would appreciate it if anyone could give me a
>lead where to find a list. Thanks for the help.
>
>Jim
>

Try www.speedworld.net
I know they have at least Nascar freq.

6352. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3603c7fc.13021610@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

200 downloads and only one e-mail on it

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 01:59:38 GMT, kryppy_X@bellsouth.net (Jack) wrote:

>On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 00:41:59 GMT, jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)
>wrote:
>
>> Well finally someone is going to talk about this program. 2
>>or 3 months of posting it here and no one has said anything about it,
>>just download it as soon as a new version comes out. We have had one
>>person ask about sending in the registration but that wa a month ago
>>and nothing has showen up yet.
>
>I wonder how many people in here have a working CE/232, I've been
>meaning to ask how many downloads you've had. I wonder how many people
>have os456/535's out there..that's what I have. I just mentioned
>working an os456 program and got allot of response from people. I
>think I will work on that again! Good luck, all I can say is port it
>to the OS456/535!
>
>
>-
>
>26.1972800/-080.1707083
>Fort Lauderdale, FL
>http://broward.home.ml.org

6353. bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerry r <jerryrc@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <3601CCB9.A38966AF@pobox.com>
Source record: 143812

I programmed 8 freqs between 856-860 mhz. Are is NYC. I have activity on all theses channels, but never hear anything in trunk mode. Nor do I "see" any codes. Antenna is external and manually these channels are ok.

6354. Niagara Region (Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3601fa0a.944545@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 143813

Hello all.
Just to inform you all on what's going on.
REcently (Last Friday), St. Catharines Fire Department switched to
155.445 for primary dispatch (the city ONLY)
In regards to the Niagara Voice Radio Project:
Two systems are on the floor:
1. a 900MHz Fully Digital w/encryption trunking system to be
implemented for Police, Fire, Ambulance (mabye) and REgional Works.
2. a 900MHz ANALOG system with selective encryption for above users.

It looks like number 2 is the choice, as it is about half the price.
(And won't piss off as many people :-)

More when it happens..
MIke

6355. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918001306.26548.00001058@ng144.aol.com>
Source record: 143814

Hmmm. Sounds like it's broken. Most of them are. Take it back and give up.

6356. Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <MPG.106bac8a596f83579896a0@news.naplesfl.net>
Source record: 143815
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Will a decent portable short wave receiver (considering a Sangean ATS 909) give me better performance than a AOR 8000, 8200 or a Yupiteru 7100, 9000 for shortwave receiving?

Thank you in advance for any help you can offer..

Digital Man

if replying by email remove the xxspam from my email address

6357. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918003120.29853.00001116@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 143816

paul us or euro version

6358. PRO2006 Baseband audio output ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stormtracker <Stormtracker@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bde2c1$d47a6b00$e9214f0c@default>
Source record: 143817

Can someone tell me where to tap into to get the baseband audio output on a pro 2006, for the purpose of ctcss tone decoding via the Wintone decoding program.
TIA
KM
Fairfield County Fire Monitoring

6359. FS: BC760XLT 100ch scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Gilligan <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <3601F64D.89AEFA2A@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 143818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I have for sale (1) Bearcat 760XLT 100 ch. scanner
w/ the CTCSS/PL board installed. Included is the AC
adapter and a BNC telescopic antenna. Book avail too.
No box. Works great. Not mint condition, but works
fine and looks good. Not modified for cell, but probably
capable (never looked into it). Will let go for $165 shipped
via USPS only. Price is firm, reply if interested, I don't
read newsgroup regularly.

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Sean M. Gilligan (CompSci '01)
Box C252, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA 18015
Email: smg3@lehigh.edu
Phone: 610.317.2932 / 609.275.2965
ICQ: 4055292

You're never gonna die, you're gonna make it if
you try; they're gonna love you. --Pink Floyd

6360. Newbie Handheld scanner recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <3603fa7c.34690161@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 143819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hi,

I'm looking for a good (best?) handheld scanner. Which ones should I
be looking at?

Thanks for any advise. John

* remove "NOSPAM" for e-mail replies.

6361. Re: Detroit Dispositon Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com>
Message-ID: <360200EB.9F9C2BFC@mich.com>
Source record: 143820

Karl Dahlquist wrote:

> am monitoring MDTs

cool

>
>
> Tim Tyler <ttyler@mich.com> wrote in message 35F63E14.78502EE@mich.com...
> >Are you monitoring the MDTs, or are you just curious about the couple MDT
> >disposition codes they sometimes mention over voice-radio, such as AFR
> (Alarm
> >False, Residence), NPF (No Problem Found), FLT (Flat Tire), etc?
> >
> >XFile112 wrote:
> >
> >> Hi! Does anyone happen to know the disposition codes for the Detroit
> Police
> >> Department? Any help would be greatly appreciated..Thanx
> >> Brad
> >> XFile112@aol.com
> >
> >
> >
> >--
> >Tim Tyler
> >ttyler@mich.com
> >http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/
> >
> >

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Tim Tyler
ttyler@mich.com
http://www.mich.com/~ttyler/

6362. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: zortman@rifle.net
Message-ID: <6tsqnm$ph7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143821

Yes it can! After I'd sold my BC3000XLT and purchased a BC895XLT base our electricity went out. Spent the next 3 hours looking at my new base and wondering what was going on. I learned a lesson though!! 1st scanner always a handheld, 2nd scanner a base!
Paul
In article <19980917130801.28335.00001183@ng66.aol.com>, mecaswell@aol.com (MECaswell) wrote:
>
> I'd probably going to buy a Pro-90 next time they go on sale. I realize that
> these handhelds are designed primarily for scanning on the move, but can they
> also effectively serve as a base scanner if an external antenna is added?
>
> If it WON'T work well, I may just buy a Pro 2050 now (while they're on sale)
> and possibly pick up a handheld later.
>
> --Mike
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6363. RE: help: I need a scanner frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: itm123@usa.net
Message-ID: <6tt0v3kvb1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143822

I went to the library and to radio shack. The library had no scanner frequency references and the radio shack frequency reference had basicly police/ems frequencies, but no animal control frequencies. So if you can find that frequency, I'll greatly appreciate it. I know it's a long shot, but it's worth a try to listen.

Thanks

Daniel

I wrote yesterday:

If someone could provide me with the frequency for the
Prince Georges county Maryland Animal control (P.G. county)
I would appreciate it.

I lost my dog about 2 months ago, and I'd like to monitor it incase there is any descriptions for a dog like mine.

We've contacted every place we could, and put up flyiers of course, checked various dogs which weren't ours. note: if you find a lost dog, and can't foster it a home, please make sure you turn over to a animal control facility that has a no kill policy. There are usually a few animal shelters in the area. Try www.spca.org.

I've searched the web, deja news, and my old file archives, but I can't seem to find the frequency. If you have one of those frequency databases, I would greatly appreciate your help.

I guess I will go to a bookstore or radioshack and look it up, hopefully I can find that.

Thanks for your time/help!

Daniel.

emial: itm@netkonnect.net
plz cc: itm123@usa.net

6364. ? What is a G-Wiz Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Paletta <peach@pulsenet.com>
Message-ID: <6tt0pc$3m1@news.PULSENET.COM>
Source record: 143823

I own a RS 2006 and have heard of a G-Wiz board.

What is a G-Wiz board ?

New and naive Joe

Thanks

6365. What is the right thing to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13141-360203AF-127@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143824

This is kind of off topic-but does have to do with scanner.I sold a scanner-not on this newsgroup.Anyway I shipped this scanner Priority Mail uninsured (abscence of mind-not on purpose).Anyway the scanner was shipped.The buyer checked his mail and saw a note on a piece of junkmail.The postman scribbled "package at the door".When the buyer looked for it it wasn't there.It was stolen.The postman said since it wasn't insured he has the option of leaving it at the doorstep rather than having the person come pick it up at the post office.MY ? TO YOU IS WOULD YOU REFUND THE MONEY FOR THE SCANNER? Initially there was no talk about insurance.I always insure otherwise though. I think this is more of a theft issue and not an insurance issue and almost always works out that it doesn't get stolen.What would you do? no flames please

6366. Re: Newbie Handheld scanner recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aad <AvStrien@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6tt3sh$7bu$1@newnews.nl.uu.net>
Source record: 143825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

There is no best scanner yet, each one has friend and foe. You should specify what you want, what you can afford, etc.

Prices range from some $50 for used handhelds up to several hundred$ top-of-the-line scanners like Yupiteru MVT-9000, AOR AR-8200, Icom IC-R10 and Alinco DJ-X10.

As with the price, there is wide variety in features, options, bells, whistles, need-to-haves, nice-to-haves, better-not-to-haves and better-leave-outs (like cell blocks).

Good luck, and take a look at http://www.strongsignals.net/, Rich Wells' highly appreciated scanner site, packed with tips and reviews of lots and lots of scanners.

Good luck!

Aad

john@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote in message
<3603fa7c.34690161@news.ncal.verio.com>...
>Hi,
>
>I'm looking for a good (best?) handheld scanner. Which ones should I
>be looking at?
>
>Thanks for any advise. John
>
>* remove "NOSPAM" for e-mail replies.

6367. Re: What is the right thing to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <3602190F.1D3B28A2@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 143826

That's a pretty crappy situation all around. I think I would refund his (the buyers) money and file a claim with my homeowners insurance.

It's worth a try ... Good luck

Mike

Bruce K wrote:
>
> This is kind of off topic-but does have to do with scanner.I sold a
> scanner-not on this newsgroup.Anyway I shipped this scanner Priority
> Mail uninsured (abscence of mind-not on purpose).Anyway the scanner was
> shipped.The buyer checked his mail and saw a note on a piece of
> junkmail.The postman scribbled "package at the door".When the buyer
> looked for it it wasn't there.It was stolen.The postman said since it
> wasn't insured he has the option of leaving it at the doorstep rather
> than having the person come pick it up at the post office.MY ? TO YOU IS
> WOULD YOU REFUND THE MONEY FOR THE SCANNER? Initially there was no talk
> about insurance.I always insure otherwise though. I think this is more
> of a theft issue and not an insurance issue and almost always works out
> that it doesn't get stolen.What would you do? no flames please

6368. Re: PRO-2004 Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wapcutthispart@ica.net
Message-ID: <360196b3.1470122@news>
Source record: 143827

leigh@rain.org (Leigh Marrin/KM6JE) wrote:

>The display is dim, and pressing the "dimmer" switch has no effect.
>Any suggestions on where to start trouble-shooting? I hope it's not
>the LCD display itself going bad, as I suppose that's now
>unreplaceable, right?

Sounds like the EL panel is shot. RS no longer stocks replacements.
The LCD is not the problem. You may be able to buy an oversized EL
panel and trim it to fit. I hear it's a bit of a PITA to replace.

>Mine is missing the antenna. (I'm using a 2 meter telescoping
>half-wave whip on it currently.) What did the original antenna look
>like that it originally came with?

I got mine used and it had a telescoping whip with a right angle
BNC connector. Not sure if it comes with a second antenna.

>I found the cell mod; looks easy. I also found in the same file a
>mod to up the number of channels from 300 to 400, and increase the
>scanning speed by adding two diodes. Do these latter two mods work
>well? If so, I wonder why the 2004 was made without these
>easy-to-add features.

All the mods work fine. The stock performance of the radio matches
the specs that RS supplied. RS didn't want to offer the equivalent
of a 2005 at that time.

>Does the set of front panel membrane switches hold up well? Must be
>close to impossible to replace a single set of defective contacts
>without replacing the whole thing, which must be now unavailable.

I think it'll hold up OK, but take care of it since 2004 parts
are generally unavailable. If the keypad wears out, you'll still
have the option of hooking up an external keypad or controlling
it with a PC.

>All in all, an excellent scanner for the mere $100 I paid for it. I
>also have a PRO-2005, and the older 2004 actually has better audio
>than the internal speaker of the 2005. (More bass; less tinny.)

Yes, I remember mine having good audio.

...Andy

*** Remove anti-spam text to reply directly ***

6369. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <36023AA1.39BB6CDE@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 143828
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dan wrote:
> Will a decent portable short wave receiver (considering a Sangean
> ATS 909) give me better performance than a AOR 8000, 8200 or a
> Yupiteru 7100, 9000 for shortwave receiving?

Most definitely. Read some of my reviews on the above radios where
I compare my ATS-909 to them.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

6370. Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3606ebe1.25079262@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143629

Web site for downloading back up!

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.

You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to have a look, you can get more information
on the program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

6371. UPDATE:4 SCANNERS 4-SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919135905.03751.00001109@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 143630

TWO PRO 2042'S. ONE ALINCO DJ-X10, TRIDENT2400.PRICES ARE ON YESTERDAYS POST.

6372. Re: Avoid low end internal WinRadio - WinRadio WR-3100e, OK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: no_spam@please.com
Message-ID: <36040d2b.9779371@news.nabi.net>
Source record: 143631
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner

Greetings Victor..

On Fri, 11 Sep 1998 11:52:27 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>I agree Icom IMHO PCR-1000 external PC radio makes a better radio then low
>end inernal WinRadio when comparing them dollar for dollar, USA support for
>USA support, and quality for quality. The truly expensive WinRadio WR-3100e
>sounds like a good deal if you can afford it. This is a good external
>version. It had better be for that price!
>
>Putting the radio card inside a computer is in the long run a bad idea for a
>variety of reasons. Noise being a big one. Isa bus is another. All the key
|
Putting ANY microprocessor that runs on harmonically rich square waves near
ANY receiver isn't a 'good thing'. Ultimately, for absolute lowest noise
floor, we wouldn't have any of these processors near the vicinity of a
receiver at all. Since the introduction of the processor into the receiver
its been an ongoing battle against phase noise in relation to the receiver.
Especially in concert with very weak signals.

Cheers,
Gary

snip

6373. Frequency Detection and Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Rinehart <tlrine@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u1475$h6f$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143632

I am seeking the assistance of a communications engineer or someone familiar with communications signal to locate a signal. I am not familiar with communication signals except with the concepts of frequency hopping and hiding one signal inside of another signal at the same frequency. If anyone knows of someone willing to do this type of frequency searching, please let me know. I can be contacted at tlrine@gte.net.

Terry

6374. pro-64 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0jio@delphi.com
Message-ID: <6u14uv$90t@lotho.delphi.com>
Source record: 143633

Hi, I have another pro-64 question for you. I notice that the power supply that I bought to charge the battery pack for this scanner has a jack on it which also fits the scanner as well as the jack on the recharger box. Is it just possible that the radio could be powered by this supply as well as the charger pack? If not, why not?
also, just how long can that scanner, or scanners from the Shack in general hold frequencies while the batteries are out of it? I ask, because as far as I know, the rechargeable battery pack must be taken out of the radio to be charged and so I was wondering if I need to keep the other pack filled with batteries for when I charge the pack or what?
sorry to bother you with this, but since I'm unable to read the instruction book, I don't know how to find out easily.
thanks,

BILL K.
THE DOGGIE MAN
FROM DENVER
VIA NET TAMER

6375. Re: State Scanner and RADAR Detector Laws

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919164740.08613.00001977@ng97.aol.com>
Source record: 143634

scanners and radar detectors are legal in utah

6376. !!FREQUENCY REQUEST PLEASE HELP!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbpkrsno1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919174213.14660.00001785@ng11.aol.com>
Source record: 143635

CAN ANYONE GIVE ME THE FREQUENCIES USED BY THE GREENBAY PACKERS, CINNCINNATI BENGALS AND ALSO THE FREQUENCIES USED BY NFL FILMS ID APPRECIATE THE HELP. PLEASE POST THEM HERE IF YOU CAN HELP. THANKS

6377. Discriminator output in an ICOM R-10 receiver?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccabras@REMOVE_THIS.hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36042737.0@news2.ibm.net>
Source record: 143636

Is it possible to make a discriminator output mod in an ICOM R-10
receiver?

I found some information about a discriminator output mod in an
ICOM R-1:

"SCANNER DISCRIMINATOR CHIP PINS OF INTEREST
CKT RF-in SCAN AUDIO
SCANNER NFM CHIP TYPE SYMBOL Pin Pin BASEBAND
Icom R-1 NFM TK-10487 DET-A IC-1 20 Q1 11
Icom R-1 WFM TA-7787AF DET-B IC-1 16 7 9 "

I'm not sure these mods are applicable in the R-10. Does Anyone have some
experience with that?

C. Cabras
ccabras@REMOVE_THIS.hotmail.com

6378. A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u19t8$54es$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143637
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Thanks to the many of you who have written regarding the Los Angeles Fire Department's stance in regards to the Amateur Radio Community.

Khalil Ladjevardi wrote...

> On Sept 16, 1998, at approx 4:30 pm PDT, I returned to my home to find my
> amateur radio antennas brutally vandalized and destroyed. Pieces of my
> antennas were dangling off of the roof and certain parts were found on
the
> sidewalk in front of my condominium building.
>
> After several enquiries, I discovered that the members of my homeowners
> association in conjunction with the management company willfully committed
> this act. The Vice-President of the my homeowners' association told me "
> The Homeowners' group was acting on direct orders of Los Angeles City Fire
> Department (LAFD) Capt. Randall Judd, and Fireman Charles R. Palacios (
> both are at Fire Station 092) who told them that it was in the public
> interest to commit acts of vandalism against amateur radio operators by
> destroying their antennas".
>
> I am a member of several volunteer organization engaged in the business of
> handling emergency and health and welfare traffic for law-enforcement,
fire
> departments and the United states military among other groups.
>
> The Los Angeles City Fire Department has now officially gone on record
with
> the position that amateur radio operators and their antennas are a direct
> hazard to public safety.
>
> Is this the end of amateur radio as we know it ?
>
> Should amateur operators stop all community activities because their
> services are no longer needed ?
>
> I will let you decide..
>
> 73 de
> K6FCC
> NNNOBSB (Navy-Marine Corps MARS)
> (Khalil Ladjevardi)

I know Khalil and he is a very nice man. There can be no doubt WHATSOEVER as to his dedication to the community at large and to the men and women of

public safety in particular. Please let me make that perfectly clear.

The situation that Mr Ladjevardi finds himself in is certainly unfortunate. At this time, his course of contact and complaint is specifically with his Homeowner's Association, and if he feels wronged (directly or indirectly) by a City Employee - the City Attorney's Office. I have offered him contacts for the latter, and frankly do not know the status of his inquiry or negotiations.

Khalil specifically wrote...

> The Los Angeles City Fire Department has now officially gone on record with
> the position that amateur radio operators and their antennas are a direct
> hazard to public safety.

It is clear that Khalil is incensed that his property suffered damage. I certainly have no quarrel with that. None of us stand for having our hard-earned goods damaged or destroyed. I think it important however, for the reader to review Khalil's statement:

>....I discovered that the members of my homeowners
> association in conjunction with the management company willfully committed
> this act.

I offer this only to the many of you who somehow surmised that the Fire Department had gone and torn down the antennas. That is NOT the case, nor does Khalil infer it to be.

Khalil is a calm and logical person, so it is apparent (to me at least) that this situation has aggravated him immensely.

Please let me return to another statement:

> The Vice-President of the my homeowners' association told me "
> The Homeowners' group was acting on direct orders of Los Angeles City Fire
> Department (LAFD) Capt. Randall Judd, and Fireman Charles R. Palacios (
> both are at Fire Station 092) who told them that it was in the public
> interest to commit acts of vandalism against amateur radio operators by
> destroying their antennas".

Please note that this is a quoted statement (and possibly the opinion of) the VICE PRESIDENT OF HIS HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION [emphasis added]. I know of
no such statement by any of our members. The Vice-President of his HOA does not speak for the LAFD!!

Most distressing however, is (Khalil's understandable opinion), which many of you took as "fact" or even "current LAFD policy". See below.

Khalil wrote...

> The Los Angeles City Fire Department has now officially gone on record with

> the position that amateur radio operators and their antennas are a direct
> hazard to public safety.

I'll let that statement speak for itself. With no disrespect for Khalil, I feel that members of the Amateur Radio Community are astute enough to determine whether or not we have categorically and "officially" declared (and I quote his quote):

>amateur radio operators and their antennas are a direct hazard to public safety

Anyone who knows the LAFD knows that we would never and have never made such a blanket declaration.

The whole story has yet to be written, and again, the principal players in this scenario are his Homeowner's Association and the City Attorney's office.

Though I do not think that Khalil meant any harm to our reputation. I am saddened that our agency's official view of the Amateur Radio Community has been somewhat besmirched by those who may have mis-interpreted his statement(s).

I wish Khalil the best in his dealings with his HOA and the City Attorney's Office. I am also hopeful and indeed comforted in knowing that he can turn to his many friends in the Amateur Radio Community for support (legal and otherwise) as he confronts:

- His Homeowner's Association
- The City Attorney's Officer

I offer this reply not in an antagonistic manner, but only in the course of my duties, which is to defend the acts and image of the men and women who regularly place the needs and often lives of others ahead of their own.

Very Truly Yours,

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

PS: My e-mailbox is already overflowing with mail on this matter, and I cannot possibly offer a personal reply to all.

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6379. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Carlyle <rcarlyle@intop.net>
Message-ID: <360429E1.5030@intop.net>
Source record: 143638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

All I can say is that you better have a few ham repeaters programed into your portable radio or base station raedy to be used before you even think of transmitting on the police frequency.

ROB C
911 ComCen
Manager

6380. PRO2004 FS THIS ONE CAN DO IT ALL!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwantenna@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919182902.26783.00001861@ng43.aol.com>
Source record: 143639

I HAVE A VIRGIN PRO-2004 FOR SALE WITH ALL ACCESORIES AND MANUALS. THIS UNIT CAN BE MODIFIED FOR CELL FREQS/ SPEED/ AND MUCH MORE. TRIPLE CONVERSION RECEIVER. EXCELLENT APPEARENCE ASKING $ 250.00 AND I'LL PICK UP UPS TO ANTWHERE IN US. I CAN PROCESS VISA/MC/NOVUS CARDS OR POSTAL MONEY ORDER. PLEASE E-MAIL IF INTERESTED. RICH

6381. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: chasgood@#earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36043158.10009813@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143640
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 19:33:51 -0600, dcisive@earthlink.net (Lee Rothman) wrote:

>In my humble opinion, LOL, I would say that the only true portable that >would obviously outperform the handheld scanner-shortwave radios today >would be something of the level of the Sony ICF-2010. It's synchronous >selectable sideband would allow superior rough condition listening. >Otherwise I don't feel the differences are all that marked.

Sony the one and only.
I have had a ICF-2010 for ten years. It has been a great radio. They cost the same now as they did then. IMHO Only a $500 - $1000 SW tabletop would be any better. Drake and Lowe make some good ones.
On the Scanner side I have three. A old AOR 2002 , RS 2022 and the Bearcat SC 150.
Buy seperate radios and put up a good antenna for each one. Then you have the best of both worlds.

Sony 2010 $350 portable but not that small.
Drake SW8 $500 has a handle but not truely portable. bigger than the 2010

Radio Netherlands has some good SW reviews. Receiver Shopping List-
http://www.rnw.nl/realradio/index.html

There are many good scanners priced from $150 to $300

Good luck
Charlie

6382. Updated OS456 freeware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36043e2c.12174421@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143641
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I made some changes to the OS456 freeware program.
I had it hooked up to a laptop in my car today and it was very
interesting to say the least! Will now work on all comports, baudrates
and CIV ID's. If someone would try it on something other then an
OS456/535 I'd like the results, might even work on a CIV bus but who
knows...
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Network/8916/civtest.html

Also there is the most awesome Apftools by reid_drummond@hotmail.com
now freeware but WELL worth the small price he asked. If you have any
text files of freq's check it out for sure!!!!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6383. Re: BC3000 DC Power Cord

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <360441e1.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 143642

>The only negatives I have with my UBC3000 are the Uniden battery pack vs just
>"AA"s and the absence of a seperate power port that just runs the radio
>without overcharging said battery pack (like the PRO- 26). What we are talking
>about here is a DC pwr cord running a fully charged battery pack from 12
>volts. Will it overcharge the battery pack if the radio is on? Unlike the
>BC3000, the UBC3000 came with neither AC recharger nor DC cigar lighter pwr.
>cord. Jim

I don't like the fact that when the battery pack dies... you have to
replace the battery pack with a new (or rebuild) one before you can run the
radio again. Once the batteries die, you can not run the radio off regular ac
power anymore, until you replace the dead battery pack.

Maybe Uniden will fix this with the new TRUNKTRACKING 3000 (hahah).

Other than that, radio still kicks ass.

6384. WANTED R-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Giron <sgiron@gte.netSPAMBLOCK>
Message-ID: <6u1k4n$4b3$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143643

Wanted.. ICOM R7100.

Have ICOM 820H satellite radio in exchange.
2meter / 440 transciever.
High stability crystal installed.
HM-12 Mike and original box, manuals.
Uses same basic case / frame as the 7100.

73
Steve
AD6GO

6385. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.106e0e2c40b96be0989777@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143644

Seeeeeeeeeeeeee, I told you so.

6386. for sale pro 64 AND pro 2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas <thomas@netplex.net>
Message-ID: <36046E7F.B1006DAC@netplex.net>
Source record: 143645

pro 64 400 channel hand held scanner fairly new looks bran new
$175 with manual

pro 2030 80 channel base radio a few years old but works great!! $70

6387. Stuff for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dockery <mdockery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36047df5.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 143646
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

AOR-8000 full coverage, excellent condition with carry case, original antenna, owners manual. $365.00, BC235 Trunktracker like new in box with all accessories $175.00, MFJ-1213 Data Slicer interface for pager, mdt, trunked radio control channel decoding, etc. unused in original box. $40.00. Shipping is included in prices.

Mike Dockery
Denver, CO

6388. Southern California scanning "reflector"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <6u1ut3$gp5@news.snowcrest.net>
Source record: 143647
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

For Southern California scanner buffs...and those traveling that way, there is a new scanner "reflector," kind of like this one, called "socalscan," at:

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/socalscan

Harry Marnell, N6URU
marnells@snowcrest.net

6389. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: iguard@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21935-3604779B-10@newsd-104.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143648

Please do not think that all WebTVer"s are ALL
airheads there are a lot of us who feel like y'all
do when someone is new and inexpereniced
on the web. Besides is he a WebTV user or
a PC user(I use WTV for the net and a Mac
for everything else).

-----CharlieC

Send all E-Mail to: ex-PH2@Do-Not-Spam.com
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ScanWichita: TrunkTracker Talkgroups for
Wichita-Sedgwick County, KS:
http://scanwichita.cjb.net
Registered Monitor-----KKS0BQ
Member:-Citizen Police Academy Alumni
              Association
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Kill spam and sleaze! Join CAUCE today... http://www.CAUCE.org/ I also
reserve the right to POST all inappropriate or otherwise bothersome
EMAILS received and I WILL send copies to Abuse or Postmaster
@yourdomain.
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6390. FS : RS Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6u1olqsgq1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

$300 Firm....Box and Manual included....

6391. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <MPG.106cc47373b3b0939896a1@news.naplesfl.net>
Source record: 143693
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Thanks guys (great explanation Jake). I thought this might be the
case. Rich I have read just about every one of your scanner reviews,
but forgot you mentioned the Sangean in some of your reviews....
Back to Strong Signals for some more intense reading....

I wanted to be able to get decent shortwave reception, and also get a
scanner. Instead of trying (or maybe hoping!) to find a do it
all radio I think the best thing for me now is to get both.
I think for now I will get the Sangean ATS 909 and either a
BC235xlt or Sony ICF-SC1PC (because it comes with a complete
computer control package). After improvements are made, I get
some good experience, and more results are in, maybe move to an
AOR 8200 or Trident TRX-100XLT (if it proves to be worthwhile), to
replace the Sony scanner.

Dan remove the "xxspam" if replying by email

In article <MPG.106bac8a596f83579896a0@news.naplesfl.net>,
xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net says...
> Will a decent portable short wave receiver (considering a Sangean
> ATS 909) give me better performance than a AOR 8000, 8200 or a
> Yupiteru 7100, 9000 for shortwave receiving?
>
> Thank you in advance for any help you can offer..
>
> Digital Man
>
> **if replying by email remove the xxspam from my email address**
>

6392. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Badger <thermionic@techie.com>
Message-ID: <2gDM1.108$Gd.440254@news4.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143694

Steve Phipps wrote in message <6tumre$fqv@news3.newsguy.com>...
>What's up with all these people posting "subscribe" and "unsubscribe"
>messages to public newsgroups? Seems like over the last month or so lots of
>people have been doing this in many of the major newsgroups...

Yea, there is a guy on one of the rec.radio.amateur.* groups doing
everything
short of threatening to call his lawyer if "you people dont unsubscribe me
from this
mailing list" Geesh. Some folks must have just installed Win98, ran Outlook
Express,
and subscribed to ALL newsgroups......

Just my opinion.

Tom Norris
badger@telalink.net

(who runs Win 98, AND Outlook Express, but has the sense to know
the difference between mail and newsgroups)

6393. MTS / IMTS Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bde367$95f5ea20$791e31d1@default>
Source record: 143695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

About a month ago I was intouch with some one about MTS and IMTS Radio Telephone equipment.

I have lost your info. If you still wish me to see what I have that you can use in your display, let me know.

Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

6394. Another WOGER WACKO WEEKEND? Did He Find a New Provider in Time?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919010100.VAA07231@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143696

All is quiet as Friday night approacheth...but that could change before the weekend is over. Will WOGER WACKO be able to find a new ISP in time to give us a third consecutive WOGER WACKO WEEKEND?

Stay tuned...

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6395. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919010300.VAA12931@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143697

In article <2gDM1.108$Gd.440254@news4.atl.bellsouth.net>, "Badger"
<thermionic@techie.com> writes:

>Yea, there is a guy on one of the rec.radio.amateur.* groups doing
>everything
>short of threatening to call his lawyer

Lawyer? Must be the OYE BOY!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6396. Trade for a ICOM R-10 reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8ppz73@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918223713.08289.00001384@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 143698

Howdy's I am in desperate need of an R-10 handheld reciever.

I have the following items I would be willing to trade

Like new HTX-202 with standard accy's(no box)

2 Sharp VHS-C camcorders, both same model, one works, other doesn't

would be willing to trade all of this for just one R-10.

Thanks,

Grego, N8PPZ
http://members.aol.com/n8ppz73/milscan.htm

6397. help: MDT Decoding doesn't work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Schop <E-mail.Our.House@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36031C16.ED63318F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143699

I'm having troubles getting the MDTW1234 program to pick up transmissions on my IBM Thinkpad. I have a descriminator tap from my BC-895xlt and a hammcomm type interface. I can pick up paging signals with pd204 (with 90% - 100% accuracy) and trunking data signals with Trunker3.0X just fine, but when i run MDTW1234 all i get is:

Listening for signal on Com1:

and nothing.

Can anyone help? Oh i also live in Seattle, Wa.... if anyone that lives near and is interested in digital scanning, please conntact me. I'm look for SPD MDT frecuencies and someone with who i can share info on this topic.

Joel
e-mail.our.house@worldnet.att.net

6398. Re: My pro67 !?!?!?!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hose92@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918225723.22602.00001198@ng146.aol.com>
Source record: 143700

u r right they are concentrating on tt now

6399. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerry r <jerryrc@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <360321C4.F605F873@pobox.com>
Source record: 143701

I have the 895XLT scanner programmed correctly now and the truunking part is working very well.

I purchased the software with it made by scannermaster, called scannermaster 895.

I was VERY surprised that this software will NOT let me enter PL freqs or Fleet info.

So if you leave the power off and go on vacation, scanner loses it's memory and when you reload it NO PL or Trunking fleet lists.

6400. Re: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: REMOVEkf5oj@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <3603208a.1706956@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 143702

On Tue, 15 Sep 1998 23:10:36 -0400, "David L Litz" <dlitz@wdn.com>
wrote:

>Does anybody no how to get the descriminating audio out of the scanner? I
>would like to use it to decode some signaling.
>
>David
>
The posts that are in this thread are not the best choice for
discriminator tap point. Greg Knox posted a message and a JPG file
concerning this. If someone would provide a place to archive this, I
would be glad to email it to that person. I don't think that Mr. Knox
would mind.

The jpg was originally posted to alt.binaries.pictures.radio

Clifton Turner KF5OJ

6401. PRO2042, ALINCO DJ-X10, TRIDENT2400 4-SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918231643.15021.00001432@ng114.aol.com>
Source record: 143703

I am selling these three scanners which all are in mint condition, manual, boxes ect. The prices are as follow; The 2042,$225.00, ALINCO$325.00, AND THE TRIDENT FOR $225.00.I will also sell as a pkg deal $700.00.P.S. I PROBABLY WILL BE GETTING ONE MORE 2042 NEW ALSO. THANKS TO ALL.

6402. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner, KD5EIS" <NoOne@NoWhere.net>
Message-ID: <6tv89n$ser@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143704

zortman@rifle.net wrote in message <6tsqnm$ph7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Yes it can! After I'd sold my BC3000XLT and purchased a BC895XLT base our
>electricity went out. Spent the next 3 hours looking at my new base and
>wondering what was going on. I learned a lesson though!! 1st scanner always
a
>handheld, 2nd scanner a base!
>Paul

Both my PRO-2006 and ICOM R8500 have 12V power connections. During
hurricane Andrew I was able to use my PRO-2006 for 2 days powered
off of a 12V gel-cell I had bought for my camcorder light. I can also use a
110V AC power inverter (normally used for my telescope) with the same
gel-cell to power AC equipment. The key is to have at least some other
power source available.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
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ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

>In article <19980917130801.28335.00001183@ng66.aol.com>,
> mecaswell@aol.com (MECaswell) wrote:
>>
>> I'd probably going to buy a Pro-90 next time they go on sale. I realize
that
>> these handhelds are designed primarily for scanning on the move, but can
they
>> also effectively serve as a base scanner if an external antenna is added?
>>
>> If it WON'T work well, I may just buy a Pro 2050 now (while they're on
sale)
>> and possibly pick up a handheld later.
>>
>> --Mike
>>
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6403. RS Mobile TT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980918235416.18603.00000397@ng52.aol.com>
Source record: 143705

The new TT Mobile is to be available from Radio Shack end of October. Has anyone seen a review anywhere? i.e. Monitoring Times, etc?
Character is doing the right thing while no one is looking

6404. FS: PRO-2004 $225

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Spence <lfs@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bde387$e49b1220$f1c832ce@lfs>
Source record: 143706
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Realistic PRO-2004 300 channel scanner. Has mod for continuous 800 MHz coverage. Very good condition, works perfectly. $225 including shipping. Email for more info.

Larry Spence
lfs@onramp.net

6405. Bearcat 210

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Logsplitter <brad@2geton.net>
Message-ID: <360336e5.0@news.planetc.com>
Source record: 143707

Needs any mods for it please.....

brad@2geton.net

6406. FS: PRO-39 $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Spence <lfs@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bde388$48423d80$f1c832ce@lfs>
Source record: 143708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Realistic PRO-39 handheld 200 channel scanner. Can be modded for continuous 800 MHz coverage. Very good condition, everything works perfectly. $150 shipped. Email for more info.

6407. FS: Bearcat BC760 w/ PL -- $160 shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Gilligan <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <36033D02.A3C248B4@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 143709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

FS: Bearcat BC760XLT w/ PL option installed.
Works fine. Not modified, may be able to. Comes
with book, antenna, & AC adapter. Radio Shack
DC adapters work fine too. Shipped to your door
via USPS for $160. Email reply if interested.

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Sean M. Gilligan (CompSci '01)
Box C252, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA 18015
Email: smg3@lehigh.edu
Phone: 610.317.2932 / 609.275.2965
ICQ: 4055292

You're never gonna die, you're gonna make it if
you try; they're gonna love you. --Pink Floyd

6408. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <6tvipu$n5a$1@carroll.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 143710

Harry Marnell (marnells@snowcrest.net) wrote:
: LAPD's "Astro" radios aren't trunking-capable, but they ARE digital-capable,
: and digital is used for some specialized operations/divisions. Cmdr. Keith
: Bushey was one of the "prime movers" with APCO back in the 1980s to get TV
: channel 16 opened up to public safety radio users in the LA area...nearly
: every law agency in the county is now on UHF, and today's radios can easily
: cover the range from 453 - 512 MHz. (When I started with LAPD in 1968, the
: VHF radios had trouble receiving freqs as widely spaced as Tac 2...154.77
: and Dispatch "E" ...158.865, so they had to use so-called "dual-front-end"
: [DFE] radios!) Wouldn't make sense to go off to a trunked system now, with
: all the existing mutual aid capabilities on conventional UHF.

I'll admit immediately that I don't have any first-hand information to
confirm this, but most of what I've heard seems to indicate that the
Astro HT's and mobiles will do trunking, if there's a trunked system
to put them on. The information that LAPD had kicked around a trunking
scheme for their non-dispatch channels was also second-hand, but from
credible sources, and supports (albeit weakly) the suggestion of trunking
ability in the Astro radios...

We're not necessarily in disagreement here. The equipment used in the
communications infrastructure (repeaters, links, etc) will not do trunking -
taken as a whole, it would be correct to say that the system as it stands
is not trunking capable. But the city has contracted with Moto for system
maint and upgrades (ostensibly to make the repeaters and links digital
capable) - and it's not inconceivable that this could lead to a revisiting
of the trunked option...

If the PD is serious about digital, they're probably going to have to
adopt a cellular strategy for siting repeaters, voting receivers and
the like - digital (in this topography) is not going to have exceptional
range. Once the complexity (and cost) of a cellular, digital-capable network
is accepted, it's not a huge stretch to begin to consider adding something
like smart-net - after all, once you've dumped millions of dollars into
a system like that, would you be satisfied with a 1:1 channel/freq map?
[maybe - but that's another debate]. On this scale, the additional
cost of going trunked might be negligable, with benefits any bureaucrat/
beancounter can appreciate.

It'd be easy to trunk the 484MHz band, and you wouldn't loose M/A
capability. You could patch the M/A freqs to talkgroups (the UCPD
has played around with a patch from VHF clemars to their 800MHz trunk),
and I *think* you can program a conventional freq (rpt/simpx) as a
separate TG - the controller can be told that dialing XXXX sends the
radios to freq Y - so long as Y is within the RF capabilities of the

radio.

: Brian Humphrey, LAFD PIO, tells me they expect LAFD to be required to go
: DIGITAL - but NOT trunked - within 10 years; mainly, I presume, as freq
: spacing gets cut to 6.25 from the current 12.5 khz with most analog systems.

That's not suprising at all - the new APCO standard is being pushed hard.
I find it sort of amusing that the FCC is fixated on 6.25Kc spacing and
digital comms when there's technology that'll do analog comfortably in 5Kc
(digital has its place, but for voice comms, you can't beat analog 8*)
I wonder how well digital will hold up (in range, reliability) in a major
brush fire scenario... say something like the fire in Angeles last year,
where they had to set up portable repeaters and links... [it could take
longer to validate the digital comms than to put out the fire 8*)]

But I digress. Foder for another thread...

73 all...

6409. Re: SC-150 Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Geoffrey T. Cheshire" <gches@goodnet.com>
Message-ID: <360355CB.FCFDD8FF@goodnet.com>
Source record: 143711

jim wrote:

> in reply to all of your questions re:sc150 tricks uniden has updated this
> model
> triple conversion as to lock out any chance of picking up cell freq's in
> 400MHZ band
> (bleed thru in double conversion scanners) best of my knowledge they have
> updated the CPU also
>

AFAIK there are no cell phones in the 400MHz bands. I do know that there are harmonics you can pick up from the 800MHz cell phones on the SC-150. Grove.net (at http://catmac.grove.net/CGI.SPG?L=S&P=SCN+23-P) still lists the SC-150 (B/Y) as dual conversion. Hope this helps.

Geoff

6410. Re: Info needed FBI " active "freqs. NYC area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Geoffrey T. Cheshire" <gches@goodnet.com>
Message-ID: <3603572E.995433AD@goodnet.com>
Source record: 143712

Hope you have the capability to decode encrypted digital signals, because that's surely what they're using. At least that's the scoop here in Arizona.

Geoff

Thomas Rowan wrote:

> Does anyone know any active frequencies for the FBI in the NYC or Newark
> N.J area ? Any extras would be appreciated , ... DEA , ATF , etc.

6411. Low BC895XLT Audio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: echofoxx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919031502.06315.00001816@ng40.aol.com>
Source record: 143713

I note the audio in the 800mhz portion, or on trunked systems is very low on my BC895XLT. Other bands are received loud and clear but 800 frequencies require the volume to be turned up about 3/4 of the way or more just to hear the transmissions clearly. Is this normal, or is this something to have corrected?

6412. Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24246-36035B6D-92@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143714

I was at a high school foot ball game
the coach was wearing a radio head set
no cord or anything attached to the radio
dose any body have a possible frequence
that could be on
Thanks
Dave

born to be wild (thats my theam)

6413. Re: packet on CB...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <360373B6.D693D154@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 143715

John wrote:

>
>
>
> Are you using AM or FM?
>
> If AM, what percent modulation are you using?

If using AM do RTTY you wont have fun with packet.
73 de odo

6414. Re: packet on CB...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: yann.bereni@wanadoo.fr
Message-ID: <36049d92.2228813@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 143716

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 21:29:44 -0700, John <john@parg.org> wrote:

>Micro94099 wrote:
>> Hey, if anyone is interested in getting into packet radio using their
>> CB radio drop me a line...I can answer your questions...
>
>Are you using AM or FM?
>
>If AM, what percent modulation are you using?

packet in 11m is in FM , dont try in AM

F1TUG , JN15TX

6415. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>
Message-ID: <3603A115.30FF@home.here>
Source record: 143717

Steve Phipps wrote:
> What's up with all these people posting "subscribe" and "unsubscribe"
> messages to public newsgroups? Seems like over the last month or so lots of
> people have been doing this in many of the major newsgroups...
>
All those folks who got Web TV's for Christmas are finally figuring out
how to logon.

6416. f.s. scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <3603CD8B.1955A881@owc.net>
Source record: 143718

radio shack trunk tracker-800mhz pro-2050 base 300 channel
programmable.....$150.00

uniden bct-7 800mhz mobile scanner....$75.00
thanks jack

6417. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919110255.22786.00002764@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 143719

>From: "Mr. Clem" <not@home.here>

>All those folks who got Web TV's for Christmas are finally figuring out
>how to logon.
>

They make us AOLers look like absolute techno-wizards!

6418. Monroe County, PA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobs@icdc.com
Message-ID: <3604cb1f.3110886@news2.icdc.com>
Source record: 143720

I spend some time visiting my daughter in the Stroudsburg area and
would like to get a complete breakdown of the county's communication
plan for Public Safety.

Frequencies and their usage
Alpha designators for the various police agencies
Numerical designators for the fire agencies

So far I've determined the following:

Police
460.150 (Y) Pocono Regional
460.400 (B) Barrett Twnshp, (G) Coolbaugh Twnshp, (Z) Pocono Twnshp
460.425 Countywide (I think)
460.500 (A) East Stroudsburg, (F) Stroud Twnshp, (D) ?, (R) ESU, (S)
Stroudsburg
Need info on
460.275?
460.300 ? Never monitored
460.325? Never monitored
Who is C, L, E, X, D

FIRE
How is dispatch handled? 33.98?
Who uses 460.575 and 460.625
Are the following used and for what purpose?
453.075, .5875, .6375, .7125

Thanks...Bob

Bob Schoenleber
Bucks County,PA
40 14' 44"N**74 50'47"W
"On the Delaware River"

6419. Re: Monroe County, PA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty (Smiley) Schuylkill Co. Pa." <martyrip@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <3603BEC4.49A5@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 143721

Bob Schoenleber wrote:
>
> I spend some time visiting my daughter in the Stroudsburg area and
> would like to get a complete breakdown of the county's communication
> plan for Public Safety.
>
> Frequencies and their usage
> Alpha designators for the various police agencies
> Numerical designators for the fire agencies
>
> So far I've determined the following:
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> 460.400 (B) Barrett Twnshp, (G) Coolbaugh Twnshp, (Z) Pocono Twnshp
> 460.425 Countywide (I think)
> 460.500 (A) East Stroudsburg, (F) Stroud Twnshp, (D) ?, (R) ESU, (S)
> Stroudsburg
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>
> Thanks...Bob
>
> Bob Schoenleber
> Bucks County,PA
> 40 14' 44"N**74 50'47"W
> "On the Delaware River"

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@ @ N3PTU
^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
___/ Email martyrip@ptdprolog.net

MONROE COUNTY CONTROL

POLICE STATIONS

ALPHA - EAST STROUDSBURG ROMEO - E.S.U.
BRAVO - BARRETT TWP. SIERRA - STROUDSBURG
CHARLIE - SHERIFF'S DEPT. VICTOR - TUNKHANNOCK TWP.
DELTA - DELAWARE WATER GAP X-RAY - MT. POCONO
FOXTROT - STROUD TWP. YANKEE - TOBYHANNA TWP.
GULF - COOLBAUGH TWP. ZEBRA - POCONO TWP.

Freq. DPL
460.425R/460.425 343 Co. Sheriff/Police - Countywide
460.500R/465.500 343 Co. Sheriff/Police - South (Stroudsburg,
E. Stroudsburg,Stroudsburg Township)
460.400R/465.400 343 Co. Sheriff/Police - North (Pocono, Barrett Twp)
460.150R/465.150 343 Co. Sheriff/Police - Regional (Coolbaugh,
Tobyhanna Twp, Mount Pocono)
460.300R/465.300 343 Co. Constables' Association
45.400 Sx. Co. Constables' Association - Old channel
45.620 Sx. Stroudsburg Borough Police

FIRE STATIONS

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21 - ACME HOSE (E. STROUDSBURG) 33 - POCONO SUMMIT
22 - BARRETT TWP. 34 - POCONO TWP.
23 - BLUE RIDGE H & L 35 - POLK TWP.
24 - BUSHKILL 36 - SHAWNEE
25 - COOLBAUGH TWP. 37 - STROUD TWP.
26 - DELAWARE WATER GAP 38 - STROUDSBURG
27 - JACKSON TWP. 39 - SUN VALLEY
28 - KUNKLETOWN 41 - TOBYHANNA TWP.
29 - MARSHALLS CREEK 42 - TUNKHANNOCK TWP
31 - PENN FOREST #3 43 - WEST END

460.625R/465.625 664 Countywide Fire Communications (East)
460.575R/465.575 664 Countywide Fire Communications (West)
453.075R/458.075 664 Countywide Fire Communications (Central)
453.7500 Countywide Fire Communications (Paging)
453.5875 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)
453.5875 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)
453.6375 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)
453.7125 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)
458.5875 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)
458.6375 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)
458.7125 Countywide Fire Communications (Fireground)

AMBULANCE STATIONS

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2 - BARRETT TWP. 6 - GENERAL
3 - BUSHKILL 7 - TOBYHANNA TWP.
4 - CENTRAL POCONO 8 - WEST END
5 - COOLBAUGH TWP.

PARAMEDICS------------------- MEDIC - 7

Ambulances/Hospitals/Medical
155.280 Monroe County Control Center
155.340 Monroe County Control Center
453.425R/458.425 Monroe County O.E.S.
453.525R/458.525 Monroe County O.E.S.

TEN CODE

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10-2 RECEIVING WILL 10-35 HIT & RUN - FATAL
10-3 EMERENCY STOP TRANSMITTING 10-36 FURNISH CORRECT TIME
10-4 OKAY 10-37 OPERATOR ON DUTY
10-5 RELAY TO _____ 10-38 ASSIGNMENT COMPLETED
10-6 BUSY 10-39 INTOXICATED PERSON
10-7 OUT OF SERVICE 10-40 ADVISE IF____IS AVAILABLE
10-8 IN SERVICE 10-41 FIGHT (GIVE LOCATION)
10-9 REPEAT MESSAGE 10-42 DOESN'T CONFORM WITH REGULATIONS
10-10 SEND WRECKER - ACCIDENT 10-43 ADVISE ROAD & WEATER CONDTIONS
10-11 RETURN TO CONTROL CENTER 10-44 STATIONS INVOLVED ACKNOWLEDGE
10-12 VISITORS PRESENT 10-45 MOTOR VEHICE ACCIDENT
10-13 OFFICER NEEDS HELP 10-46 HOLDING SUSPECT (RUSH REPLY)
10-14 CONVOY OR ESCORT 10-47 SEND AMBULANCE TO SCENE
10-15 PRISONER IN CUSTODY 10-48 RIOT & UNLAWFUL ASSEMB
10-16 PICK UP PRISONER 10-49 DRUNK & DISORDERLY
10-17 PICK UP __________ 10-50 BURGLARY (LOCATION)
10-18 COMPLETE ASSIGNMENT 10-51 CALL STATE POLICE VIA PHONE
10-19 RETUNN TO HEAQUARTERS 10-52 RECKLESS DRIVING
10-20 WHAT IS YOUR LOCATION 10-53 HOLD-UP & ROBBERY
10-21 CALL CONTROL CENTER BY PHONE 10-54 ROAD BLOCK NEEDED
10-22 CANCELL LAST MESSAGE 10-55 FIRE
10-23 STAND BY - INTERFERENCE 10-56 COFFEE BREAK
10-24 MEET COMPLAINTATT - GET REPORT 10-57
10-25 DO YOU HAVE CONTACT WITH____ 10-58 PREARRANGED SIGNAL
10-26 GENERAL ALARM - PREPARE TO COPY 10-59 INVESTIGATE IMMEDIATEL
10-27 ANY ANSWER TO OUR REQUEST 10-60 REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
10-28 REGISTRATION INFORMATION 10-66 HEART ATTACK
10-29 CHECK FOR OPERATOR LICENSE 10-89 _____IS CALLING YOU
10-30 CHECK FOR WANTED 10-90 ARRIVED AT SCENE
10-31 HOLD MESSAGE 10-97 HOW IS RECEPTION
10-32 INVESTIGATE SUSPICIOUS 10-99 EMERGENCY - ALL UNITS COPY
CAR OR PERSON 10-100 BOMB ALERT
10-33 HIT & RUN - PROPERTY DAMAGE

MEDICAL CODE

D 1 ACUTE ABDOMEN 29 SPRAIN/STRAIN
I 2 AMPUTATION I 30 FAINTING/UNCONSCOUS PATIENT
I 3 ANPHYLAXIS 31 TRAUMA - MINOR

D 4 BURNS I 32 TRAUMA - MAJOR
I 5 CARDIAC SYMPTOMS I 33 TRAUMA - MULTIPLE SYSTEMS
I 6 CARDIAC ARREST I 34 UNKNOWN - EXCITED CALLER
7 SPINAL INJURY D 35 UNKNOWN
I 8 CVA STROKE 36 REFUSED OR CANCELLED CALL
I 9 DIABETIC D 45 AUTO ACCIDENT - UNKNOWN
10 D.O.A. I 45 " " - TRAPPED - MOTORCYCLE
11 FEVER PEDESTRIAN OR MULTIPLE
12 FRACTURE/DISLOCATION D 55 FIRE SCENE STANDBY
D 13 G.I. BLEEDING ********** * *
I 14 GUNSHOT WOUND *DISPATCHING PROTOCL FOR PARAMEDIC *
D 15 HEMORRAGING * KEY: I - IMMEDIATE DISPATCH WITH A.L.S*
D 16 IMPAIMENT SIMILAR TO * D - DISPATCHER'S DISCHETION *
ALCOHOL OR DRUGS * *
I 17 INTERNAL * TO BE GIVEN AT DISPATCH IF KNOWN *
D 18 NAUSEA/VOMITTING * KEY A - ADULT PATIENT *
D 19 OBSTETRICS * C - CHILD PATIENT *
I 20 OVERDOSE * *
D 21 PARALYBIS *A.L.S. WILL BE DISPATCHED IF CALL MEETS*
D 22 PENETRATING WOUNDS *THE FOLLOEING CRITERIA *
I 23 POISONING * 1. CLASS 1 OR 2 PATIENT *
24 PSYCOLOGICAL * 2. UPON REQUEST FROM B.L.S. UNIT *
I 25 RESPIRATORY ARREST * 3. UPON REQUEST FROM MED-EVA *
I 26 RESPIRATORY DISTRESS * *
I 27 SEIZURE/CONVULSIONS **********
I 28 SHOCK

FROM JIM CONROY,(jjc@aaalv.com)

Send addition or changes
To N3PTU@WB3FYL.EPA.PA.USA.NA
OR
martyrip@prolog.net

6420. Re: Sony ICF-SC1PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6u0i8u$p5r@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143722
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <36042ce8.12341239@news.erols.com>,
JS <travelm43@aol.com> wrote:

>Does anyone have any experience with this handheld? Any suggestions
>where to get it, what to pay?

The SONY SC1PC I tested for Monitoring Times works well, though
the keypad command sequences are "quaint." :-)
It comes with a PerCon Spectrum CDROM, and all
the cabling and software for downloading
and control via a PC -- nothing extra to buy.

You can buy the SC1PC at selected Service Merchandise stores,
Grove Enterprises (800)438-8155, and other dealers.

From the FAQ article SCANNER RADIO REVIEW BRIEFS

[...]

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers
25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size
and mode. Computer control and downloading with software
and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries.
Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and
the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10
banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per-
channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you
can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out
("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency
stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during
searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds.
SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search
limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable
pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands
programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed
Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies
that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. See "The
SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times,
August 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test
results.
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6421. MDT freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6u0jka$8p$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 143723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anybody know a good source for MDT frequencies in Salt Lake City, Utah?
Please email! Any information is greatly appreciated!

Dan

6422. New York City (FDNY Bureau of EMS)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Faricky <faricky@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3603D4D8.BE21F859@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

New York City (FDNY Bureau of EMS)

Trunking System

Looking for freqs, Talkgroup id's and control channels

Any help would be greatly appreciated

Please respond to email if possible

Thanks
Dave Faricky

6423. Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u0l3l$gc2$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If you were considering buying a CE-232 interface for your Pro 2004/2005/2006 scanner, now is the time to order ! The CE-232 will continue to be supported for several years, but the availability of this fine interface may end as soon as this Christmas. You wouldn`t want to miss out on the versatility of this highly desireable piece of equipment. (I ordered mine already !) I will post the particulars of this interface over the next week or so.
or, you can obtain info directly from :

bcheek@cts.com

6424. pro-2050 trunk tracker f.s.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <3603E94E.F8D297F1@owc.net>
Source record: 143726

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pro-2050 trunk tracker 800mhz
like new....$150.00
thanks jack
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6425. uniden bct-7 mobile scanner...$75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <3603E9B3.3BEC2BA3@owc.net>
Source record: 143727

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bct-7 800mhz scanner....$75.00
thanks jack
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6426. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3603ea59.24686667@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I hope that when you get your interface installed and working
that you have a look at our program for windows which is a full 32bit
application called Pro-Turbo at:
http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

On Sat, 19 Sep 1998 12:11:09 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

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>If you were considering buying a CE-232 interface for your Pro
>2004/2005/2006 scanner, now is the time to order ! The CE-232 will continue
>to be supported for several years, but the availability of this fine
>interface may end as soon as this Christmas. You wouldn`t want to miss out
>on the versatility of this highly desireable piece of equipment. (I ordered
>mine already !) I will post the particulars of this interface over the next
>week or so.
>or, you can obtain info directly from :
>
>bcheek@cts.com

6427. Re: Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.106f5cdd40e354f098977c@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143529

Again, of the hundreds of dollars I have wasted, I have found that the simple Radio Shack collapsible whip with a center coil is still the best performer for "ALL" bands period. It costs around 12 bucks and collapsed is about the same length as the stock antenna. I love the performance of this little dynamo and feel it is one of the best kept secrets for those in the scanning hobby.

6428. WTB Ant-8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.D." <jdv@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3605B785.77D8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143530

I am looking for an ANT-8 antenna. I would like the older model that does not have the spring coils at the bottom.

Please email me

jdv@ix.netcom.com

6429. Re: PRICE REDUCTION:ALINCO DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <3605BAE6.EB936DCA@ncia.net>
Source record: 143531

C,MON Skezzo!!!!You can buy em new for $279 at ham radio outlet

Paul Egan wrote:

> On 20 Sep 1998 21:55:50 GMT, skezzo@aol.com (Skezzo) wrote:
> >
> >Yes in deed $290.00. Mint condition box,manual, 2nicads, strap, everything
> >ok.THANKS TO ALL..skezzo@aol.com.
> Enjoy the cellular coverage!
> HOWEVER:
> If you want one with the cell freqs:
> paulegan@interlog.com

6430. Re: PRO2006 discrininator output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6u4ia0qqg1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 143532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I used a chassis mount RCA plug for my 2006 dis output, making certain that there was a grounded, shielded cable attached to it. Make sure that you use a shielded cable from the computer to your scanner and that it's grounded at both ends. You might be getting rfi from the computer. The cable from the computer to the scanner makes a great antenna.

Dan

Stormtracker wrote in message <01bde510$ee686b60$c2244f0c@default>...
>I'm trying to decode the ctcss tones via wintone software. I connected an
>audio jack center conductor to tp2 and installed it in the back panel. When
>I connect the audio plug to it, it stops scanning and sounds like the
>squelch is open. Is this normal or did I forget something ?
>TIA
>KM

6431. Re: The CE-232 and the Pro-43 (!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank N Beenz <bigbadwolf1@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <6u4l84$e8c@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 143533
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Did you have to quote the whole danged post just to stick in your ad?

Len G. Carpenter <jabba@iaw.on.ca> wrote in message
36079d04.3457683@news.iaw.on.ca...
> And remember folks this is even supported by Pro-Turbo, which
>can be found at: http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>
> And for even more on the Pro-43, how about 800 channels in
>your Pro-43, to find out more about this have a look at:
>http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-43.html
>

6432. Re: VIDEO/AUDIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank N Beenz <bigbadwolf1@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <6u4nus$hj4@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 143534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

FM *Broadcast Band* doesn't travel as far as AM *broadcast band* due to the difference in frequency propagation. On the other hand, if you can get *any* of the FM signal at all above the noise floor, you can usually get a good clean signal.

With AM, since the information is carried in the amplitude portion, the weaker the signal, the weaker the "signal/information". Hope that makes since.

007 <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net> wrote in message 3605D9D0.19A@ameritech.net...
>Why is it that Video is transmitted as an Amplitude Modulated signal and
>the Audio is transmitted as a Frequency Modulation signal yet it seems
>to me that the Audio portion of a TV signal will travel farther. Here I
>thought that FM did not travel as far as AM.

6433. Re: DES encryption question .WAV file attached (sorry!!) - cusrkey.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith A Monahan <kamst39+@pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <3605ABAE.554B@pitt.edu>
Source record: 143535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John,

I'm glad you responded to this message as I was going to shortly, with a similiar response. One thing we have to keep in mind, however. Don't be so sure that the government(customs) would not use something(or suggest the use of something) that was insecure. A good example of this is the 56-bit DES standard that they whole heartedly approved and required for many government sensitive but unclassified information. Their "approved" standard was broken back in July within 56 hours via brute force. If those radios were exportable(probably, as not to limited the market), the encryption used would have to be 40-bits or less -- which makes for a relatively easy attack on the protocol.

For more info - go to http://www.eff.org and follow the DES links.

Keith

John Gilbert wrote:

> Everything you need isn't there....The over-the-air rekey information is
> encrypted by another key that is only used to encrypt keys for over-the-air
> rekey. Unless you know the "shadow key" you won't be able to decrypt and
> load the "traffic key."
>
> If it wasn't secure you can be certain that nobody, much less Customs,
> would have ever bought the product.
>
> --
> John Gilbert
> johng@comm.mot.com

6434. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith A Monahan <kamst39+@pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <3605B1D1.7C29@pitt.edu>
Source record: 143536

Yeah, I agree, it certainly sounded fishy. I think this has all been resolved, though. This did conveniently bring up a question I've been meaning to ask.

Does anyone remember the name of a 'third-party' buy/sell company? I remember checking out their web page maybe a year ago. But basically, they acted as a go-between, payment would be submitted to them, tracking numbers submitted to them, etc etc. then, when both buyer and seller were happy, then money would be passed on. It was a relatively cheap service(maybe 5% of sale?), and they provided fraud insurance free, plus they accepted credit cards for payment and sent a check to the seller, etc.

Anyone remember, or know of such a place?

I don't do much buy/selling, but it would be nice to have that written down someplace for any online transactions...

Keith

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >From: kd1my@banet.net
>
> >> If he won't furnish you with any info or report it to the police I would
> >assume he got it and tell him to F--- OFF.
> >
>
> It does seem rather suspicious. Although I would say that anyone who sends
> anything through the mail/Fed Ex/UPS without insuring it is an idiot and
> deserves whatever befalls him, if the intended receipient is unwilling to
> assist with resolving the matter, I would suspect that it's not a kosher deal
> to begin with. I would not give him back his dough until that has been
> resolved.

6435. UK scanner site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lynx <lynx.uk@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <01bde42f$ced7ffe0$543da8c2@lynx>
Source record: 143579

try this new uk scanner site at.....

http://freespace.virgin.net/lynx.uk/index/scanner.htm

6436. CE-232 Pricing.Options, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u2uc1$pu6$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143580
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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CE-232 PRICE, OPTIONS & AVAILABILITY
====================================

ALL PAYMENTS IN US FUNDS ONLY.

We accept MasterCard and Visa as well as money orders, checks and
cash. Cash is risky and checks will hold up shipment until bank
clearance. Barter/swaps possible. Whatcha got?

MASTERCARD - VISA - MONEY ORDER - CHECK - CASH - TRADE?
+=====================================================================+
|# PRICE LIST effective 9/03/98 - subject to change without notice. |
+=====================================================================+
|1 CE-232 Kit of Essential Parts, Disk & Instructions: $149.95 |
|2 CE-232 Kit, Assembled/Tested Board, no cables: $199.95 |
|3 Assembled CE-232 Installed/tested INSIDE scanner: $299.95 |
|3 Assembled/tested CE-232 Installed in EXTERNAL box: $299.95 |
| ready for your DB-25 cable to connect between scanner |
| and project box. See next. |
|3 1st Scanner wired/tested to accept the External Box: $ 99.95 |
|3 2nd & addt'l scanners wired/tested for Ext. Box: ea $ 84.95 |
|- Instruction Manual Only; discountable against order: $ 25.00ppd|
|- Shipping & Handling: Kits, boards, boxes, ea: $ 5.00 |
|- Shipping & Handling: Scanners, ea: $ 15.00 |
|- 3rd Party Software Developer's Information Kit $ 29.95 |
| (free with order or as a file from our FTP site) |
|4 Bill Cheek's ULTIMATE SCANNER book (Cheek3) $ 29.95 |
| plus $5 S&H, domestic; extra for Canada & foreign |
|- Calif addressees add 7.75% Sales Tax: $ _______ |
+=====================================================================+
| NOTE: Floppy disks are 3.5" high density. |
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| Computer, scanner & standard serial cable NOT included. |
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Availability is usually from stock on Kits of Parts (Item 1). Assembled
and tested boards are also usually available from stock, but inquire
first. Custom assemblies and installations by prior arrangements and
will be quoted at the time of your inquiry.

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6437. Un-listed frequency guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6u2tj3gmg1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 143581

Listening-Post. site is dedicated to scanner radio hobbists
who are frequency hunters. On here you will find lists of
Ontario radio frequencies that are not listed on any web page,
published in any scannner book (Haruteq or Scantrix) or listed
on a government web page (Industry Canada's TAFL). This
list is all based on research.

Download Un-listed frequency guide available:

Ftp: listening-post.dyn.ml.org /pub/un-lis~1
Web: ftp://listening-post.dyn.ml.org/pub

we at listening-post always searching for new information.
Should you have any aditional information that you wish
to see published, (not listed on any scannner book
ie: Haruteq or Scantrix). Please use form below.

ftp://www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/submit~1.htm

Questions/comments please email:
Jmedica@listening-post.dyn.ml.org

John Medica - System adminstrator [Listening-Post]

6438. Re: OYE BOY GETS CAUGHT AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920133600.JAA09030@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143582

In article <3604954a.2273772@news.uswest.net>, OYE BOY, masquerading as:
proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke) writes:

>Boy, for somebody claiming to "have a life" you sure seem to have an
>inordinate amount of time on your hands.

I have a real job, OYE BOY. That means I have weekends off. Kinda quiet
around the homestead this weekend, so I figured I'd spend some quality time
with you.

>On 20 Sep 1998 01:20:58 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>>
>>Well then, please enlighten me, OYE BOY. Give me the benefit of your
>boundless
>>education and worldly years of life experience.

>it is better to remain foolish and silent, than to open thy mouth and
>remove all doubts. obviously you haven't learned yet.

More trite cliches. *sigh*

>>Uh, yes, OYE BOY...they were indeed "allegedly" posted by that party. But
>you wouldn't know anything about that, now would you?

>I know as much as I need to (which, it seems is a bit more than you).
>what is your infatuation here? are you some kind of hom,osexual that
>likes stalking people electronically?

Negatory, OYE BOY. I just enjoy putting you in your place for all the world to
see. No need to make wild, unsubstantiated allegations regarding sexual
preference or illegal activities.

>>Is that so, OYE BOY? How about a little hard evidence...you know, factual
>>information to back up this statement.

>sorry man, you were asked first, you prove that you weren't (too many
>folks with long memories in rec.radiocb can attest to that).

Sorry, OYE BOY. Looks like you need a referesher course in American Civics
101. Under our system of justice, the burden of proof is on the accuser to
prove his or her case. One is innocent until proven guilty. Again, I ask for
evidence and factual information to back up your statement.

>>Yup. It would be just IMPOSSIBLE to fudge the date, wouldn't it, OYE BOY?

>with an autoupdater, on a remote system? C'mon CBDIMBULB, just how
>stupid are you?

Yeah, right.

>>You have a poor memory, OYE BOY. Here...I'll help refresh it for you: it
>>was Covert 62 who originally made mention of your Web site on this newsgroup.

>at your behest.

Again, more baseless allegations for which you offer no supporting evidence.
Seems to be a pattern with you, OYE BOY.

>>Why don't you just admit that you've been found out and we'll drop the whole
>>thing. The jig's up, OYE BOY!

>sad, really... so delusional. sorry man, I cannot help you.

You cannot even help yourself, OYE BOY. And that is the truly sorry part of
this whole equation.

>>(unrelated and irrelevant nonsense ignored)

>really? are you afraid to face the truth about yourself?

(see above)

>>(more irrelevant and insignificant attempts at diverting attention from the
>>subject at hand ignored)

>about as iirelevant as you are.

Aw, come on, OYE BOY. Even you can do better than that with a comeback!

>>Gee, isn't that a coincidence. In a big city like Phoenix, you just
>"happen" to know who "he" is and where "he" works. Imagine that!

>No coinicidence, really. We have been comparing notes about you (and
>others) for the last 4 months.

And you talk about ME having too much time on my hands?

Still waiting to hear from your "lawyer", OYE BOY!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6439. SCAN-L now open to new users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <tK7N1.2010$bX6.3396111@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143583

I notice that Johm Mackey has stopped trying to reason with Cheek's
Children. Thanks John! John has gone back to what he loves best scanning and
tinkering with his radios.
Now with nobody to flame, Cheek's Children have all gone away, except for
CB Rambo. Maybe they all lost their Internet accounts like Bill Cheek did.
No body wants to talk to them about Bill Cheek and his foolishness anymore.

IMHO killfile CB Rambo in all newsgroups and life will be great again here
in rec.radio.scanner. I did.

BTW Scan-L is now open to all -[illegible] adults [illegible]- who want to join the scanning
mailing list.
For more information http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

73 de ki4je

Bud wrote in message <360566d2.138985246@news-server>...
>On 20 Sep 1998 01:22:42 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>
>>In article <3604313e.53411084@news.uswest.net>, THE OYE BOY, masquerading
as:
>>proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke) writes:
>
>We FINALLY get the other flamefest quieted down, and YOU have resurrect one
>that should be dead.
>
>TO reply via e-mail, change .org to .com.
>
>Thanks.

6440. Used Scanner Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bde49f$523240c0$5f1e31d1@default>
Source record: 143584
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for a compact under dash crystal controlled scanner. Only need
it to receive Low Band.
If any one has one in decent condition, that they would like to sell,
please contact me with the details.

Thanks
--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

6441. Wanted: Maxtrac / Radius 30-36 Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch DAT2 Communications <dat2comm@toad.net>
Message-ID: <01bde49f$a18dce00$5f1e31d1@default>
Source record: 143585
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I am looking for 1 or maybe two Motorola Radius or Maxtrac VHF low band,
low split (30 to 36 Mhz) radios for a customer.

Please contact:
--
Kurt Fritsch WA3TOY
Owner
DAT2 Communications
dat2comm@toad.net or dat2comm@juno.com
(410) 360-2260

6442. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u33vf$17@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143586
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6u2rm7$pk5$1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
writes:
>
>I think that your reply to Kali on this issue is hypocritical ,
legally
>correct, and beneath contempt. You sound like Bill Clinton trying to
wriggle
>out of HIS responsibiities.
>
here we go again...blaming clinton for
your lack of "e d u c a t i o n".....

say fellah...Lewinsky stalked clinton...she
had sex with him willingly and responsibly.
She took it in the mouth. Just like you are
doing it.

as far as I know it's legal for
two adults to have consensual sex
in all 50 states....and it's not
a crime to deny what is not a crime.

so, what are those responsbilities
you now attach to the PResident which
you think he's guilty of....

remember: consensual sex is legal. It's
not a crime. How can what is legal be a
crime just because it's hushed up?

moron are you and those of your ilk.

I cannot stand the wimp Pres ... he wimped out
and that was his big mistake. He should have
gone to Vietnam and learned how to fight...
then maybe the JOHN WAYNE in him may have come
up fighting what Linda Tripp did to him....and
that's what it is.

as for scanning...too bad what goes on in the
WH is digital....

bill conduit
etc.

6443. Re: SCAN-L now open to new users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920103844.28942.00003579@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143587

>From: "Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net>

> notice that Johm Mackey has stopped trying to reason with Cheek's Children.
Thanks John! John has gone back to what he loves best scanning and tinkering
with his radios.

Yes, it is a relief that all of the flaming and childish behavior has stopped.
When do you suppose you might do the same?

>Now with nobody to flame, Cheek's Children have all gone away, except for CB
Rambo. Maybe they all lost their Internet accounts like Bill Cheek did.

The question now is why are you still here? You don't seem to have anything
worthwhile to say, so you've decided to stir up some trouble, is that it?

>No body wants to talk to them about Bill Cheek and his foolishness anymore.

Nobody that is except you since you have decided to launch this unprovoked,
personal attack on people who have said absolutely nothing to you to cause it.
>
>IMHO killfile CB Rambo in all newsgroups and life will be great again here in
rec.radio.scanner. I did.

IMHO killfile Healey the Hypocrite and life will be even better.
>
>BTW Scan-L is now open to all -ï¿½ adults ï¿½- who want to join the scanning
mailing list.

Well, that rules you out, doesn't it?

Thanks for sharing Healey. You've shown us all just what sort of person you
really are. If you had a mother, I'm sure that she would be proud of you and
your immature behavior.

6444. PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920104421.28942.00003587@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143588

There's been a lot of talk about the Commtronics CE232 interface recently. One of the main features of that particular interface is its autoprogramming feature. If you are interested in autoprogramming, there is a far more flexible and considerly less expensive approach available called the PROgramit. In my opinion, it is also a superior alternative because of its simplicity and because unlike the CE232, it can be used with virtually any scanner.

For more information about PROgramit, go to http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html. I don't have any connection with this particular interface or its developer. I'm just a satisfied user. While you are the site, also check out the instructions for adding an IR remote control to your scanner! It's quite neat.

6445. Re: SCAN-L now open to new users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: eswoboda@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920105636.05770.00002237@ng104.aol.com>
Source record: 143589

I went on vacation after many months/years of being in scan-L and stopped
my subscription temporarily. When I tried to reactivate a few week later, I was
rejected. I have learned to live without it. Forget it.

6446. Small Handheld 500 KHz- 1300 MHz Receiver for Sale - Welz WS1000E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjesson@ais.net
Message-ID: <la9N1.61$Ai6.2411599@news.ais.net>
Source record: 143590
Cross-posted to: chi.forsale,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

A mint hand held receiver, covers 500 KHz to 1.3 GHz continuously, in mint condition (original box). A Welz Diamond WS1000E, this can be yours for $430.00.

Email or call Joe Jesson days-312-856-3645

6447. Pro-91 a uniden?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920112516.05692.00002158@ng96.aol.com>
Source record: 143591

If this scanner has uniden on the circuit board, isn't it a Uniden model?

6448. Re: CE-232 Particulars post # 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: matteson@borg.com
Message-ID: <3605228b.76587474@news.borg.com>
Source record: 143592
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 08:41:49 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

>OVERVIEW
>========
>
>The CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface is a 2.5" x 3" electronic board that
>goes between an IBM-PC/XT/AT/compatible computer and a scanner, for some
>very powerful capabilities.
>

>Inquire for details about these or the many other scanners with which the
>CE-232 Interface is powerfully capable.
>
>
>
Can you post a list of all supported scanners? If you do, your traffic
will certainly increase!

6449. FS: Pro-2037

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug270@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <36050d27.3492137@news-server>
Source record: 143593

Radio Shack Pro - 2037 scanners.
Like new condition.
Original boxes and documentation.
Triple conversion.
200 Channel
Search
150.00 $ or BO
Send E-Mail to doug270@yahoo.com
Thanks
Doug

6450. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulegan@interlog.com
Message-ID: <36052698.279473@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 143594

On 20 Sep 1998 04:33:26 GMT, "Robert Marselle" <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:
>I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with 2
>batteries
>
>
>CWest69521 wrote in message
><19980918003120.29853.00001116@ng-fb1.aol.com>...
>>
>>paul us or euro version
>

How does the Cellular band sound?

6451. Re: Scanner between $90 and $140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.106ed27c99811d3898977a@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143595

Just a little advice. Hold off and save another 50 bucks and buy the Relm HS-200, one of the best scanners out there at any price.

6452. Re: Optoelectronics OS456Lite Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: SixPak <SixPak@Sprintmail.Com>
Message-ID: <36052FD0.6F35C15E@Sprintmail.Com>
Source record: 143596

Dan wrote:
>
> Hi all,
>
> Just wondering what your experiences are regarding the use of the
> Optoelectronics OS456Lite add-on board for the Pro2005/6?
> Good, bad, etc..
> $99 seems like a bargain to enable the use of pc for programming.
> Your help is greatly appreciated.
>
> Please reply to email.
>
> Dan

Dan,

I've had the OS-456 Lite for obout a year now, and still
wish that I'd spent the extra money on the full version.
The lite version has the signal level capability removed,
along with something else that isn't significant enough for
me to remember. The signal strength allows the display of a
WiNRADiO like "spectrum analyzer". It also gives an S-Meter
representation. Oh well, live and learn...

Don,
Niceville Florida

6453. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Schwerdtman <bob9000@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <36052A22.3821@concentric.net>
Source record: 143597

Paul Egan wrote:
>
> On 20 Sep 1998 04:33:26 GMT, "Robert Marselle" <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
> wrote:
> >I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with 2
> >batteries

Are they on sale? I went to the web site and I could only find them for
$379.00. Did you get a demo or something?

6454. CE-232 Particulars post # 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u3cba$rm8$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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MORE 3RD PARTY SUPPORT: -VADER-

-VADER- is a Voice Activated Digital Electronic Recorder from a space
age company, Intercept Technologies, that closes the gap on automated
SEARCH and SCAN when you're away from your monitoring post! VADER is
more or less a solid-state audio recorder that plugs into an expansion
slot in your PC and works with the CE-232 Interface to record and store
audio signals, hands off. Tape recorders do that, right? Yeah, well
tape recorders don't do what VADER does!

VADER uses the CE-232 to synchronize every bit of audio it records to
a logged file with the result that you can later do instant playbacks
strictly by frequency, channel, durations, and more! Furthermore,
VADER uses 16-Mb of cheap audio RAM to hold up to an hour's worth of
continuous audio, the format of which is easily converted to *.WAV and
other sound formats for digital signal processing and permanent storage
as desired. There is so much more to VADER that you'll need to contact
INTERCEPT TECHNOLOGIES at their BBS: (513) 297-0250 or write:
74 Western Ave, Enon, OH 45323

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OTHER INFORMATION
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The heart of the CE-232 is a non-proprietary computer on a chip made
by Motorola (68HC11 family). But the neat thing is that this
microcomputer does not contain any firmware or hard programming like
others do! Instead, the proprietary software is on the supplied disk
and is loaded into the microcomputer chip each time you boot the
CE-232 program! This means that we or 3rd parties can develop
inexpensive updates on disk can be made available at regular intervals.
Other suppliers would have to provide a whole new chip to make upgrades;
more expensive to them and to you!!

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HOW THE CE-232 IS AVAILABLE
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The CE-232 is available in four different ways and forms:

1. As a Kit of essential parts, including a professional printed
circuit board; six DIP integrated ciruits; one non-proprietary
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microprocessor chip & chip carrier socket; and a small handful of parts (resistors, capacitors, diodes, crystal, voltage regulator, etc.) Included is our proprietary program disk, you specify size.

Not supplied are standard DIP IC sockets (highly recommended); solder; wiring; serial cable; input & output connectors nor a project box in which to install the CE-232. The board can be installed in some scanners, if desired, but an external box is much better for most situations.

Included are a very detailed Manual, and Program disk with control program and many supporting files.

2. As an assembled and tested board, ready for you to install in a project box or in the scanner. Comes with the same Manual and Program disk as above.

3. As a totally do-it-yourself project, featured in Bill Cheek's new ULTIMATE SCANNER book with complete instructions and resource guide!

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Please address your inquiries/orders to:

bcheek@cts.com

6455. The CE-232 and the Pro-43 (!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u3ck0$rn9$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

PRO-43 HANDHELD SCANNER & CE-232 NOW COMPATIBLE!
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It had to happen! The CE-232 can be made to work with the Realistic PRO-43 with reduced capability from how it operates with the PRO-2004/5/6. The PRO-43 is designed quite differently from the PRO-2004/5/6 and therefore cannot function to the same levels, BUT.....the PRO-43 can be AutoProgrammed by the CE-232 and it can be controlled from the PC's keyboard! No claims are made as to any other functions, although limited scripts might be made to work. THAT is up to the User to determine and to apply, however. The following information is provided to assist you in determining the level of effort to adapt the CE-232 to your PRO-43:

The PRO-43 will require eleven (11) wires from the CE-232:

CE-232 PRO-43
Wire Destination
======= ===========
N PCB ground
Q DA-2; Col-6; Keyboard side
R DA-2; Col-5 " "
S DA-2; Col-4 " "
T DA-1; Col-3 " "
U DA-1; Col-2 " "
V DA-1; Col-1 " "
W R-22; Row-1 " "
X R-23; Row-2 " "
Y R-24; Row-3 " "
Z R-25; Row-4 " "

Additionally, on the CE-232, Points I-M must be tied high to a source of +5v and not connected anywhere else. This is not so difficult and there are a number of ways this can be done, but the Instructions show an easy way. Then, the CE-232 must be powered with the customary +8 to +16 vDC, probably from an external source. Finally, the CE-232 must be operated with a special program module consisting of a PRO-43 "Personality File" and a new PER.IDX file. This add-on program module can be copied straight into your normal HB directory and operated from HB232V13.EXE and, in fact, you can operate PRO-2004/5/6 for a while; do a quick disconnect and fire up on the PRO-43, and switch personality files, all in one fell swoop, if you arrange things just so. No big deal there!

Well, that's the sum and substance of the effort required to adapt the CE-232 to the PRO-43. Now you might wonder what has to be done to the PRO-43? Well, the above Chart pretty much tells it all. The thing that

can't be told in so many words here is HOW to do the job mechanically. Well, MY approach was to install a row of 11 pin-line sockets almost flush with the surface of the case on the right side of the case, just around the edge to the right of the LCD Display. Believe it or not, there is ample room along that THIN edge of the FRONT case, which is accessible after standard disassembly. There is a screw shaft column that goes down along side that area which mandates the pin-line sockets to be spaced in two groups, 6 and 5 with two blank spaces between the two groups (0.3"). This is an advantage because it allows the mating (male) pin-line plug to be "polarized" (6 & 5) for a one-way fit ONLY! The pin-line sockets can be made to fit into the case perfectly by first using a perf-board as a template, and melting the two groups of holes, one hole (0.1") apart, with a heated sewing needle. These melted holes form pilot holes after which they can be drilled with a 1-mm bit for a perfect fit. Drill 'em slightly larger and the entire pin-line strip can be sunk perfectly flush with the exterior of the case. I left mine protruding above the surface by about 2-mm. A dab of super-glue holds the pin-line strip securely in place.

The internal wiring isn't all that "hairy". If you did the cellular and 54-88 MHz mods to your PRO-43, then you should be able to do the simple 11-wires connections down on that same board. My judgement is that there's very little risk of severe damage if you take your time and know what you're doing in advance of actually doing it. My installation instructions will guide you every step of the way, I believe. That's it in a nutshell.....

The end result is that the PRO-43 can be AutoProgrammed by the CE-232 from your regular *.APF files, in the same manner as you're doing on your PRO-2004/5/6, within 5-mins or so (mine did 4-something) and you'll be able to operate the PRO-43 from the Keyboard of the PC just like with the PRO-2004/5/6. Beats punching all those tiny little keys on the PRO-43 for hours on end, eh?

Oh, the price. Yes. The regular price of the detailed instructions and the PRO-43 program files (disk size of choice) is $49.95 + $5 S&H, however, all past purchasers of the CE-232 are entitled to a discount of $20 off the regular price for a period of 45-days AFTER the invoice date of your purchase. The price of the CE-232 Kit with Programs and Manuals combined for the PRO-2004/5/6 AND the PRO-43 is $224.90 + $7.50 S&H.

The price for the CE-232 Kit, Manual & Program to operate ONLY with the PRO-43 (not the PRO-2004/5/6) is $194.95 + $5 S&H. The price of the PRO-2004/5/6 CE-232 Program Files purchased AFTER the PRO-43 is $69.95 + $5 S&H. It is not anticipated that the CE-232 will be available without one or the other of the Program Files for the near future.

Orders for the PRO-43 Program Files & Instruction Manual are now being accepted. Keyboard Control & AutoProgramming of the PRO-43 with the CE-232 is now a reality.

Also now available are CE-232 Program files for the PRO-37, PRO-34 and PRO-2022, and perhaps other popular scanners. Prices, conditions, terms

and specifications for each of these are the same as those for the PRO-43.

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+ All prices and specs given herein are subject to change without notice

6456. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <36063c33.9449901@news.erols.com>
Source record: 143600

On 20 Sep 1998 01:00:54 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>When this question was first posted I answered that conventional wisdom said
>that a dedicated SW receiver was better, but that I had no direct knowledge.
>Well, now I do. Yesterday I purchased an AOR 8000, and tonight I'm using it to
>monitor USAF traffic on 11.175USB. Using the same antenna, the AOR is out
>performing my YB400. The antenna is one of the Sangean roll up portable ones,
>about 20 feet long, stretched across the living room. This antenna comes with a
>little plastic clamp that grips the whip antenna on a shortwave portable such
>as the ATS909. To facilitate its use on the AOR I replaced the stock rubber
>ducky with a collapsable metal whip I had in a junk box. The whip was
>originally designed for use with a Tandy frequency counter.
>
>Anyway, at least in this instance, the AOR is outperforming the YB400.

I'm glad you qualified this test. Two notes:

(1) The YB 400 sideband feature is a cheap afterthought. The filter
is so wide (and the AGC is so poorly matched to the product detector)
that it frequently distorts, and adds in noise from the opposite
sideband. Using the YB 400 for serious sideband listening is not a
good idea. I'm not surprised that an AOR 8000 can outperform it.

(2) A 20 foot long antenna on 11 MHz working with a sideband signal is
not what I would call a strong signal test.

It's indeed possible to find conditions where one radio will
outperform the other and vice versa. Optimizing a receiver for wide
band sensitivity doesn't mean it will always overload, nor does
optimizing a receiver for crowded AM broadcast reception mean that it
will never overload.

But on average, you can see which one will be preferable.

Even if the YB 400's dynamic range were 10 dB better than the AOR 8000
(and it probably isn't that much), an unbalanced test like this will
result in the YB 400 overloading sooner than the AOR 8000.

Note for future tests: If memory serves, I believe the AOR 8000 has a
50 ohm antenna impedance whereas the YB 400's antenna impedance is
much higher. This results in much higher signal strengths in the YB
400 for a short (less than 1/4 wave) antenna. There is so much more
signal in the YB 400 front end that it might be appropriate to switch
in an attenuator to prevent overload.

So to level the playing field, I suggest using a conventional dipole
for the band in question. This will result in roughly equal amounts

of signal going to each radio.

Happy Listening!

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

6457. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u3egt$s1u$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I went to this site, and I must say, I am inpressed ! Somebody must have put
a lot of work into this program........ Excellent ! You can count on my
interest in this......

Len G. Carpenter wrote in message <3603ea59.24686667@news.iaw.on.ca>...
> I hope that when you get your interface installed and working
>that you have a look at our program for windows which is a full 32bit
>application called Pro-Turbo at:
>http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>
>
>On Sat, 19 Sep 1998 12:11:09 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
>wrote:
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>>
>>If you were considering buying a CE-232 interface for your Pro
>>2004/2005/2006 scanner, now is the time to order ! The CE-232 will
continue
>>to be supported for several years, but the availability of this fine
>>interface may end as soon as this Christmas. You wouldn`t want to miss out
>>on the versatility of this highly desireable piece of equipment. (I
ordered
>>mine already !) I will post the particulars of this interface over the
next
>>week or so.
>>or, you can obtain info directly from :
>>
>>bcheek@cts.com
>

6458. Re: !!FREQUENCY REQUEST PLEASE HELP!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kahuna <myself@myisp.org>
Message-ID: <6u3fsn$i22$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 143602

dont type in all caps!!!

GBPKRSNo1 wrote in message <19980919174213.14660.00001785@ng11.aol.com>...
>
>CAN ANYONE GIVE ME THE FREQUENCIES USED BY THE GREENBAY PACKERS,
CINNCINNATI
>BENGALS AND ALSO THE FREQUENCIES USED BY NFL FILMS ID APPRECIATE THE
>HELP. PLEASE POST THEM HERE IF YOU CAN HELP. THANKS

6459. FS: Bearcat BC760XLT w/ PL Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Gilligan <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <360540BD.DCE3B1F3@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 143603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Bearcat BC760XLT 100ch scanner (5 banks)
PL/CTCSS board installed
Includes ant/book/AC adapt
Has service scan and probably modifiable for cell

$160obo shipped USPS to the 48.

Email reply if interested.
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Sean M. Gilligan (CompSci '01)
Box C252, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA 18015
Email: smg3@lehigh.edu
Phone: 610.317.2932 / 609.275.2965
ICQ: 4055292

You're never gonna die, you're gonna make it if
you try; they're gonna love you. --Pink Floyd
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6460. FS: Yupi 9000 - 100Khz-2300Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Curtis <pccurtis@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3605446C.86699068@flash.net>
Source record: 143604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Yupiteru 9000 - Top of the line handheld receiver/scanner. Full coverage 100Khz to 2300 Mhz, no gaps! All mode, AM, AM-N, FM, FM-W, USB, LSB, CW. 1000 Memories, band scope, alpha tags, etc. Best shortwave reception of ANY handheld! Beats AR8000 and all other wide-range receivers.

$500.00 shipped, with NiCads, telescoping antenna, leather case, original manual, Rich Wells manual.

Paul, KE8VI
pccurtis@flash.net

6461. FS : Radio Shack Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6u3g88hos1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Still one of the best. Box and manual included. $300

No Trades Please. I'm trying to raise money for a new Yaesu radio. Thx.

6462. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <%HbN1.807$Nd.1370136@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143606
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If this is an ISA based interface you just got screwed by ordering one. ISA is going the way of the dodo bird right now.
If you are the type that is happy with an obsolete PC then I wouldn't worry. I am sure there are some folks still playing around with CPM and TRS 80's right now. Sheesh when you think of it the radios this thing interfaces to are technically obsolete. Still functional as long as they don't get hit by a voltage spike during a storm. I would get a new LCD display immedately as these fail with ageParts are getting hard to come by as Radio Shake depeletes it supplies.

If CE-232 interface is a strictly serial interface you can get by with an adapter if you decide purchase a new PC next year or there after.
No 1999 PC or later will have ISA or it will not be certified. There is quite a discussion about the need to get out of ISA even on exising PCs so the PCI bus will function better.
You can really get a boost by yanking all ISA cards right now and changing CMOS parameters on PCI settings.

The PCs that are under development will be magnitudes faster and cheaper then anything we have seen to date. Also being discontinued are PARALLEL, SERIAL, and IDE BUSES.
I am not sure but I think the FLOPPY DISK is to be phased out also like it was on the new MAC.
USB will have an adaper you can add to use old legacy serial and parallel devices. There will be many strong reasons to switch to these new designs, one of them is the strong conectivity issue. You will be able to link many different devices in your house or business with just plain telephone wire. The PC will become even more versital and useful then it is now.

Since the ISA sound cards are dead, if you need a sound card examine either USB speakers (no sound card needed) or something like the SBLive! which has a programable DSP on the card which can handle 127 audio streams at once in hardware. There are incredible things these new Intel CPUs can doin software that required hardware before in your PC. Read about just the advances in PC sound and how it is going to be handled at Intel's 3D RSX web site
http://www.intel.com/ial/rsx/wpaper.htm

Also
http://www.intel.com/ial/rsx/doc.htm
http://www.intel.com/ial/rsx/

For more on Spatial Audio research at Georgia Tech go to
http://www.cc.gatech.edu/gvu/multimedia/spatsound/spatsound.html

From GA
73 de ki4je

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6u3egt$s1u$1@garnet.mint.net>...
>>>
>>>If you were considering buying a CE-232 interface for your Pro
>>>2004/2005/2006 scanner, now is the time to order ! The CE-232 will
>continue
>>>to be supported for several years, but the availability of this fine
>>>interface may end as soon as this Christmas. You wouldn`t want to miss
out

6463. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u3it1snj1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143607
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BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6u33vf$17@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>...
>In <6u2rm7$pk5$1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
>writes:
>>
>>I think that your reply to Kali on this issue is hypocritical ,
>legally
>>correct, and beneath contempt. You sound like Bill Clinton trying to
>wriggle
>>out of HIS responsibiities.
>>
> here we go again...blaming clinton for
> your lack of "e d u c a t i o n".....
>
> say fellah...Lewinsky stalked clinton...she
> had sex with him willingly and responsibly.
> She took it in the mouth. Just like you are
> doing it.
>
Is that you, John Wayne ? I guess nobody ever went to the `Nam except you, huh ? Did you fight that whole thing single-handed ?

In Explanation, it becomes a crime when you STAND RIGHT IN FRONT OF A TV CAMERA, LOOK THE AMERICAN PUBLIC IN THE EYE, AND LIE ! It becomes a crime when you decide that, because of "technicalities" getting a "hum job" ISN`T SEX ! AND THEN YOU LIE SOME MORE ! It becomes a crime when you LIE when giving a sworn deposition in the Paula Jones suit (not that it had any merit). and then you LIE AGAIN to the grand jury ! It becomes a crime when you encourage OTHERS TO LIE ABOUT IT. I think you better read the Starr report, Mr. "eddicated". (You CAN read, can`t you ?)

Now, before you brand me a REPUBLICAN, you better think again ! I have been a democrat all my life, and my father before me. I voted for Clinton in BOTH elections ! I guess that you don`t care if he has to get an "OK" from PEKING before he can make a decision. He was not WORTHY to stand on the same turf that recieved the blood of Chinese freedom fighters in Tienemen square. By his very silence on human rights, he gives democrats a BLACK EYE. He continues to support "Most Favored Nation" status for a government that makes the NAZI STORM TROOPERS LOOK LIKE NICE GUYS!

Personally , I think YOU are the one who "lacks the smarts" to see the implications of this case that have NOTHING TO DO WITH SEX!

Now, Mr. John Wayne, if you don`t mind, I will close this little note to you, since I am probably talking to an idiot anyway. I will not see further

moronic garbage from you, since I have `plonked` you. Have a good day, Mr. John Wayne, and those of us formerly stationed in Phu Bai with the 131st Army Aviation will NOT salute you!

6464. WTB: R-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: katkey007@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920152141.26785.00002448@ng43.aol.com>
Source record: 143608

I am looking for an Icom R-7100 to upgrade my civil emergency / disaster preparedness station. Please state your price, condition and any mods.
Thank you,
Bob

6465. S-meter mod for PRO 2006 and OS456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spumo <aintbadpeople@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6u3ktu$9ufq$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143609

Is it not possible to do the S-meter mod with the OS456 installed in a PRO2006?
I tried it and could not get it to work...worked fine in the PRO2035 with no OS board installed
I would really prefer an analog meter over PROBE'S signal strength display.
Also are there any notch filter schematics out there for the commercial FM band?

Thanks in advance

Spumo.

PS Please reply to my Email addy.

6466. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Trabue <dtresbeau@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36055CA6.50FD@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143610
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> In Explanation, it becomes a crime when you STAND RIGHT IN FRONT OF A TV
> CAMERA, LOOK THE AMERICAN PUBLIC IN THE EYE, AND LIE ! It becomes a crime
> when you decide that, because of "technicalities" getting a "hum job" ISN`T
> SEX ! AND THEN YOU LIE SOME MORE !

Excuse me, when did lieing on tv become a crime?
Cause I know a bunch a people who like to see HCI, BATF, or just about
any
other group of capitol letters that have ever held a TV press event
hauled
up on charges.

>It becomes a crime when you decide that, because of "technicalities"
> getting a "hum job" ISN`T SEX ! AND THEN YOU LIE SOME MORE !

I think that if the above statment is true you just put 90% of the
lawers in
the country out of business.

>It becomes a crime when you LIE when
> giving a sworn deposition in the Paula Jones suit (not that it had any
> merit). and then you LIE AGAIN to the grand jury ! It becomes a crime when
> you encourage OTHERS TO LIE ABOUT IT.

You might just be right about that but it wasn't worth 4 million of my
tax dollars to find out.

Doug T
to find out

6467. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: llama267@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920160312.04903.00002217@ng76.aol.com>
Source record: 143611

>
>Excuse me, when did lieing on tv become a crime?
>Cause I know a bunch a people who like to see HCI, BATF, or just about
>any
> other group of capitol letters that have ever held a TV press event
>hauled
>up on charges.
>
>>It becomes a crime when you decide that, because of "technicalities"
>> getting a "hum job" ISN`T SEX ! AND THEN YOU LIE SOME MORE !
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>
>You might just be right about that but it wasn't worth 4 million of my
>tax dollars to find out.
>
>Doug T
>to find out
>
>
>
>
>
>
This has nothing to do with scanning, but I have to add a small point to your "wasn't worth 4(0) million of my tax dollars" statement. Forty million dollars isn't that much, when you consider the fact that the trip to China alone was over 3 times more expensive - and much less productive. Almost any major (or minor even) production in DC is going to cost some big bucks... It's a given...

Don,
etc.

6468. uniden BC 144 XL Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Trabue <dtresbeau@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3605620F.3E9C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143612

I just got a bearcat BC144XL with no instructions. If anyone could tell me abuot using this scanner or how to get instructions I'd appreciate it.

Doug T

6469. Re: Pro-91 a uniden?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6u3n41qqu1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 143613

Depends on what you consider "to be a Uniden" means. I feel certain that Uniden is the company contracted to manufacture this radio for RadioShack. However, you CAN'T get ANY support for it from Uniden. You CAN'T buy ANY parts for it from Uniden. You CAN'T even get Uniden to admit that they manufacture it.
You CAN get support from RadioShack for it (see http://support.tandy.com/). You CAN get parts from RadioShack for it (a parts list is also available on the website). It has a RADIOSHACK brand name on the front of it.
Now, you tell me, is it a Uniden model?

Teal9425 wrote in message <19980920112516.05692.00002158@ng96.aol.com>...
>
>If this scanner has uniden on the circuit board, isn't it a Uniden model?

6470. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: WOLFPACK10 <WOLFPACK10@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u3nn5$5s4s$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143614
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I think the fire dept's position and Humphrey's reply to Kali was just that, "a very political statement" that said nothing and meant nothing. The fire dept has lost my support and MY donations!!! Oh, and try and come take my antenna down, you'll then need to call the police dept.

6471. PCR-1000 Scanning program for DOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmr69000 <rmr69000@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6u3p8g$643$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 143615

This program allows you to use an old computer, incapable of running
Windoze, to perform scanning with your PCR-1000.

http://www.bigbear.net/users/rransom/

Then select the PCR-1000 page

6472. Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: j-thomas@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6u3ugc$v2u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143616

Lost the manual for my 2006 and I forgot how to reset it. Simply hitting the button in the back doesn't get it.

How do ya do it?

Thanks!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6473. scanner-computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: zebra_z@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6u3vlr$6j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143617

/*scan.cpp for PLL2002 scanner like RS/PRO-2033, PRO-2030 etc. This program will allow you to connect your DUMB scanner to your computer. Yes, it works with even the dumbest scanners like PRO-2033 10 channel 50 $ scanner. And will allow you to get complete control of the scanners frequency ranges and bands. For now, it only works with the scanners which use PLL2002 PLL chip, and, this includes about 90% of all scanners made by radioshack.

This interface can be used like a no parts, no restrictions very low cost all scanner interface which will allow you q00% control of your scanner.

You will need atleast the following interface between the computers parallel port and the scanners internal circuitry: -

DB25 pins direction PLL2002/scanner Pin2 (D0) IN ------- pin9 on PLL2002 (disconnect the PLL2002 pins from the scanners UP) Pin3 (D1) IN ------- pin10 on PLL2002 (disconnect the PLL2002 pins from the scanners UP) Pin4 (D2) IN ------- pin11 on PLL2002 (disconnect the PLL2002 pins from the scanners UP) pin6 (D4) IN ------- pullup power, connect a 10 K resistor between pin 6 and pin 13 of the db25 pin7 (d5) IN ------- VHF frontend-select (disconnect this control pins from the scanners UP) pin8 (d6) IN ------- UHF frontend select (disconnect this control pins from the scanners UP) pin9 (d7) IN ------- 800 Mhz frontend select (disconnect this control pins from the scanners UP)

pin13 (s4) OUT ------- squelch output, connect a 10 K resistor between pin 6 and pin 13 of the db25

pins 18-25 ground ------- connect 1or two of these to scanner ground

It is very highly recommended that all these signals into the scanner be buffered by 74LS244 and those signals out of the scanner be buffered by a NPN transistor like 2N3904

As alaways, be very-very careful to not fry your scanners circuitry and LSI chips like PLL2002 etc.

PLL2002 control protocol (reverse engineered from CRO waveforms and logic analyzer dumps) The PLL 2002 has two registers:- R register= This divides the RefOsc to generate the Ref freq which is 4.1666/5 /10 /15 Khz typically This value sets the basic PLL step size N register= This divides the VCO to generate the signal to be compared against the Ref Freq. The value, in conjuction with R sets the frequency the scanner is tuned to.

The PLL2002 uses the 3 wire protocol to load values into these registers:- Pin 9 = clock, this is toggled from low - hi-lo to shift one bit into internal registers pin 10= data, this holds the bit value to be toggled into internal registers with the clock as above pin11= Enable or LE, this toggled

lo-hi-lo to COMPLETE the transfer of the data packet. Toggling this signals
the PLL2002 to load the R or N register

R packet 16 bits MSB first hold the R Value, 1 Control Bit always signal
that it is a R packet, then LE is toggled to complete this pkt

N packet 24 bits, MSB first, the first 8 (dummy)bits are always low, the
next 8 bits hold the N value, the a 0 control bit signals pkt completion

In fact writing the following string to the LPT1 by copy
<file-containing-string> lpt1 programs the PLL2002 to 162550 (Q:WHY ?)
00100100100100102320100100100100102320100100100100102320400010010232010010232
01001001023223223201023223201023201001001001023201001001040

usage

scan > scan.001 // scans VHF band from 137 to 174 MHZ and logs
frequencies found into scan.001 scan 162550 // loads frequency into
scanner scan R N // raw mode, allows U to experiment by setting
different step sizes etc etc etc.

Use borland C++ 3.0 etc to compile this program by Bcc scan.cpp.

This program is intended ONLY for educational purposes. blah blah blah.....
*/

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
#include <bios.h>
#include <dos.h>
#include <conio.h>

void _CType delay (unsigned __Millisecond);

#define VHF_STUFF_DATA 0x24
#define UHF_STUFF_DATA 0x25

#define NUM_N_BITS 24
#define NUM_R_BITS 17
#define NUM_CONTROL_BITS 1
#define NUM_STOP_BITS 1

#define VHF_MULTIPLIER 2
#define UHF_MULTIPLIER 3

#define VHF_R_VALUE 0x820
#define UHF_R_VALUE 0x9C0

#define REF_FREQ 10400
#define FIRST_IF 10850
#define SECOND_IF 450

#define LPT1 0x378
#define LPT2 0x278
```

```
#define LPT1_INT 0x07
#define LPT2_INT 0x05

#define VHF_LO_EDGE 0x628E // 137.000 MHz
#define VHF_HI_EDGE 0x7F76 // 174.000 MHz

#define UHF_LO_EDGE 0x7B7C // 406 MHz
#define UHF_HI_EDGE 0x9c9c // 512 MHz

#define HAM_LO_EDGE 0x6806 // 144 Mhz
#define HAM_HI_EDGE 0x6B26 // 148 Mhz

#define VHFHI_LO_EDGE 0x6B26
#define VHFHI_HI_EDGE 0x7f76

#define WTHR_LO_EDGE 0x7666
#define WTHR_HI_EDGE 0x7684

#define DATA_PORT(p) (p+0)
#define STATUS_PORT(p) (p+1)
#define CONTROL_PORT(p) (p+2)

#define IS_SQUELCH_OPEN(p) ( (inport(STATUS_PORT(p)) ^ 0x10 ) & 0x10)

#define VHF_TUNER_ENABLE 0x20
#define UHF_TUNER_ENABLE 0x40

char zero_byte = 0x30;
char zero_byte_clock = 0x31;

char one_byte = 0x32;
char one_byte_clock = 0x33;

char control_byte = 0x40;

char one_string = {232};
char zero_string = {010};
char control_string = {040};

/*
struct ref_data_t{
short dummy_bit:1=0;
short r_val_msd:8;
short r_val_lsd:8;
short ctl_bit:1=1;
};

struct div_data_t{
short stuff_data:8;
short n_val_msd:8;
short n_val_lsd:8;
short ctl_bit:1=0;
};

struct pp_data_t {
short clock:1; //serial clock out
```

```
short data:1; //serial data out
short enable:1; // serial latch enable
short mute:1=0; //maybe used to muto audio to speaker, no effect on LOut
short pullup:1=1; //supplies pullup power
short vhf:1;
short uhf:1;
short dummy2:1=0;
};

struct pp_status_t{
short dummy:4;
short squelch:1; // squelch output from scanner
short dummy1:1;
short discr:1; // discriminator op , also interrupts the PP
short dummy2:1;
};

*/

struct scan_data_t{
char data_0;
char data_1;
char data_2;
};

struct scan_data_t r_data[19];
struct scan_data_t n_data[26];

int write_scan_data_byte(struct scan_data_t * p_r_data, char scan_data,
char band) {

if( scan_data == 0)
{
p_r_data->data_0= (0x30 | (band & 0xf0));
p_r_data->data_1= (0x31 | (band & 0xf0));
p_r_data->data_2= (0x30 | (band & 0xf0));
}
else if( scan_data == 1)
{
p_r_data->data_0= (0x32 | (band & 0xf0));
p_r_data->data_1= (0x33 | (band & 0xf0));
p_r_data->data_2= (0x32 | (band & 0xf0));
}
else if( scan_data == 4)
{
p_r_data->data_0= (0x30 | (band & 0xf0));
p_r_data->data_1= (0x34 | (band & 0xf0));
p_r_data->data_2= (0x30 | (band & 0xf0));
}

return 0;
}
```

```
int write_r_data( unsigned short pport, unsigned short UHF_VHF, unsigned
short r_latch_data) { int i, current_r_data_byte; char band;

if( UHF_VHF == 1)
band= 0x40;
else
band= 0x20;

current_r_data_byte= 0;

write_scan_data_byte(&(r_data[current_r_data_byte]), 0, band); // dummy
current_r_data_byte++;

for (i = 0; i< 16; i++)
{

if( (r_latch_data << i) & 0x8000)
{
write_scan_data_byte( &(r_data[current_r_data_byte]), 1, band);
current_r_data_byte++;
}
else
{
write_scan_data_byte( &(r_data[current_r_data_byte]), 0, band);
current_r_data_byte++;
}
}

write_scan_data_byte(&(r_data[current_r_data_byte]), 1, band); //
control=1 current_r_data_byte++;

write_scan_data_byte(&(r_data[current_r_data_byte]), 4, band); // LATCH
current_r_data_byte++;

char *p_char;
for( i=0, p_char= (char*)&r_data; i < sizeof(r_data); i++)
{
// fprintf( stderr, "%c", p_char[i]);
outport( pport, (unsigned short)p_char[i]);
}

return 0;
}

int write_n_data( unsigned short pport, unsigned short UHF_VHF, unsigned
short n_latch_data) { int i, current_n_data_byte; char band;

if( UHF_VHF == 1)
band= 0x40;
else
band= 0x20;

current_n_data_byte= 0;
```

```
for (i = 0; i< 8; i++)
{
write_scan_data_byte( &(n_data[current_n_data_byte]), 0, band);
current_n_data_byte++;
}

for (i = 0; i< 16; i++)
{

if( (n_latch_data << i) & 0x8000)
{
write_scan_data_byte( &(n_data[current_n_data_byte]), 1, band);
current_n_data_byte++;
}
else
{
write_scan_data_byte( &(n_data[current_n_data_byte]), 0, band);
current_n_data_byte++;
}
}

write_scan_data_byte(&(n_data[current_n_data_byte]), 0, band); //
CONTROL=0 current_n_data_byte++;

write_scan_data_byte(&(n_data[current_n_data_byte]), 4, band); // LATCH
current_n_data_byte++;

char *p_char;
for( i=0, p_char= (char*)&n_data; i < sizeof(n_data); i++)
{

// fprintf( stderr, "%c", p_char[i]);
outport( pport, (unsigned short)p_char[i]);
}

return 0;
}

int write_rn_data( unsigned short pport, unsigned short UHF_VHF, unsigned
short r_latch_data, unsigned short n_latch_data) {

write_r_data( pport, UHF_VHF, r_latch_data);

write_n_data( pport, UHF_VHF, n_latch_data);

return 0;
}

int check_squelch(unsigned short port)
{
unsigned long start_time;
unsigned long cur_time;
int i;

start_time= cur_time= biostime(0, 0L);
```

```
// while( ((unsigned long)cur_time - (unsigned long)start_time) < 2)
for( i = 0; i < 18; i++)
{
delay(1);
cur_time= biostime(0, 0L);
if( IS_SQUELCH_OPEN(port))
return 1;
}

return 0;
}

int my_delay( unsigned short delay)
{

unsigned long start_time;
unsigned long cur_time;

start_time= cur_time= biostime(0, 0L);

// fprintf( stderr, "0cur_time=0x%lx, start_time=0x%lx, delay=%x\n",
cur_time, start_time, delay);

while( (unsigned short)((unsigned long)cur_time - (unsigned
long)start_time) < delay) { cur_time= biostime(0, 0L); //
fprintf( stderr, "1cur_time=0x%lx, start_time=0x%lx, delay=0x%x\n", cur_time,
start_time, delay); if(kbhit()) return 1; }

return 0;
}

int print_frequency( int UHF_VHF, unsigned short n_data, int prompt)
{

unsigned long freq, l_data;

l_data = n_data;

if( UHF_VHF)
freq= ((l_data * 25)/2) + 10850;
else
freq= (l_data * 5) + 10850;

if( prompt) fprintf( stderr, "scanning freq=%-.6ld, nfound= %-.4d \r",
freq, prompt -1); else fprintf( stdout, "%-.6ld\n", freq);

return 0;
}

void main(int argc, char **argv)
{
int pport= 0x378;
unsigned int R_data, N_data= VHF_LO_EDGE;
int i, found_this_pass ;
int band;
unsigned long l_freq, l_ref;
```

```
if( argc == 1)
{
fprintf( stderr, "SCANNING VHF BAND , press any key to exit\n");

for( i = 0; i < 100; i ++)
{
found_this_pass = 0;

l_freq= VHF_LO_EDGE;

if( l_freq > 406000)
{
band= 1;
N_data = ((l_freq - 10850) * 2) / 25 ;
R_data = UHF_R_VALUE;
}
else
{

band = 0;
N_data = (l_freq - 10850) / 5;
R_data = VHF_R_VALUE;
}
fprintf( stdout, "scan no %d\n", i);

for( N_data= VHF_LO_EDGE; N_data < VHF_HI_EDGE ; N_data++) {
print_frequency(0, N_data, found_this_pass + 1); //prompt if( kbhit())
{ fprintf(stderr, "\nclosing\n"); return ; }

write_rn_data( pport, 0, R_data, N_data);
if(check_squelch(pport))
{
print_frequency( 0, N_data, 0);
found_this_pass ++;
my_delay(100);
// my_delay( 5000);
}
}
} // scan the VHF band 10 times
}

else if (argc ==2 )

{ // tune to that frequency
sscanf( argv[1], "%ld", &l_freq);
fprintf( stderr, "\nl_freq=%ld\n", l_freq);

if( l_freq > 406000)
{
band= 1;
N_data = ((l_freq - 10850) * 2) / 25 ;
R_data = UHF_R_VALUE;
}
else
```

```
{
band = 0;
N_data = (l_freq - 10850) / 5;
R_data = VHF_R_VALUE;
}

write_rn_data( pport, band, R_data, N_data );
}

else if (argc == 3)

{ //raw mode
sscanf( argv[1], "%ld", &l_freq);
sscanf( argv[2], "%ld", &l_ref );
fprintf( stderr, "\nl_freq=%ld, l_ref=%ld\n", l_freq, l_ref);

if( l_freq > 406000)
{
band= 1;
N_data = l_freq;
R_data = l_ref;
}
else
{
band = 0;
N_data = l_freq;
R_data = l_ref;
}

N_data = (l_freq - 10850) / 5;

write_rn_data( pport, band, R_data, N_data );
}

}
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6474. W.T.B. Uniden 8500 or 890 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbvarmint@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920174242.26465.00002245@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 143618

W.T.B. either one of these scanners. Must be in very nice shape. Must be reasonable. Glen

6475. PRICE REDUCTION:ALINCO DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920175550.04179.00001825@ng81.aol.com>
Source record: 143619

Yes in deed $290.00. Mint condition box,manual, 2nicads, strap, everything ok.THANKS TO ALL..skezzo@aol.com.

6476. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: manuell416@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920190113.07314.00002584@ng39.aol.com>
Source record: 143620

To clear all the memories,be sure the scanner is turned on and:
1>press and hold [Clear)
2>Using a pointed object,press and release the start switch.
3>after confirming that the display goes blank,release [Clear}

6477. Re: Pro-91 a uniden?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kegan30317@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920182150.01455.00001154@ng60.aol.com>
Source record: 143621

>Uniden is the company contracted to manufacture this radio for RadioShack.
>However, you CAN'T get ANY support for it from Uniden. You CAN'T buy ANY
>parts for it from Uniden. You CAN'T even get Uniden to admit that they
>manufacture it

Well, my experience with Uniden is if it did say Uniden, you had proof it was a Uniden, and Uniden even acknowledged it was a Uniden.... you still could not get support, parts a straight answer, or anything resembiling customer service.

6478. AR 8000 interface wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <36059064.A162BAE1@ncia.net>
Source record: 143622

The subject line says it all>>>TNX

6479. Re: PRICE REDUCTION:ALINCO DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulegan@interlog.com
Message-ID: <36069272.737743@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 143623

On 20 Sep 1998 21:55:50 GMT, skezzo@aol.com (Skezzo) wrote:
>
>Yes in deed $290.00. Mint condition box,manual, 2nicads, strap, everything
>ok.THANKS TO ALL..skezzo@aol.com.
Enjoy the cellular coverage!
HOWEVER:
If you want one with the cell freqs:
paulegan@interlog.com

6480. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: paulegan@interlog.com
Message-ID: <36059192.513529@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 143624

On 20 Sep 1998 09:12:36 PDT, Bob Schwerdtman <bob9000@concentric.net>
wrote:
>Paul Egan wrote:
>>
>> On 20 Sep 1998 04:33:26 GMT, "Robert Marselle" <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
>> wrote:
>> >I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with 2
>> >batteries
>
>Are they on sale? I went to the web site and I could only find them for
>$379.00. Did you get a demo or something?
You got a good deal!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Bet it doesn't happen again!
Still have a nice clean DJ-X10K with celluar for $300 US firm +
postage.
Anyone interested?
email paulegan@interlog.com

6481. BC 200XLT After market Anntenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36059554.545E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143625

Is there an after market antenna that out performs the rubber antenna supplied with the scanner? I saw a advertisement a while back for a portable antenna that looked like a mini space helmet (round W/ wires extending from a main ball). They made claims that it offered improveded receiption for all frequencies. If such an antenna or something simular works, you someone supply with the products name and place where I can buy one. Thanks Bob

6482. Pro-2004 Problem HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36059FC8.8CD6195E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143626
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I have a Pro-2004. The scanner has an intermitten problem with going haywire sometimes.
While scanning, it will suddenly loose all reception on a station and the resume scanning. When it does resume scanning, the receive just seems to disappear. The receive goes dead even when I turn down the squelch. It may continue scanning like this for a few minutes, and then the display will go absolutely wacky. (???). The weird thing is, after I shut the scanner off and then back on, it will scan and receive normally. I've changed the 9 volt battery and there has been no change. Any suggetions on this "possessed" box ?

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

6483. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael brown <mbrown@kih.net>
Message-ID: <3605A145.328B@kih.net>
Source record: 143627
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> say fellah...Lewinsky stalked clinton...she
> had sex with him willingly and responsibly.
> She took it in the mouth. Just like you are
> doing it.
>
> as far as I know it's legal for
> two adults to have consensual sex
> in all 50 states....and it's not
> a crime to deny what is not a crime.

<snip snip>

I don't feel that the sex part is the problem, I personally don't care
if he banged all the females in D.C., but the fact that he took an oath
to TELL THE TRUTH and didn't, and furthermore, attempted to have others
lie or have them unknowingly tell lies because they repeated what he
told them is what hacks me off!

Besides that, what company in the country wouldn't fire employees for
getting it on in the workplace, before/after/during working hours?

> remember: consensual sex is legal. It's
> not a crime. How can what is legal be a
> crime just because it's hushed up?

Once again, the sex part is NOT the problem! ITS THE LIES!!!!!!!!!!!

> moron are you and those of your ilk.

If you were the leader of a country and had to deal with this guy, would
you trust him? If you did, YOU WOULD BE THE MORON! I don't have to deal
with him and I don't trust him! Never have, never will!

<snip snip>

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regards,
>>>> NOTE: REMOVE THE TIREDOFSPAM IN THE RETURN ADDRESS TO REPLY! <<<<
michael brown
mbrownTIREDOFSPAM@kih.net

6484. CE-232 to PRO-2022 Conections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Palazzola <mipal@abac.com>
Message-ID: <6u48dd$c26$1@news1.abac.com>
Source record: 143628

I have heard you can connect a CE-232 to a PRO-2022 to program it.
I looked at the keyboard wiring at the pcb and they don't
line up with a standard X Y row matrix. Is there a hookup diagram to
interface
to it ? If so where can I find it?

Thanks
Mike Palazzola

6485. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6u1iikmbk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143650

In article <19033-36032E82-34@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>,
YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net (Bruce K) wrote:
> Well I received about 20 emails from you guys on this.And I would ask
> you to post rather than email me directly to get a better
> perspective.Thanks nonetheless.Anyway half say pay-half say don't pay.A
> couple did say offer half.Since I did not insure it and he didn't ask
> about insurance.The main ? raised is how do I know he didn't receive it?
> Well I don't. He hasn't called the police like requested,talk to
> neighbors or give me the name of the postmaster he talked to.I have
> offered him half.He wants all of it-not a penny less.I would have
> thought this to be fair to split it up.What do you think now? please
> post and not email me if possible.
>
> If he won't furnish you with any info or report it to the police I would
assume he got it and tell him to F--- OFF.

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6486. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36084ab4.15382406@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143651

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 11:53:28 -0500, "William J. Crawford"
<wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net> wrote:

>would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
>for your apprecation and cooperation.

You have to send a message with "REMOVE ME NOW" in the subject.

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6487. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36094b15.15479242@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143652

On Fri, 18 Sep 1998 14:23:43 -0500, "William J. Crawford"
<wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net> wrote:

>"G3+4c100"
>

You did it wrong!

You have to put "REMOVE ME NOW" in the subject!
-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6488. Re: help: MDT Decoding doesn't work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <360a4b79.15579700@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143653

On 19 Sep 1998 02:46:10 GMT, Dave Schop
<E-mail.Our.House@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I'm having troubles getting the MDTW1234 program to pick up
>transmissions on my IBM Thinkpad. I have a descriminator tap from my
>BC-895xlt and a hammcomm type interface. I can pick up paging signals
>with pd204 (with 90% - 100% accuracy) and trunking data signals with
>Trunker3.0X just fine, but when i run MDTW1234 all i get is:
>
>Listening for signal on Com1:
>
>and nothing.

Try starting it with /RE

>Can anyone help? Oh i also live in Seattle, Wa.... if anyone that lives
>near and is interested in digital scanning, please conntact me. I'm look
>for SPD MDT frecuencies and someone with who i can share info on this
>topic.
>
>Joel
>e-mail.our.house@worldnet.att.net

-

26.1972800/-080.1707083
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http://broward.home.ml.org

6489. PA Crime Watch Groups Freq List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dc2daylight@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <36044c10.17029204@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143654

Here is my list of area Crime Watch Groups, I'm always looking
to add to the list, any additions or corrections are appreciated.

PENNSYLVANIA COMMUNITY CRIME WATCH FREQUENCY LISTING

LOCATION FREQ SV LICENSEE

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ANDALUSA PA 464.2250 IB ANDALUSA TOWN WATCH
BENSALEM PA 462.7000 ZA NOTTINGHAM TOWNWATCH
BUCKS CO. PA 463.9750 IB NESHAMINY AREA TOWN WATCH
CHADDS FORD PA 464.5250 IB PENNSBURY WATCH
CHERRY HILL PA 464.9500 IB ALLIANCE OF GUARDIAN ANGELS IN
CHESTER TO PA 462.6000 ZA UNITED VALLEY REACT INC
CROYODON PA 461.2625 IB CROYODON TOWN WATCH
FAIRVIEW TWPPA 462.6000 ZA MOUNTAINTOP REACT
FAIRVIEW TWPPA 462.6750 ZA MOUNTAINTOP REACT
FORD CITY PA 462.6750 ZA ARMSTRONG COUNTY AREA REACT
HARRISBURG PA 462.6750 ZA HARRISBURG AREA REACT TEAM INC
HAVERTOWN PA 464.1125 IB HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP TOWNWATCH
HILLTOWN PA 154.6000 IB HILLTOWN TOWNSHIP TOWN WATCH
JOHNSTOWN PA 462.6750 ZA JOHNSTOWN AREA REACT INC TEAM
KITTANNING PA 462.6750 ZA ARMSTRONG COUNTY AREA REACT
LACKAWANNA PA 462.6750 ZA LACKAWANNA EMERGENCY REACT
LANCASTER PA 462.6000 ZA REACT SERVICE
LANCASTER PA 462.6750 ZA LANCASTER COUNTY REACT INC
LIMA PA 462.5750 ZA CONSTABLES ASSOC OF DELAWARE
PENNSYLVANIA 155.1900 PP PA STATE CONSTABLES
MALVERN PA 462.6250 ZA CHARLESTOWN TOWNWATCH INC
MOHNTON PA 462.6000 ZA LEHIGH EMERG MONIT ASSN REACT
MOHNTON PA 462.6750 ZA BERKS EMERGENCY REPEATER ASSOC
MOHNTON PA 462.6750 ZA LEHIGH EMERG MONIT ASSN REACT
MOUNTAINTOP PA 462.6750 ZA MOUNTAINTOP REACT
NEW CASTLE PA 462.6000 ZA NEW CASTLE AREA REACT INC
NEW CASTLE PA 462.6750 ZA NEW CASTLE AREA REACT INC
NEWTOWN SQUAPA 462.6750 ZA SUBURBAN REACT
PHILADELPHIAPA 464.5875 IB BELLA VISTA TOWN WATCH
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PHILADELPHIAPA 461.6500 IB EAST FALLS TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 462.5500 ZA WISSINOMING TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 461.4750 IB OLNEY TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 464.4750 IB EAGLE TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 463.2500 IB FAIRVIEW TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 464.1250 IB FOXCHASE TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 462.6000 ZA SOCIETY HILL TOWN WATCH

PHILADELPHIAPA 463.7250 IB BRIDESBURG TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 461.0250 IB BURHOLME TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 462.6250 ZA BUSTLETON BOWLER SOMERTON T.W.
PHILADELPHIAPA 462.6500 ZA 8TH P.D. TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 463.9000 IB RHAWNHURST TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 461.5500 IB NORTH PHILA TASK FORCE
PHILADELPHIAPA 462.6750 ZA ROVING KNIGHTS REACT
PHILADELPHIAPA 464.8000 IB SOUTHWEST FRANKFORD NEIGHBORS
PHILADELPHIAPA 463.3250 IB WEST FRANKFORD TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 463.3000 IB TACONY TOWN WATCH
PHILADELPHIAPA 463.7750 IB 21ST WARD CENTRAL TOWN WATCH
PITTSBURGH PA 464.9500 IB ALLIANCE OF GUARDIAN ANGELS
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UPPER DARBY PA 462.6750 ZA SUBURBAN REACT
WEST PITTSTOPA 462.6750 ZA MOUNTAINTOP REACT
YEADON PA 463.2125 IB YEADON TOWN WATCH ASSN INC

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6490. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919205044.01266.00003274@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143655

>From: kd1my@banet.net

>> If he won't furnish you with any info or report it to the police I would
>assume he got it and tell him to F--- OFF.
>

It does seem rather suspicious. Although I would say that anyone who sends anything through the mail/Fed Ex/UPS without insuring it is an idiot and deserves whatever befalls him, if the intended receipient is unwilling to assist with resolving the matter, I would suspect that it's not a kosher deal to begin with. I would not give him back his dough until that has been resolved.

6491. use of FRS radios in Pensacola, FL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: berticus@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <360450aa.29653044@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143656

While staying at the NAS Corry Station Quality Inn, I noticed that the front desk is using FRS radios to communicate with other employees such as the cleaning staff.

Big Bad Berticus sends...

6492. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wild Bill <kwag98@tcis.net>
Message-ID: <01bde42c$3c282600$f9551bd0@p75>
Source record: 143657

HI.. you can locate his Postmaster for the delivery address. The Postal Service takes these types of disappearances very seriously.. that's what the postal inspectors are for.

You won't know if the recipient's story is fraudulent unless you check with the Post Office. With all of the forms they utilize, i'd be surprised that he mailman would scribble a note on a plain piece of paper and attach it to some other piece of mail.. sounds fishy to me.

cheers
WB

6493. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980919210054.17321.00002002@ng05.aol.com>
Source record: 143658

When this question was first posted I answered that conventional wisdom said that a dedicated SW receiver was better, but that I had no direct knowledge. Well, now I do. Yesterday I purchased an AOR 8000, and tonight I'm using it to monitor USAF traffic on 11.175USB. Using the same antenna, the AOR is out performing my YB400. The antenna is one of the Sangean roll up portable ones, about 20 feet long, stretched across the living room. This antenna comes with a little plastic clamp that grips the whip antenna on a shortwave portable such as the ATS909. To facilitate its use on the AOR I replaced the stock rubber ducky with a collapsable metal whip I had in a junk box. The whip was originally designed for use with a Tandy frequency counter.

Anyway, at least in this instance, the AOR is outperforming the YB400.

John Ward

6494. Re: pro-64 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <36044d22.2571753@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 143659

On 19 Sep 1998 20:42:07 GMT, n0jio@delphi.com wrote:

>Hi, I have another pro-64 question for you. I notice that the power
>supply that I bought to charge the battery pack for this scanner has a
>jack on it which also fits the scanner as well as the jack on the
>recharger box. Is it just possible that the radio could be powered by
>this supply as well as the charger pack? If not, why not?
>also, just how long can that scanner, or scanners from the Shack in
>general hold frequencies while the batteries are out of it? I ask,
>because as far as I know, the rechargeable battery pack must be taken
>out of the radio to be charged and so I was wondering if I need to keep
>the other pack filled with batteries for when I charge the pack or what?
>sorry to bother you with this, but since I'm unable to read the instruction
>book, I don't know how to find out easily.
> thanks,
>

Yes, you can power the scanner from the power supply that you charge
the battery pack with *if* it has a capacity of at least 200 mA and
the plug is center tip negative. The scanner has a built-in charging
circuit that allows you to charge a rechargeable battery pack while it
is in the scanner. Note that this will *not* work using the standard
battery holder with Ni-cds *unless* the battery holder is modified.
The scanner should retain the frequencies for some time with no power
so you shouldn't have a problem there. I recently began reusing a
PRO-2026 that had been stored for several months and was surprised
to find that it hadn't lost the programmed frequencies.

The PRO-64 is capable of interfacing with a PC which is real handy for
loading new or old frequencies. All you need is an easily constructed
cable which plugs into the scanner's earphone jack and any one of
several available software programs. No modification is required to
the scanner itself. Check out Ken Plotkin's Scanner Page at:

http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

George

6495. OYE BOY GETS CAUGHT AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920012200.VAA29240@ladder03.news.aol.com>
Source record: 143660

In article <3604313e.53411084@news.uswest.net>, THE OYE BOY, masquerading as:
proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke) writes:

>On 19 Sep 1998 12:50:05 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>
>>In article <360442f6.8240671@news.uswest.net>, proudhawk@uswest.net (Hawke)
>>writes:
>>
>>>On 19 Sep 1998 00:54:52 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>>>
>>>>In article <3602e0d5.42920630@news.uswest.net>, proudhawk@uswest.net
>(Hawke)
>>>>writes:
>>>>
>>>>>You know as well as I do, such things can be manufactured.....
>>>>
>>>>Uh huh. You're the resident expert on such matters.
>>
>>>I am? And what qualifies your opinion on this?
>>
>>You tell us, OYE BOY. You seem to have all the answers.

>Sorry man, thats a poor excuse for an answer.... You make a lot of
>bold statements, and when anyone confronts you, you start questioning
>their questions (sure, the socratic method may work, if you ask the
>RIGHT questions, but then, you haven't asked the right ones yet).

Well then, please enlighten me, OYE BOY. Give me the benefit of your boundless
education and worldly years of life experience.

>>>you *THINK* you know the truth (actually, for you its a perverted
>>>version thereof).
>>
>>Look who's talking about perverted. Hey, OYE BOY, how many hours did it
>take
>>you to cancel all those messages in the alt.sex newsgroups?

>Pardon? I think you are confused here. Those were allegedly posted by
>N7ZZT, weren't they?

Uh, yes, OYE BOY...they were indeed "allegedly" posted by that party. But you
wouldn't know anything about that, now would you?

> Also, weren't you involved in that in some way

Nope.

>(checking the archives reveals you were HEAVILY involved).

Is that so, OYE BOY? How about a little hard evidence...you know, factual
information to back up this statement.

>>>>>In fact: here is my webpage: http://www.users.uswest.net/~proudhawk
>>>>
>>>>Sure. Now that it's been completely changed.

>>> Nice try.
>>>better check the modified date on it, CBRambo. I could just modify it
>>>for you, but then, you;d complain all the louder about it.

Yup. It would be just IMPOSSIBLE to fudge the date, wouldn't it, OYE BOY?

>>Funny how you know all about this, isn't it?

>Funny how you fail to mention that it was you who mentioned my site in
>the first place

You have a poor memory, OYE BOY. Here...I'll help refresh it for you: it was
Covert 62 who originally made mention of your Web site on this newsgroup.

>and then claimed that it had changed litterally in
>the space of a few hours (again, a check of the archives is so
>revealing). I found out that my site was hacked rougly 7 hours later
>and reloaded the origianl webpage that I have had on there since
>march. Why don't you just check the "last modified" date in that?
>Otherwise, if you can't admit to getting caught in another of your
>games, then just shut up and go away.

Why don't you just admit that you've been found out and we'll drop the whole
thing. The jig's up, OYE BOY!

>>>uh huh.. yeah sure, CBRambo... I guess I'm also supposed to be part of
>>>a "militia group" too? This sounds a little too much like a
>>>"conspiracy theory" to me. Are you paranoid, or are they actually out
>>>to get you, huh CBRambo?
>>
>>Sorry, OYE BOY. Never said anything about a militia. You've been listening
>to
>>Bo Gritz again, haven't you? Or was it Chuck Harder?

>No, you didn't, but you sure sound like the type who has conspircay
>theories bouncing all over that cavernous cranium of yours (having so
>much room because of a lack of brains isn't so cool, huh?).

(unrelated and irrelevant nonsense ignored)

>>>You inferred it (shall I quote you?)
>>>
>>>On 18 Sep 1998 21:28:02 GMT, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) wrote:
>>> "Whatever you say, OYE BOY!"
>>>
>>>That looks like an inference to me.

>>
>>You're just too easy, OYE BOY. Your style gives you away every time. I
>make
>>some comment about you, you immediately show up and stammer "It's not
>>me...nope, not me" and then, when I have you backed in the corner, you start
>>spouting off about lawyers and/or legal terms. If it's NOT you, why do you
>>feel compelled to continue responding to this thread? Got you again, OYE
>BOY! HAW HAW HAW!

>yeah, uh huh. SURE (lots of sarcasm here). Do us all a favor: Go away.
>Better yet, check the thread (its changed again). Too bad you are
>unarmed, otherwise having a battle of wits with you would actually be
>interesting. :)

(more irrelevant and insignificant attempts at diverting attention from the
subject at hand ignored)

>Still waiting to hear from your lawyer, OYE BOY!
>What lawyer. Again you confuse me with this other person (Eric Oyen,
>isn't it?). I do know who he is (he works down he street at the State
>Dept of Revenue).

Gee, isn't that a coincidence. In a big city like Phoenix, you just "happen"
to know who "he" is and where "he" works. Imagine that!

> Frankly, I could care less, I just know I am not
>him. If you must insist on this, then prove that I am him.

No need to do that, OYE BOY. You have done a wonderful job of proving my case
for me.

Still waiting to hear from your "lawyer", OYE BOY!

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

6496. Re: Will a Good Portable SW receiver outperform AOR, Yupiteru scanner ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pzman@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36056548.65876965@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143661

On 20 Sep 1998 01:00:54 GMT, jtward01@aol.com (JTWard01) wrote:

>
>When this question was first posted I answered that conventional wisdom said
>that a dedicated SW receiver was better, but that I had no direct knowledge.
>Well, now I do. Yesterday I purchased an AOR 8000, and tonight I'm using it to
>monitor USAF traffic on 11.175USB. Using the same antenna, the AOR is out
>performing my YB400. The antenna is one of the Sangean roll up portable ones,
>about 20 feet long, stretched across the living room. This antenna comes with a
>little plastic clamp that grips the whip antenna on a shortwave portable such
>as the ATS909. To facilitate its use on the AOR I replaced the stock rubber
>ducky with a collapsable metal whip I had in a junk box. The whip was
>originally designed for use with a Tandy frequency counter.
>
>Anyway, at least in this instance, the AOR is outperforming the YB400.
>
>John Ward
The yupi will outperform the sangean and aor. I own a yupi 9000, aor
8000, sangean 909, and yaesu frg-100. For shortwave the yaesu is the
best as would be expected since it is designed for this use. But the
9000 comes in at a close second when hooked up to a good antenna and
not placed too close to a computer. Keith

6497. Scanner between $90 and $140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: JERRYHARKER <JERRYHARKER@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bde43f$069a73e0$3f796420@default>
Source record: 143662

WTB: Scanner between $90 and $140. Doesn't matter if it is Radio Shack or Uniden. E-mail me if you have one that you are willing to sell. Thanks.
Mike Jerryharker@prodigy.net

6498. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@nospam.atandt.net>
Message-ID: <36047AFC.EB3BD355@nospam.atandt.net>
Source record: 143663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

::ahem:: No amateur station is prevented from using any means of communications necessary.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> You'd think so until you begin looking at definitions. Our idea of
> "amateur station" doesn't necessarily coincide with that of the
> government's. Radios capable of transmitting on police frequencies don't
> fall under the catagory of "amateur station."
> Jeff KH2PZ

> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station of
> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human life
> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication systems are
> >> not available.

--
73 de Ryan Faricy
Amateur Radio Callsign: KC0DSZ
Website: http://home.att.net/~jtonsa/
SkyWarn ID: 2212-98
ICQ: 2865322

War doesn't determine who's right, just who's left.

6499. Lower Your Mortgage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: glhayes <glhayes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bde43d$38e658c0$33f0accf@default>
Source record: 143664

Complete Guide to Lowering Your Mortgage
info@infofind.net

6500. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Marselle <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6u20im$7bu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143665

I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with 2 batteries

CWest69521 wrote in message
<19980918003120.29853.00001116@ng-fb1.aol.com>...
>
>paul us or euro version

6501. Re: use of FRS radios in Pensacola, FL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-2009980037570001@pm58-06.magicnet.net>
Source record: 143666

In article <360450aa.29653044@news.mindspring.com>,
berticus@mindspring.com (Big Bad Berticus) wrote:

> While staying at the NAS Corry Station Quality Inn, I noticed that the
> front desk is using FRS radios to communicate with other employees
> such as the cleaning staff.
>
> Big Bad Berticus sends...

Sounds like a use that it was intended for. Before FRS, GRMS would
probably have been used for that purpose, and that would have been a bit
of over kill. More than what would be needed.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

6502. need scanner advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekdo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920005011.26462.00002128@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 143667

I'm in need of a trunk tracking and conventional hand held scanner that handles both LTR (Johnston), and Motorola 800, and 900 mhz trunked and conventional repeater and simplex fm systems. TPL and DPL and tx/rx ID is required, as well as VHF-UHF . Anyone have any recommendations on a
Make/Model scanner that can handle ?

Many thanks
Dave

nnnn
test

6503. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3604C221.B543D8D5@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 143668

Try this site, it has NFL frequencies

http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scan.html

GBPKRSNo1 wrote:

> CAN ANYONE GIVE ME THE FREQUENCIES USED BY THE GREENBAY PACKERS, CINNCINNATI
> BENGALS AND ALSO THE FREQUENCIES USED BY NFL FILMS ID APPRECIATE THE
> HELP. PLEASE POST THEM HERE IF YOU CAN HELP. THANKS

6504. nfl freq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3604C37F.647DFC4F@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 143669

try this site

http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scan.html

GBPKRSNo1 wrote:

> CAN ANYONE GIVE ME THE FREQUENCIES USED BY THE GREENBAY PACKERS, CINNCINNATI
> BENGALS AND ALSO THE FREQUENCIES USED BY NFL FILMS ID APPRECIATE THE
> HELP. PLEASE POST THEM HERE IF YOU CAN HELP. THANKS

6505. Re: nfl freq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Brush" <broom1@greenville.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3604C7A3.703CC0A8@greenville.infi.net>
Source record: 143670

http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/nfl.html

R. Brush wrote:

> try this site
>
> http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scan.html
>
> GBPKRSNo1 wrote:
>
> > CAN ANYONE GIVE ME THE FREQUENCIES USED BY THE GREENBAY PACKERS, CINNCINNATI
> > BENGALS AND ALSO THE FREQUENCIES USED BY NFL FILMS ID APPRECIATE THE
> > HELP. PLEASE POST THEM HERE IF YOU CAN HELP. THANKS

6506. Re: need scanner advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920031806.09689.00002532@ng37.aol.com>
Source record: 143671

Bud Wrote:>I'm in need of a trunk tracking and conventional hand held scanner that
>handles both LTR (Johnston), and Motorola 800, and 900 mhz trunked
>and conventional repeater and simplex fm systems. TPL and DPL
>and tx/rx ID is required, as well as VHF-UHF . Anyone have any
>recommendations on a
>Make/Model scanner that can handle

etc.....
Bud: the only thing that comes close at this time is the optoelectronics optocom it is not a handheld and requires a PC to operate try this URL:http://www.optoelectronics.com/ be advised FCC approval is still pending.

6507. Re: Bearcat 350 in Need of Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920033927.09689.00002539@ng37.aol.com>
Source record: 143672

My contact with uniden was quite some time ago had no problems at all. The $80 was the price as best I can recall.

BP

6508. Re: Pro 2037 Fire Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u2cj7$267a$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143673

Is there a web sight for info on the Pro2041/2037?

Thanks

Rick

6509. Frequencys In the United Kingom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Forbes <forbesj@cwcom.net>
Message-ID: <3604DD54.35C8@cwcom.net>
Source record: 143674

if anyone knows good active frequencys in england please tell me via e-mail

FORBESJ@MCMAIL.COM

6510. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6u2pa3$4j0@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>::ahem:: No amateur station is prevented from using any means of communications
>necessary.

"...at its disposal...", not "necessary" - don't add your own words
to the FCC's regulations. Now, if you're able to think in a legalistic
sense, ask yourself what equipment would be at the disposal of an
"amateur station."

I've written to the FCC regarding this matter - I'll post their
reply to finally settle this issue.

Jeff

6511. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u2rm7$pk5$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143676
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I think that your reply to Kali on this issue is hypocritical , legally correct, and beneath contempt. You sound like Bill Clinton trying to wriggle out of HIS responsibiities.

As far as your statement that you respect other people`s property and their involvement in the field of emergency work, I say, balderdash. You wouldn`t be encouraging others to become some kind of "hit squad" against these emergency operators if that were true.

resign.

6512. CE-232 Particulars post # 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u2t5dppf1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143677
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

OVERVIEW
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The CE-232 Scanner/Computer Interface is a 2.5" x 3" electronic board that goes between an IBM-PC/XT/AT/compatible computer and a scanner, for some very powerful capabilities.

The CE-232 is a -smart- RS-232 Interface controller and data acquisition system for some scanners and at least a drudgery-free automatic programmer and remote controller for all supported scanners.

The CE-232 eliminates the drudgery and disappointment in scanning by its ability to "AutoProgram" up to 999 memory channels from a plain ASCII text file in a short time, error-free and exactly the way you want it.

The CE-232 also allows control of the scanner from the computer's keyboard; a strong plus for handheld scanners and those with hard-to-operate keyboards!

The CE-232 is a one-way controller and AutoProgrammer like described above for MANY scanners, including the PRO-2042, PRO-2035, PRO-2022, PRO-43, PRO-39, PRO-37, PRO-34, PRO-26, etc.

The CE-232 is a TWO-WAY controller and data acquisition system for the time-honored PRO-2004, PRO-2005, and PRO-2006 scanners which have unique circuitry that allows the CE-232 to do a LOT more than just AutoProgram and Remote Control, including log data on "hits", reject undesirable signals, look up data about a certain frequency, and much more described below.

Inquire for details about these or the many other scanners with which the CE-232 Interface is powerfully capable.

6513. CE-232 particulars post # 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u2tetpqo1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143678
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

DESCRIPTION OF CE-232 PERFORMANCE & SPECS
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** Operate the scanner from the Computer's Keyboard! **

REMOTE CONTROL FROM COMPUTER'S KEYBOARD:

Virtually all functions of the scanner can be operated from the computer's keyboard. For example, a replica of the scanner's front panel is displayed on the monitor along with a keypad emulator to show the keys to be pressed as if you were operating the scanner in a normal manner. The CE-232 does not slow down the scanner nor alter its peformance in any manner! Not only can you operate the scanner from the computer's keyboard, you can also operate normally from the scanner as well.

NOTE FOR PRO-2004/5/6 ONLY: As the scanner operates, the computer monitor displays EVERYTHING that the scanner shows in its LCD display!

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** The scanner is AutoProgrammable by the CE-232! **

AUTOPROGRAMMER

The CE-232 can auto-download into the scanner's memory up to 999 channels at a time, from a previously prepared plain text list of frequencies! Auto-Programming includes channel, frequency, DELAY, MODE, and LOCKOUT functions as desired.

This AutoProgram feature applies to all supported scanners, limited only by the number of memory channels in the scanner, up to a maximum of 999.

You can also manually program the scanner from the computer's keyboard, in conjunction with normal remote keyboard control as described above.

NOTE: The AutoProgrammer function of the CE-232 uses a very simple ASCII text format, well within the capability of any text editor and/or database manager to construct and lay out.

** The CE-232 has excellent 3rd party support **

Now get this: the PerCon Corp (regional+) FCC-Databases-On-CDROM have a special export feature for the exact type of file format (*.APF) for quick and automatic generation of AutoProgrammer files for the CE-232 Interface! Within minutes, you can have thousands of frequencies for your area ready to be AutoProgrammed into your scanner! For more information about

PerCon Corp and their FCC Database products write or fax:

PerCon Corp; 4906 Maple Springs/Ellery Road; Bemus Point, NY 14712
Fax: (716) 386-6013 Voice: (716) 386-6015
E-mail: admin@perconcorp.com http://www.perconcorp.com

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** CE-232 has 4 Electronic Switches for User Control
of modifications & other scanner functions **

USER DEFINABLE CONTROLS

The CE-232 offers four user-definable switches that can be used to control add-ons or other modifications that you may have done to your scanner! Uses for these User Switches are virtually unlimited, but might include turning on/off things like Automatic Tape Recorder Switches; extra memory banks; Data/Tone Squelch and any other of my mods or add-ons that you've developed or acquired. These UserSwitches are controlled by YOU and, if desired, automatically by the computer using the Script function! (The Script Function is described below.)

(User Switches available for all supported scanners)

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THE FOLLOWING FEATURES ARE AVAILABLE ONLY FOR THE PRO-2004/5/6 SCANNERS
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** Easy-to-use AutoLogger feature **

AUTOLOGGER

The CE-232 will AutoLog for unlimited periods of time, any and all activity encountered by the scanner, regardless of the mode. Each -event- (squelch break) is logged to a text file as a data line item containing the following information at a minimum:

CHANNEL: number
FREQUENCY: MHz
MODE: AM, NFM, or WFM
DELAY: status, set or not
LOCKOUT: status, set or not
FUNCTION: Prgm, Man, Scan, Search Up, Search Down, etc
STEP: Search increment, kHz, if applicable
DATE: of event
START TIME: of event
DURATION: of event (seconds)
(and more): several user-definable parameters including S-metering!

Autologging can be turned on or off at will. Autologged files are automatically opened and named with a date/time logo, similar to: 96070812.LOG meaning: 1996, July 8, 12th hour (noon).LOG. Each hour, a new log file is opened and the old one closed & saved.

Autolog files can be AutoProgrammed back into the scanner's memory at will with no manipulation or changes; just the press of a couple of keys! This means that you can do a SEARCH function all night or day while you're away and then at your leisure, program in each new found frequency quite simply, hands-off, in a matter of minutes!

PRO-2004/5/6 feature only

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** CE-232 rejects "birdies" and other undesired signals! **

AUTO-REJECT

You can do like I did.....disconnect the antenna; set the ATT switch to the -10 dB position and do a SEARCH from 25 MHz - 1300 MHz with the autolog feature ON. About two hours later, you'll have a file that contains just the BIRDIES in your scanner! Now you rename this file to something like BIRDIE.REJ, and the next time you do a frequency search, you can specify another CE-232 function called AUTO-REJECT, that prevents the scanner from locking or stopping on a "birdie".

But that's not all! You can insert other undesirable frequencies into the BIRDIE.REJ or another *.REJ file, so not only can you EASILY make the scanner forever reject birdies, but also pagers, data channels and other obnoxious signals that you don't want to monitor!!!

PRO-2004/5/6 feature Only

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** CE-232 offers a LOOKUP feature for I.D. of signals! **

AUTO-LOOKUP

The CE-232 sports a LOOKUP function which displays your data for a frequency every time the scanner STOPS on an active signal! Your previously prepared AutoProgrammer File will do nicely for this function, and thereforewill display whatever is in your database for that frequency! Great for quick identifications of the signals received by your scanner!

PRO-2004/5/6 feature only.

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** CE-232 offers a Script Language to automate scanning! **

AUTOMATED SCRIPTS

And, now comes perhaps the most important feature of all: a very powerful -script language- which lets you automate a series of functions to make the scanner do various things while you're away or not interested in being right there for the operation! In simplest form, you can make a Search & Store function to log everything it hits the first time, but to reject duplicates if hit again! You can make things happen at certain times and stop at other times; and otherwise

the Script Language allows you to write your own convoluted functions and procedures! Essentially, this scripting feature is much like a macro function; you write your own ticket! And it's not difficult, either. In fact, many scripts are provided with the program!

PRO-2004/5/6 supported feature (but may work with other scanners)

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** The CE-232 has flexible inputs/outputs for the User **

USER-DEFINABLE INPUT/OUTPUT BITS

The CE-232 offers 22-bits of unallocated, user accessible I/O registry. There are 8-bits of Output logic that can be controlled from the CE-232 Script feature simply by setting -low- and -high- in these bits. The implications are enormous considering that a variety of logical operators can be configured to turn various bits on and off, depending on a variety of user defined input data. The status of these user-defined and script controllable OUTBYTES is displayable and recordable by the AutoLogger.

The CE-232 offers 14-bits of Input Logic that can be tested from the Script function. High and low logic (+5v and 0v) can be applied to these input bits from external sources, much like sensors for idiot lights in a car. One application we have developed is for an S-METER! The AutoLogger can read and store these Input bits, so every -hit- can be associated with a signal strength!

6514. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921190201.29857.00003016@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 143429

Great link, thanks

>RADIO SHACK SCANNERS ON-LINE MANUALS
>http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.htm
>

Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

6515. uniden bc120xlt help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DIFFERENT DRUMMER <evencent1@midway.uchicago.edu>
Message-ID: <3606D9D8.BE0BABDD@midway.uchicago.edu>
Source record: 143430

new to scanners just got it hoping to listen to airport tower and atis
at midway in chicago
but all i get is chicago approach although i programmed several airport
frequencys into
the scanner i never get anything, iam about 5 miles from midway airport
is that to far?
also it seems that i only here the pilots on chicago approach but not
the controllers instructions. any help would be appriciated thanks

6516. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tree <commace@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3606E66D.5E25@usa.net>
Source record: 143431
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> In defense of Mr. Humphrey,

Looking back at the original post and the initial reply - those of you
who have-
I have serious doubts about the truth of both parties.
Tearing down an antenna is a CRIMINAL ACT regardless of hmeowner
association rules. I find it hard to believe that LAFD would condone
such a deed.
The alleged response from LAFD never mentions the criminal act - that
would be the first thing I would expect if this was a real incident and
real response.
Does anyone have proof of the action? or the response?

AND HOW DID THESE IDIOTS TURN THIS INTO A CLINTON ISSUE -- THOSE
ASSHOLES!!!!!!!

Remove "*" from name to reply.

6517. Re: Trunking in LA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pito C-more <caca0@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eOXSNob59GA.199@upnetnews03>
Source record: 143432

http://www.freeyellow.com/members4/cmore/HAM.html

Trunking in usa
http://www.trunkscanner.com/states/data8.html#anchor

Richard Talley wrote in message
<09980815164119.OUI44.talley@earthlink.net>...
>I've been looking at various options for monitoring Trunked Systems in
>the LA area and wondering if it's worth the effort. It looks like the
>LAPD is still using conventional single chanel equipment. A web site
>which lists trunked sysems has LA County using an Ericcson system. Does
>anyone know if the Opto and Bearcat hardware will handle Ericcson???

6518. MECA: scanning suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale@iglou.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1070afdbdc6d9a0798969b@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 143433

I was just in the southwest suburban area of Indianapolis on my way up to Champaign, IL to see the Louisville vs. Illinois football game. I made my first attempt at listening to MECA with my BC235XLT in my hotel room. What I can't seem to understand is how to fit all those talkgroups into this scanner because it only allows 50 talkgroups per trunking enabled bank. I tried putting all of MECA's frequencies into all of the 10 banks on my scanner. All of the talkgroups fit but I can only scan 50 at a time because I have to switch banks to get to the other 50 or so talkgroups. Could someone tell me the correct way to handle this system?

6519. Re: Radio Shack Pro 26(w/cell) and Pro51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: skanman <skanman@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bde5ba$d424c820$f63f37a6@mycomputer.nando.net>
Source record: 143434
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,de.alt.radio-scanner,nl.radio.scanners,rec.radio.scanner

email skanman@mci2000.com

skanman <skanman@MCI2000.com> wrote in article
<01bde593$cdbe5cc0$15e437a6@mycomputer.nando.net>...
Pro 26 200 channel portable scanner
Euro logic board (full coverage with cell)
Also includes original mint cond. logic board
Nice leather case.
Original ant,manual,box.
Disc. out jack
Mint condition.
$300 plus shipping

Pro 51 200 channel scanner
telescoping ant.
belt clip
Service and owner's manual
Disc output
excellent cond.
$150 plus shipping

6520. trade pro-2050 for dx-394

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <3606F673.1B4277B3@owc.net>
Source record: 143435

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i would like to swap a like new pro-2050 800mhz trunk tracker for a
dx-394
thanks jack
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6521. NFL frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: brents@erols.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1070b68cc64fb689989681@news.erols.com>
Source record: 143436
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am going to the Redskins game at the "BIG JACK" this weekend.
Looking for any info on the NFL frequencies used by the refs or
the quarterback's helmet radios.

Thanks in advance
--
brents@erols.com

6522. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25531-3606E35D-24@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143437

Wich of course we know that is not true.

born to be wild (thats my theam)

6523. MILLTON FREEWATER,OREGON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25534-3606E86F-8@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143438

IAM going to millton freewater next weekend, in Oregon dose anybody
have any frequencey
E-MAIL ME
Thanks

born to be wild (thats my theam)

6524. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Stamper <gstamper@eagle1.eaglenet.com>
Message-ID: <3606F1A8.30D@eagle1.eaglenet.com>
Source record: 143439
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Brian Humphrey wrote:

SNIP SNIP SNIP

> I know that neither the amateur radio nor monitoring community at large
> profess violence against Firefighters. I also know that the OVERWHELMING
> majority of those who have followed this thread realize that the antenna
> removal from Khalil's condominium was allegedly performed by the HOMEOWNERS
> ASSOCIATION and/or the MANAGEMENT COMPANY [emphasis added].

True, true, and true, but did someone from the LAFD suggest to the
Homeowners Association and or Management company that the LAFD position
was that such antennas should be removed. If they did not, please say
so. If they did, please say way they felt they were a hazard.

>
> The Fire Department did *not* physically remove any antenna's. Oh, and by
> the way - you needn't worry about us being on your roof - unless your house
> is on fire! <g>

Absolutely correct, they are not blamed for physically removing the
antenna, but did they instigate the action by word or deed?

Please, enquiring minds want to know!

Gil Stamper (male)

6525. BC210XL Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6u6q7vqlv1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 143440

The antenna on my bc210xl broke and I was wondering if there is a replacement.

Thank You.

Mike

6526. Radioman cartoon update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19-nospam@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19-nospam-2109982045000001@ppp-47.ts-11.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 143441

The tecnicolor RF madness continues...

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/rman/rman.html

6527. Radio Shack stories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19-nospam@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19-nospam-2109982042110001@ppp-47.ts-11.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 143442

How I almost got a free Radio Shack catalog.

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/shack/shack.html

While you're there, check out the other features!

6528. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3606FA7C.563D47FA@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143443

Victor Healey wrote:

> Bud anyone who hollers bullshit usually doesn't deserve any further reply.
> I suspected CE-232 was a serial device but I wasn't sure. One can hang that
> off the USB bus with an USB/SERIAL adapter for years to come if needed.

Okay Victor. Your initial post alleged that a purchase of a CE-232 was a "waste of money". You based your arguement on an assumption that the CE-232 was an ISA device. You've been advised that it's a serial device. (Methinks your arguement just fell through the crapper with that gaff Victor) Logic would dictate that you would follow that line by offering *your* opinion on what device would outperform CE-232 on interfacing a scanner to a PC. (That would a device available NOW Victor).

> But in patience I will direct you to the press releases last week from Intel
> and the various speechs at a major conference on PC chips. This was where
> Intel revealed they are cutting the prices of the P2 by up to 29%
> immediately and where they detailed how the new instructions will work in
> next years chips.

Nope, no opinion here on what out performs the CE-232. And as a matter of fact. I don't understand what this has to do with interfacing a scanner to the PC sitting on my desk.

> IDE, ISA, Parallel, Serial etc. are all being discontinued in the new design
> reference. The total architecture of the PC as we know it is undergoing a
> fundamental change to get away from the legacy outdated IBM design we have
> had for years. One benefit is faster, cheaper, and more versatile PCs do to
> appear in the next two years. One wit said soon people will no longer want
> the type of PC we currently use and will wonder what we saw in them. We
> would be further along in this cycle except Microsoft delayed Win 98 for so
> long and they are delaying the replacement to Win 9x. which will be a
> consumer version of NT.

And what's this crap here for Victor?

> You may hate it and I am sure there are a few people who will bitch and
> shout just like they did when socket seven was discontinued. Look at how the
> socket seven market has shrank to almost nothing in just a few months. I
> thought it would take years. Look at how DOS died out. The justice
> department was asked to investigate Intel. But it doesn't stop a thing to
> fight change. BTW I switched to slot one on a BX mainboard and followed
> other suggested changes and I definitely see the benefits.

So let me see if I got the gist of your point: Current PC's will be rendered obsolete by new advances in technology. That's hardly earth shattering news. Are you suggesting that everyone stop using their current equipment because

newer and faster boxes are around the corner? Is it OK if we all continue to use our equipment until we buy new stuff? Is that OK with you Victor?

> Anyway there are more appropriate groups where these are discussed and
> followed. When you get a chance you might bring yourself up to speed by
> checking it out.

There sure are Victor. One would wonder why you're not there now instead of carrying on about this here in a scanner group. The orginal thread was about the CE-232 interface. You seem to be attacking it. But I don't follow the logic of your argument. If there is a better product for interfacing a scanner with a PC, that offers more features, why not work your arguement in that direction?

6529. FS: Bearcat BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Gilligan <smg3@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <3606F6A9.EB698F64@lehigh.edu>
Source record: 143444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Bearcat 760XLT 100 ch scanner w/ PL board installed.
Has service scan buttons, backlighting, etc. Comes with
AC adapt, stnd DC adapts work fine too. Great for
home or mobile. Ant and book included. Probably
can be modded for cell, but I haven't bothered. I'll
ship to anyone in the 48 via USPS. Make me a
reasonable offer... I'm not looking to get rich, I just have
more scanners than I need. Thanks.

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Sean M. Gilligan (CompSci '01)
Box C252, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA 18015
Email: smg3@lehigh.edu
Phone: 610.317.2932 / 609.275.2965
ICQ: 4055292

You're never gonna die, you're gonna make it if
you try; they're gonna love you. --Pink Floyd

6530. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.S. Ku" <jsku@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#eUYvbc59GA.112@upnetnews03>
Source record: 143445

I got a copy for free today when I asked. BTW, that what their website said "Available at your neighborhood RadioShack stop by and get your copy today!" Go to http://www.radioshack.com/Products/catalog/catalog.asp .
James

6531. Scanner Modification Handbooks 1 & 2 - table of contents

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u6vfrabs1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143446
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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SIGNED BY THE AUTHOR (Bill Cheek)

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Volume 1 of the Scanner Modification Handbook proved that the average hobbyist could easily perform some relative simple changes in the equipment and emerge from the experience with a greatly enhanced scanner. The step-by step instructions and photos left no questions unanswered and even totally non-technical people found that they could restore functions that had been locked out at the factory, or add anywhere from 100 to 6,000 more memory channels to popular scanners such as the Radio Shack Realistic PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006, PRO-34 and others.

In Volume 2, modification master Bill Cheek brings you more great enhancements for the PRO-2004, PRO-2005, PRO-2006, PRO-34, PRO-2022 and Uniden Bearcats BC-100XLT, BC-200/205XLT, and BC-760/950XLT. He shows how to adapt many of these modifications to other scanners as well. In Volume 2, you'll get new circuits and simpler but more effective approaches to adding signal strength meters, adjusting the scan delay time (0-12 sec), speeding up scan & search rates, decoding and using CTCSS tones, adding more memory channels, adding an event counter, shielding plastic cased equipment, reducing interference, restoring locked out bands, adding center tuning meters, and more. Vol-2 also contains updates to the modifications that appeared in Vol-1, plus more tips, hints, explanations, and tricks of the trade to make scanners more useful and versatile.

Learn how to realign your PRO-2004/5/6 scanner; how to use a VCR to record the action from your scanner; how to diagnose and repair some scanner problems; how to use Computer BBS's to improve your scanning knowledge. Find out about buying a used scanner; about collecting scanners; how to get a big boost in the audio output of your scanner; how to build a bench power supply and lots more. It's all there in Volume 2 of the Scanner Modification Handbook, You'll even learn about dealing with those new trunked 800 MHz systems that seem so difficult to monitor.

There are plenty of photos and the text is written so that the average hobbyist can follow the clear step-by-step instructions. And, you don't need exotic test equipment or extra special tools to do these modifications. Scanner owners will find Vol-2 to be a valuable and constantly useful reference in many ways. A few modifications suggest that the user be familiar with the information in Vol-1 first.

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MODIFICATION IMPROVEMENT

After the manuscript for Vol-1 was submitted to the Publisher, I developed an improvement to MODs-16 & 19 for the Extended Memory Board (6,400 channels in the PRO-2004/5/6 and 3,200 channels for the PRO-34, PRO-2021 & PRO-2022). Refer to pages 130-131 and change the four 1-k or 4.7-k resistors, R1-R4, to 68-k to 100-k. This improvement reduces the current drain from the Memory Retention Battery when the unit has been removed from AC/DC power. The original 1-k or 4.7-k resistors draw much more current than necessary, so mark your copy of Vol 1 for future reference.

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SCANNER MODIFICATION HANDBOOK, VOLS 1 & 2 MOD NOTES

MODs 12 & 13 are discontinued; replaced by a hot, new MOD-25 (and/or MOD-26) in Vol 2. MOD-6 is ok, but is replaced by the new MOD-33. MOD-17 is worthless; forget it. MODs 16 & 19 have some hot, new options in Vol-2. Computer interfacing of the PRO-2004/5/6 has been introduced in my new

"WORLD SCANNER REPORT" for the latest on this, new mods, tricks and more.....see other files herein.

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Enquire about purchasing either of these two books from :

bcheek@cts.com

6532. FBOM Magazine Online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19-nospam@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19-nospam-2109982138100001@ppp-47.ts-11.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 143447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Just a little reminder that the craziest Radio Hobby Online Magazine, FBOM Magazine Online, has been updated with cool features and interesting bits of information. Check it out!

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/

6533. Re: CE232 Where to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u70uk$aj2$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dan wrote in message <6u5ftibvd1@news.inconnect.com>...
>Wondering where I might get more info on this interface?
>
>Dan
>
>

bcheek@cts.com

that is where to send enquiries

6534. Re: SCAN-L now open to new users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <36070EBF.1F8D@parg.org>
Source record: 143449

Victor Healey wrote:
> I notice that Johm Mackey has stopped trying to reason with Cheek's
> Children.

It only shows to prove that some things in life are impossible! :-/

6535. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <36071310.4DEF@parg.org>
Source record: 143450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Anthony R. Gold wrote:
> Part 97 PERMITS any amateur to use any ham frequency using any mode
> and any power in the case of an emergency. So in the extreme, a
> novice can fire up a VOA am transmitter in the 30m band to summon
> help if the amateur finds that is necessary to prevent the loss of
> life or property and other means of communications are unavailable.

The person who would do what you describe above had better be able
to justify that there was NO way that same transmitter could have
completed the necessary task on a legal amateur frequency.

In regards to having am amateur license for your above example,
it would make no difference. An unlicensed person could do
the same in a genuine emergency.

6536. 2037 VS 2041

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: RICHARD FLORES <RICHARD_FLORES@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u73vs$73nq$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143451

Does anyone know which is the bettter scanner? Is either portable, and does RS still stock 2041?

Are there any good sights for this?

Replies Appreciatted

R.

6537. PRO-2006 price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Arnold <jarnold3@flash.net>
Message-ID: <6u743g$4st$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 143452

I would like to know what a PRO-2006 would go for without a manual or box.. The radio is in great shape without any scratches and the backlight is bright. It has been mod for cellular. I could sell it or just keep it to hook up to a CE232 interface and do the programming from computer thing. Having the money would be nice to buy another scanner later. I have a RS PRO2050 that replaced it. I have been offered $200.00 with manual and am not sure if I am being taken. I am not trying to make out like a bandit but I also don't want to be taken advantage of either...at least not here <G>. thanx in advance

6538. ph007@rocketmail.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Habbinga <habbinga@wt.net>
Message-ID: <6u71d1$f12$1@news4.wt.net>
Source record: 143453

Read this http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/shack/shack.html

6539. Re: MILLTON FREEWATER,OREGON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Morisseau <dpm3@accessone.com>
Message-ID: <36073568.94FEC59A@accessone.com>
Source record: 143454

dave archer wrote:

> IAM going to millton freewater next weekend, in Oregon dose anybody
> have any frequencey

I suggest you get some for Walla Walla, WA as that is the enarest
town of any size. Milton Freewater is basically a seperate suburb of Walla
Walla.

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National Headquarters: Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
Dan Morisseau, N7ZXL - N 47ï¿½ 16' 45" / W 122ï¿½ 30' 00"
Watkins Johnson HF-1000: 60' Random Wire & Palomar Loop
ICOM R-7000: Discone
ICQ: UIN# 5313018

6540. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u7erfbea1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143455
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Tree wrote in message <3606E66D.5E25@usa.net>...

>Looking back at the original post and the initial reply - those of you
>who have-
>I have serious doubts about the truth of both parties.

I'm not sure why we would be "untruthful", but you are welcome to your opinion.

>Tearing down an antenna is a CRIMINAL ACT regardless of hmeowner
>association rules.

In many cases, yes. The removal of an antenna can and in many cases is unlawful. There are exceptions, but for the most part I'll agree with your premise.

>I find it hard to believe that LAFD would condone
>such a deed.

The person or persons who removed/damaged the antennas (plural) is alleged to have done so on behalf of the HOA or Property Management Company. The LAFD was not party to such action. It (the HOA action) was not a matter we were aware of, so we could neither condemn nor condone what took place as it was happening.

>The alleged response from LAFD never mentions the criminal act - that
>would be the first thing I would expect if this was a real incident and
>real response.

The first I knew about it (the removal/damage) was when my friend (yes, my friend) Khalil wrote me an e-mail. He told me he went straight to the Police. As I understand it, he was told it was a Civil matter between him and the HOA/Prop Mgmt Co.

>Does anyone have proof of the action?

Khalil says that he returned home to find the antennas and assorted equipment removed/damaged. I believe he says the HOA fessed up, but I am not sure. We were busy fighting fires while all of this was taking place.

> or the response?

We have had no formal response, because (as of yet) no one has shown how we are directly involved in the damage that occured during the physical removal.

>AND HOW DID THESE IDIOTS TURN THIS INTO A CLINTON ISSUE -- THOSE
>A**HOLES!!!!!!!

Things can and do get convoluted.... this whole issue is an example.

-b-

6541. BC-200 Batterys FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <3607578F.B36D6B2D@alaska.net>
Source record: 143456

I have one new 1350 Nickle Metal Hydride Battery
Pak INSERT NEW UNUSED

and

one AA Battery pak NEW UNUSED for the 200

for sale @ $55 shipped for both.

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

6542. FS : Radio Shack Pro 2006 (Lower Price)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6u949u$mc3$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Shack Pro 2006 with manual and box. $275.

6543. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u5ctq$4a1$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Len G. Carpenter wrote in message <36059a59.2774718@news.iaw.on.ca>...
> You talk about so many things being obsolete, what about this
>crappy operating system? It was obsolete years ago and still is.
>
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>
>On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 18:20:43 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
>bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>>If this is an ISA based interface you just got screwed by ordering one.
ISA
>>is going the way of the dodo bird right now.

You know, Mr. Healey, maybe you should READ THE POSTINGS about the 232 BEFORE you make inane comments that prove conclusively that you DIDN`T read them. The 232 DOES NOT PLUG INTO A SLOT IN THE PC. The only thing required on the PC end of this hookup is a serial port. If you are on some sort of "crusade" against Winradio or ICOM, then please confine yourself to those products. Your credibility is seriously slipping here, simply because you must go off half - cocked all the time and babble inanities when you have not taken the trouble to learn ANYTHING about what you are talking about.

The venerable parallel port is not going anywhere, and will be around for the forseeable future. As a matter of fact, it has undergone several improvements in the recent past, (ECP & EPP) , that make it more than fast enough to keep up. The newer computers bus master the parallel port, which makes it AND the processor a good bit faster than in previous computers.

>If CE-232 interface is a strictly serial interface you can get by with an
>adapter if you decide purchase a new PC next year or there after.
>No 1999 PC or later will have ISA or it will not be certified. There is
>quite a discussion about the need to get out of ISA even on exising PCs so
>the PCI bus will function better.

Once again, you have not done your homework. You have confused the ISA bus with the serial interface. Other than running a modem plugged into an ISA slot, I fail to see the connection between the two. Doing away with ISA will NOT do away with the serial interface. On my computer, which is a Pentium II 300 of the latest ilk, there is no relationship between the two. Furthermore, the "existing PC`s" you are referring to in this post DONT HAVE PCI BUSES ANYWAY. If the computer has only ISA expansion slots, could you please explain to me how you are going to go "straight PCI" ? (You will be staying up late nights with a soldering iron and a hardware book Mr. Healey.)

This idea you have that BLAZING speed is needed to run a radio interface from a scanner that scans 50 channels a second is totally in error, Mr. Healey. I would bet money that a lowly 286 could handle the job without a hitch !
Now, Mr. Healey , as I said , if you are going to launch into diatribes on hardware and software/PCI vs ISA buses, then we would appreciate if you would simply learn something about them before spouting off indiscriminately and showing those who DO know something about it your almost TOTAL ignorance of the subject matter.

6544. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tzl@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6u5fq4$nh3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <3603c7fc.13021610@news.iaw.on.ca>,
jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter) wrote:
> 200 downloads and only one e-mail on it
>

Well, I'll add my 2 cents here. I downloaded version 272 a while ago
and never tried it. When I saw another post here, I forgot why I didn't
try it the first time so I downloaded version 301 intending to give it
a try.

When I unpacked the .zip file and looked through the readme.txt file,
I remembered why I hadn't tried it before.

The fact that it will timeout after 20 minutes or so made me feel that I
couldn't make a judgement on it's value to me. Even running multiple 20
minute sessions wasn't worth the trouble so I never even gave it a try. I
can understand the need to have some limitation on it's free use but if it
gave me enough time to thoroughly evaluate it I'd be more inclined to check
it out. If it would run for 24 hours just one time, or expire after some
number of days, maybe I could run it long enough to feel that I couldn't live
without it. I'm running a 300mhz system so I would expect that my timeout
would be on the short side. I just don't think that 20 minutes is enough time
to become familar with it.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6545. scanner site!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: M <m@m>
Message-ID: <36063a55.0@139.134.5.33>
Source record: 143481

www.ozemail.com.au/~mkpowell

6546. Re: PRO2006 discrininator output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36063af8.1595181@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Also make sure you install a .01uf capacitor on this line to
isolate the chip from the rest of the system, because if this gets
shorted out by accident you could blow the chip.

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 21:51:05 -0600, "Dan" <n7wpd@inconnect.com> wrote:

>I used a chassis mount RCA plug for my 2006 dis output, making certain that
>there was a grounded, shielded cable attached to it. Make sure that you use
>a shielded cable from the computer to your scanner and that it's grounded at
>both ends. You might be getting rfi from the computer. The cable from the
>computer to the scanner makes a great antenna.
>
>Dan
>
>Stormtracker wrote in message <01bde510$ee686b60$c2244f0c@default>...
>>I'm trying to decode the ctcss tones via wintone software. I connected an
>>audio jack center conductor to tp2 and installed it in the back panel. When
>>I connect the audio plug to it, it stops scanning and sounds like the
>>squelch is open. Is this normal or did I forget something ?
>>TIA
>>KM
>

6547. Opto Cub For Sale (UK)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark@m-tech.co.uk
Message-ID: <6SqN1.5$qH3.1623858@fci-uk-nnrp>
Source record: 143483

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Opto Electronics Cub.
Frequency Counter/Sniffer,
Mint condition, Only used twice,
Boxed with charger, Antenna and Manual
mark@m-tech.co.uk
UKP40 ONO 01582 410045 / 0973 224492

==================================================
M-Tech Communications
Tel: 01923 331611 Fax: 01923 331612 Mobile: 0973 582252
email: sales@m-tech.co.uk www.m-tech.co.uk
Mobile Phones and Accessories
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6548. Re: PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36083f30.2675138@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143484

On 21 Sep 1998 11:01:53 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>>From: jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)
>
>>Yes it is true the PROgramit will work with more scanners than the CE-232
>does, but the PROgramit is still only a 16bit application,
>>were as Pro-Turbo is a full 32bit application.
>
>Well that's not much of an issue if all your doing is autoprogramming the
>scanner, now is it? I can load the PROgramit program with freqs from Percon,
>Probe etc. in only seconds and then jam them into the scanner as fast as the
>scanner will allow. It takes a minute or two to load 1000 freqs into my PRO2042
>(I don't recall how long exactly since I haven't had to reprogram all of the
>channels in the scanner at one time).

And I never claimed to support the Pro2042. Just the Pro2004/5/6,
and I don't believe that Bill claims to support the Pro2042 with the
CE232. BUt if you are going to go to the trouble of installing a
Programmit into a Pro-2004/5/6 just to autoprogram it, for a little
bit more you can have the CE232 and Pro-Turbo and autoprogram your
scanner and do a WHOLE lot more!

>
>>Also I am not sure of the cost of building the PROgramit interface but I
>believe it to be in
>>the $30-$50 range with the par port version at the lower end of the scale and
>the serial port version at the higher end.
>
>>My ce-232 was built for $60 Canadian and that >was using parts that we ordered
>from
>>the USA and parts that we had in our junk boxes.
>
>The initial claim was $12 for the serial version, although it is probably
>closer to $20. The CE-232 interface is considerably more than that (and I'm
>assuming that you are referring to the Commtronics interface and not one that
>you have devised and appropriated the name).

Before I built the CE232 the cost of the Programit was looked at and
from where we could find the parts that is about what it was going to
cost us. The one chip for the serial version was around the $20 mark.
Maybe you have a better price on the chips needed than we were able to
find.

I have never devised or appropriated any name, the CE232
interface I am talking about is the one from Commtronics Engineering

and was built from the book The Ultimate Scanner Book 3.

>
>
>>Also there is the same amount of work to be done inside the
>>scanner for either interface, so if you have a Pro-2004/5/6 you may
>>want to have a look at the Ce-232 interface and the new Windows bassed
>>software for it called Pro-Turbo which can be found at
>>http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>
>That's true, but it's the end result that matters. I have the PROgramit and the
>OS535 running Probe 3.0 and there is no other combination for the money that
>comes anywhere near its flexibility and performance.
I agree that there is no other combination that can match the
performance of that for that kind of money, but with a CE232
interface and Pro-Turbo you can have that performance for less money.
Why install 2 interfaces into a scanner when one will do. Sure you
can put an OS456 lite into the 2005 and 2006 and then have to install
the Programit to program the scanner so that you can use it elsewhere
without the computer connection. If you have a Pro-2004 the
only option for computer control other than autoprograming is the
CE232 interface and with Pro-Turbo you can do a whole lot more.

6549. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u5hj1$npp@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143485
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6u3it1snj1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
writes:
>
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <6u33vf$17@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>...
>>In <6u2rm7$pk5$1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
>>writes:
>>>
>>>I think that your reply to Kali on this issue is hypocritical ,
>>legally
>>>correct, and beneath contempt. You sound like Bill Clinton trying to
>>wriggle
>>>out of HIS responsibiities.
>>>
>> here we go again...blaming clinton for
>> your lack of "e d u c a t i o n".....
>>
>> say fellah...Lewinsky stalked clinton...she
>> had sex with him willingly and responsibly.
>> She took it in the mouth. Just like you are
>> doing it.
>>
>Is that you, John Wayne ? I guess nobody ever went to the `Nam except
you,
>huh ? Did you fight that whole thing single-handed ?
>
As i said, you don't have much of an education
that would allow you to see what I was getting at
referring to the JOHN WAYNE syndrome...it's an
idea which one uses to emphasize an idea, not literally.

Excuse me: I said: having sex between two consenting
adults is not criminal. It's not a crime. IF it's not
a crime, then what is said or done afterwards is still,
not a crime.

You really are going off into the land of "weirdsville"
and "stretched sense of self" and a "reality base"
of which you even are not sure of.

your explanations below tell me and others you have a major
problem with "truth"....

Again...Sex between two consenting adults is not a crime.

If it's legal, then you cannot label it "illegal" just
because they don't tell you all about it and get around it
by telling you what they want to tell you....

Sex between consenting adults is not criminal: meaning
it's not punishable by threats of impeachment or perjury
or "stupidity"...well, stupidity is the president in this.

he should have taken the Fifth and allowed it to play out.

Get a grip on your "thumping" of being an ex-soldier...it'
is not doing you a bit of good when dealing with reality.

bill conduit
etc.

>In Explanation, it becomes a crime when you STAND RIGHT IN FRONT OF A
TV
>CAMERA, LOOK THE AMERICAN PUBLIC IN THE EYE, AND LIE ! It becomes a
crime
>when you decide that, because of "technicalities" getting a "hum job"
ISN`T
>SEX ! AND THEN YOU LIE SOME MORE ! It becomes a crime when you LIE
when
>giving a sworn deposition in the Paula Jones suit (not that it had any
>merit). and then you LIE AGAIN to the grand jury ! It becomes a crime
when
>you encourage OTHERS TO LIE ABOUT IT. I think you better read the
Starr
>report, Mr. "eddicated". (You CAN read, can`t you ?)
>

6550. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u5ia1$fnm@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143486
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <3605A145.328B@kih.net> michael brown <mbrown@kih.net> writes:

>> remember: consensual sex is legal. It's
>> not a crime. How can what is legal be a
>> crime just because it's hushed up?
>
>Once again, the sex part is NOT the problem! ITS THE LIES!!!!!!!!!!!
>
GET THIS: Sex between adults who have it consensually
is not a crime...the government is not involved in your
act. Therefore what you say about it to whomever you
tell it to is not a lie leading up to impeachment.

If it is legal, you do it legally and that's it. How
can you lie about it if it's legal?

To lie about a legal act is a position which is personal
and "macho", not wanting the neighbors to know, etc.

Protecting Dulcinea's virtue is what is implied. Clinton
is a man of HONOR who don't like women being compromised.
Not too bright, is he? he was doing what southerners do
when with women...but now it's found to be a lie because
he's the pres and it's done on or in the White House.

Excuse me...JOHN F KENNEDY screwed plenty women in the
White House. And off or away...it's history. He was
having legal sex. Nothing in the law about "where".

Look...founding fathers had sex on the job in the White
House too. Alexander Hamilton had sex in White House.
and they could not impeach him. SEems the founding
fathers made it an unimpeachable offense.

what they did find impeachable is: "IN 1787 THE MEMBERS
OF CONGRSS passed legislation that stated for purposes of
impeachment, they intended (founding fathers) 'high crimes
and misdemeanors" to be actions against the United States
of America.

How, how can a spot or two of dried cum harm the USA?

bill conduit
etc.

>If you were the leader of a country and had to deal with this guy,
would
>you trust him? If you did, YOU WOULD BE THE MORON! I don't have to
deal
>with him and I don't trust him! Never have, never will!
>
>
> <snip snip>
>
>
>
>--
>regards,
>>>>> NOTE: REMOVE THE TIREDOFSPAM IN THE RETURN ADDRESS TO REPLY! <<<<
>michael brown
>mbrownTIREDOFSPAM@kih.net

6551. Chicago Scanning CARMA E-Mail List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921083622.23103.00000381@ng70.aol.com>
Source record: 143487

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association's newsletter has been converted to an e-mail list!

All list functions, help files, etc can be accessed through our host's web site:

http://www.qth.net

To subscribe manually send an e-mail message to:

majordomo@qth.net

In the body of the message type one of the below:

subscribe carma

-or-

subscribe carma-digest

(Whichever you prefer; the "subscribe carma-digest" command results in you receiving a compilation of messages, when ever the buffer is full - about 40k. The regular subscribe command results in you getting the individual messages as they are sent)

You will receive an authorization code and further instructions. Essentially, you just send the coded command back to majordomo@qth.net

Postings to the list go to:

carma@qth.net

You must send the subscribe commands, (all commands, in fact) from the same address you will use to receive the messages. Remember, commands go to majordomo@qth.net, postings go to carma@qth.net

You must be a subscriber to post to the list. You can only post to the list from the address your subscribed to / from. Of course, you can subscribe yourself from more than one address.

If you are a scanner buff in the chicago area you'll probably want to be a subscriber.

And don't forget our web page:

http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

Or the BBS:

(630) 852-1292 8/n/1 ($15/yr for full membership)

Snail mail still goes to the PO Box, but we are no longer accepting new subscriptions to the printed version of the newsletter (or renewals). If ya got paper, send it to:

CARMA
PO BOX 2681
GLENVIEW IL 60025

Happy Scanning!
Ted Moran
CARMA List Admin
TandKMoran@AOL.COM

6552. Next CARMA Meeting Chicago Scanning Club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tandkmoran@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921084319.23103.00000382@ng70.aol.com>
Source record: 143488

The next official meeting of the Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association will be held on Saturday, October 3rd, 1998, at Phillies Restaurant Bar and Pizza Grill. It's in the Willowbrook Shopping Center, located at the south east corner of 63rd Street and the Kingery Highway. Lunch is at Noon. You must purchase a lunch, since we get the room for free. The pizza and the fried chicken are excellent.

The meeting starts at 1:00 PM, and usually runs a couple of hours. If you are planning on attending please be prepared to share some your monitoring related local information with those present. If you have a lot of information consider a handout. Attendance at meetings has been running 40-60 folks, though Phillies usually draws a bigger crowd. Beginners are especially encouraged to attend. Hope to see you there!

-Happy Scanning - Ted
TandKMoran@AOL.COM
CARMA Website:
http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

6553. Re: New York City (FDNY Bureau of EMS)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warren Whitby <wwhitby@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <360666DF.4268@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dave Faricky wrote:
>
> New York City (FDNY Bureau of EMS)
>
> Trunking System
>
> Looking for freqs, Talkgroup id's and control channels

Hi Dave:

Go to my web page (see my .sig for the URL) and then go to the New York page. I don't have much info, but I do have the Type I fleet map that you'll have to program into the Trunktracker.

--
Warren Whitby
Trunked Radio Systems Users Page: members.aol.com/wwhitby2/trs.html
Trunked Radio Communications columnist - Scanning USA Magazine
wwhitby@worldnet.att.net
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6554. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u5iif$h7t@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143490
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <3605CAC0.41D5@worldnet.att.net> Highcove Family
<Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net> writes:
>
>In defense of Mr. Humphrey, I must say that he has always been a very
>helpful and informative representative, going far beyond the scope of
>his duties in helping out the scanning community. How many public
>information officers do you know that would give out all of the FD
freqs
>(and related tags). We do not know that this story is true, we have
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>to hear all of the facts, and even if it were to be true, it would be
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>isolated incident brought on by a few rogue individuals, not a
citywide
>policy. I have always found the LAFD to be very fair, very competent,

>and often very heroic. Please do not judge an organization you know
>nothing about (or have no experience with, Mr. Maine InternetWorks)
>based on a newsnet post. At the worst, Mr. Humphrey has been put in a

>very precarious position, and his job is to defend the LAFD in the
best
>light. Please treat him with the respect he deserves, and treat our
>fire department as a whole with that same respect. Hear all sides
>before you judge.
>

I second this: Brian Humphrey has always been there
for people who seek help. I've found him to be very
convivial and intelligent and committed to his job.

He deserves better than this negative post. but then
too, in a week or two, no one will remember it anyway.

the NG"s are not changing how people get hired or fired
or admired or admonished or supported or ferreted out
just because some nameless echo is found to be panting
loudly from being unable to breathe right....

or think

bill conduit
etc.

6555. CE232 Where to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6u5ftibvd1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 143491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Wondering where I might get more info on this interface?

Dan

6556. Re: PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921092042.01265.00004178@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143492

>From: jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)

>Why install 2 interfaces into a scanner when one will do. Sure you
>can put an OS456 lite into the 2005 and 2006 and then have to install
>the Programit to program the scanner so that you can use it elsewhere
>without the computer connection.

Whoa! I was initially talking only about autoprogramming. If you want to compare other capabilities of the CE232, then you have to compare them to the OS535 or OS456 (the lite version isn't an apples-apples enough comparison).

Also, you seem confused about what the PROgramit and the Opto boards do. You can only run interfaces when the PC is on, obviously. I don't understand why you think you have to install the PROgramit so you can use it elsewhere. Just program the scanner and go.

If you want to compare the other features of the CE232 to the Opto, then you must also take into consideration the available software. For the CE, there's yours and the oldie-goodie. For the Opto, there are dozens. None on the market compare to Probe, IMO, and that's a DOS program! For me, the Opto is a far superior interface, not only for the available wealth of software, but also for it's basic capabilities and a few "extras" like cellular tuning in the older models.

Sorry, you won't convince me that the CE232 and ProTurbo is what I need. The OS535/Probe and Programit setup wins hands down ***for me***. Others? Well, their mileage may vary.

6557. WANTED: Uniden BC9000XLT Base Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bagosh3@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6u5nnt$a5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143493

Hello. I have a Radio Shack PRO-43 handheld scanner that I would like to trade for a Uniden BC9000XLT base scanner. My PRO-43 works 100% and is a 9/10 cosmetically. It comes with the original box, original packaging, rubber duckie antenna, RS telescopic antenna, belt clip, owners manual, AC Charger/Power cord, and a full set of rechargeable Ni-Cad batteries. The only expectations that I have for the BC-9000XLT is the following:

-Must Work 100% And Be At Least 7/10 Cosmetically
-Must Come With The Manual
-Must Come With Some Kind Of Power Cord

Anything other then that is extra. Please let me know if you have a BC9000XLT base scanner that you would like to trade for my PRO-43. Thanks a lot for reading!

Nat Heatwole
bagosh3@hotmail.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6558. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cop@com.net
Message-ID: <RDsN1.1195$ws.237607@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <6tfjcg$b2g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>, "James Tonsager"
<jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
><Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<
>
>Just Cause wrote in message ...
>>>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
>>>basically anything.
>>
>>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....
>
>
>Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
>ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.
>
>
Please state where it says ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.
I have already written the part here on the NG and I sure don't and also the
FCC doesn't. Please show where ot is stated as you have written.

COP

6559. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cop@com.net
Message-ID: <OGsN1.1196$ws.237607@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <905765006snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>, tgold@panix.com wrote:
>On 13 Sep, in article <6tgip2qsd0@207.18.224.140>
> bbowers@townsqr.com "Blake Bowers" wrote:
>
>> On 13 Sep 1998 04:57:52 GMT, "James Tonsager"
>> <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>>
>> ><Ryan Faricy here, James is my dad<
>> >
>> >Just Cause wrote in message ...
>> >>>In an emergency situation, (from 97.40x) any amateur station may do
>> >>>basically anything.
>> >>
>> >>Only under part 97 rules which is amateur radio only.....
>> >
>> >
>> >Yes, however, Part 97 permits/doesn't prevent ANY AMATEUR STATION the use of
>> >ANY FORM of communication required to save lives.
>
>I agree.
>
>> The FCC interpets that rule, to mean that only HAM frequencies, as in,
>> a novice can use a advanced frequency.
>
>You're confusing what is permitted and what is not forbidden.
>
>> They have stated that it does NOT mean that a HAM can use a public
>> safety frequency in an emergency.
>
>But now you're not addressing what you quoted.
>
>Part 97 PERMITS any amateur to use any ham frequency using any mode
>and any power in the case of an emergency. So in the extreme, a
>novice can fire up a VOA am transmitter in the 30m band to summon
>help if the amateur finds that is necessary to prevent the loss of
>life or property and other means of communications are unavailable.
>
>But separately, nothing in Part 97 FORBIDS anyone, amateur license
>holder or not, from using non-amateur frequencies at any time whether
>or not there is an emergency, just as it does not forbid drug dealing
>or murder. There are other laws that cover ALL of those.
>
>Regards,

But as stated here on the NG it does not state that an amateur could transmit on police frequencies. Part 97 relates only to amateur radio and does not give you the permission to transmit on other frequencies other that ham.

COP

6560. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cop@com.net
Message-ID: <1RsN1.1197$ws.237607@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Hey Jeff I think this Mickey guy needs to go back to school and learn to comprehend the English language.

Does he relaize that part 97 is not the only regulations pertaining to radio.

Part 97 is not a blanket coverage for all the radio spectrum, only for "AMATEUR RADIO" .

Just Cause

In article <6tna65$aea@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@austin.ibm.com> wrote:
>>I see nothing in part 97 forbidding possession of equipment capable of
>>transmitters capable of transmitting of outside ham bands. If you see
>>any such prohibitions, please cite them. You are claiming that part 97
>>forbids hams to possess equipment that can transmit outside of ham
>>bands. Would you contend that a ham can't own a CB radio, a family
>>service radio, licensed radios for other services, etc.?
>
>I made no claim at all. I said nothing about the illegality of possession
>of any transmitting equipment. This thread (and almost all of Part 97)
>concerns the *act* of transmitting, and my comments were to make you
>consider the definition of "amateur station" and what equipment would
>be at the disposal of an "amateur station" (as defined by the FCC) in
>carrying out that act.
>
>I have a VHF-FM marine band transceiver in my shack. Is that part of
>my "amateur station" (as defined by the FCC)? Absolutely not.
>S97.403 mentions equipment at the disposal of an "amateur station."
>
>I also have an HT designed for service between 150.000 and 159.995
>MHz in my shack. Is that part of my "amateur station" (as defined by
>the FCC)? Again, no. Therefore, it is not at the disposal of my
>"amateur station."
>
>>As far as I know, there is no prohibition, even on non-hams, of owning
>>equipment capable of transmitting on any frequency, but there are
>>restrictions on transmitting. (There are some restrictions
>>on "external RF power amplifiers".) Perhaps you know of some such
>>restrictions and can cite federal law or official FCC policy. I would.
>>be interested in any such information.
>
>Not sure what you're smoking but stop it. It's making you grossly

>misinterpret my comments.
>
>>>Q. Just what equipment would be at the disposal of an "amateur station"?
>
>>A. Anything you own, or can borrow, build, modify, etc. at the time of
>>the emergency. Disposal clearly means anything the operator can make
>>use of at the time.
>
>And here is where you are in error. Out-of-band transmitting equipment
>is not included in the FCC's definition of "amateur station." Sure, it's
>in your shack - you're free to possess it, but it's outside the realm of
>"amateur station."
>
>Jeff KH2PZ
>
>
>>|> >|> >Mickey McInnis wrote:
>>|> >|> >> S 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.
>>|> >|> >> No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur
> station of
>>|> >|> >> any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
>>|> >|> >> communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
> life
>>|> >|> >> and immediate protection of property when normal communication
> systems are
>>|> >|> >> not available.
>

6561. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve B." <scanfreq@istlaplata.net>
Message-ID: <6u5ngj$7g5$1@cyberusa.com>
Source record: 143497

There's a company named i-Escrow - don't know the url but if you can't find
it let me know.

Keith A Monahan wrote in message +ADw-3605B1D1.7C29+AEA-pitt.edu+AD4-...

snip

+AD4-Does anyone remember the name of a 'third-party' buy/sell company? I
+AD4-remember checking out their web page maybe a year ago. But basically,
+AD4-they acted as a go-between, payment would be submitted to them, tracking
+AD4-numbers submitted to them, etc etc. then, when both buyer and seller
+AD4-were happy, then money would be passed on. It was a relatively cheap
+AD4-service(maybe 5+ACU- of sale?), and they provided fraud insurance free, plus
+AD4-they accepted credit cards for payment and sent a check to the seller,
+AD4-etc.
+AD4-

6562. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu
Message-ID: <36066471.8041112@news.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 143498
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On 21 Sep 1998 03:47:40 GMT, Highcove Family
<Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>In defense of Mr. Humphrey, I must say that he has always been a very
>helpful and informative representative, going far beyond the scope of
>his duties in helping out the scanning community.

I'll second that!

> We do not know that this story is true, we have yet
>to hear all of the facts,

And that's the primary problem. Sh*tloads of people are making
statements and judgement calls without ANY facts. So far, all I have
seen is a complaint, and a response. And a lot of people making
ASSumptions without checking out either sides' stories, and venting
lots of frustration on something that *probably* happened and is
probably misunderstood.

> and even if it were to be true, it would be an
>isolated incident brought on by a few rogue individuals, not a citywide
>policy. I have always found the LAFD to be very fair, very competent,
>and often very heroic. Please do not judge an organization you know
>nothing about (or have no experience with, Mr. Maine InternetWorks)
>based on a newsnet post.

C'mon, people, who started this riot anyway? You're all acting like
lemmings, jumping off the cliff without looking. Does anyone have the
facts, or is this all just bad attitudes?

>Hear all sides before you judge.

That pretty well sums it up, right there. I'll second that, too!

Charles Welborne
First Responder At-Large
Emergency Management volunteer
West Lafayette, IN
cewelborne@adpc.purdue.edu

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I do not, of course, speak for my employer.

6563. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rescue <rescue@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u5qg1cph2@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143499
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Before you quote the law, look it up.
In some states, sex between consenting adults is illegal unless they are husband and wife, and in the privacy of their own company.

But regardless, read Heir Klinton's Executive Order on Ethics. He violated his own executive order.

Any man who says that oral sex is not sex is either the stupidest man on the planet or a LIAR. In either case, he shouldn't be the president of the United States.

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

>
> As i said, you don't have much of an education
> that would allow you to see what I was getting at
> referring to the JOHN WAYNE syndrome...it's an
> idea which one uses to emphasize an idea, not literally.
>
> Excuse me: I said: having sex between two consenting
> adults is not criminal. It's not a crime. IF it's not
> a crime, then what is said or done afterwards is still,
> not a crime.
>
> You really are going off into the land of "weirdsville"
> and "stretched sense of self" and a "reality base"
> of which you even are not sure of.
>
> your explanations below tell me and others you have a major
> problem with "truth"....
>
> Again...Sex between two consenting adults is not a crime.
>
> If it's legal, then you cannot label it "illegal" just
> because they don't tell you all about it and get around it
> by telling you what they want to tell you....
>
> Sex between consenting adults is not criminal: meaning
> it's not punishable by threats of impeachment or perjury
> or "stupidity"...well, stupidity is the president in this.
>
> he should have taken the Fifth and allowed it to play out.
>
> Get a grip on your "thumping" of being an ex-soldier...it'

> is not doing you a bit of good when dealing with reality.
>
> bill conduit
> etc.
>

6564. Indiana University

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Haag <rhaag@indiana.edu>
Message-ID: <6u5q12$5fi$1@flotsam.uits.indiana.edu>
Source record: 143500

Hey, I'm looking for any freq that relate to Indiana University, or any police, fire, etc. for Bloomington IN. If anyone could post these or e-mail me, i would appriciate it. Thanks

6565. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921112153.09359.00004530@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 143501

>rom: Keith A Monahan <kamst39+@pitt.edu>

>Does anyone remember the name of a 'third-party' buy/sell company? I
>remember checking out their web page maybe a year ago. But basically,
>they acted as a go-between, payment would be submitted to them, tracking
>numbers submitted to them, etc etc.

I don't know of the company that you are thinking of but I'll bet you could use Mailbox Etc. or one of those other franchises, esp. if the sender has them wrap and ship the package.

6566. 4 sale BC 200 XTL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Esacove <mebe1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <360670C5.63CA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143502

I have an extra Bearcat BC200 XTL in excellent condition. Low hours, complete w/ battery, antenna, copy of manual. Needs factory or after market charger. Receives cell and portable freqs. Offers via e-mail please. Thanks Bob

6567. Re: Pro-Turbo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36066e5e.5710164@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 21 Sep 1998 12:11:48 GMT, tzl@my-dejanews.com wrote:

Well give it another look the timer shuts the program down now
after 60, but you can run it as many times as you wish, The version
you have with the 20 minute timer is the minimum it will run it could
very well run for 60 minutes or anything in between, but will run at
least 20 minutes.

>In article <3603c7fc.13021610@news.iaw.on.ca>,
> jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter) wrote:
>> 200 downloads and only one e-mail on it
>>
>
>Well, I'll add my 2 cents here. I downloaded version 272 a while ago
>and never tried it. When I saw another post here, I forgot why I didn't
>try it the first time so I downloaded version 301 intending to give it
>a try.
>
>When I unpacked the .zip file and looked through the readme.txt file,
>I remembered why I hadn't tried it before.
>
>The fact that it will timeout after 20 minutes or so made me feel that I
>couldn't make a judgement on it's value to me. Even running multiple 20

If you don't try the program how can you decide you could not
make an evaluation of it without running it. My wife does the same
thing with movies if she doesn't like the first 5 minutes it is not
worth watching. You have to give it a try to decide.

>minute sessions wasn't worth the trouble so I never even gave it a try. I
>can understand the need to have some limitation on it's free use but if it
>gave me enough time to thoroughly evaluate it I'd be more inclined to check
>it out. If it would run for 24 hours just one time, or expire after some

24 hours would be great and when it is done people can just reinstall
the program and get another 24hours and do it over and over again,
sure we could hide something in the registry to make it so that it
will no longer run even after unistalling and re-installing it and it
still won't run, but why mess with the registry like that when it is
not needed. There are all kinds of ways to do it but the one we used
seemed to be the safest

>number of days, maybe I could run it long enough to feel that I couldn't live

I don't believe the 20 minute minimum is too little, but a
24hour limit would be great, but if you start the program and
something comes up and you forget that it is running then you can
easily use up your time. I have downloaded software that has had a
number of days timeout and installed it and had a quick look at it and
other things came up and I forgot about then when I thought about it
again it would not run because the number of days had gone by. We can
talk about limitations all day long and never find one that would
satisfy everyone but this is the one we took.

>without it. I'm running a 300mhz system so I would expect that my timeout
>would be on the short side. I just don't think that 20 minutes is enough time
>to become familar with it.

Your 300mhz system has nothing to do with the timer and will not make
it run at a shorter time, 20 minutes on a 33 mhz machine is the same
as 20 minutes on a 450mhz machine, but that has now be changed to
just 60 minutes no more and no less

Download the latest version and give it a try.

>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6568. Re: CE232 Where to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3607746e.7262218@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Contact BIll Cheek and bcheck@cts.com
I believe that is his address.

On Mon, 21 Sep 1998 06:16:28 -0600, "Dan" <n7wpd@inconnect.com> wrote:

>Wondering where I might get more info on this interface?
>
>Dan
>

6569. Re: PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3608750c.7421210@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143505

Now don't get me wrong here, I am not saying that the Opto
boards are no good I am trying to point out that they will not work
in all scanners and for some the CE232 is the only way to go.
Pro-Turbo is for the people out there that have the CE232 and want
windows software for it and for those that want the CE232 for whatever
reason they have and have not because the did not want to run dos
software for it.

On 21 Sep 1998 13:20:42 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

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>>From: jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)
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>>Why install 2 interfaces into a scanner when one will do. Sure you
>>can put an OS456 lite into the 2005 and 2006 and then have to install
>>the Programit to program the scanner so that you can use it elsewhere
>>without the computer connection.
>
>Whoa! I was initially talking only about autoprogramming. If you want to
>compare other capabilities of the CE232, then you have to compare them to the
>OS535 or OS456 (the lite version isn't an apples-apples enough comparison).
>
>Also, you seem confused about what the PROgramit and the Opto boards do. You
>can only run interfaces when the PC is on, obviously. I don't understand why
>you think you have to install the PROgramit so you can use it elsewhere. Just
>program the scanner and go.

As I understand it you have to install the Programmit in any scanner
that has an OS456 or OS535 to program the scanner. The Opto
interfaces take over the scanner and bypass the controller and memory
in the scanner. So I don't understand how you can use the Opto board
and Probe or any other program to program the scanner and use it
elsewhere.
>
>If you want to compare the other features of the CE232 to the Opto, then you
>must also take into consideration the available software. For the CE, there's
>yours and the oldie-goodie. For the Opto, there are dozens. None on the market
>compare to Probe, IMO, and that's a DOS program! For me, the Opto is a far
>superior interface, not only for the available wealth of software, but also for
>it's basic capabilities and a few "extras" like cellular tuning in the older
>models.
>

You are back to the OS535 again and comparing it to the
2004/5/6 scanners, if you have a 2004 and want computer control you

have to go with the CE232 the OS456 or the OS456 Lite will not work in this scanner, the OS456 is no longer available. It may have given you extras like tone decoding and such but since you cannot get one new and few people will part with a used one we have to compare the OS456 lite which will still not program any 2004/5/6. Cellular tuning has always been available in the 2004/5/6 scanners so installing a OS456 does not offer this advantage to these scanners.

>Sorry, you won't convince me that the CE232 and ProTurbo is what I need. The
>OS535/Probe and Programit setup wins hands down ***for me***. Others? Well,
>their mileage may vary.
>
I am not trying to convince you that the CE232 and Pro-Turbo is what you need. Sure I would love to give all that a try, in fact I held of on getting a CE232 when I heard about the OS456 because it sounded like it would do so much more, but since it will not program the scanner and will not work with the 2004, I have now gone this route.

6570. Re: Frequency Detection and Scanning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarod@syntec.com
Message-ID: <3607772b.8377095@news.zip.com.au>
Source record: 143506

On Sat, 19 Sep 1998 15:32:36 -0500, "Terry Rinehart" <tlrine@gte.net>
wrote:

>I am seeking the assistance of a communications engineer or someone familiar
>with communications signal to locate a signal. I am not familiar with
>communication signals except with the concepts of frequency hopping and
>hiding one signal inside of another signal at the same frequency. If anyone
>knows of someone willing to do this type of frequency searching, please let
>me know. I can be contacted at tlrine@gte.net.
>

Contact a creti .. er person by the name of John Mackey KA (ZERO IQ)
SSF - he/she has experience in hiding behind bogus email addresses in
order to avoid twit filters and has extensive knowledge of generating
a considerable amount of signal noise.

6571. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u5vu9$gv2@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143507
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6u5qg1cph2@news-1.news.gte.net> Rescue <rescue@gte.net> writes:
>

>
>Any man who says that oral sex is not sex is either the stupidest man
on
>the planet or a LIAR. In either case, he shouldn't be the president of
the
>United States.
>

Clinton is speaking from a LEGAL
perspective, where religion and
pathos are allegedly benign

he's speaking from a legal
point...sex between consenting adults
in D.C. is legal.

the grand jury kept harping on sexual
relationship based on intercourse.

...a head job is and yet it ain't. Not
as how it's defined in the books where
sex is criminal...go figure. But then
the GRAND inJURY-ious is defining it
to suit their goals.

Clinton is asking for them to consider
that what he does qualifies as a "quickee"
"almost" sexual relationship and not the
full twelve-course affair.

don't try putting your definitions in and
your prejudices and your religious jerk-off
thoughts in to the equation...

remember: in law what is defined in one
book is not nesessarily how it's told to
the judge...or jury.

also, remember, Clinton is being denied
due process of law by this grand jury
witch-hunt. He's been denied the right
to face his accuser. No cross-examination.

and yet now they can "air" his point of view
as if it was a trial unto itself....no trial
has taken place and it never will. If it
does take place, Lewinsky will lose ... BIG.

her and TRIPP and Jones....

they cannot have a jury hear the case in a court
of law. That's why they are rushing it through
as now...so they can keep control of it until it
goes to the impeachment nomination process...at
which time more will be made available. Against
Clinton. But no trial.

Congress is making things up as it goes: they
want Clinton out. Nixon got impeached. So now
it's the Republicans who will get their revenge.

Politics.

bill conduit
etc.

6572. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u60ja$kf2@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143508
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6u5ia1$fnm@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
>
>
>
>
>>If you were the leader of a country and had to deal with this guy,
>would
>>you trust him? If you did, YOU WOULD BE THE MORON! I don't have to
>deal
>>with him and I don't trust him! Never have, never will!
>>
>>
>> <snip snip>
>>

which country has a white faced pan to fry with?

are not all of them black as black is given?

your idea is rather short: how many leaders have
we dealt with who have killed thousands upon thousands
of citizens of their country: China, Vietnam, Cambodia,
Ireland, England, South Africa, Most of Africa, Cuba,
Peru, Brazil, Argentina, Mexico, Saudia Arabia, Sudan,
Corsica, Turkey, Russia, etc.

are you kidding or just not getting your mind-full
based on the comics you read each time you sit on
your brain cell?

how many of them do similar acts but based on more "criminal"
kinds. How many of these leaders cut off the CLITS of the
women in their country? We deal with them. Or how many of
these leaders kill female babies when born? We deal with
them.

HEY...the President of the USA stands as a novitiate compared
to the barbarians in countries named above...and more.

He's a virgin compared to their "assaults" upon woman-kind
in their countries...

Clinton's was consensual. They agreed. And it was a quickee.

bill conduit
etc.

remember: other presidents have had longer sexual liasons with females who consented. kennedy, hamilton, washington, adams i think...Johnson, and a few more.

Lewinsky stalked the PRES. She knew what she was going to do with him when alone. Pre-meditated. She should be on trail for stalking the pres with a loaded "want to".

6573. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u613orcm1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143509
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

WOLFPACK10 rose to the surface and offered this morsel....

>I think the fire dept's position and Humphrey's reply to Kali was just
that,
>"a very political statement"

While carefully worded, those are my sentiments. I visit and speak with members of the Amateur Radio an Monitoring community frequently. I even bring hams and scanner enthusiasts down to our dispatch center and let them dispatch Fire and EMS calls on a weekly basis. There are more than a few such people lurking in this newsgroup. I have also been active in getting many of our 3,500 members their "tickets".

>that said nothing and meant nothing.

Your opinion Sir or Madam. Since you did not offer a name or entity, it is difficult at best for any of us to know how much to regard your reply. It is certainly your right to have an opinion though.

>The fire
>dept has lost my support and MY donations!!! Oh, and try and come take my
>antenna down, you'll then need to call the police dept.

Your obvious lack of knowledge on this matter does not dictate such a response. You clearly do not live in Los Angeles (The LAFD is a full-time career staffed agency that is taxpayer supported - as an agency we do -not- seek "donations").

The greatest harm from this matter might come to your own local Fire Department which sadly might rely on donations to provide minimal service. How sad that your fellow citizens might suffer as a result of your personal view of a matter occurring thousands of miles away <sigh>.

I know that neither the amateur radio nor monitoring community at large profess violence against Firefighters. I also know that the OVERWHELMING majority of those who have followed this thread realize that the antenna removal from Khalil's condominium was allegedly performed by the HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION and/or the MANAGEMENT COMPANY [emphasis added].

The Fire Department did *not* physically remove any antenna's. Oh, and by the way - you needn't worry about us being on your roof - unless your house is on fire! <g>

Whether justified or not, you are welcome to hold a grudge against our Department. Just make sure that you know the facts.

Yours in Safety and Service, and speaking personally....

Brian

6574. Un-listed frequency guide (Ontario)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6u5vtk$9uo$1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 143510

Listening-Post. site is dedicated to scanner radio
hobbists who are frequency hunters. On here you
will find lists of Ontario radio frequencies that are
not listed on any web page, published in any
scannner book (Haruteq or Scantrix) or listed
on a government web page (Industry Canada's
TAFL). This list is all based on research.

Download Un-listed frequency guide available:

Ftp: listening-post.dyn.ml.org /pub/un-lis~1
Web: ftp://listening-post.dyn.ml.org/pub

we at listening-post always searching for new
information. Should you have any aditiona
information that you wish to see published,
(not listed on any scannner book ie: Haruteq
or Scantrix). Please use form below.

ftp://www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/submit~1.htm

Questions/comments please email:
Jmedica@listening-post.dyn.ml.org

John Medica
System adminstrator [Listening-Post]

6575. Un-listed frequency guide (ontario)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6u61bh$a7n$1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 143511

Listening-Post. site is dedicated to scanner radio
hobbists who are frequency hunters. On here you
will find lists of Ontario radio frequencies that are
not listed on any web page, published in any
scannner book (Haruteq or Scantrix) or listed
on a government web page (Industry Canada's
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Questions/comments please email:
Jmedica@listening-post.dyn.ml.org

John Medica
System adminstrator [Listening-Post]

6576. Re: PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u637k$6m3$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143512

Yes but the 232 will do much more than the programit will on certain scanners. Autoprogramming is not the whole enchilada. On some scanners , we would like to take advantage of a two-way interface , so that the computer can also get/display information FROM the scanner. I don`t recommend the 232 for a scanner you just want to autoprogram. I also do not recommend it for a scanner where you cannot implement a two-way interface. The programit will do just fine on these scanners. comparing the Programit to the 232 is like comparing apples to pine cones.

As for the Optoscan line of interfaces, they always were fine equipment, but sometimes they lack the versatility of the 232, with all of it`s extra data lines that are user-programmable for just about any function you want to devote them to. Some like the Optoscan, and their opinion is very valid.

MAlexder wrote in message <19980920104421.28942.00003587@ng91.aol.com>...
>
>There's been a lot of talk about the Commtronics CE232 interface recently.
One
>of the main features of that particular interface is its autoprogramming
>feature. If you are interested in autoprogramming, there is a far more
flexible
>and considerly less expensive approach available called the PROgramit. In
my
>opinion, it is also a superior alternative because of its simplicity and
>because unlike the CE232, it can be used with virtually any scanner.
>
>For more information about PROgramit, go to
>http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html. I don't have any connection with this
>particular interface or its developer. I'm just a satisfied user. While you
are
>the site, also check out the instructions for adding an IR remote control
to
>your scanner! It's quite neat.

6577. Modification voor Uniden UBC-9000xlt ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cvdspoel <cvdspoel@knoware.nl>
Message-ID: <906402760.329569@ns2.knoware.nl>
Source record: 143513

Hello there...

I'am searching for the modification off the UNIDEN UBC-9000xlt.
Do you have this modification please send it to me !!

Bye Kees

6578. FS: Radio Shack Pro 26(w/cell) and Pro51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: skanman <skanman@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bde593$cdbe5cc0$15e437a6@mycomputer.nando.net>
Source record: 143514
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,de.alt.radio-scanner,nl.radio.scanners,rec.radio.scanner

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Pro 26 200 channel portable scanner
Euro logic board (full coverage with cell)
Also includes original mint cond. logic board
Nice leather case.
Original ant,manual,box.
Disc. out jack
Mint condition.
$300 plus shipping

Pro 51 200 channel scanner
telescoping ant.
belt clip
Service and owner's manual
Disc output
excellent cond.
$150 plus shipping
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6579. re: p.g. county animal control freq and lost dog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: spam-filter-itm123@usa.net
Message-ID: <6u6aem$an5$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143515

I found the frequencies. Saturday and Sunday they were on
155.94 then monday morning they switched to 158.94. I guess they
rotate? a county passenger pickup program is on 155.94 now.
I guess they just rotate the frequencies weekly to fight publication
of them? I wonder what frequency they will be on next week :)
they do seem to be on the common "p.g. govt'" listings of channels
though,

I received various frequencies to check, and the fcc website to go
through, I ended up putting about 52 frequencies in my scanner to
scan. I started to just enter them, then I realized i might get some
duplicates, so I put entered them into excel and sorted them.
then I entered them into my scanner all at once.

so it wasn't too hard to find, I was just being thorough.

I want to say thanks for all the help I received here. I received
about 6 replies (and 10 spams but that's ok <g>).

Thank you sincerely,

Daniel

6580. Re: CE-232 to PRO-2022 Conections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <3606a2af.367472@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 17:59:52 -0700, "Mike Palazzola" <mipal@abac.com>
wrote:

>I have heard you can connect a CE-232 to a PRO-2022 to program it.
>I looked at the keyboard wiring at the pcb and they don't
>line up with a standard X Y row matrix. Is there a hookup diagram to
>interface
>to it ? If so where can I find it?
>
>Thanks
>Mike Palazzola
>

Mike,
For programming purposes for the Pro-2022, I would suggest
that you go with the PROgramit interface. It would be cheaper for you
to build and parts are readily available. Setting it up for your
scanner is much easier also. Serial and parallel versions are
available. You can also add remote control ability to your scanner
later with the IR module.

Check it out and get the parts ordered:
http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/

Wiggie

6581. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael brown <mbrown@kih.net>
Message-ID: <3606B0CE.6071@kih.net>
Source record: 143517
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> >> remember: consensual sex is legal. It's
> >> not a crime. How can what is legal be a
> >> crime just because it's hushed up?

I GIVE UP! IT DOESN'T TAKE ME LONG TO SEE THAT YOU ARE NOT GOING TO BE CONVINCED, AND NEITHER AM I, SO THIS DISCUSSION IS GOING NOWHERE!

I WATCHED A LOT OF THE VIDEO TODAY, AND I AM MORE CONVINCED OF HIS DECEIT!

THATS MY LAST STATEMENT TO YOU!

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regards,
>>>> NOTE: REMOVE THE TIREDOFSPAM IN THE RETURN ADDRESS TO REPLY! <<<<
michael brown
mbrownTIREDOFSPAM@kih.net

6582. bearcat 150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidm3123@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921155435.28333.00004906@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143518

I found this old crock at a yard sale and couldn't resist buying if for $3.00.
It appears to work very well. But I need some info on it.

I was wondering how old it was. It has the appearance of 1970's early 80's???

Does anyone have a listing of frequencies it can receive?

Any quirks?

I plan to clean it up a bit place it in with my other scanners or maybe use it
as an auxilary unit in the garage when I am working out there.

thanks

dm

6583. Re: Modification voor Uniden UBC-9000xlt ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921163948.14446.00002622@ng32.aol.com>
Source record: 143519

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Mod to do what??
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Pursuant to U.S. Code, title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, §227,
"Any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee of $500.00 U.S."
E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.

6584. FS:Patrolman-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lessard <dlessard@telplus.net>
Message-ID: <3606EA99.1D0C@telplus.net>
Source record: 143520

For collectors I have a 1970's Realistic Patrolman radio for sale. It scans (analog) the 30-50, 137-174 bands, and has AM-FM. Will sell for $15 plus shipping. Good physical condition. Uses AC cord.

6585. pro-2045 freaked out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921173951.23529.00003031@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143521

my 2045 won't scan all my programmed channels and this occured after i used it in my car. any ideas? should i try re-programming?

jon

6586. scanning in southwest CT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921174059.23529.00003032@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143522

found a great spot to scan in Norwalk CT:

West Rocks school on west rocks road. I think it's the highest spot in
norwalk, I can hear NYC radio-traffic and tons of local and marine traffic.
also norwalk beach the same

Jon

6587. inter-scanner inter=ferance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921174200.23529.00003034@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143523

experiencing interferance when i have 2 scanners on at the same time. when one locks on a channel, the other opens a channel (different freq) as an open mic/open mod.

any ideas?
jon

Jon Damast
Daddy's House Recording Studio
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6588. continuity question: ohms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921174410.23529.00003035@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143524

should i get a continuity between antenna in and ground, on my scanner? i am experiencing this on my UBC-100XLT. no recption; thiunk this is my problem

any ideas appreciated
jon

6589. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921174720.29097.00002223@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 143525

RADIO SHACK SCANNERS ON-LINE MANUALS
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.htm

6590. FS: IC-Q7a & HT600 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Private Dick <mcguyver@bv.net>
Message-ID: <3606CC91.84E386A4@bv.net>
Source record: 143526
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

FS: Mint condition Icom IC-Q7A with extended TX mod done, with clip, antenna, box and manual. 3 months old. Sell $175.00 or consider trades.

Motorola HT600 VHF 6channel, 5W with standard charger antenna and NEW battery(motorola) small crack in programming pad) programs fine. sell $225 or consider trades

Casio RM-7400G Calculator & large LCD transparent Over Head Projector screen (BW) Calc unit transmits to and from OHP unit via irDa infrared, displays text, math problems, etc. Works fine. Photo upon request Asking $150.00 OBO

6591. Re: 2045 freaked out!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6u6k0o$5j1@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143527
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Check the other channels to make sure they are not locked out.
The electronic systems in your car may be generating signals
which interfere with your reception.

Don't start your car's engine while your scanner is powered on.
Turn off the scanner first.

In article <19980921171057.23529.00003006@ng127.aol.com>,
Jonny D 97 <jonnyd97@aol.com> wrote:

>My RS PRO-2045 all-of-a-sudden is non-operational.
> It gets stuck on about 2 or 3 diff. freq's.
> it still scans but ONLY those 3 freq's, in the same bank. it
>will do a SEARCH function problem OK.
>This all happened after i used it in my car with the
>factory-recomended car DC adaptor.
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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

6592. Re: Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghs521@aol.comiamnot
Message-ID: <19980921184152.19376.00000305@ng39.aol.com>
Source record: 143528

>So I guess I am asking more about portable antennas, and if there are any
>with
>an SMA connector.
>

Yes, both Comet and Diamond make SMA ducks.
Greg

6593. Need Frequencies for CT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920200421.25984.00003905@ng68.aol.com>
Source record: 143537

Looking for coroners office in Farmington in perticular...
Thanks, John
John W Gardner

6594. Re: CE-232 particulars post # 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36069bc2.3135922@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143538
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

And remember folks all this is supported by Pro-Turbo which
can be found at: http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 08:46:49 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

>DESCRIPTION OF CE-232 PERFORMANCE & SPECS
>===
>
>** Operate the scanner from the Computer's Keyboard! **
>
>REMOTE CONTROL FROM COMPUTER'S KEYBOARD:
>
>Virtually all functions of the scanner can be operated from the computer's
>keyboard. For example, a replica of the scanner's front panel is displayed
>on the monitor along with a keypad emulator to show the keys to be pressed
>as if you were operating the scanner in a normal manner. The CE-232 does
>not slow down the scanner nor alter its peformance in any manner! Not only
>can you operate the scanner from the computer's keyboard, you can also
>operate normally from the scanner as well.
>
>NOTE FOR PRO-2004/5/6 ONLY: As the scanner operates, the computer monitor
>displays EVERYTHING that the scanner shows in its LCD display!
>
>
>===
>
>** The scanner is AutoProgrammable by the CE-232! **
>
>AUTOPROGRAMMER
>
>The CE-232 can auto-download into the scanner's memory up to 999 channels
>at a time, from a previously prepared plain text list of frequencies!
>Auto-Programming includes channel, frequency, DELAY, MODE, and LOCKOUT
>functions as desired.
>
>This AutoProgram feature applies to all supported scanners, limited only
>by the number of memory channels in the scanner, up to a maximum of 999.
>
>You can also manually program the scanner from the computer's keyboard,
>in conjunction with normal remote keyboard control as described above.
>
>NOTE: The AutoProgrammer function of the CE-232 uses a very simple
> ASCII text format, well within the capability of any text

> editor and/or database manager to construct and lay out.
>
>** The CE-232 has excellent 3rd party support **
>
> Now get this: the PerCon Corp (regional+) FCC-Databases-
> On-CDROM have a special export feature for the exact type of
> file format (*.APF) for quick and automatic generation of
> AutoProgrammer files for the CE-232 Interface! Within minutes,
> you can have thousands of frequencies for your area ready to be
> AutoProgrammed into your scanner! For more information about
> PerCon Corp and their FCC Database products write or fax:
>
> PerCon Corp; 4906 Maple Springs/Ellery Road; Bemus Point, NY 14712
> Fax: (716) 386-6013 Voice: (716) 386-6015
> E-mail: admin@perconcorp.com http://www.perconcorp.com
>
>===
>
>** CE-232 has 4 Electronic Switches for User Control
> of modifications & other scanner functions **
>
>USER DEFINABLE CONTROLS
>
>The CE-232 offers four user-definable switches that can be used to
>control add-ons or other modifications that you may have done to your
>scanner! Uses for these User Switches are virtually unlimited, but
>might include turning on/off things like Automatic Tape Recorder
>Switches; extra memory banks; Data/Tone Squelch and any other of my
>mods or add-ons that you've developed or acquired. These UserSwitches
>are controlled by YOU and, if desired, automatically by the computer
>using the Script function! (The Script Function is described below.)
>
>(User Switches available for all supported scanners)
>
>
>===
>THE FOLLOWING FEATURES ARE AVAILABLE ONLY FOR THE PRO-2004/5/6 SCANNERS
>===
>
>** Easy-to-use AutoLogger feature **
>
>AUTOLOGGER
>
>The CE-232 will AutoLog for unlimited periods of time, any and all
>activity encountered by the scanner, regardless of the mode. Each -event-
>(squelch break) is logged to a text file as a data line item containing
>the following information at a minimum:
>
> CHANNEL: number
> FREQUENCY: MHz

> MODE: AM, NFM, or WFM
> DELAY: status, set or not
> LOCKOUT: status, set or not
> FUNCTION: Prgm, Man, Scan, Search Up, Search Down, etc
> STEP: Search increment, kHz, if applicable
> DATE: of event
>START TIME: of event
> DURATION: of event (seconds)
>(and more): several user-definable parameters including S-metering!
>
>Autologging can be turned on or off at will. Autologged files are
>automatically opened and named with a date/time logo, similar to:
>96070812.LOG meaning: 1996, July 8, 12th hour (noon).LOG. Each
>hour, a new log file is opened and the old one closed & saved.
>
>Autolog files can be AutoProgrammed back into the scanner's memory
>at will with no manipulation or changes; just the press of a couple of
>keys! This means that you can do a SEARCH function all night or day
>while you're away and then at your leisure, program in each new found
>frequency quite simply, hands-off, in a matter of minutes!
>
>PRO-2004/5/6 feature only
>
>===
>
>** CE-232 rejects "birdies" and other undesired signals! **
>
>AUTO-REJECT
>
>You can do like I did.....disconnect the antenna; set the ATT switch
>to the -10 dB position and do a SEARCH from 25 MHz - 1300 MHz with the
>autolog feature ON. About two hours later, you'll have a file that
>contains just the BIRDIES in your scanner! Now you rename this file
>to something like BIRDIE.REJ, and the next time you do a frequency
>search, you can specify another CE-232 function called AUTO-REJECT,
>that prevents the scanner from locking or stopping on a "birdie".
>
>But that's not all! You can insert other undesirable frequencies
>into the BIRDIE.REJ or another *.REJ file, so not only can you EASILY
>make the scanner forever reject birdies, but also pagers, data channels
>and other obnoxious signals that you don't want to monitor!!!
>
>PRO-2004/5/6 feature Only
>
>===
>
>** CE-232 offers a LOOKUP feature for I.D. of signals! **
>
>AUTO-LOOKUP
>

>The CE-232 sports a LOOKUP function which displays your data for a
>frequency every time the scanner STOPS on an active signal! Your
>previously prepared AutoProgrammer File will do nicely for this function,
>and thereforewill display whatever is in your database for that frequency!
>Great for quick identifications of the signals received by your scanner!
>
>PRO-2004/5/6 feature only.
>
>===
>
>** CE-232 offers a Script Language to automate scanning! **
>
>AUTOMATED SCRIPTS
>
>And, now comes perhaps the most important feature of all: a very
>powerful -script language- which lets you automate a series of
>functions to make the scanner do various things while you're away or
>not interested in being right there for the operation! In simplest
>form, you can make a Search & Store function to log everything it hits
>the first time, but to reject duplicates if hit again! You can make
>things happen at certain times and stop at other times; and otherwise
>the Script Language allows you to write your own convoluted functions
>and procedures! Essentially, this scripting feature is much like a
>macro function; you write your own ticket! And it's not difficult,
>either. In fact, many scripts are provided with the program!
>
>PRO-2004/5/6 supported feature (but may work with other scanners)
>
>===
>
>** The CE-232 has flexible inputs/outputs for the User **
>
>USER-DEFINABLE INPUT/OUTPUT BITS
>
>The CE-232 offers 22-bits of unallocated, user accessible I/O
>registry. There are 8-bits of Output logic that can be controlled from
>the CE-232 Script feature simply by setting -low- and -high- in these
>bits. The implications are enormous considering that a variety of
>logical operators can be configured to turn various bits on and off,
>depending on a variety of user defined input data. The status of
>these user-defined and script controllable OUTBYTES is displayable and
>recordable by the AutoLogger.
>
>The CE-232 offers 14-bits of Input Logic that can be tested from the
>Script function. High and low logic (+5v and 0v) can be applied to
>these input bits from external sources, much like sensors for idiot
>lights in a car. One application we have developed is for an S-METER!
>The AutoLogger can read and store these Input bits, so every -hit- can
>be associated with a signal strength!
>

6595. Re: What is the right thing to do? UPDATED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920201506.25984.00003910@ng68.aol.com>
Source record: 143539

<<You won't know if the recipient's story is fraudulent unless you check with
the Post Office. With all of the forms they utilize, i'd be surprised that
he mailman would scribble a note on a plain piece of paper and attach it to
some other piece of mail.. sounds fishy to me.
>>
This is true..being a carrier for the last 13 years...we are requried to fill
out a delivery slip for every parcel we leave notice on...
form 3849...which gives the recipient the hours to pick up the parcel and where
to pick it up...it is not practice to "scribble a note"
unless we leave a parcel on a porch or outside the door...then on a piece of
mail I would write "parcel outside"....I think the gent is ripping you
off....contact the post office of his zipcode and ask to speak with the
postmaster...and turn it over to the inspectors...Regards, John

John W Gardner

6596. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36059a59.2774718@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

You talk about so many things being obsolete, what about this
crappy operating system? It was obsolete years ago and still is.

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 18:20:43 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>If this is an ISA based interface you just got screwed by ordering one. ISA
>is going the way of the dodo bird right now.
>If you are the type that is happy with an obsolete PC then I wouldn't worry.
>I am sure there are some folks still playing around with CPM and TRS 80's
>right now. Sheesh when you think of it the radios this thing interfaces to
>are technically obsolete. Still functional as long as they don't get hit by
>a voltage spike during a storm. I would get a new LCD display immedately as
>these fail with ageParts are getting hard to come by as Radio Shake
>depeletes it supplies.
>
>If CE-232 interface is a strictly serial interface you can get by with an
>adapter if you decide purchase a new PC next year or there after.
>No 1999 PC or later will have ISA or it will not be certified. There is
>quite a discussion about the need to get out of ISA even on exising PCs so
>the PCI bus will function better.
>You can really get a boost by yanking all ISA cards right now and changing
>CMOS parameters on PCI settings.
>
>The PCs that are under development will be magnitudes faster and cheaper
>then anything we have seen to date. Also being discontinued are PARALLEL,
>SERIAL, and IDE BUSES.
>I am not sure but I think the FLOPPY DISK is to be phased out also like it
>was on the new MAC.
>USB will have an adaper you can add to use old legacy serial and parallel
>devices. There will be many strong reasons to switch to these new designs,
>one of them is the strong conectivity issue. You will be able to link many
>different devices in your house or business with just plain telephone wire.
>The PC will become even more versital and useful then it is now.
>
>Since the ISA sound cards are dead, if you need a sound card examine either
>USB speakers (no sound card needed) or something like the SBLive! which has
>a programable DSP on the card which can handle 127 audio streams at once in
>hardware. There are incredible things these new Intel CPUs can doin software
>that required hardware before in your PC. Read about just the advances in PC
>sound and how it is going to be handled at Intel's 3D RSX web site
>http://www.intel.com/ial/rsx/wpaper.htm
>
>Also

>http://www.intel.com/ial/rsx/doc.htm
>http://www.intel.com/ial/rsx/
>
>For more on Spatial Audio research at Georgia Tech go to
>http://www.cc.gatech.edu/gvu/multimedia/spatsound/spatsound.html
>
>From GA
>73 de ki4je
>
>
>Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6u3egt$s1u$1@garnet.mint.net>...
>>>>
>>>>If you were considering buying a CE-232 interface for your Pro
>>>>2004/2005/2006 scanner, now is the time to order ! The CE-232 will
>>continue
>>>>to be supported for several years, but the availability of this fine
>>>>interface may end as soon as this Christmas. You wouldn`t want to miss
>out
>
>

6597. Re: PRICE REDUCTION:ALINCO DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920202925.29095.00001900@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 143541

Thats okay my friend listening to cell is not only illeal but I guess you would say morally wrong. The key is morals.Have a great day

6598. Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920202933.20524.00001572@ng131.aol.com>
Source record: 143542

What antenna is everyone using with the Q7A? The stock antenna is OK, but I am sure there is something better.

I dont really talk on it, just listen mainly to non-ham freqs.

Thanks,
Ed

6599. Re: The CE-232 and the Pro-43 (!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36079d04.3457683@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

And remember folks this is even supported by Pro-Turbo, which
can be found at: http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

And for even more on the Pro-43, how about 800 channels in
your Pro-43, to find out more about this have a look at:
http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-43.html

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 13:05:31 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

>
> PRO-43 HANDHELD SCANNER & CE-232 NOW COMPATIBLE!
> ==
>
>It had to happen! The CE-232 can be made to work with the Realistic PRO-43
>with reduced capability from how it operates with the PRO-2004/5/6. The
>PRO-43 is designed quite differently from the PRO-2004/5/6 and therefore
>cannot function to the same levels, BUT.....the PRO-43 can be
>AutoProgrammed by the CE-232 and it can be controlled from the PC's
>keyboard! No claims are made as to any other functions, although limited
>scripts might be made to work. THAT is up to the User to determine and to
>apply, however. The following information is provided to assist you in
>determining the level of effort to adapt the CE-232 to your PRO-43:
>
>The PRO-43 will require eleven (11) wires from the CE-232:
>
> CE-232 PRO-43
> Wire Destination
> ======= ===========
> N PCB ground
> Q DA-2; Col-6; Keyboard side
> R DA-2; Col-5 " "
> S DA-2; Col-4 " "
> T DA-1; Col-3 " "
> U DA-1; Col-2 " "
> V DA-1; Col-1 " "
> W R-22; Row-1 " "
> X R-23; Row-2 " "
> Y R-24; Row-3 " "
> Z R-25; Row-4 " "
>
>Additionally, on the CE-232, Points I-M must be tied high to a source of
>+5v and not connected anywhere else. This is not so difficult and there are
>a number of ways this can be done, but the Instructions show an easy way.

>Then, the CE-232 must be powered with the customary +8 to +16 vDC, probably
>from an external source. Finally, the CE-232 must be operated with a
>special program module consisting of a PRO-43 "Personality File" and a new
>PER.IDX file. This add-on program module can be copied straight into your
>normal HB directory and operated from HB232V13.EXE and, in fact, you can
>operate PRO-2004/5/6 for a while; do a quick disconnect and fire up on the
>PRO-43, and switch personality files, all in one fell swoop, if you arrange
>things just so. No big deal there!
>
>Well, that's the sum and substance of the effort required to adapt the
>CE-232 to the PRO-43. Now you might wonder what has to be done to the
>PRO-43? Well, the above Chart pretty much tells it all. The thing that
>can't be told in so many words here is HOW to do the job mechanically.
>Well, MY approach was to install a row of 11 pin-line sockets almost flush
>with the surface of the case on the right side of the case, just around the
>edge to the right of the LCD Display. Believe it or not, there is ample
>room along that THIN edge of the FRONT case, which is accessible after
>standard disassembly. There is a screw shaft column that goes down along
>side that area which mandates the pin-line sockets to be spaced in two
>groups, 6 and 5 with two blank spaces between the two groups (0.3"). This
>is an advantage because it allows the mating (male) pin-line plug to be
>"polarized" (6 & 5) for a one-way fit ONLY! The pin-line sockets can be
>made to fit into the case perfectly by first using a perf-board as a
>template, and melting the two groups of holes, one hole (0.1") apart, with
>a heated sewing needle. These melted holes form pilot holes after which
>they can be drilled with a 1-mm bit for a perfect fit. Drill 'em slightly
>larger and the entire pin-line strip can be sunk perfectly flush with the
>exterior of the case. I left mine protruding above the surface by about
>2-mm. A dab of super-glue holds the pin-line strip securely in place.
>
>The internal wiring isn't all that "hairy". If you did the cellular and
>54-88 MHz mods to your PRO-43, then you should be able to do the simple
>11-wires connections down on that same board. My judgement is that there's
>very little risk of severe damage if you take your time and know what
>you're doing in advance of actually doing it. My installation instructions
>will guide you every step of the way, I believe. That's it in a
>nutshell.............
>
>The end result is that the PRO-43 can be AutoProgrammed by the CE-232 from
>your regular *.APF files, in the same manner as you're doing on your
>PRO-2004/5/6, within 5-mins or so (mine did 4-something) and you'll be able
>to operate the PRO-43 from the Keyboard of the PC just like with the
>PRO-2004/5/6. Beats punching all those tiny little keys on the PRO-43 for
>hours on end, eh?
>
>Oh, the price. Yes. The regular price of the detailed instructions and
>the PRO-43 program files (disk size of choice) is $49.95 + $5 S&H, however,
>all past purchasers of the CE-232 are entitled to a discount of $20 off the
>regular price for a period of 45-days AFTER the invoice date of your
>purchase. The price of the CE-232 Kit with Programs and Manuals combined

>for the PRO-2004/5/6 AND the PRO-43 is $224.90 + $7.50 S&H.
>
>The price for the CE-232 Kit, Manual & Program to operate ONLY with the
>PRO-43 (not the PRO-2004/5/6) is $194.95 + $5 S&H. The price of the
>PRO-2004/5/6 CE-232 Program Files purchased AFTER the PRO-43 is $69.95 + $5
>S&H. It is not anticipated that the CE-232 will be available without one
>or the other of the Program Files for the near future.
>
>Orders for the PRO-43 Program Files & Instruction Manual are now being
>accepted. Keyboard Control & AutoProgramming of the PRO-43 with the CE-232
>is now a reality.
>
>Also now available are CE-232 Program files for the PRO-37, PRO-34 and
>PRO-2022, and perhaps other popular scanners. Prices, conditions, terms
>and specifications for each of these are the same as those for the PRO-43.
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> ==================================
>
>+ All prices and specs given herein are subject to change without notice
>

6600. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36089e9b.3865621@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yes a lot of time was put into this program, and I hope that
when you get you interface installed, you will give our program a
try.
Thanks
Paul & Len

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 13:38:02 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

>I went to this site, and I must say, I am inpressed ! Somebody must have put
>a lot of work into this program........ Excellent ! You can count on my
>interest in this......
>
>
>Len G. Carpenter wrote in message <3603ea59.24686667@news.iaw.on.ca>...
>> I hope that when you get your interface installed and working
>>that you have a look at our program for windows which is a full 32bit
>>application called Pro-Turbo at:
>>http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm
>>
>>
>>On Sat, 19 Sep 1998 12:11:09 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
>>wrote:
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>>>
>>>If you were considering buying a CE-232 interface for your Pro
>>>2004/2005/2006 scanner, now is the time to order ! The CE-232 will
>continue
>>>to be supported for several years, but the availability of this fine
>>>interface may end as soon as this Christmas. You wouldn`t want to miss out
>>>on the versatility of this highly desireable piece of equipment. (I
>ordered
>>>mine already !) I will post the particulars of this interface over the
>next
>>>week or so.
>>>or, you can obtain info directly from :
>>>
>>>bcheek@cts.com
>>

6601. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36099fbc.4154174@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143545

I don't have the info on hand here but check radio shacks
website for an online version of the manual.

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 22:10:21 GMT, j-thomas@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>
>
>Lost the manual for my 2006 and I forgot how to reset it. Simply hitting the
>button in the back doesn't get it.
>
>How do ya do it?
>
>Thanks!
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6602. Re: PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <360aa037.4276979@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143546

Yes it is true the PROgramit will work with more scanners than
the CE-232 does, but the PROgramit is still only a 16bit application,
were as Pro-Turbo is a full 32bit application. Also I am not sure of
the cost of building the PROgramit interface but I believe it to be in
the $30-$50 range with the par port version at the lower end of the
scale and the serial port version at the higher end. My ce-232 was
built for $60 Canadian and that was using parts that we ordered from
the USA and parts that we had in our junk boxes.
Also there is the same amount of work to be done inside the
scanner for either interface, so if you have a Pro-2004/5/6 you may
want to have a look at the Ce-232 interface and the new Windows bassed
software for it called Pro-Turbo which can be found at
http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

Thanks
Len

On 20 Sep 1998 14:44:21 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>There's been a lot of talk about the Commtronics CE232 interface recently. One
>of the main features of that particular interface is its autoprogramming
>feature. If you are interested in autoprogramming, there is a far more flexible
>and considerly less expensive approach available called the PROgramit. In my
>opinion, it is also a superior alternative because of its simplicity and
>because unlike the CE232, it can be used with virtually any scanner.
>
>For more information about PROgramit, go to
>http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/index.html. I don't have any connection with this
>particular interface or its developer. I'm just a satisfied user. While you are
>the site, also check out the instructions for adding an IR remote control to
>your scanner! It's quite neat.

6603. Quebec City area frequency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: yo@yo.com
Message-ID: <R%hN1.65$XI1.393817@wagner.videotron.net>
Source record: 143547

Im looking for frequency for Quebec City area?
yo

6604. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cornwall@antispamremoveme.i1.net
Message-ID: <bpiN1.173$f6.3192206@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 143548

In article <3602B33E.522B8571@pop.omah.uswest.net>, wjcnwc@uswest.net wrote:
>"G3+4c100"
>
>
No,

You have to type (and say out loud while typing).....

OWA TAGU SIAM

Doing this multiple times in a row (and more quickly each time) has a higher chance or working correctly.

****
Mike Cornwall R.Ph.
cornwall@antispamremoveme.i1.net
cornmc@stlo.smhs.com
ICQ 3734077
****

6605. Re: PRICE REDUCTION:ALINCO DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@carroll.com
Message-ID: <36059f38.1422392@news>
Source record: 143549

On 21 Sep 1998 00:29:25 GMT, skezzo@aol.com (Skezzo) wrote:

>
>Thats okay my friend listening to cell is not only illeal but I guess you would
>say morally wrong. The key is morals.Have a great day

Yes it is...just ask Bubba

6606. Re: Optoelectronics OS456Lite Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3606ba48.25244969@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143550

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 11:39:44 -0500, SixPak <SixPak@Sprintmail.Com>
wrote:

>Dan wrote:
>>
>> Hi all,
>>
>> Just wondering what your experiences are regarding the use of the
>> Optoelectronics OS456Lite add-on board for the Pro2005/6?
>> Good, bad, etc..
>> $99 seems like a bargain to enable the use of pc for programming.
>> Your help is greatly appreciated.
>>
>> Please reply to email.
>>
>> Dan
>
>
>Dan,
>
> I've had the OS-456 Lite for obout a year now, and still
>wish that I'd spent the extra money on the full version.
>The lite version has the signal level capability removed,
>along with something else that isn't significant enough for
>me to remember. The signal strength allows the display of a
>WiNRADiO like "spectrum analyzer". It also gives an S-Meter
>representation. Oh well, live and learn...

PL, DCS and DTMF decoding are the insignificant part..

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6607. TRADE ALINCO DJ-X10 FOR MINT 2004,5 OR 6.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920223706.15394.00002571@ng30.aol.com>
Source record: 143551

Iwill be willing to trade my ALINCO for a mint PRO2004,5,6. It must have manual,and box, and all the goodies no opto though.My Alinco has all the acces, and in mint shape. Cash is also a possibility. Thanks.skezzo@aol.com

6608. Re: Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghs521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920231736.15747.00002546@ng03.aol.com>
Source record: 143552

>What antenna is everyone using with the Q7A? The stock antenna is OK, but I
>am
>sure there is something better.
>
>I dont really talk on it, just listen mainly to non-ham freqs.
>
I bought a 1.75" duck, mainly because it makes the radio easier to "hide" ie;
shirt or pants pocket.
Greg

6609. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Highcove Family <Highcove-family@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3605CAC0.41D5@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143553
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In defense of Mr. Humphrey, I must say that he has always been a very helpful and informative representative, going far beyond the scope of his duties in helping out the scanning community. How many public information officers do you know that would give out all of the FD freqs (and related tags). We do not know that this story is true, we have yet to hear all of the facts, and even if it were to be true, it would be an isolated incident brought on by a few rogue individuals, not a citywide policy. I have always found the LAFD to be very fair, very competent, and often very heroic. Please do not judge an organization you know nothing about (or have no experience with, Mr. Maine InternetWorks) based on a newsnet post. At the worst, Mr. Humphrey has been put in a very precarious position, and his job is to defend the LAFD in the best light. Please treat him with the respect he deserves, and treat our fire department as a whole with that same respect. Hear all sides before you judge.

Zombie Wolf wrote:
>
> I think that your reply to Kali on this issue is hypocritical , legally
> correct, and beneath contempt. You sound like Bill Clinton trying to wriggle
> out of HIS responsibiities.
>
> As far as your statement that you respect other people`s property and their
> involvement in the field of emergency work, I say, balderdash. You wouldn`t
> be encouraging others to become some kind of "hit squad" against these
> emergency operators if that were true.
>
> resign.

6610. PRO2006 discrininator output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stormtracker <Stormtracker@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bde510$ee686b60$c2244f0c@default>
Source record: 143554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm trying to decode the ctcss tones via wintone software. I connected an audio jack center conductor to tp2 and installed it in the back panel. When I connect the audio plug to it, it stops scanning and sounds like the squelch is open. Is this normal or did I forget something ?
TIA
KM

6611. MCS2000 serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <kingqld@mpx.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bde515$c0270ae0$c0ca1dcb@sales>
Source record: 143555

anyone know how to talk to a mcs2000 serial port - structure, protocol.etc

or what you can do with this port

..... Phil

6612. Re: Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920234306.29940.00002294@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 143556

>
>Again, of the hundreds of dollars I have wasted, I have found that the
>simple Radio Shack collapsible whip with a center coil is still the best
>performer for "ALL" bands period. It costs around 12 bucks and collapsed
>is about the same length as the stock
>this little dynamo and feel it is one of the best kept secrets for those
>in the scanning hobby.

Although I agree it is a good antenna, it does not lend itself well to the
portability of this radio.

I have compared the Rat Shack antenna to the Diamond RH-77 that I use on my
Yupi 7100 and like the RH-77 better because of size and ease of use.

So I guess I am asking more about portable antennas, and if there are any with
an SMA connector.

Ed Maikranz

6613. Re: W.T.B. Uniden 8500 or 890 SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920234644.15899.00002747@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 143557

>W.T.B. either one of these scanners. Must be in very nice shape. Must be
>reasonable. Glen
>

Both of these scanners are, well, less than optimum (they are pieces of shit).
Look for a 9000XLT or 895XLT instead. The 8500 is deaf, and the 890 has more
images and intermod than any scanner I've ever used.

JW

6614. Re: BC 200XLT After market Anntenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980920234844.15899.00002748@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 143558

Try a Watson Gainer or Super Gainer from C. Crane & Co. (www.ccrane.com) They are excellent handheld antennas. I just ordered one for my AR8000.

JW

6615. Re: SKYWARN & WEATHER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: 007 <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3605D19B.55ED@ameritech.net>
Source record: 143559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

n7zzt@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> I'll call a friend of mine in Kansas and see what he can dig up for you. He
> makes it into ohio all the time on 6 meters, so it shouldn't be too much of a
> problem.
>
> Eric.
>
> In article <35FAB323.276C@ameritech.net>,
> theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net wrote:
> > I need skywarn frequencies, & weather frequencies & channel numbers for
> > Franklin county, Ohio and all the surrounding counties.
> > Thanks for the help folks.
> >
>
> --
> If Ignorance is bliss, then you must be real happy CBRAMBO
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
THANK YOU!!!!

6616. Re: New Radio Shack Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: 007 <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3605D6CC.44E8@ameritech.net>
Source record: 143560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,phl.scanner

Andy wrote:
>
> I work for Radio Shack. The catalogs are inventoried, so they must appear
> on a receipt. However, there should not be a charge applied.
>
> TEKHED@webtv.net wrote in message
> <14730-35FE2727-1@newsd-171.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
> I picked mine up on the way out after a purchase before I noticed they
> were charging for it.
>
> Guy at the counter was already on the phone and didn't say anything so I
> don't know whether he just didn't notice or if he put it toward the
> sale.---TEKHED
If I am not mistaken; they have been charging for the bbooks for some
time now.

6617. HIGH DEFINITION TELEVSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: 007 <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3605D7A4.4F1@ameritech.net>
Source record: 143561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Does anyone know the frequencies for HDTV? Will a scanner with Wide FM mode be able to receive the center audio frequency?

6618. VIDEO/AUDIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: 007 <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3605D9D0.19A@ameritech.net>
Source record: 143562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Why is it that Video is transmitted as an Amplitude Modulated signal and the Audio is transmitted as a Frequency Modulation signal yet it seems to me that the Audio portion of a TV signal will travel farther. Here I thought that FM did not travel as far as AM.

6619. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com>
Message-ID: <3605E5F6.754FDB7@home.com>
Source record: 143563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

The test case has already been. Here in San Diego a couple years ago.
The FCC took the HAMS HT for using it to call for help on the Sheriff
freq's.

Can't remember if they actually prosecuted but it was written up in QST
and others.

Blake Bowers wrote:
>
> On 16 Sep 1998 16:41:59 GMT, mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com (Mickey
> McInnis) wrote:
>
> >That's an example or interpretation, not what the rule says. Do you
> >have any citations of Federal law or official FCC policy to back up this
> >interpretation?
>
> Exactly. It is how the FCC interpets the rule.
>
> Bottom line is, do YOU want to be the test case? Fine. Do it. Don't
>
> tell other people that it is legal, until you finish the case.

6620. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6u4v2gisk0@207.18.224.239>
Source record: 143564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Mon, 21 Sep 1998 05:36:23 GMT, Timothy McGowen <SearchK9@home.com>
wrote:

>The test case has already been. Here in San Diego a couple years ago.
>The FCC took the HAMS HT for using it to call for help on the Sheriff
>freq's.
>
Actually, in that case, it was the Sheriffs office that confiscated
the radio, in exchange for no prosecution.

The FCC was present, but the Sheriffs office did the deed.

6621. Re: HIGH DEFINITION TELEVSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@MCIONE.net>
Message-ID: <36060179.192373C8@MCIONE.net>
Source record: 143565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

No you will not be able to hear the audio for HDTV. It will be digital
as will the video.

Mike

007 wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the frequencies for HDTV? Will a scanner with Wide
> FM mode be able to receive the center audio frequency?

6622. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: James <jamesgrv@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <36061027.5186D4F3@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Video is several signals spread over a 6MHz bandwith. The audio (FM) has a devation of (I forget exactly) of something like 15khz. Yes, the only practical way of doing it is to buy one of the high end recivers from the likes of Icom with a video output. They are expensive, you will never do it with a simple scanner.-James

mrFSK wrote:

> Does anyone know if it's possible to hook a scanner in AM mode (or
> whatever mode video is sent in) on the video frequency of a TV channel
> to the video input of a TV or VCR? Is there some kind of interface, or
> does this work from the discriminator output? This would be pretty
> useful to view TV on say a camcorder or video-in monitor.
>
> -Michael

6623. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3hoN1.801$Od.1733313@news2.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bud anyone who hollers bullshit usually doesn't deserve any further reply.
I suspected CE-232 was a serial device but I wasn't sure. One can hang that off the USB bus with an USB/SERIAL adapter for years to come if needed.

But in patience I will direct you to the press releases last week from Intel and the various speechs at a major conference on PC chips. This was where Intel revealed they are cutting the prices of the P2 by up to 29% immediately and where they detailed how the new instructions will work in next years chips.
IDE, ISA, Parallel, Serial etc. are all being discontinued in the new design reference. The total architecture of the PC as we know it is undergoing a fundamental change to get away from the legacy outdated IBM design we have had for years. One benefit is faster, cheaper, and more versatile PCs do to appear in the next two years. One wit said soon people will no longer want the type of PC we currently use and will wonder what we saw in them. We would be further along in this cycle except Microsoft delayed Win 98 for so long and they are delaying the replacement to Win 9x. which will be a consumer version of NT.

You may hate it and I am sure there are a few people who will bitch and shout just like they did when socket seven was discontinued. Look at how the socket seven market has shrank to almost nothing in just a few months. I thought it would take years. Look at how DOS died out. The justice department was asked to investigate Intel. But it doesn't stop a thing to fight change. BTW I switched to slot one on a BX mainboard and followed other suggested changes and I definitely see the benefits.

Anyway there are more appropriate groups where these are discussed and followed. When you get a chance you might bring yourself up to speed by checking it out.

73 de ki4je

6624. pro 46

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: keith <klo@venus.ic-net.com.au>
Message-ID: <X9pN1.12$K%5.44613@nsw.nnrp.telstra.net>
Source record: 143568

looking for any mods

thanks klo@venus.ic-net.com.au

6625. Re: What is the right thing to do? HIISSTTOOORRRRYY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10778-3606252C-6@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143569

Well late Sat. afternnon I called his postmaster and the carrier happened to be there too.So it turned to a conference call.The carrier strongly remembers that she directly handled the box to the crook while he was doing yardwork.She said she would never scribble on a piece of mail like that anyway. So now the investigation will turn to him. I have learned never to forget to insure the hard way-but it turned out.Thanks for all of your comments.However I know it doesn't compare to Mackey vs. Cheek:) Back to scanning!

6626. pro-46

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: keith <klo@venus.ic-net.com.au>
Message-ID: <fPpN1.19$K%5.63263@nsw.nnrp.telstra.net>
Source record: 143570
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.scanner,de.alt.radio-scanner,nl.radio.scanners,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

looking for any mods

klo@venus.ic-net.com.au

6627. Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <36062b89.216288@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 143571
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Victorias Emergency Services Web Site now contains info on not just radio info but other things also. Please have a look and let me know what you think about it and any ideas for things you would like to see.

There is also info on Victoria Polices' new F.L.I.R infra red camera, including screen shots from and of the camera system

Look at http://members.xoom.com/RadioComms/emerg.htm

6628. Re: Pro-2004 Problem HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u5af1$3u8$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143572

Some of these 2004 scanners came through with bad solder joints on the board from the factory. The strange part is, that the problem sometimes does not show up for quite a while eventually corrosion in the solder joint finally breaks the contact. Hard to find.

bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net wrote in message
<36059FC8.8CD6195E@earthlink.net>...
>I have a Pro-2004. The scanner has an intermitten problem with going
>haywire sometimes.
>While scanning, it will suddenly loose all reception on a station and
>the resume scanning. When it does resume scanning, the receive just
>seems to disappear. The receive goes dead even when I turn down the
>squelch. It may continue scanning like this for a few minutes, and then
>the display will go absolutely wacky. (???). The weird thing is, after I
>shut the scanner off and then back on, it will scan and receive
>normally. I've changed the 9 volt battery and there has been no change.
>Any suggetions on this "possessed" box ?
>

6629. Re: What is the right thing to do? HIISSTTOOORRRRYY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10779-36062B4A-4@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143573

A final note.How did the postal carrier remember him receiving this particular box? I told her it was a scanner on our conference call.She remembers him telling her it was a scanner he was looking forward to using-that it was top of the line.

6630. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921065355.28334.00004322@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143574

>From: "Victor Healey" <fourphun @ bellsouth.net

>Anyway there are more appropriate groups where these are discussed and
>followed. When you get a chance you might bring yourself up to speed by
>checking it out.
>
>73 de ki4je

Well you're right about that so I won't take the time (here) to do a Swiss cheese number on your faulty logic. The reason you brought up the whole ISA issue was a patently lame attempt to snipe at the CE232, which everyone knows is Cheek's interface. Your pretending to not know that it is a serial interface is both disengenuous and laughable. As always, you're just looking to bust Cheeks chops.

I have never been a fan of that particular interface and believe there are superior alternatives and I have said so here many times. Unlike you, I have posed a number of valid, although arguable, reasons that I believe this is true.

6631. Still some 2006`s left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u5b0v$40l$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If you are interested in a good used 2006, Bill Cheek has run into a few of them that are going to be sold very resonably.

A local TV statin had a bank of them set up for "test gear" and the logo has been removed from the front, but these are in very good shape. They are pristine as far as mods go, they were never touched. Contact Bill at :

bcheek@cts.com

To enquire about/order one of these

6632. Re: PROgramit Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921070153.28334.00004324@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143576

>From: jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)

>Yes it is true the PROgramit will work with more scanners than the CE-232 does, but the PROgramit is still only a 16bit application,
>were as Pro-Turbo is a full 32bit application.

Well that's not much of an issue if all your doing is autoprogramming the scanner, now is it? I can load the PROgramit program with freqs from Percon, Probe etc. in only seconds and then jam them into the scanner as fast as the scanner will allow. It takes a minute or two to load 1000 freqs into my PRO2042 (I don't recall how long exactly since I haven't had to reprogram all of the channels in the scanner at one time).

>Also I am not sure of the cost of building the PROgramit interface but I believe it to be in
>the $30-$50 range with the par port version at the lower end of the scale and the serial port version at the higher end.

>My ce-232 was built for $60 Canadian and that >was using parts that we ordered from
>the USA and parts that we had in our junk >boxes.

The initial claim was $12 for the serial version, although it is probably closer to $20. The CE-232 interface is considerably more than that (and I'm assuming that you are referring to the Commtronics interface and not one that you have devised and appropriated the name).

>Also there is the same amount of work to be done inside the
>scanner for either interface, so if you have a Pro-2004/5/6 you may
>want to have a look at the Ce-232 interface and the new Windows bassed
>software for it called Pro-Turbo which can be found at
>http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turb

That's true, but it's the end result that matters. I have the PROgramit and the OS535 running Probe 3.0 and there is no other combination for the money that comes anywhere near its flexibility and performance.

6633. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921070438.28334.00004327@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143577

>cornwall@antispamremoveme.i1.net (Mike Cornwall)

>No,
>
>You have to type (and say out loud while typing).....
>
>OWA TAGU SIAM
>
>Doing this multiple times in a row (and more quickly each time) has a higher
chance or working correctly.

Brother, you are cold! You should let the stooge off the hook and give him the
real secret and that is: he should log onto the Internet and then hit the power
switch on his PC and that should take care of everything.

6634. Re: Get your CE-232 interface now !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u5cta$49v$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Len G. Carpenter wrote in message <36059a59.2774718@news.iaw.on.ca>...
> You talk about so many things being obsolete, what about this
>crappy operating system? It was obsolete years ago and still is.
>
>
>
>On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 18:20:43 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
>bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>>If this is an ISA based interface you just got screwed by ordering one.
ISA
>>is going the way of the dodo bird right now.

You know, Mr. Healey, maybe you should READ THE POSTINGS about the 232 BEFORE you make inane comments that prove conclusively that you DIDN`T read them. The 232 DOES NOT PLUG INTO A SLOT IN THE PC. The only thing required on the PC end of this hookup is a serial port. If you are on some sort of "crusade" against Winradio or ICOM, then please confine yourself to those products. Your credibility is seriously slipping here, simply because you must go off half - cocked all the time and babble inanities when you have not taken the trouble to learn ANYTHING about what you are talking about.

The venerable parallel port is not going anywhere, and will be around for the forseeable future. As a matter of fact, it has undergone several improvements in the recent past, (ECP & EPP) , that make it more than fast enough to keep up. The newer computers bus master the parallel port, which makes it AND the processor a good bit faster than in previous computers.

6635. Re: What's a good price for a pro-2021?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio911@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922190422.26832.00000223@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 143329

Hi! A reasonable price for the PRO-2021 is $100.00. This information is from
http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scanpric.
html

Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

6636. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: 207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6u9c50$191$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 143330
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

>>
>>In Texas, it is illegal to drive a school bus with the red lights
>>flashing (at least the last time I checked it still was).
>>
>>Eric Johnson

They'd better not turn on the red lights when the bus is being driven!
The lights are for when the bus is stopped.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
==========
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

6637. FS: ICOM R7100 $1100 + options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <36093208.89172350@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 143331

The following components were used for eight
months, then returned to their boxes. All
are in like NEW condition.

Icom R7100a (25mhz-1999mhz FULL COVERAGE)
Icom R7100a Service Manual
Icom CT-17 Communications Interface (CI-V)
Icom UT-36 Voice Plug-In for R7100 (internal)
Icom TV-R7100 TV Receive Adapter (RCA TV output)
Motron TDD-8X DTMF Decoder w/ RS232C output (serial)

Reply to:

k2@visi.com

6638. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6u9d3p$2roi$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143332
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>If pieces of antenna were still on scene it would be clear to police
>that a criminal act took place (even if only a misdemeanor case of
>mischief). No police officer would call it a civil matter.

According to Khalil, the Los Angeles Police Department did. That agency is astute, and I am not one to second-guess how they cam to that conclusion.

I earlier explained...

>> LAFD was not party to such action. It (the HOA action) was not a matter
we
>> were aware of, so we could neither condemn nor condone what took place as
it
>> was happening.

To which "tree" responded:

>The poster said that the LAFD told him so.

It might be a good idea for you to re-read the copy.

>Why would the FD not condemn
>such an action as criminal?

Had we been there to witness the actions, we *might* have tendered an opinion. We were told about the incident long after the fact and after the Police Department had been consulted. For obvious reasons the Fire Department does not tender a formal opinion on pending civil or criminal matters.

An example: Our Firefighters and Paramedics pronounced Ron Goldman and Nicole Brown Simpson dead after they were stabbed to death near her condo in Brentwood. While I could have gone on record to describe the carnage, it was not appropriate pending the outcome of the trial.

FYI: Such a stance is routine among Public Safety agencies in North America.

>We are not talking about your involvement in the issue only the facts.
>People "telling me" or "I believe" are not facts.

You are right. That is why Khalil has been directed to seek legal counsel in his civil proceedings against the HOA/Management Company.

Stay Safe!

-brian-

6639. 2.5 MM to 2.5 MM Cables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdaddy@dgiah.com
Message-ID: <360836ba.460137783@transfer.stratus.com>
Source record: 143333

Hello, I am looking for sources for a cable that has 2.5 MM jacks on each end. Unfortunately Radio Shack only has 3.5 MM to 3.5 MM cables which requires a 3.5 to 2.5 adaptor. I would like to avoid this if at all possible. Any sources would be appriciated

Thanks!

6640. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u9e1e$s02$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143334
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Anonomoose wrote:
>

Boy would'nt That make that a great scanner?? DREAM ON AND ON
> Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?
>
> Thank you very much in advance for your reply.
>
> vtrop@gte.net

6641. Re: HIGH DEFINITION TELEVSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Stamper <gstamper@eagle1.eaglenet.com>
Message-ID: <3608399A.351B@eagle1.eaglenet.com>
Source record: 143335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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007 wrote:
>
> Mike Derryberry wrote:
> >
> > No you will not be able to hear the audio for HDTV. It will be digital
> > as will the video.
> >
> > Mike
> >
> > 007 wrote:
> > >
> > > Does anyone know the frequencies for HDTV? Will a scanner with Wide
> > > FM mode be able to receive the center audio frequency?
> I guess that this signals the end of free tv. What is there to stop a
> station from charging you?

The FCC, maybe!
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6642. UNIDEN 235XLT SCANNER FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doren Eley <doren@futurevision.net>
Message-ID: <6u9f3toam1@supernews.com>
Source record: 143336

Uniden 235XLT for sale. Used only a few hours. Has extra battery and belt clip. $235.00 US shipping included.

This radio is not modified.

If interested contact me by e-mail includuing your phone number.

6643. Re: SCAN-L now open to new users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <36084062.E9DEBF43@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143337

Victor Healey wrote:

> I notice that Johm Mackey has stopped trying to reason with Cheek's
> Children. Thanks John! John has gone back to what he loves best scanning and
> tinkering with his radios.

Really? I find that a bit odd being as how he never seemed to know anything
about the subject of scanning...

> Now with nobody to flame, Cheek's Children have all gone away, except for
> CB Rambo.

Don't forget yourself - you're just as guilty as the rest of us ;-)

> Maybe they all lost their Internet accounts like Bill Cheek did.

Maybe John finally lost his account (gee I wonder why) Ever think of that?

> No body wants to talk to them about Bill Cheek and his foolishness anymore.

Nobody except......you.

> IMHO killfile CB Rambo in all newsgroups and life will be great again here
> in rec.radio.scanner. I did.

Then why reply to him? Oh wait I know, you enjoy the echo....

> BTW Scan-L is now open to all -ï¿½ adults ï¿½- who want to join the scanning
> mailing list.
> For more information http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

And supposing I were to join this list, how long would you let me stay - even if
I never flamed a single soul in there? I happen to know a certain someone else
who joined such a list and got kicked just for making a small suggestion - they
claimed he was moderating. How convenient....

Just remember, your list is only as "adult" as the "adults" who run it. By the
looks of your post, I'd say it's not very "adult" at all.

-Phil

6644. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brien P. Crotty" <Brien.P.Crotty.1@nd.edu>
Message-ID: <360830EB.DF49B14E@nd.edu>
Source record: 143338

Oh, be nice to the poor sap. He probably has figured out that he has a clear problem with his dikphur.

MAlexder wrote:

> >cornwall@antispamremoveme.i1.net (Mike Cornwall)
>
> >No,
> >
> >You have to type (and say out loud while typing).....
> >
> >OWA TAGU SIAM
> >
> >Doing this multiple times in a row (and more quickly each time) has a higher
> chance or working correctly.
>
> Brother, you are cold! You should let the stooge off the hook and give him the
> real secret and that is: he should log onto the Internet and then hit the power
> switch on his PC and that should take care of everything.

6645. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6u9ij8oao1@supernews.com>
Source record: 143339

Brien P. Crotty wrote in message <360830EB.DF49B14E@nd.edu>...
>Oh, be nice to the poor sap. He probably has figured out that he has a
clear
>problem with his dikphur.

OK I'll do it. But you owe me one! What's a dikphur?

6646. Re: uniden/bearcat 895 FS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dockery <mdockery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36084faa.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 143340

You can buy them new from CEI for $194.00 plus shipping.

6647. Re: continuity question: ohms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Mayer <mayermh@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6u9jc7$9h5@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143341

Yes, you should see roughly 52 ohms. But, do you mean in the antenna, or across your antenna jack contacts on the scanner itself? You should not have continuity between the center and ground in the radio, but you will on the antenna.

If you still suspect the antenna, try another one to see if reception improves.
Jonny D 97 wrote in message <19980921174410.23529.00003035@ng127.aol.com>...
>
>should i get a continuity between antenna in and ground, on my scanner? i am
>experiencing this on my UBC-100XLT. no recption; thiunk this is my problem
>
>any ideas appreciated
>jon

6648. Re: SCAN-L now open to new users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3608585E.5C93@parg.org>
Source record: 143342

Phil Smalley wrote:

> Maybe John finally lost his account (gee I wonder why) Ever think of that?

Wrong again! Unlike YOURSELF, I have never lost an internet account.

6649. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <u0eRVXp59GA.126@upnetnews05>
Source record: 143343
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Let me understand this statement, if an emergency vehicle is responding to a life threaten situation, it must stop responding for a school bus in enroute to school?

What jackass legislator came up with this useless law? Did this idiot get re-electiced to office?
Ivan Ivanovich

Walter Eric Johnson wrote in message <6u6rai$57o$1@news.tamu.edu>...
>Charles (chuckiev@iname.com) wrote:
>: In New York State, the School bus with red on have the right of way. No
>: questions. Our emergency response vehicles (police, fire, EMS) are required
>: to shut down, light and siren and stop like everyone else. However must
>: school busses with shut down and let us pass.

6650. BC-895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerald Gomes <wb8rny@wwnet.net>
Message-ID: <360864CA.6E3BACA0@wwnet.net>
Source record: 143344

Has anyone been able to open the closed portions of the
scanner.
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Regards;
Gerald (Gerry) Gomes WB8RNY
wb8rny@wwnet.net
Communications Wayne County EMD Staff, RACES Officer
Hazmat Specialist/Radiological Protection Officer
Emergency Management Division, Wayne County, Michigan
DHHS PHS NDMS DMAT Communications, MI-1 (MIDMAT)

6651. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brien P. Crotty" <Brien.P.Crotty.1@nd.edu>
Message-ID: <36086379.64AF44C8@nd.edu>
Source record: 143345

Well, that would require a very technical definition, so here goes:

TO PEE WITH, STUPID!

I love that movie, and yes, I owe you one.

Brien

K patterson wrote:

> Brien P. Crotty wrote in message <360830EB.DF49B14E@nd.edu>...
> >Oh, be nice to the poor sap. He probably has figured out that he has a
> clear
> >problem with his dikphur.
>
> OK I'll do it. But you owe me one! What's a dikphur?

6652. info needed Tennelec Memoryscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Clingans <clingan@network-one.com>
Message-ID: <3608795D.E88A1063@network-one.com>
Source record: 143346

Hello,
Name is Jeff. I'am looking for info and documentation on an old 16 channel programmable scanner. It was produced in 1974 by Tennelec Corp. from somewhere in Tennesse. It is 16 channel with individual lockout switches and is programmed via 3 switches on the lower right front, they are marked program, 0(zero), and 1(one). The rig was given to me by a gentleman that purchased it new. It apppears to work but I have not figured out how to enter frequencies and he does not remember or can he locate the documentation for it. He does remember the manual consisted of 4 to 6 pages of operating info and 30 to 40 pages of what he called frequency codes? Any help would be appreciated. I can be reached at clingan@network-one.com.
Jeff

6653. Re: Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Everett Lawson <ablaze@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <36088F50.37A91608@sonic.net>
Source record: 143347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I would also expect that Durham would be reluctant to lose thier import privledges in US.

the Skipinator

6654. WTD! Icom R-10 / Alinco DJ-X10 / AOR 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zanzibar Gordon <kb9lsx@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <36085FA7.F0F@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

From Nate, k9blsx@yahoo.com:

I am looking for unblocked versions of the following:
Icom R-10, Alinco DJ-X10, AOR-8000
I have the following to trade:

Halicrafters SX-62 General Coverage Reciever:
540khz-108mhz continuous AM/FM/CW/SSB
Excellent Condition, $200 With Manual

Halicrafters S-38 General Coverage Reciever:
540khz-30mhz Continuous AM/CW/SSB
Good Condition, $50

Standard C558A Dual Band HT:
2m/70cm FM Transmit, 100-200mhz/400-500mhz/800-900mhz Recieve (AM/FM)
Excellent Condition, $400 with desktop rapid charger

Hammurland HQ-200 General Coverage Reciever:
150khz-30mhz Recieve, AM/CW/USB/LSB, Band Spread for Ham Bands, Ant.
Tuning, Q-mult.
Excellent Condition, $200 with Manual.

Radio Shack DX-390 Portable General Coverage Reciever:
Digital readout, 150khz-30mhz AM/SSB, 78-108mhz FM.
Mint Condition, $100 with Manual, Service Manual, and AC Adapter.

MFJ Active Antenna Model 1020B:
Tunes .5-30mhz in 5 bands, Works as tuner with ext. ant. For Recieve
Only.
Mint Condition, $50.

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******* TO RESPOND: EMAIL k&b&9&l&s&x@yahoo.com **********
******* Remove the "&" characters from address above. **********
******* (I apologize for the anti-spam measures...) **********

6655. WTB: WANTED..Opto Scout 40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: robored@sirius.com
Message-ID: <6u7qh5$805$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143379

Would like to buy a used Opto Scout 40.......

3.01 or higher.... plan to use it with AR8000 for action tuning.............

Robert

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6656. Re: ar-2515 search/dial mode programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6I9lnSA9E3B2Ewex@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 143380
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <36068192.1664@ctaz.com>, Fred Krick <vcrmstr@ctaz.com>
writes

Hi Fred,

>I AM THE PROUD(?) OWNER OF AN AOR AR-2515. WHEN I GOT THE UNIT IT CAME
>WITH NO INSTRUCTIONS. I CANNOT FIGURE UOT HOW TO GET THE DARN THING IN
>DIAL, VFO OR SEARCH MODES. IT HAS STEPSPF 5, 12.5 AND 25 KHZ AND I CAN
>SEE NO OTHER USES FOR THIS FEATURE OTHER THABN SEARCHING. I DREW A
>BLANK WITH AOR USA THEY SAID THERE IS NO 2515 ANND THEY SENT ME
>INSTRUCTIONS FOR A 2002. AOR UK SAYS THAT MY SCANNER WAS ORIGINALLY A
>2002 THAT WAS CONERTED BY AOR JAPAN BUT HAD NO FURTHER INFO CAN SOMEONE
>OUT THERE PLEASE TELL ME HOW TO PROGRAM AND INITIATE SEARCH WITH THIS
>THING? ITS DRIVING ME CRAZY!

The AR2515 started life out as an AR2002 - probably still says that on the plate on the back. ACE Communications were the then importers of AOR Equipment and the AR2515 was a product that they developed.

Using the AR2002 receiver they changed the CPU/logic board with something they had worked on that gace the AR2515 its large memory and fast scanning/searching.

In later years the "logic" behind the AR2515 was put into the AOR AR2500 (later to become the Trident TR-4500) which offered the same features together with a BFO for SSB but in a different case and using a different "receiver" to the AR2002 (The AR2500/TR-4500 was manufactured by a different company to the AR2002).

The AR2515 does not have memory channels as such - you have 62 banks of 32 "slots" (1984 channels in total). You enter a frequency into a Bank and it will be added to the bank in numerical order. When the bank is full it will say "FULL". To add additional frequencies to that bank you first have to delete something. Keeping the frequencies in numerical order assisted the PLL in locking up and thereby allowing fast scanning speeds when compared to the original AR2002. The Rotary dial or Up/Down keys will take you through each slot in a bank and display the frequency in that slot

You can Scan one bank or link banks together using the LINK/UNLINK feature.

There were also 16 search banks (Banks 63 to 78) in which you can store a lower and upper frequency to search between. Any mode or step size can be used (Shift+1 for NFM, Shift+6 for AM etc). The Rotary dial or Up/Down keys will take you to the next frequency manually.

The Manual/Scan key starts/stops scanning or searching.

"nn+Sel Bank" will select that particular bank. If the bank number is flashing then it is Unlinked to any other bank whilst a solid display means it is linked with any other similar bank for scanning.

The AR2515 could be controlled via a PC but the only software I am aware of was a package produced by a company called Gesmundo. We might still have the odd copy somewhere and I can probably muster up a copy of the manual if you wish.

You might alos try ACE Communications to see if they can help you at all.

Hope that helps :-)

Cheers,

/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
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6657. re: p.g. county animal control freq and lost dog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrock@annapolis.net
Message-ID: <36078593.0@news1.annapolis.net>
Source record: 143381

In article <6u6aem$an5$1@news-1.news.gte.net>, spam-filter-itm123@usa.net (ITM) wrote:
>I found the frequencies. Saturday and Sunday they were on
>155.94 then monday morning they switched to 158.94. I guess they
>rotate? a county passenger pickup program is on 155.94 now.
>I guess they just rotate the frequencies weekly to fight publication
>of them? I wonder what frequency they will be on next week :)
>they do seem to be on the common "p.g. govt'" listings of channels
>though,

Post any other good freqs you have for PG County (other than the standard
county police). Good info. Thanks.

6658. Re: PRO-2006 price VERY INTERESTING !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <60-36078B75-11@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143382

Interesting about this post.I replied to him directly and said that they go for 225-275 and told him I was looking for one.He returns with an offer to me asking me if I would buy it for $200.He decided on that price-not me.And I agreed I will buy it for $200 so we had a deal.Now he post this! So Jimmy if you read this. Shove that scanner up your ASS! You are very dishonest.

6659. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cop@nte.com
Message-ID: <WPMN1.229$j71.276021@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143383
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

In article <6u6rai$57o$1@news.tamu.edu>, wej3715@fox.tamu.edu (Walter Eric Johnson) wrote:
>Charles (chuckiev@iname.com) wrote:
>: In New York State, the School bus with red on have the right of way. No
>: questions. Our emergency response vehicles (police, fire, EMS) are required
>: to shut down, light and siren and stop like everyone else. However must
>: school busses with shut down and let us pass.
>
>In Texas, it is illegal to drive a school bus with the red lights
>flashing (at least the last time I checked it still was).
>
>Eric Johnson

Read section (c) reguarding the operation of signal lamps on a school bus in Texas.

Sec. 547.701. Additional Equipment Requirements for School Buses.
(a) A school bus shall be equipped with:
(1) a convex mirror or other device that reflects to the school bus operator a clear view of the area immediately in front of the vehicle that would otherwise be hidden from view; and
(2) signal lamps that:
(A) are mounted as high and as widely spaced laterally as practicable;
(B) display four alternately flashing red lights, two located on the front at the same level and two located on the rear at the same level; and
(C) emit a light visible at a distance of 500 feet in normal sunlight.
(b) A school bus may be equipped with:
(1) rooftop warning lamps:
(A) that conform to and are placed on the bus in accordance with specifications adopted under Section 11.12, Education Code; and
(B) which may be operated only during inclement weather when the bus is stopping or is stopped to load or unload schoolchildren; and
(2) movable stop arms:
(A) that conform to regulations adopted under Section 11.12, Education Code; and
(B) which may be operated only when the bus is stopped to load or unload schoolchildren.
(c) A school bus operator shall activate the warning equipment designed to warn other vehicle operators that the bus is stopping to load or unload children, including flashing warning signal lamps, when the bus is

stopping or stopped to load or unload schoolchildren. A person may not activate the warning equipment at any other time.

Acts 1995, 74th Leg., ch. 165, Sec. 1, eff. Sept. 1, 1995.
Amendment by Acts 1995, 74th Leg., ch. 260, Sec. 56

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6660. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3607B58F.87ED6655@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143384
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Brian Humphrey wrote:
>
> Tree wrote in message <3606E66D.5E25@usa.net>...
>
> >Looking back at the original post and the initial reply - those of you
> >who have-
> >I have serious doubts about the truth of both parties.
>
> I'm not sure why we would be "untruthful", but you are welcome to your
> opinion.
>
> >Tearing down an antenna is a CRIMINAL ACT regardless of hmeowner
> >association rules.

I'm not sure I understand the situation, but if the owner of the ant. wishes to pursue a perceived criminal/civil act, he should pursue that case in court.

However, as onerous as some homeowner's/condominium associations are, it doesn't appear to be a dark conspiracy against radio hobbyists.

If the owner had mounted an external ant. on a condominium, I'm sure it was matter of violation of covenant/regulation. I'm still the unfortunate owner of a condo, so I'm quite familiar with the rules and regulations governing these community associations. I've even caught heat from the communist association for a 4 ft piece of of friggin' plywood sittin' on my balcony.

I have yet to see a condominium association that allows external ant's to be mounted. The roof of a condo is generally considered to be a common area: In that, when repairs are required, (such as re-shingling) one owner does not simply re-shingle the area of roof over his/her unit. The matters on who and how the repair is performed is decided by the association and the fees are levied at building owners in the form of a special assessment.

Since the roof of such a unit would be considered a 'common area', the association may take action to remove property from such areas if it is found to be in violation with the covenant. It could be interpreted that removing the ant. from the roof by the association would be no different than removing a junked car from the common parking areas.

Is it possible that this describes the situation that started this thread?

6661. Re: DES encryption question .WAV file attached (sorry!!) - cusrkey.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Varine <Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Message-ID: <3607A3CC.4109@usa.nobulkemail.net>
Source record: 143385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Jack wrote:

> >> Everything you need isn't there....The over-the-air rekey information is
> >> encrypted by another key that is only used to encrypt keys for over-the-air
> >> rekey. Unless you know the "shadow key" you won't be able to decrypt and
> >> load the "traffic key."
>
> So if one of the radios is stolen every single one has to return to
> the radioshop for a new shadow key?

No, every radio has a smaller "hash" key which is yet another key. It's
unique to the radio so when the OTAR is sent, it's sent to each radio.
If a radio is lost, they just tell the computer and the radio in
question will never receive the new code.

6662. Re: Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <3607a655.0@carrera>
Source record: 143386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Try giving them a call and ask them directly if they have any border
problems and tell them you want it shipped parcel post its cheaper than some
of the other shipping services.It may take up to 10 days but I doubt from my
exsperiences with shipping it would be seized.I have bought from durham
myself without any problems. Just my 2 cents worth. Paul
Chi K. Chan wrote in message <36071a42.74995684@wingate>...
>Anyone here in the US tried ordering from Durham Radio in Canada ?
>
>I would like to know if US Custom would intercept a package sent to
>the US from Canada ? I'm interested in getting the Optoelectronic's
>OS535 board (un-blocked).
>
>Anyone here had luck ordering from Durham or have a package
>confiscated by US Custom ?
>
>Thanks...
>

6663. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hillbillyboy67@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6u8d7n$r4k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143387

I checked the Radio Shack website - but couldn't find the information on HOW to reset the unit. From what I can tell .. it's not there! Is it not complete?

> I don't have the info on hand here but check radio shacks
> website for an online version of the manual.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6664. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3607B84E.B3CC3CA3@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143388

MAlexder wrote:
>

> Brother, you are cold! You should let the stooge off the hook and give him the
> real secret and that is: he should log onto the Internet and then hit the power
> switch on his PC and that should take care of everything.

Oh C'mon, everyone knows that "unsubscripe" requests are processed by
the Department of Defense. Just point your browser at DOD ballastic
missle command and put "requesting nuclear missle launch authorization
codes" in the body of the message. For faster service, sign the
message "Bin (one of your cruise missles didn't go off, we're
returning it by "air mail") Laden".

You're welcome.

6665. Re: Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: edscma@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922100116.25898.00000043@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 143389

>.
>My T7A came with an Icom FA1443B dual band whip.

Thanks for the info Dave. The Q7A comes with an FA-S270C. I have an RH-77A on my Yupi-7100 and it is fantastic. even does a good job on shortwave, but way to big for the Q7A.

I may try to find the Icom antenna you mentioned.

Thanks,
Ed

6666. Repair of Bearcat 210XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TLNixon@revealed.net
Message-ID: <3607ad18.3188699@news.revealed.net>
Source record: 143390

Does anyone know if there is anyone out there who would reppair a
Bearcat 210XL Scanner?

6667. Re: uniden/bearcat 895 FS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u8ef0$3c5@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143391

In <19980921234634.20174.00002714@ng108.aol.com> ddubsky@aol.com
(DDubsky) writes:
>
>
>fs uniden/bearcat 895 t-tracker. brand new unopened box. i bought two
! and i
>donot need the 2rd scanner! is brand new. 300.00.plus $ 10.00
shipping. no
>trades. if any questions ?. please e-mail me. ddubsky@aol.com
>
> we live in oxnard, ca. thanks
>denny-----------------

Hmmmmm and verrrrrrry Interesting Concept Here.

hmmmm and mmmm

pondering a bit more

flash: it comes from a catalogue or piece
i see here in my throw-it-out eventually pile....

for 195 to 229 you can buy a brand-new 895xlt
with full warranty and free prize....

300 bucks...what do you include with it
to match the offers we see now....does that
include a big MonsterTennae or what? Maybe
a portable scanner to go with it....a special
"two for one" deal from McDonald's...etc.

don't you just love it?

Wonder what a used 895 is going for?

By the way: Radio Shack is selling their
TTRacker based model for 195 bucks...

ah hah. right. ok. i'll go look today.
i'm thinking of adding to my collection.

bill conduit
etc.

6668. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6u8etj$pnq@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143392
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <3606B0CE.6071@kih.net> michael brown <mbrown@kih.net> writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>
>> >> remember: consensual sex is legal. It's
>> >> not a crime. How can what is legal be a
>> >> crime just because it's hushed up?
>
>
>I GIVE UP! IT DOESN'T TAKE ME LONG TO SEE THAT YOU ARE NOT GOING TO BE
>CONVINCED, AND NEITHER AM I, SO THIS DISCUSSION IS GOING NOWHERE!
>

You give up. he gave it up too. So what?

Clinton gave at the office...no.
Was he on his lunch break?
Was he on his way to the tinkle room?

What is legal cannot become illegal just
because you deny it occurred.

That is a religious concept. They want obedience
to their laws and if it's "legal" they will find
a way to make it illegal "just because".....

Religion is not considered in the
issue...it's law. Sex and Religion are
opposing answers to what is real and what
is beleived as real.

You seem to be on the runt end of this. You believe
it is illegal as you are "supposed to"

What is
Just is.
It don't need no god to make it be
what it is...it just exists.
Sex is
Just is.
it dont' need no god to make it be
what it is...sex is what exists
between two opposite bodies. It's
what comes with the body. It's in
the genes.

What is legal is not a crime because it
is as it is: a genetic fact of life which
is enjoyed by people who are adults. For
somone to come in after the fact and call
it criminal because the act was denied is
rubbing the crotch of some religious dictum
that you are stuck in.

bill conduit
etc.

6669. For Sale: BC2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dimitri Vekris <dv@no_spam.com>
Message-ID: <01bde63c$fe87f0b0$2ae22b8e@INFOSEC>
Source record: 143393
Cross-posted to: tor.forsale,ont.forsale,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

F O R S A L E

BC 2500XLT 400 Channel Continuous Band Handheld (Turbo) Scanning Radio

Covers Virtually Every Frequency from 25 MHz to 1.3 GHz
In mint condition with box.

400 Channels
Includes mod for cellular coverage (with 30 kHz steps)
Includes Aircraft Band
Turbo: Scan & Search
One Touch Weather
10 Priority Channels
Channel Lockout
Data Skip Function
Rechargeable Ni -Cad Battery Pack Included
Frequency Transfer
Automatic Store
Automatic Sorting
Selectable Mode (AM, WFM, NFM)
Programmable Scan Delay
Headset Capability

Asking $250 or best offer.

I don't like spam so please reply to --> dv@interlog.com <--

6670. Trunk Trackers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. Farmer" <cjfarmer@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <6u8g9d$h01$1@ionews.ionet.net>
Source record: 143394

Can anyone tell me what scanners out today have the ability to follow trunked systems? I am interested in purchasing a one. Thanks in advance.

6671. Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <z3QN1.635$0P.500252@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 143395

Hi All,
I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
PRO-2006.

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks,
Boyd

6672. Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <W3QN1.636$0P.500428@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 143396

Hi All,
I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
PRO-2006.

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks,
Boyd

6673. Re: Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922122804.09666.00000039@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143397

>ubject: Want PRO-2006 Manual
>From: "Boyd " <boyd@humboldt1.com>
>Date: 9/22/98 12:16 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <z3QN1.635$0P.500252@news2.randori.com>
>
>Hi All,
> I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
>PRO-2006.
>
>Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com
>
>Thanks,
>Boyd
>
Once again, here is a classic example of a guy who is content to sit on his duff and have other people spoon feed him information. If he had done even a cursory bit of reading of the two nesgroups he would have found the the answer to his question in a post made about two days ago in rec.radio.scanner. Had he bothered to do a two-minute search at www.dejanews.com he would have found this question has been answered several times. And if he had even bothered to check the most obvious place--the Tandy/Radio web site--he would have found that the friggin' manual on-line.

6674. Re: Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922122934.21368.00000149@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 143398

>Hi All,
> I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
>PRO-2006.

Find it online at http://support.tandy.com

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6675. Torrance Police and Fire Frequencies Please???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonomoose <nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u8l0r$6lm$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143399
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hello:

Does anyone know the frequencies to listen to the Torrance Police and Fire
on???

Thank you in advance

vtrop@gte.net

6676. Freqs for Michigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <3607d872.352121130@news>
Source record: 143400
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Could someone, please, provide me a list of law enforcement
frequencies for Dearborn and surronding areas or point me to a Web
Site with these frequencies in Michigan.

Thanks,
Sam
smaynard@home.com

6677. pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: joachim2 <joachim2@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u8llh$76b$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143401

dose anyone know where i can get a copy of an schematic for a pro-90 scanner?

6678. Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonomoose <nospam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u8m97bjp1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143402
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?

Thank you very much in advance for your reply.

vtrop@gte.net

6679. Re: Torrance Police and Fire Frequencies Please???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <3607E116.74BE0A7@cwix.com>
Source record: 143403
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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Input Output PL
Police Primary (9) 509.1625 506.1625 123.0
Police Secondary 509.2125 506.2125 146.2
Police Detectives Tac 485.5000 482.5000 85.4
Police Detectives Tac 485.6000 482.6000 100.0
Police Mobile Data Terms 812.2625 857.2625 none
Fire & Medic Primary 509.2625 506.2625 167.9
Fire Secondary 509.2875 506.2875 179.9
Lifeguards 485.4250 482.4250 110.9

Hope these help ...
Mike

Anonomoose wrote:
>
> Hello:
>
> Does anyone know the frequencies to listen to the Torrance Police and Fire
> on???
>
> Thank you in advance
>
> vtrop@gte.net
```

6680. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u8og1$h5d$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143404
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

nope. won`t go there.....

Anonomoose wrote in message <6u8m97bjp1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?
>
>Thank you very much in advance for your reply.
>
>vtrop@gte.net
>
>
>

6681. Re: pro-2045 freaked out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfcmerced@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922135451.07319.00000036@ng107.aol.com>
Source record: 143405

I had the same problem. i ended up reprograming it... (if you don't have a list of freqs, you can mAnually step up through the channels and write them down.) let me know if you hear of a cause or cure... i had used it in my car before without any problems.

6682. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jesse Dosher"
Message-ID: <01bde651$d4c28820$1c08010a@calvin3>
Source record: 143406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Yeah, I saw the same thing. I thought it was pretty silly. I think that the ad must have been done by some re-seller, not Uniden - at least I'd sure hope that Uniden wouldn't make such a low-class add.

IceMann <icemannRemove@newsguy.com> wrote in article
<36091a27.33023762@enews.newsguy.com>...
> FYI: I saw an 1-800 # ad on E! showing the Uniden Sport Cat 150
> Scanner. The thing I was surprised at was most promoted feature was
> cordless phone call monitoring. Listening to the Police & Fire Dept.
> was just a side note. I understand, if I am correct, you can listen
> to a call but cant tell anyone what was said or used the information
> for any reason. It just seemed to me there is more to promote then
> 46mhz Phone Call Monitoring.
> IceMann
>

6683. Re: Freqs for Michigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: forrest@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3607eafd.23800101@news1.iserv.net>
Source record: 143407
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Tue, 22 Sep 1998 17:06:03 GMT, smaynard@home.com (Sam Maynard)
wrote:

>Could someone, please, provide me a list of law enforcement
>frequencies for Dearborn and surronding areas or point me to a Web
>Site with these frequencies in Michigan.

Try http://www.agt.net/public/gpnet/MI-Michigan.htm

Good luck.

6684. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <3607728B.CF3BAC4C@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 143408
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Think for a minute you are trying to defend federal prosecutors (Reno, Starr ETC.) who are of the same mold as those that want to take scanners, guns, our private lives, just about everything we think of as basic freedoms away from us cuz they think some one died and made them God. Why is it right to get somebody on his private affairs, in his residence, remind you that it is his residence even though its US property. He can still have his private life without big brother(or maybe that should read big sister Janet) spying on him and us.

By the way how did we get away from the LAFD issue ? I watched the 4 hours of testimony saw nada on Whitewater or Travelgate only Starrs new screenplay which basically is poorly written.

Mike

6685. SW CT freq's available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922142541.12614.00000179@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 143409

contact me via email and I'll send you my database of freqs for the
southwestern CT area. MS Works format.

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6686. What's a good price for a pro-2021?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: john_l_ferguson@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6u8uss$e6h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143410

What's a good price for a PRO-2021? Thanks!

John

john_l_ferguson@hotmail.com

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6687. Re: uniden/bearcat 895 FS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3607f1e2.41069384@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143411

I can't resist sorry......He He He He He He Ha Ha ha Ha H a Ha ha Ha
Ha Ha Ha HeHe He He He Ha
Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha h a uhhhh uhh uhh uhhh ha ha aha ha heeee heeeeeee
Har Har He Ha Har Har.....!!!!!You have got to be kidding!!!!

On 22 Sep 1998 03:46:34 GMT, ddubsky@aol.com (DDubsky) wrote:

>
>fs uniden/bearcat 895 t-tracker. brand new unopened box. i bought two ! and i
>donot need the 2rd scanner! is brand new. 300.00.plus $ 10.00 shipping. no
>trades. if any questions ?. please e-mail me. ddubsky@aol.com
>
> we live in oxnard, ca. thanks
>denny-----------------
>
>

6688. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tree <*commace@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3607F629.5070@usa.net>
Source record: 143412
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Brian Humphrey wrote:
>
> Tree wrote in message <3606E66D.5E25@usa.net>...
>
> >Looking back at the original post and the initial reply - those of you
> >who have-
> >I have serious doubts about the truth of both parties.
>
> I'm not sure why we would be "untruthful", but you are welcome to your
> opinion.
>
Just speculcation based upon the statements.
The victim NEVER mentioned in his post that he went to the police.
Seems to me that anyone that angry would not omit a significant item
such as that.

> In many cases, yes. The removal of an antenna can and in many cases is
> unlawful. There are exceptions, but for the most part I'll agree with your
> premise.
>
If pieces of antenna were still on scene it would be clear to police
that a criminal act took place (even if only a misdemeanor case of
mischief). No police officer would call it a civil matter.
>

> LAFD was not party to such action. It (the HOA action) was not a matter we
> were aware of, so we could neither condemn nor condone what took place as it
> was happening.
>
The poster said that the LAFD told him so. Why would the FD not condemn
such an action as criminal?

> >Does anyone have proof of the action?
>
> Khalil says that he returned home to find the antennas and assorted
> equipment removed/damaged. I believe he says the HOA fessed up, but I am not
> sure. We were busy fighting fires while all of this was taking place.
>
> > or the response?
>
We are not talking about your involvement in the issue only the facts.
People "telling me" or "I believe" are not facts.

I am all in favor of Khalil in this matter - if it is true -if he can sustantiate his comments aboiut the PD and the FD - if he can show that the HOA admitted its actions. BTW-if he was violating some rule of the HOA then there should be documentation of their requesting the antenna removal as well as an "ultimatim" stating that if he didn't they would! In which case he is wrong and they are right - but the LAFD still has no part in the matter.

6689. This page contains pictures of assistance like

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Maas van D <maasvand@xs4all.nl>
Message-ID: <6u8tm4$o8h$1@news2.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 143413

This page contains pictures of assistance like
spectaculair fire`s and crashes.
http://www.xs4all.nl/~maasvand/channeleng.htm

6690. WTB: RS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartbeat@greenepa.net
Message-ID: <6u92cr$i78$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143414

I would like to purchase a Pro-2006. Must be in excellent condition, both cosmetically and working, with no scratches or marks. Box, manual and antenna are a plus. Please e-mail me with what you have. Thank you.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6691. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <no-spam-bmwebb@tima.com>
Message-ID: <6u8vk4$b6e$1@topsy.kiva.net>
Source record: 143415
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Try this site. There was a posting on DejaNews about modifying the Pro-64
and 2041. It's a downconversion mod that allows scanning cell phones.
If this doesn't work, try searching "Pro-64" on past DejaNews articles.

Brian

http://x5.dejanews.com/getdoc.xp?AN=373722991&C

6692. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <360802c5.362945307@news>
Source record: 143416
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I beg to differ. Go to
http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

It will give you the mods avail for this radio plus software for
programming via computer.

Sam

On Tue, 22 Sep 1998 13:58:55 -0400, "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
wrote:

>nope. won`t go there..........
>
>
>Anonomoose wrote in message <6u8m97bjp1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>>Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?
>>
>>Thank you very much in advance for your reply.
>>
>>vtrop@gte.net
>>
>>
>>
>

6693. Re: Freqs for Michigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <360a0365.363102746@news>
Source record: 143417
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

This doesn't help. Thanks for the info anyways.

Sam

On 22 Sep 1998 18:05:14 GMT, lf686@aol.com (LF686) wrote:

>
>>Could someone, please, provide me a list of law enforcement
>>frequencies for Dearborn and surronding areas or point me to a Web
>
>Hi Sam,
>
>Try the following:
>http://www.concentric.net/%7ELsbutler/
>
>Les has a top notch web site loaded with Detroit area freqs and trunk tracking
>info.
>
>Regards .. Larry

6694. Re: What's a good price for a pro-2021?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922162501.11978.00000322@ng01.aol.com>
Source record: 143418

I paid $50 for the last one I bought.

6695. CB/HAM radio classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: c6638746@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6u940n$k4r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143419

Hi...If you are looking for a place to post quality CB/HAM radio classifieds. Search no more! Wheather you are a business or a person trying to sell something our classifed ad system can accomodate you. Some of the features offered by the wastenotime.com CB/HAM radio classified ad system by Epage are:

* Ability to edit your posted message
* Ability to add a picture
* Commercial classifieds are accepted!
* ad posting confirmation by e-mail
* and much more....

Take a look:

http://ep.com/ep/sub.html?c=6604&cat=1000

or visit

www.wastenotime.com

for the link!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6696. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6u92r5iap1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143420
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

This STILL is not a proper cell modification, and won`t cover the whole cell band anyway. The is a virtual downconversion, which doesn`t work all that well.....

Anonomoose wrote in message <6u8m97bjp1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?
>
>Thank you very much in advance for your reply.
>
>vtrop@gte.net
>
>
>

6697. FS: PRO-2046 29-890 Mhz scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: NE7X <NE7X@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <36081372.6856@amsat.org>
Source record: 143421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

PRO-2046 Radio Shack scanner $95 + $10 shipping
29-890 Mhz, AM/FM, 100 channels
Box/Manual/DC pwr cord/Mobile bracket
Still a current model today, selling for $149
TERMS:

1) Price is for CONUS only

2) Send me an eMAIL message to reserve the purchase. If I receive several requests, the tie breaker will be the date/time stamp of the eMAIL messages. First in gets the reservation, second in will go on wait list.

3) I will confirm your reservation via an eMAIL reply

4) Send US money order (no personal checks) to my home callbook mailing address. Include your "ship to" address.

5) All money orders MUST be received by me within 7 days or the deal is assumed canceled. The item will either go to the next person in line, or relisted on the internet for sale.

6) I will ship UPS ground next day after receipt of your money order.

NE7X...

6698. FS AOR8000 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Rogers <tonefloat@keith1.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <elSYyGAOoBC2EwhR@keith1.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 143422

I have an as new AOR 8000 scanner for sale. All mode, complete freq coverage. Includes PSU/recharger, batteries, user-manual. UK buyers preferred, ï¿½200 secures.
--
Keith Rogers

6699. Frequency for Florida

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Manny <manny@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6u96fr$f8d$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143423
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Looking for Hillsborough County & Manatee County Sheriff's Office frequency.

6700. Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <LqVN1.2048$xb2.219873@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 143424

Hi All,
I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
PRO-2006.

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Thanks,
Boyd

6701. Re: WTB: RS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: larrycwe@webtv.net
Message-ID: <61-360820A9-46@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143425

YEAH AND THEN THIS GUY WILL MAKE $50 MORE ON IT AT EBAY

6702. Re: HIGH DEFINITION TELEVSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: 007 <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <36082805.7EDC@ameritech.net>
Source record: 143426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Mike Derryberry wrote:
>
> No you will not be able to hear the audio for HDTV. It will be digital
> as will the video.
>
> Mike
>
> 007 wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone know the frequencies for HDTV? Will a scanner with Wide
> > FM mode be able to receive the center audio frequency?
I guess that this signals the end of free tv. What is there to stop a
station from charging you?

6703. Re: Sears 5 Band scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mooman@thebarn.eating
Message-ID: <36082a1c.345768097@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 143427

On 16 Sep 1998 19:53:40 GMT, parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com (Bob Parnass, AJ9S) wrote:

>
>I own the same Sears 5-band scanner model.
>It was manufactured in Japan by the same people
>who made the SBE Optiscan -- GRE (General Research Electronics
>of Tokyo).
>
>GRE made the better known PRO-2004/5/6 for Radio Shack.
>
>
>In article <01bde19d$c52cbb00$0b2a10d0@pavilion>,
>Michael <johnsrud.michael@mcleodusa.net> wrote:
>
>>Has anyone heard of a "Sears 5 Band" progammable scanner,
>>it uses some type of punch card that is inserted in the scanner....

I have one of these, and need the frequency vs. punch card conversion table.

6704. Re: Frequency for Florida

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: forrest@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36082e8e.9832061@news1.iserv.net>
Source record: 143428
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

On Tue, 22 Sep 1998 17:47:26 -0400, "Manny" <manny@gte.net> wrote:

>Looking for Hillsborough County & Manatee County Sheriff's Office frequency.

Try --->>> http://www.agt.net/public/gpnet/

6705. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: keiba <XXkeiiba@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <906386854.855970@mercedes.bmr.com.au>
Source record: 143458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

take it from me why dont you run up a radio ask for a test call on your local police freq and give your name and address then lay back and relax because you have broken the law

wake wake if the SMA ACA or what ever they call them selves really want to they can your fucken toaster for causing spurious emissions. get real

6706. Re: How to tune AR-1000 scanner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Puchol <mpuchol@SPAMNO.eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <6u6lir$j9q$1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 143459

Er...use the tuning knob !

(Sorry, I couldn't help myself...)

Seriously, I don't know.

Ali Mehrabi escribi&#65533; en mensaje <3600C762.CBF@watervalley.net>...
>I have a AOR AR-1000 scanner which requires tunning. The display is
>around 15kHz off. Does anyone have the procedure on how to tune this
>scanner? I would really appreciate any help on this. Thanks,
>
>Regards,
>Ali

6707. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wej3715@fox.tamu.edu
Message-ID: <6u6rai$57o$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 143460
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

Charles (chuckiev@iname.com) wrote:
: In New York State, the School bus with red on have the right of way. No
: questions. Our emergency response vehicles (police, fire, EMS) are required
: to shut down, light and siren and stop like everyone else. However must
: school busses with shut down and let us pass.

In Texas, it is illegal to drive a school bus with the red lights
flashing (at least the last time I checked it still was).

Eric Johnson

6708. Secret Service Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctm@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <3606f5a0.867111@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 143461

Mr. Bill is in town here in NYC. Anybody got any known to be good freqs that aren't scrambled??

6709. Re: CE-232 to PRO-2022 Conections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3606fe13.13280385@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I think what Mike is trying to do is to just use an existing
CE232 for the job. What he might have to do is to get a hold of Bill
Cheek and see if he has a PER file for it.

On Mon, 21 Sep 1998 19:07:33 GMT, wjm2207@kcinter.net (Wiggie) wrote:

>On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 17:59:52 -0700, "Mike Palazzola" <mipal@abac.com>
>wrote:
>
>>I have heard you can connect a CE-232 to a PRO-2022 to program it.
>>I looked at the keyboard wiring at the pcb and they don't
>>line up with a standard X Y row matrix. Is there a hookup diagram to
>>interface
>>to it ? If so where can I find it?
>>
>>Thanks
>>Mike Palazzola
>>
>
>Mike,
> For programming purposes for the Pro-2022, I would suggest
>that you go with the PROgramit interface. It would be cheaper for you
>to build and parts are readily available. Setting it up for your
>scanner is much easier also. Serial and parallel versions are
>available. You can also add remote control ability to your scanner
>later with the IR module.
>
>Check it out and get the parts ordered:
>http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/
>
>Wiggie

6710. Re: Still some 2006`s left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: unitygm <unitygm@wamusa.com>
Message-ID: <01bde5bf$ad4a8be0$ab049dd0@default>
Source record: 143463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Also check Javiation's web site. they are selling exact copy of pro 2006
under another brand. Remember these were built by GRE and THEY decide who
gets to sell NOT Radio Shack.....unitygm@litchfield.com

Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com> wrote in article
<6u5b0v$40l$1@garnet.mint.net>...
> If you are interested in a good used 2006, Bill Cheek has run into a few
of
> them that are going to be sold very resonably.
>
> A local TV statin had a bank of them set up for "test gear" and the logo
has
> been removed from the front, but these are in very good shape. They are
> pristine as far as mods go, they were never touched. Contact Bill at :
>
> bcheek@cts.com
>
> To enquire about/order one of these
>
>

6711. FS: BC760XLt with PL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: fsmoyer@sgi.net
Message-ID: <360709D4.72FD@sgi.net>
Source record: 143464

For Sale

Bearcat 760 XLT

1 year old

With ac adapter and accessories (pl board)

asking $150 will pay for shipping if in cont US

reply via email
Frank Smoyer
fsmoyer@sgi.net

6712. FS: ICOM IC-R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9patsmk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921224107.14660.00003104@ng11.aol.com>
Source record: 143465

Hello everyone!

I have a ICOM IC-R7100 for sale. It is in excellent shape with an auxilary fan mod, computer CI-V interface, manual, and power cords. It has full 800mhz restored. I am asking $800/obo plus shipping. Thanks,

Steve
N9PAT

6713. RS SCANNER ON-LINE MANUALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921224517.21207.00002838@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 143466

RADIO SHACK SCANNERS ON-LINE MANUALS
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/2849.htm

6714. un-program BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: news@helispot.com
Message-ID: <36070585.247691681@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143467

How do I clear out all programs in a Uniden BC 760XLT? Also, for that matter, how do I erase (000.000) even ONE program? I try and it tells me ERROR.

Thanks
Alex
news@helispot.com

6715. TRADES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8ppz73@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921225351.26462.00003194@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 143468

Howdy's

I am looking for the following, An ICOM IC W-2AT, IC-R-10 reciever, or a Yaesu VX-1r

I have the following items to trade

A like new HTX-202 standard stuff, but no box, no scratches MINT

2 Sharp VHS-C video camera's both same model, one works other doesn't even power on

Will trade all this for any one of the radios mentioned above. I will even pay shipping both ways.

Thanks,
Grego, N8PPZ

Grego, N8PPZ
N8PPZ73@aol.com

6716. Re: Icom Q7A , What antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: holford@cnwl.igs.net.nospam
Message-ID: <6u73p2aqb1@news.igs.net>
Source record: 143469

In article <19980920202933.20524.00001572@ng131.aol.com>, edscma@aol.com says...
>
>
>What antenna is everyone using with the Q7A? The stock antenna is OK, but I am
>sure there is something better.
>
>I dont really talk on it, just listen mainly to non-ham freqs.
>
>Thanks,
>Ed
>

Not sure what antenna comes with the Q7A.
My T7A came with an Icom FA1443B dual band whip.
I purchased a Diamond RH77B which is about twice as long, but is not noticeably better either for dual band ham work, or general coverage receive.
I tested the two over a period of several weeks and have decided the Icom is the best performer. I also tried various other 'rubber ducks' and even a full qarter wave 2m whip. The Icom antenna outperformed all except the 2m whip, which was great on 2m, but nothing special on the rest of the range.
For an effective, unobtrusive BNC antenna I'll stick with the Icom FA1443B.

By the way I'm not a rabid fan of Icom, had some good stuff and some not-so-good over the years.

Since I'm rambling on here. My PRO43 sits alone on the shelf most of the time since I purchased the T7A. It's smaller, lighter, and the batteries last almost forever - I elected to use standard AA cells and had to leave the rig on for two days to kill the batteries. BUT - It is lousy below 108MHz and although it covers part of the 225-400MHz military band it has no AM in that area so it is basically useless for military UHF AM. Otherwise from 108 to 1,000MHz it's a pretty good toy as long as you are able to get along with only 60 memories and 4 search ranges.

--
Dave Holford.

6717. Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ckchan@interport.net
Message-ID: <36071a42.74995684@wingate>
Source record: 143470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Anyone here in the US tried ordering from Durham Radio in Canada ?

I would like to know if US Custom would intercept a package sent to the US from Canada ? I'm interested in getting the Optoelectronic's OS535 board (un-blocked).

Anyone here had luck ordering from Durham or have a package confiscated by US Custom ?

Thanks...

6718. Pro-2006 Troubles ..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hillbillyboy67@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6u7aap$n62$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143471

Ok .. here's the situation:

I blew the dust off the ole Pro-2006 and decided to do a little 'searching' in a certain range of frequencies. 870.030 thru 889.980.

When I set it to search in 30khz increments ... I get NOTHING! However - it will hang on some static right at 871.590. If I move it up 10khz to 871.600 - I get a perfect signal.

So .. I get the bright idea to start a NEW search between 871.600 and 889.870 ---- But when I start my search - it begins on frequency 871.620. It won't start with 871.600 like I had programmed into the unit.

I've also noticed that when I manually start with 871.600 - and add 30khz steps (keep in mind .. I'm doing this manually) I can pick up all kinds of good signals along the way... as long as I'm adding 30khz to the new frequency that I punch in.

Is there something wrong with my unit?

Why can't I set it to scan from 871.600 -- and have it go from there?

Why won't it pick up these frequencies in their normal ranges .. 870.030 thru 889.980?

All help is GREATLY appreciated.

thanks!

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6719. uniden/bearcat 895 FS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddubsky@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921234634.20174.00002714@ng108.aol.com>
Source record: 143472

fs uniden/bearcat 895 t-tracker. brand new unopened box. i bought two ! and i donot need the 2rd scanner! is brand new. 300.00.plus $ 10.00 shipping. no trades. if any questions ?. please e-mail me. ddubsky@aol.com

we live in oxnard, ca. thanks
denny----------

6720. ***ANY INFO/MODS/TRICKS ON ICOM Q7A?***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980921234715.09293.00000321@ng144.aol.com>
Source record: 143473

Hey,

I am looking for any interesting information on the new ICOM Q7A mini HT. I have searched DejaNews, search engines, but really didn't come up with all that much info. Although I did find the schamatic for the OPC-782 Plug at <http://www.hamradio.cz/rigs/Dilna/icom/OPC-782/index.htm> There is more info on that page on the Q7A, but it is not in English. I have seen a *REALLY* cool "unofficial" page on the VX-1R, but nothing on the Q7A. Someone should start an "Unofficial ICOM Q7A Page." The only "trick" I have found which is undocumented is you can hold down BAND at power up and the LCD test will run. Hold the BAND button for as long as you want all the characters to be lit up. Anyone got any others? Any comments on getting cellular reception on the Q7A? Images? Possible full band restoration? Please share your thoughts here, and please also email me with them (AOL really isn't the best server, you know...)

Take Care
73
TeenHam@aol.com

6721. wanted:icom 900 or 901 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: JERRY YOUNG <JEYOUNG@HIGHLAND.NET>
Message-ID: <36072F2C.2F8E5FC8@HIGHLAND.NET>
Source record: 143474

I AM LOOKING FOR A1C0M 900 OR 901 RADIO E-MAIL ME AT
JEYOUNG@HIGHLAND.NET
THANKS JERRY.

6722. Successor for Yupiteru MVT-9000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aad <AvStrien@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6u7ii0$4kq$1@newnews.nl.uu.net>
Source record: 143475
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Rumours say Yupiteru will come up with a successor for its MVT-9000, the first-ever Yup with an RS232 interface. Anyone who knows more details? TIA, Aad

6723. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Marselle <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6u7m16$9p5@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143476

I don't bother with cell monitoring..

I don't the scanner for other tings...
sorry I can't be of more help.

Paul Egan wrote in message <36052698.279473@news.interlog.com>...
>On 20 Sep 1998 04:33:26 GMT, "Robert Marselle" <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
>wrote:
>>I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with 2
>>batteries
>>
>>
>>CWest69521 wrote in message
>><19980918003120.29853.00001116@ng-fb1.aol.com>...
>>>
>>>paul us or euro version
>>
>
>How does the Cellular band sound?
>

6724. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Marselle <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6u7m33$aof@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143477

No I just went into the Burbank store and that was the price I paid.

Bob Schwerdtman wrote in message <36052A22.3821@concentric.net>...
>Paul Egan wrote:
>>
>> On 20 Sep 1998 04:33:26 GMT, "Robert Marselle" <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
>> wrote:
>> >I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with
2
>> >batteries
>
>Are they on sale? I went to the web site and I could only find them for
>$379.00. Did you get a demo or something?

6725. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-X10K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Marselle <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6u7m5h$ccv@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143478

Do you know of any mods for the alinco?

Paul Egan wrote in message <36059192.513529@news.interlog.com>...
>On 20 Sep 1998 09:12:36 PDT, Bob Schwerdtman <bob9000@concentric.net>
>wrote:
>>Paul Egan wrote:
>>>
>>> On 20 Sep 1998 04:33:26 GMT, "Robert Marselle" <KQ6K@worldnet.att.net>
>>> wrote:
>>> >I bought one yesterday at Ham Radio outlet for $279.00 and it came with
2
>>> >batteries
>>
>>Are they on sale? I went to the web site and I could only find them for
>>$379.00. Did you get a demo or something?
>You got a good deal!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>Bet it doesn't happen again!
>Still have a nice clean DJ-X10K with celluar for $300 US firm +
>postage.
>Anyone interested?
>email paulegan@interlog.com

6726. Re: Help w/ Pro-2021 programming please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: patddd@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ub5o2$ml7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143279

I don't mean to give you any grief here but....
I got my 2021 to go from 810.00 to 960.00...
Pat!
In article <6td6es$6md@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>,
"Paul F. Murphy" <paulmurphy@postoffice.worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> Hey, I used to have one of those radios. Nice enough, ran it 'til it
> died, (the power switch got flaky). FORGET ANY 800MHz MODS. Just won't
> work. Can't tell you anything about the scan speed mod. Here's the
> scoop on the MONITOR button.
>
> If you're scannng a range between two limits (like you're searching for
> unknown frequencies) and you hit something you want to get back to, just
> hit the MONITOR button, and it writes the frequency to one of ten
> "channels". Go past ten, and it overwrites Channel No. 1.
>
> Hope this helps
>
> Have Fun
>
>

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6727. Ft Snelling, MN?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ziegler <steveziegler@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ugLNqGw59GA.116@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 143280

Would any of you kind folks out there have frequency information for Fort Snelling (Minneapolis) MN? Especially interested in the Air Police/Security Forces...Thanks,

Steve

6728. FS: AOR AR-5000 Cyberscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <iss@ripco.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SV4.3.91.980923093509.27783A-100000@golden.ripco.com>
Source record: 143281
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

For sale: AOR AR5000 Cyberscan professional scanner

10kHz- 2600MHz... no gaps [includes cell bands]
8 mos. old... like new
45 ch/sec scan in cyber-mode
complete with voice-inversion module installed
retail cost new is aprx. $2300

this is a fantastic unit... works great... I recently have learned that I
need a new furnace before winter... that's why I'm selling.

will sell for $1500 [firm]... can take VISA charge for your safety.

please write if you have interest.

Rob

6729. Scanner Service Data

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923110353.03295.00000649@ng11.aol.com>
Source record: 143282

I am looking to purchase Sams scanner service manuals volumes SD1 thru SD15. If you have one or the whole set your willing to part with please email.

Thanks .. Larry Fowkes

6730. tennelec

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: nr3nde@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923111428.29917.00000287@ng55.aol.com>
Source record: 143283

hi jeff,
I had on of those scanners back in the 70's. First they were deaf as a doornail
(hi hi). they were programed as you say by the 0 and 1 buttons. Now the problem.

If you don't have the book you can't program the scanner. all the frequencies are in the book and the coresponding binary code. It goes something like this:

Say the frequency is 33.00 mhz. you would insert the code by the buttons
0000 1000 0110 1010 . so if you don't have a book you are up the creek.

I just saw one at a hamfest for $15.00 but no book.

If you can find a book, your in business!

good luck
dane nr3n

6731. AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1144-36090C28-1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143284

I might be taking a train ride on Amtrack
from Seattle to Walla Walla.
Does anybody have any frequenceies for
AMTRACK???
thank You

born to be wild (thats my theam)

6732. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hacker <hacker@jump.net>
Message-ID: <36091625.F8FB7C63@jump.net>
Source record: 143285
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.acivism.community

Ivan Ivanovich wrote:

> While attending school in 60s through 70s, I do not recall being taught in
> school the meaning of red lights and siren. My parents taught me those
> concepts therefore, "dumbing of America" really begins at home.
>
> An observation made while working as a street level cop in middle America,
> baby boomer parents would often shift total responsibility for educating
> their children upon school, law enforcement and other public officals.
> The reasoning behind this was they had shifted responsibility for their
> children's actions or accidents as well. The lawyers perpetuated this
> concept into a multi-million dollar industry.
>
> Additionally, end responsibility for child safety while being transported in
> a school bus lies directly upon the school's transportation board. As cop, I
> observed many times school bus drivers not paying attention to their duties,
> i.e. students standing in line at the door prior to the bus stopping, coming
> to an immediate halt and flinging the doors open without observing traffic
> flow, etc.
>
> When Johnny get squashed by a motorist, immediately state legislators
> creates laws for two reasons 1) to shift blame from school transportation
> boards in the event of future law suits and 2) to look as though they are
> doing something to "save the children".
>
> As far as devient behavior by children today, they learn it from the baby
> sitter, the TV. Just watch some of the junk on cable or the FOX network. If
> children are learning homosexual topics, it comes from the wierd commericals
> where the generation X concept is exploited to the max.
>

homosexual topics are gen-x ? Damn.

>
> Like I state earlier: "dumbing of America" really begins at home!
>
> Ivan Ivanovich
>
> Shawn Cory <"Shawn Cory"@psa.org> > wrote in message
> <360880D4.8F01661A@psa.org>...
> >
> >It's known as "the dumbing down of America." Instead of teaching children
> >how to get off the bus and cross the street safely, our public schools

> >are teaching children that "Johnny has two (homosexual) dads."
> >
> >Public Safety Officers must "shut down" when near a school bus because
> >children are not taught to interpret sirens and flashing lights (code 3)
> >as warning devices.
> >

6733. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: TommyB <xcsptlb@NOSPAMnt.com>
Message-ID: <36091519.4078EAEC@NOSPAMnt.com>
Source record: 143286
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.acivism.community

I am also a volunteer firefighter and I commend andy for his post. It is just common sense for an emergency vehicle to stop for a school bus w/flashing red lights. As andy pointed out, you can't be sure if the kids getting on or being let off are high school or kindergarten students. Yes, the school bus should hopefully allow the emergency vehicle to get by. Keep in mind that alot of people tend to put their brains on hold when they see emergency vehicles responding code 3. In my experience this is especially true for emergency vehicles with red lights. It seems that pretty much everyone will get out of the way for a vehicle with flashing blue lights, but if they see red lights they're not as concerned since I guess they reason that a fireman isn't going to give them a ticket.

6734. Need frequancies at spain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordi <postmaster@cfi.es>
Message-ID: <360917C8.9DE08DA8@iponet.es>
Source record: 143287

Hello

I need frequencies at the North of Spain, south of France (Pyrenï¿½es) and Mediteranean sea. All bands. Thanks

6735. AOR8000-BC235XLT F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dockery <mdockery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36091ea9.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 143288
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Full coverage AOR8000 in excellent condition has power supply, antenna, manual, carry case. $365.00, also BC235XLT trunktracker, like new condition still packed in original box $175.00 I will pay for shipping on both units.

Mike Dockery
Denver, CO
303-840-0727

6736. Re: Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Juan <j_thomas@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <360921EB.6FE5706D@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143289

That online manual *SUCKS*! It doesn't have everything in it.

I see people posting this damn online manual URL all the time - but it's
not very complete.

Jonny D 97 wrote:

> >Hi All,
> > I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
> >PRO-2006.
>
> Find it online at http://support.tandy.com
>
> ----------
> Jon Damast
> http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97
> ----------

6737. Bellbrook, OH police freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: edhowell@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923124410.11272.00000662@ng128.aol.com>
Source record: 143290

I need police freqs for Bellbrook, OH area, city & county. Also, any anti-scanner laws in Ohio? Thanks!

6738. Re: PA Crime Watch Groups Freq List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bustleton@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <360929e7.1164245@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143291

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 00:29:29 GMT, dc2daylight@mindspring.com wrote:

>Here is my list of area Crime Watch Groups, I'm always looking
>to add to the list, any additions or corrections are appreciated.
>
>
>
> PENNSYLVANIA COMMUNITY CRIME WATCH FREQUENCY LISTING
Thanks for the Town Watch list, I've added them to
my list.

I have 2 Philly Town Watch freq's that are not on
your list:

Northwest Community Town Watch 463.475

West Mount Airy Town Watch 461.250

6739. GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6ub9q8$65c$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143292

Well, they did it again.

My friends at Code Three Collectables have asked for a new list of Fire and Police Services which utiltilize the GMC Suburban.

Some of you know that I posted this question to the group before, and was deluged with the response. A list will be submitted to them in order for them to consider new scale die-cast vehicles in the future.

If you can please post or email all the agencies you are aware of that utilize the GMC Suburban, I would appreciate it.

Thanks in advance.

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/karldahlquist.htm

6740. Re: un-program BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: elespc2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923131111.20260.00000609@ng155.aol.com>
Source record: 143293

With power switch "off", hold buttons "2", "9", and "manual", turn power on.
This will reset all channels to "000.000.

6741. F.S.Pro-90 Trunk Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Smith" <rusty@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <360932B7.DE8810F2@direct.ca>
Source record: 143294

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PRO-90 300 channel,hand held trunk tracker
$150 US shipped
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6742. Re: Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lf686@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923134956.03973.00000823@ng09.aol.com>
Source record: 143295

>That online manual *SUCKS*! It doesn't have everything in it.
>
>

Jaun,

Call Radio Shack parts at 800-843-7422 and they can supply you with a complete user manual for reasonable fee.

Larry

6743. F.S.Pro-2046 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Smith" <rusty@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <36093546.FF16A71E@direct.ca>
Source record: 143296

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PRO-2046
100 CHANNEL MOBILE SCANNER,
1 YEAR OLD,12 band
29-956Mhz cell blocked of course
100/300 steps per second
800 Mhz
use as a base or put in car
$75 Us shipped
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6744. GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6ubc33$8hn$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143297

Well, they did it again.

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If you can please post or email all the agencies you are aware of that utilize the GMC Suburban, I would appreciate it.

Thanks in advance.

Karl Dahlquist
karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
http://vistagroupusa.com/karldahlquist.htm

6745. Re: Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgreenli@NoSpam#Please.vr-net.com
Message-ID: <36094357.2037320@news.coho.net>
Source record: 143298

Check out
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/8246.htm

Hope this helps

Tom

On Tue, 22 Sep 1998 09:16:40 -0700, "Boyd " <boyd@humboldt1.com>
wrote:

>Hi All,
> I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
>PRO-2006.
>
>Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com
>
>Thanks,
>Boyd
>
>
>
>

6746. Re: Want PRO-2006 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: frisbie@flying-disk.spamblock.com
Message-ID: <1998Sep23.114152.1362@flying-disk.spamblock.com>
Source record: 143299

In article <19980922122934.21368.00000149@ng139.aol.com>,
jonnyd97@aol.com (Jonny D 97) writes:

>> I am looking for a owners manual for the Radio Shack
>> PRO-2006.
>
> Find it online at http://support.tandy.com

The on-line version is a pretty sorry excuse for a manual.
Much of what is in the printed manual is totally missing.
The only thing it has that the printed manual does not have
is the exploded view and parts list. The best that can be
said for it is that it is better than nothing.

Compare this to the disk drive manuals that Seagate and
Quantum have on-line.

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-- "From:" line deliberatly munged to prevent harvesting by spambots.

-- Alan E. Frisbie Frisbie "@" Flying-Disk.Com
-- Flying Disk Systems, Inc. (Remove quotes before replying)

6747. Re: BC 235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Harmon <dtfh32@raex.com>
Message-ID: <6ubi7c$7bf$1@tenax.raex.com>
Source record: 143300
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I've read allot about some of the poor soldering jobs on the BC235XLT, but that's about it and I must say that it is a good scanner.

Radio Shack dose carry it is the PRO-90.

Mike
Manny wrote in message <6ua5ci$b5e$1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>looking to get a BC 235XLT scanner. would like to know how good is it and
>how good is the trunk scan on it, and also does Radioshack sell the BC
>235XLT
>
>

6748. FS:Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Price <su4742@eclipse.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bde72d$68f3e1c0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 143301
Cross-posted to: alt.radio,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

I have a Commtel 102, hand held scanner for sale. It has 10 channel direct entry program and comes with a rubber antenna and connecter. It is in very good condition and is boxed complete with instructions. I will consider any sensible offers. Please reply via e-mail to:

ray.price@eclipse.co.uk

6749. Descrambling Frequency Inversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923155531.07462.00000670@ng106.aol.com>
Source record: 143302

Speech Inversion is accomplished by mixing the speech spectrum
(typically 300-3000 Hz) with a tone (commonly 3500 Hz) to produce
audio frequencies (3800-6500 Hz) then filtering to 3200-500 Hz
constituting the speech inversion.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">CTP Speech Inversion
Descramblers</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

6750. where the port. phone freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jsmith@company.com>
Message-ID: <36095A55.8EBB78D3@company.com>
Source record: 143303

hi everyone can you tell me where to find a list of portable phone channels?

thanks everyone!

dino

6751. Re: Trunk Trackers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6142-3609596D-11@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143304

Absolutely the best trunking scanner:UNIDEN BEARCAT 895XLT! Very reasonably priced too.

6752. Re: FS: AOR AR-5000 Cyberscan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923164607.09665.00001237@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143305

>From: kryppy@bellsouth.net (Jack)

>>For sale: AOR AR5000 Cyberscan professional scanner

>Does this unit have a serial interface?

It's got an RS232 and a ton of other features. You can read up on it a www.javiation.com and probably several other sites.

There's a slightly enhanced version called the 5000+3 with synch AM for better SW, auto freq control and noise blanker. Not sure of the price difference for the newer version--it's not much, I don't think.

They're selling for $1825 to $1900 in many places. That puts it head-to-head with the Icom IC-R8500, which is the model that I buy when I win the lottery.

6753. Cordless Phone Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mikes@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <36096159.8EE2B72A@optonline.net>
Source record: 143306
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Need information on Cordless Phone Freq's in Japan, Hong Kong and SE Asia.

6754. Need freqs for CA Intl Airshow, Salinas CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: boeing377@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923170520.23122.00000622@ng98.aol.com>
Source record: 143307

CA Int'l Airshow will take place at Salinas CA this weekend. Anyone have likely UHF AM freqs for Thunbderbirds and Snowbirds? Airboss or other interesting freqs? Pls cc my email (boeing377@aol.com) when posting responses. Thanks for any tips.

6755. two tone decoder program wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdgordon@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923172659.00799.00001006@ng85.aol.com>
Source record: 143308

still looking for a program that will decode two-tone sequential tones. (I have ctcss decoders)

CDGordon@aol.com

6756. Federal Signal Radio Info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdgordon@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923172758.00799.00001007@ng85.aol.com>
Source record: 143309

I found a low cost alert radio at the federal signal page. I am looking for prices and some further info. The radio is listed as a Federal "Emergency Alert Receiver"

6757. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jfeng@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ubuipfjs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143310
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage

Kids must have been dumb in Illinois back in the 1960s. I remember being taught around 1964 that you were not allowed to pass a school bus with its STOP flag out or its lights flashing. The only exception was that if you were on the other side of a divided highway. YCLIU. This dumbing down, at least in Illinois, probably goes back to the Eisenhower administration or earlier.

I apologize for injecting a real fact into this heated, irrational, political argument.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6758. Re: Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul MacDonald <panel56@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <36096ad9.0@carrera>
Source record: 143311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I believe the law states manufacturing of said products that can intercept 800MHz so still I say if you are serious about buying this product call the company up and ask them because here you won't get a difenitive answer just double talk.
KR wrote in message <6ua2jd$30l$1@demon.uunet.ca>...
>I would think that if you ordered a device that can intercept cell calls
>you would unfortunately violate US law. It seems that US law forbids the
>importation into the US of such devices. You might be risking more than
just
>losing your order.
>
>KR
>
>
>Chi K. Chan wrote in message <36071a42.74995684@wingate>...
>>Anyone here in the US tried ordering from Durham Radio in Canada ?
>>
>>I would like to know if US Custom would intercept a package sent to
>>the US from Canada ? I'm interested in getting the Optoelectronic's
>>OS535 board (un-blocked).
>>
>>Anyone here had luck ordering from Durham or have a package
>>confiscated by US Custom ?
>>
>>Thanks...
>>
>
>

6759. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923181728.24476.00000815@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 143312

>I might be taking a train ride on Amtrack
>from Seattle to Walla Walla.
>Does anybody have any frequenceies for
>AMTRACK??

first of all it's amtrak. see also misc.transport.rail.americas; they have
lost of info on this subject.

check out PoliceCall from RadioShack for Amtrak freq's. I'm too tired to list
all of 'em.

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6760. Re: Secret Service Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923183359.29330.00000895@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143313

try these-
165.375, 166.4, 408.5, 171.2875

6761. Re: Secret Service Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923183716.24476.00000833@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 143314

>try these-

come on they're all scrambled anyhow; i live by clinton's beach house on marthas vineyard, i know. had lunch with the SS and learned it all.

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6762. Re: Bellbrook, OH police freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: zoe205@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923184317.29330.00000906@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143315

There are absolutly no anti-scanner laws in ohio, here are freqs for bellbrook area:
154.935 Police LEERN
155.370 Police Intercity
153.830 Fire Mutual Aid
155.805 Disaster
154.070 Bellbrook Fire
154.280 Fire Mutual Aid
155.940 Bellbrook Local Government
39.580 Bellbrook Police
155.595 Greene County Sheriffs
856.8875 Greene County Trunked
857.8875 same as above
858.8875 same as above
859.8875 same as above
860.8875 same as above
44.98 Highway Patrol
44.82 Highway Patrol
--Hope this helps

6763. Question regarding Speedtrap.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhorvath@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <360a7c12.3516380@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143316

Today I was monitoring a local speedtrap freq and the officer that was doing the timing was saying for example "noise 71.2, speed 34.5, amperage 53, and 57 is allowable ". I realize they were using a db meter along with the timing device, but what does "amperage xx, and 57 is allowable" mean.
Bob

6764. FS: ICOM R9000 For Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Mester <hlm3@po.cwru.edu>
Message-ID: <6ua48eovl1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner

Icom IC-R9000--MINT condition

++SERIOUS INQUIRIES ONLY++

*Less than a year old
*All original manuals and packaging
*Optional Speech Board/Voice Synthesizer Installed
*Optional SP-20 External Speaker Included

Probably the best used one you can get, because it's only been used for a couple hours since I bought it. I'm leaning towards keeping it, but I would consider a serious offer because I don't have an external antenna setup, which is the reason why I haven't used it yet. It's in immaculate condition.

Harold Mester
216-754-1468 weekdays
724-847-3993 weekends

6765. FS RCA Handheld scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923192835.20646.00001031@ng88.aol.com>
Source record: 143318

Model RP6100 used 1 time. Like new in box. Covers 29-512 Mhz. Can be used with 6 AA batteries or with nicads. Comes with ac charger/adapter. $60 plus shipping.

6766. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6uc1aa$r86$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143319

jonnyd97@aol.com (Jonny D 97) wrote, and I quote:

>>I might be taking a train ride on Amtrack
>>from Seattle to Walla Walla.
>>Does anybody have any frequenceies for
>>AMTRACK??

>first of all it's amtrak. see also misc.transport.rail.americas; they have
>lost of info on this subject.

>check out PoliceCall from RadioShack for Amtrak freq's. I'm too tired to list
>all of 'em.

second of all it's lots not lost of info. ;-)

/\/\|k.e

6767. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich <rich623@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <3609A21C.72651033@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 143320

Dave;

Here are some of the Frequencies that I have for Amtrak. These are verified good. I know because I worked for Amtrak at one time and still work for Conrail.

160.800 Road Ch. # 1 (shared with Conrail)
161.070 Road Ch. # 2 (shared with Conrail)
161.295 N.E. Corridor
161.325 N.E. Corridor
160.305 Chicago Road
160.740 Chicago Yard

Enjoy your trip.

RICH
dave archer wrote:
>
> I might be taking a train ride on Amtrack
> from Seattle to Walla Walla.
> Does anybody have any frequenceies for
> AMTRACK???
> thank You
>
> born to be wild (thats my theam)

6768. PRO-26 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <3609A25A.B7E50B8A@alaska.net>
Source record: 143321

Nice PRO-26, 30-1.2ghz, 200 channels, new AC
adaptor/charger, manual. Has not been modified.

$225 shipped

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

6769. Re: Secret Service Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Mayer <mayermh@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6uc9np$6ck@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143322

Uh huh. Sure. Have lunch with the Secret Service and they will spill their guts on presidential security. Yeah, right.

>come on they're all scrambled anyhow; i live by clinton's beach house on
>marthas vineyard, i know. had lunch with the SS and learned it all.

6770. FS: ICOM R9000 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Mester <hlm3@po.cwru.edu>
Message-ID: <6uccd3$t5q$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner

Icom IC-R9000--MINT condition

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*Optional Speech Board/Voice Synthesizer Installed
*Optional SP-20 External Speaker Included

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Harold Mester
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6771. Super System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <bdapple@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3609C605.7B7D9950@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143324

Do anyone know who own the (440 ham) super system in Los Angeles area
and
their reputation or any comment about this system?
thanks.

6772. Re: Secret Service Freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramjet5 <ramjet5@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O9D3Gy259GA.402@upnetnews03>
Source record: 143325

I live just outside Chicago and the last time Bubba was here, Hotel, the Nationwide Primary, and as well as Protection-Tango were all in the clear.

Mike Mayer wrote in message <6uc9np$6ck@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>...
>Uh huh. Sure. Have lunch with the Secret Service and they will spill
their
>guts on presidential security. Yeah, right.
>
>>come on they're all scrambled anyhow; i live by clinton's beach house on
>>marthas vineyard, i know. had lunch with the SS and learned it all.
>
>
>

6773. MCS2000 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Bahner <spencer12345@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uNIM$F359GA.280@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 143326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for MCS2000 mobiles in 800 and 900 mhz (must be flashed to at least Smartnet, no Startsite pls). Actually any band might be interesting. Have lots of stuff to trade or will buy if the right model/price.

Thanks!

Spencer Bahner N7UMO

spencer12345@msn.com

6774. police CODES, where to find?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ShortDog <shortdog@arn.net>
Message-ID: <3609c235.0@news.usenetnews.org>
Source record: 143327

please let me know the location for the FAQ if there is one available :)
i apologize in advance if this is a repeat/common question...

i'd like to find out what codes the local police here are using. i know
the ten codes but these are different. they always say "code" before hand,
for example, "code 50"

any advice? thanks in advance :)

oh by the way i live in a real small town in texas. i tried web
searching but no luck...maybe there's a url that i didnt find?

peace

shortdog@arn.net

6775. FCC Radio Service Rules ?'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: shaun sandoval <scsando@wazoo.com>
Message-ID: <3609C688.1760@wazoo.com>
Source record: 143328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have glanced through my FCC rule book and still do not have a definate answer, and hopefully someone out there can help me.

Ok, question one. We have a frequency listed as service code IW and it is licensed as a fixed site, 10watt, pump telemetry system, at 173.2625 MHz. The license is still valid for only those parameters, but we no longer use that frequency in the system. Can we go ahead and use the frequency secretly as a sort of car-to-car channel in our 45watt mobiles and 5 watt portables throughout the town to talk to each other so no one hears us and also use it as the channel at another permant fixed site 30 miles away, also at 45 watts, so we do not have to go through the process of obtaining a new PL service frequency???

Question two. We have another frequency legally licensed as a repeater with output of 100 watts, frequency of 155.8200, and service code PL. This is the primary frequency we use locally. Can we legally use this frequency in the direct (talkaround) mode at another permant fixed site about 60 miles away, at 45 watt mobiles and 5 watt portables, in another county for 7 months out of the year?

Question three. Can an authorized user on our primary repeater, program our frequency into his personal radio and use it only during business hours so he doesn't have to carry our portable and his other jobs portable at the same time, without never obtaining our permisson. I say it was not right, but not illegal, maybe someone can help?

I hope anyone can answer these questions for me. I was gonna call the FCC, but just haven't gotten around to it and didn't find anything about in my book, probably because I need a better book.

Please just e-mail me back and thanks a bunch.

Shaun S.
scsando@wazoo.com

6776. Re: Freqs for Michigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <H2XN1.1003$ej4.23228819@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 143349
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Sam:

How do you want it... dBase, Excel, Text... ?

Bill Crocker

Sam Maynard wrote in message <3607d872.352121130@news>...
>Could someone, please, provide me a list of law enforcement
>frequencies for Dearborn and surronding areas or point me to a Web
>Site with these frequencies in Michigan.
>
>Thanks,
>Sam
>smaynard@home.com

6777. Re: New Sony Scanner???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6u9fs8$qqh@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143350
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <36080B3F.CD4E4CD6@alpha66.com>,
Cameron Grant <cammyjams@alpha66.com> wrote:

> What's up with this new Sony unit with the CD Rom software? Is there
>a web site? When will it be available? Any help appreciated thanks.

The SONY SC1PC is available NOW and it's an interesting
radio. The one I tested was a good performer, though the
keystroke sequence is eccentric.

I published a review in August 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

From the FAQ:

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers
25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size
and mode. Computer control and downloading with software
and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries.
Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and
the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10
banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per-
channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you
can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out
("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency
stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during
searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds.
SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search
limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable
pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands
programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed
Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies
that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. IFs (in |
MHz) are 600 (below 370 MHz), 232.5 (above 370 MHz), 45.0, |
and 0.455. See "The SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in
Monitoring Times, August 1998, for a review which includes
quantitative test results.

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Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S AMPS/PCS Advanced Systems Development Lab
parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

6778. Re: Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcarc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3608793c.1676970@news.itcanada.com>
Source record: 143351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Not sure.
As far as I'm concerned, the Customs can f**k off when it comes to
butting in on your business.
Get Durham to ship it canada post, NOT UPS.
Since the post office is government, believe me, LOTS of packages get
through withought so much as a glance.
L8R
Mike

6779. Re: Frequency for Florida

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922213151.24473.00000395@ng104.aol.com>
Source record: 143352

Most HCSO comms are on the new Ericsson 800MHz trunked system, but the east side dispatch is still simulcast on 155.010MHz.

6780. Re: For Sale: BC2500XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922214305.27490.00000365@ng116.aol.com>
Source record: 143353

would you trade for cash and an ALINCO DJ-XI0 MINT. skezzo@aol.com

6781. Re: UNIDEN 235XLT SCANNER FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922210118.09307.00000724@ng65.aol.com>
Source record: 143354

>From: "Doren Eley" <doren@futurevision.net>

>Uniden 235XLT for sale. Used only a few hours. Has extra battery and belt
>clip. $235.00 US shipping included

Why would anyone pay $35-$40 more for a used scanner that they can buy anywhere
for new for $199?

6782. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOT@HOME.NOW
Message-ID: <360860fe.8931410@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143355

On Tue, 22 Sep 1998 14:46:15 GMT, hillbillyboy67@yahoo.com wrote:

>I checked the Radio Shack website - but couldn't find the information on HOW
>to reset the unit. From what I can tell .. it's not there! Is it not
>complete?

Incomplete is a MILD understatement. The only way I have found to
flush my 2006's (gots 7) is as follows:

Unplug radio
Remove backup battery
Press switch in rear panel (in the teensy tiny hole) a couple seconds
Power radio and check.

Good Signals... LCM

6783. OLD RIDER BOOKS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: nlg281w@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980922225700.17349.00000245@ng58.aol.com>
Source record: 143356

RiDER BOOKS

I HAVE VOLUMES: II, III, IV, V FOR $60.00 EACH
VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI. XII, XIII, XIV,XV, XVI
FOR $45.00 EACH
EXCELENT CONDITION
PLUS S AND H
508-7983517 NORMAN, WORCESTER MASS.
I ALSO HAVE MANY OTHER BOOKS PLUS OLD RADIOS AND PARTS
ALSO MANY OLD RADIO AD SIGNSS

6784. Re: Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Thompson <xctx@onr.com>
Message-ID: <01bde6a7$59d99300$795a01c7@ct>
Source record: 143357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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WCARC <wcarc@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<3608793c.1676970@news.itcanada.com>...
> Not sure.
> As far as I'm concerned, the Customs can f**k off when it comes to
> butting in on your business.
> Get Durham to ship it canada post, NOT UPS.
> Since the post office is government, believe me, LOTS of packages get
> through withought so much as a glance.
> L8R
> Mike
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>

6785. FS: AOR 2500 2000channel scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9patsmk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923003039.27098.00000385@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 143358

Hello,

I have an AOR AR2500 scanner for sale. It has 2016 channels, covers from .5~1500 Mhz. Full 800 MHz, AM, FM wide and narrow, and a BFO for SSB and CW. I have the Scancat computer controlled software for it as well as the manual, power cord, and mobile mounting bracket. It is in excellent shape and I am asking $325/obo plus shipping.

Thanks,

Steve
N9PAT

6786. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Hansow <ka7cse@eskimo.com>
Message-ID: <3608795C.8AB@eskimo.com>
Source record: 143359

Uncle Bob wrote:
>
> zortman@rifle.net wrote:
> : Yes it can! After I'd sold my BC3000XLT and purchased a BC895XLT base our
> : electricity went out. Spent the next 3 hours looking at my new base and
> : wondering what was going on.

I have three base style scanners supplied power by a deep cycle marine
battery that is being maintained by a wall charger. Lesson lernt during
power outage this summer......

6787. Re: Trunk Trackers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: teal9425@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923005219.07734.00000468@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 143360

most new ones at radio shack, i have a pro-91

6788. School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Cory <"Shawn Cory"@psa.org>
Message-ID: <360880D4.8F01661A@psa.org>
Source record: 143361
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.acivism.community

Ivan Ivanovich wrote:
>
> Let me understand this statement, if an emergency vehicle is responding to a
> life threaten situation, it must stop responding for a school bus in enroute
> to school?
>
> What jackass legislator came up with this useless law? Did this idiot get
> re-electiced to office?
> Ivan Ivanovich

It's known as "the dumbing down of America." Instead of teaching children
how to get off the bus and cross the street safely, our public schools
are teaching children that "Johnny has two (homosexual) dads."

Public Safety Officers must "shut down" when near a school bus because
children are not taught to interpret sirens and flashing lights (code 3)
as warning devices.

>
> Walter Eric Johnson wrote in message <6u6rai$57o$1@news.tamu.edu>...
> >Charles (chuckiev@iname.com) wrote:
> >: In New York State, the School bus with red on have the right of way. No
> >: questions. Our emergency response vehicles (police, fire, EMS) are
> required
> >: to shut down, light and siren and stop like everyone else. However must
> >: school busses with shut down and let us pass.

6789. School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif. Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Cory <"Shawn Cory"@psa.org>
Message-ID: <360886E2.BCB557B2@psa.org>
Source record: 143362
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.activism.community,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

NOTE: Timothy Lanni was a 7 year old boy who panicked when he realized that missed his stop. He got off wrong stop then darted into the street where he died after getting hit by a car.

For Immediate Release: April, 20, 1998
Contact: Lorraine Albrecht
Phone: (916) 319-2432

STROM-MARTIN SCHOOL BUS SAFETY BILL GETS NOD FROM THE ASSEMBLY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

SACRAMENTO -- Assemblymember Virginia Strom-Martinï¿½s clean up legislation for the Lanni School Bus Safety Act was given the vote of approval by the Assembly Transportation Committee today.

AB 2375 allows the local school district bus drivers to transport students more safely. Strom-Martinï¿½s legislation creates certain exemptions to the 1997 Lanni Act, which school buses to turn on their flashing red lights whenever students exit a school bus. Traffic in both directions is required to come to a stop until the flashing red lights are turned off.

In some instances, strict compliance with the Lanni Act actually creates a more dangerous situation for motorists and students.

ï¿½Because of certain road conditions and locations, it can be even more dangerous to require traffic in both directions to stop when students unload.
Last yearï¿½s law was aimed at curbing potential dangers to students unloading buses.

I introduced AB 2375 to further the spirit of that law and address the specific safety concerns of parents, school administrators and board members,
as well as the California Highway Patrol. This legislation will help the school districts to comply with the intent of the Lanni Act and also provide the safest possible environment for their students,ï¿½ stated Strom-Martin.

ï¿½Many legal bus stops were eliminated along rural highways throughout the state because of the threat of increased rear-end accidents and collisions. This action resulted in children being forced to walk further distances along
these highways where truck traffic is heavy,ï¿½ explained Strom-Martin.

My office and those of my legislative colleagues were inundated with urgent pleas from parents to do something before a child is hurt.ï¿½

AB 2375 would provide exemptions to existing law for bus stops on a divided or multi-lane highway. It would further exempt conditions where the roadway surface is covered by snow or ice, where a school bus is broken down or when students require more time to board or exit the bus.

Finally, it exempts loading zones on or adjacent to the school grounds. In addition to the specific waivers, AB 2375 will allow school boards will be able to seek waivers for other bus stops they believe would be more dangerous if the bus activated its flashing red lights.

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mailto:Virginia.Strom-Martin@assembly.ca.gov

http://www.assembly.ca.gov/demweb/members/a01/press/p0198008.htm

http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/calaw.html

CALIFORNIA CODES
VEHICLE CODE SECTION 22454-22454.5

22454. (a) The driver of any vehicle, upon meeting or overtaking, from either direction, any schoolbus equipped with signs as required in this code, that is stopped for the purpose of loading or unloading any schoolchildren and displays a flashing red light signal and stop signal arm, as defined in paragraph (4) of subdivision (b) of Section 25257, if equipped with a stop signal arm, visible from front or rear, shall bring the vehicle to a stop immediately before passing the schoolbus and shall not proceed past the schoolbus until the flashing red light signal and stop signal arm, if equipped with a stop signal arm, cease operation.

(b) The driver of a vehicle upon a highway with separate roadways need not stop upon meeting or passing a schoolbus which is upon the other roadway. The driver of a vehicle need not stop upon meeting or passing a schoolbus when the schoolbus is stopped at an intersection where traffic is controlled by a traffic officer or official traffic control signal, or when the schoolbus is stopped at a place where traffic is controlled by a traffic officer or official traffic control signal.

(c) (1) If a vehicle was observed overtaking a schoolbus in violation of subdivision (a), and the driver of the schoolbus witnessed the violation, the driver may, within 24 hours, report the violation and furnish the vehicle license plate number and description and the time and place of the violation to the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction of the offense. That law enforcement agency shall issue a letter of warning prepared in accordance with paragraph (2) with respect to the alleged violation to the registered owner of the vehicle. The issuance of a warning letter under this paragraph shall not be entered on the driving record of the person to whom it is issued, but does not preclude the imposition of any other applicable penalty.

(2) The Attorney General shall prepare and furnish to every law enforcement agency in the state a form letter for purposes of paragraph (1), and the law enforcement agency may issue those letters in the exact form prepared by the Attorney General. The Attorney General may charge a fee to any law enforcement agency that requests a copy of the form letter to recover the costs of preparing and providing that copy.

(d) This section also applies to a roadway upon private property.

22454.5. Notwithstanding Section 42001, a person convicted of a first violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred fifty dollars ($150) or more than two hundred fifty dollars ($250). A person convicted of a second separate violation of Section 22454 shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) or more than one thousand dollars ($1,000). If a person is convicted of a third or subsequent violation of Section 22454 and the offense occurred within three years of two or more separate violations of Section 22454, the Department of Motor Vehicles shall suspend the person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle for one year.

6790. PASSBAND AUDIO ON A YAESU FRG-8800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mister7@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <360b8709.11887420@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143363

HELLO TO ALL,
DOES ANYONE KNOW THE POINT TO TAKE-OFF THE UNFILTERED
AUDIO(BANDPASS) ON A YAESU FRG-8800??? SO I CAN USE THE RAW WAVEFORM
FOR DIGITAL SIGNALS??

THANKS
MR.7

6791. Re: Ordering from Durham Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KR <keith_risler@zdnetmail.com>
Message-ID: <6ua2jd$30l$1@demon.uunet.ca>
Source record: 143364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I would think that if you ordered a device that can intercept cell calls
you would unfortunately violate US law. It seems that US law forbids the
importation into the US of such devices. You might be risking more than just
losing your order.

KR

Chi K. Chan wrote in message <36071a42.74995684@wingate>...
>Anyone here in the US tried ordering from Durham Radio in Canada ?
>
>I would like to know if US Custom would intercept a package sent to
>the US from Canada ? I'm interested in getting the Optoelectronic's
>OS535 board (un-blocked).
>
>Anyone here had luck ordering from Durham or have a package
>confiscated by US Custom ?
>
>Thanks...
>

6792. BC 235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Manny <manny@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ua5ci$b5e$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143365
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

looking to get a BC 235XLT scanner. would like to know how good is it and how good is the trunk scan on it, and also does Radioshack sell the BC 235XLT

6793. Re: WTB: RS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <3608A357.C982248B@cwix.com>
Source record: 143366

Try Bill Cheek. Last time I talked to him he had several in excellent
condition. His e-mail is BCheek@cts.com

Mike

hartbeat@greenepa.net wrote:
>
> I would like to purchase a Pro-2006. Must be in excellent condition, both
> cosmetically and working, with no scratches or marks. Box, manual and antenna
> are a plus. Please e-mail me with what you have. Thank you.
>
> ------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6794. Re: HIGH DEFINITION TELEVSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank N Beenz <bigbadwolf1@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <6ua84f$1ed@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 143367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Gil Stamper <gstamper@eagle1.eaglenet.com> wrote in message
3608399A.351B@eagle1.eaglenet.com...
>007 wrote:
>>
>> Mike Derryberry wrote:
>> >
>> > No you will not be able to hear the audio for HDTV. It will be digital
>> > as will the video.
>> >
>> > Mike
>> >
>> > 007 wrote:
>> > >
>> > > Does anyone know the frequencies for HDTV? Will a scanner with Wide
>> > > FM mode be able to receive the center audio frequency?
>> I guess that this signals the end of free tv. What is there to stop a
>> station from charging you?
>
>The FCC, maybe!

The market itself... Advertisers pay for the programming.
Since the station is free, there are likely to be more viewers.

6795. Re: HIGH DEFINITION TELEVSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <3608A4A5.2C0B540B@cwix.com>
Source record: 143368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The new sets (some already on the market) are digital compatible. By the year 2007 the only thing TV stations will be broadcasting is digital and all TVs will receive all stations just like they do now. By the year 2002 all stations are required to be on the air with digital but will simulcast both analog and digital until March 1, 2007.

Mike

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> > as will the video.
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> > Mike
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> > > FM mode be able to receive the center audio frequency?
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> station from charging you?

6796. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank N Beenz <bigbadwolf1@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <6ua8tr$1uu@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 143369

BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
6u5ia1$fnm@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com...
>In <3605A145.328B@kih.net> michael brown <mbrown@kih.net> writes:
>>Once again, the sex part is NOT the problem! ITS THE LIES!!!!!!!!!!
>>
> GET THIS: Sex between adults who have it consensually
> is not a crime...the government is not involved in your
> act. Therefore what you say about it to whomever you
> tell it to is not a lie leading up to impeachment.
>

Actually, in some states it **IS** a crime to commit adultry.

> If it is legal, you do it legally and that's it. How
> can you lie about it if it's legal?
>
> To lie about a legal act is a position which is personal
> and "macho", not wanting the neighbors to know, etc.
>
> Protecting Dulcinea's virtue is what is implied. Clinton
> is a man of HONOR who don't like women being compromised.
> Not too bright, is he? he was doing what southerners do
> when with women...but now it's found to be a lie because
> he's the pres and it's done on or in the White House.
>

When is it HONORABLE to cheat on your wife???

All this aside, it really doesn't matter, and I could care less. By focusing
on
the affair(s), we are forgetting about all the other stuff he has done while
in office. Americans, particularly the media, have a very short memory.
Perhaps this is all just to help you forget the previous wrong-doings?

What the h**l does all this have to do with scanning anyway? Did the LAFD
take down all your antennas so all you left to do is this crap?

6797. Re: A message from the LAFD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <3608B3F2.41D16A0D@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 143370

Frank N Beenz wrote:

> What the h**l does all this have to do with scanning anyway? Did the LAFD
> take down all your antennas so all you left to do is this crap?
>

...said right...
go to the public affairs NG

odo

6798. Re: Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocomms@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <3608c6e7.172052@news.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 143371
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

First of all, new people read these groups every day. Secondly, I
will post what I have to wherever I need to.

6799. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <ORD$3ut59GA.222@upnetnews05>
Source record: 143372
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.acivism.community

While attending school in 60s through 70s, I do not recall being taught in school the meaning of red lights and siren. My parents taught me those concepts therefore, "dumbing of America" really begins at home.

An observation made while working as a street level cop in middle America, baby boomer parents would often shift total responsibility for educating their children upon school, law enforcement and other public officals. The reasoning behind this was they had shifted responsibility for their children's actions or accidents as well. The lawyers perpetuated this concept into a multi-million dollar industry.

Additionally, end responsibility for child safety while being transported in a school bus lies directly upon the school's transportation board. As cop, I observed many times school bus drivers not paying attention to their duties, i.e. students standing in line at the door prior to the bus stopping, coming to an immediate halt and flinging the doors open without observing traffic flow, etc.

When Johnny get squashed by a motorist, immediately state legislators creates laws for two reasons 1) to shift blame from school transportation boards in the event of future law suits and 2) to look as though they are doing something to "save the children".

As far as devient behavior by children today, they learn it from the baby sitter, the TV. Just watch some of the junk on cable or the FOX network. If children are learning homosexual topics, it comes from the wierd commericals where the generation X concept is exploited to the max.

Like I state earlier: "dumbing of America" really begins at home!

Ivan Ivanovich

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<360880D4.8F01661A@psa.org>...
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>Public Safety Officers must "shut down" when near a school bus because
>children are not taught to interpret sirens and flashing lights (code 3)
>as warning devices.
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6800. Re: Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: matreya@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <matreya-2309982035290001@p1-max8.syd.ihug.com.au>
Source record: 143373
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <3608c6e7.172052@news.netspace.net.au>, radiocomms@yahoo.com wrote:

> First of all, new people read these groups every day. Secondly, I
> will post what I have to wherever I need to.

Well, aren't you the Internet Arsehole of the Week :)

We don't like your SPAM.

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Jason | Email: mailto:matreya@tig.com.au | "That which does
Haines | Homepage : http://homepages.tig.com.au/~matreya/ | not kill you makes
| IRC : matreya #macintosh/oz.org | you stronger"
| Fax : +61 2 9584 2711 (W) | - Nietzsche
/\ | Ph : +61 2 9584 2722 (W) |
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6801. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <36090A71.3421@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 143374
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.acivism.community

> >
> > Let me understand this statement, if an emergency vehicle is responding to a
> > life threaten situation, it must stop responding for a school bus in enroute
> > to school?
> >
> > What jackass legislator came up with this useless law? Did this idiot get
> > re-electiced to office?
> > Ivan Ivanovich
>
> It's known as "the dumbing down of America." Instead of teaching children
> how to get off the bus and cross the street safely, our public schools
> are teaching children that "Johnny has two (homosexual) dads."
>
> Public Safety Officers must "shut down" when near a school bus because
> children are not taught to interpret sirens and flashing lights (code 3)
> as warning devices.
>

In Virginia, an emergency vehicle with its lights and siren on approaching a stopped school bus loading or unloading children, with its lights flashing must stop.

I was an officer on a firetruck responding to a call when that exact thing happened. We approached from a fairly long straight section of road, lights, siren, and airhorn activated, the bus approached his stop, turned on his lights, and we had to stop, which we did. It delayed our response to the situation.

When I returned to the station from the call, I made one phone call to the school board and talked with the person in charge of the school buses. I was not angry or threatening, however I did make it clear I thought the School Bus should have pulled off the side of the road, and motioned us on. The manager of transportation agreed 100% with me and said the school bus driver handled it poorly and would be counselled.

I would agree that going past a school bus, on the way to an emergency, that was loading or unloading high school kids would probably not be a hazard. I would think by this age, the kids should be mature enough to realize the danger of emergency vehicles. However, on the other end of that spectrum, a 1st or 2nd grade child, can easily get confused, or excited at the sight of a firetruck going by and step out into the path of danger. I can't think of any emergency I have ever responded to that was worth a childs life.

There HAS to be some sort of standard in these situations, so err on the side of safety and make the rule, NO PASSING OF ANY SCHOOL BUS UNDER ANY CONDITIONS.

Had the driver of the fire engine I was on that day, proceeded past the stopped school bus unloading those kids, he would have been guilty of Reckless Driving.

6802. Re: Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John SILVER <jsilver@webaxs.net>
Message-ID: <3608e3f4.0@news.webaxs.net>
Source record: 143375
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I agree this site is rubbish and re-sumitted far toooo often
radiocomms@yahoo.com wrote in message
<36062b89.216288@news.netspace.net.au>...
>Victorias Emergency Services Web Site now contains info on not just
>radio info but other things also. Please have a look and let me know
>what you think about it and any ideas for things you would like to
>see.
>
>There is also info on Victoria Polices' new F.L.I.R infra red camera,
>including screen shots from and of the camera system
>
>Look at http://members.xoom.com/RadioComms/emerg.htm
>
>

6803. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: pturton@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3608e4a2.658609@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143376

In the 2006 manual downloaded from the Tandy site:

"To clear all the memories, be sure the scanner is turned on and:
1. Press and hold [CLEAR]
2. Using a pointed object, press and release the restart switch.
3. After confirming the display goes blank, release [CLEAR]"

This information is buried under the heading "USING THE RESTART SWITCH"

Certainly would clearer if it was under a heading called FULL RESET but then
Tandy doesn't expect anyone to RTFM.

Cheers,
Paul

NOT@HOME.NOW wrote:

>On Tue, 22 Sep 1998 14:46:15 GMT, hillbillyboy67@yahoo.com wrote:
>
>>I checked the Radio Shack website - but couldn't find the information on HOW
>>to reset the unit. From what I can tell .. it's not there! Is it not
>>complete?
>
>
> Incomplete is a MILD understatement. The only way I have found to
>_flush_ my 2006's (gots 7) is as follows:
>
>Unplug radio
> Remove backup battery
>Press switch in rear panel (in the teensy tiny hole) a couple seconds
>Power radio and check.
>
>
>Good Signals... LCM

6804. Auction - Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club Annual Auction, November 27

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Sammartino <sammartinoj@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3608EC18.3E2F7CC9@usa.net>
Source record: 143377

Auction - Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club Annual Auction, November 27

On the evening of November 27th, The Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club will
host it's
Annual Auction.

It will be held at the Fair Lawn Cultural Center, located at 12-56 River
Road,
Fair Lawn, NJ 07412.

Ham Radio, CBs, Computers, Electronics, etc.

Those interested in auctioning their merchandise should arrive at 6 PM.
The auction will begin at at 8 PM. For info call Joe, 201-365-5809.
You
may Email with any questions at sammartinoj @ usa.net.

Directions: (or call for more detail)

Route 208 To Fair Lawn Avenue (west)
Fair Lawn Avenue to River Road, left turn About 2-3 blocks, FLARC will
be
on right side.

6805. Re: What's a good price for a pro-2021?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael D. Hofer" <featheredfrog@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <36090369.49EB@geocities.com>
Source record: 143378

Radio911 wrote:
>
> Hi! A reasonable price for the PRO-2021 is $100.00. This information is from
> http://pages.prodigy.net/hounddog/scanpric.
> html
>
> Radio911 - Laine S. Herman

He didn't say "a fair/reasonable or market price", he said "a good
price". I think the $10.00 I paid for mine at a recent garage sale
(missing the $10.00 antenna...) was a _very_ good price.

Now if only I didn't live in a hole where the only signals come in from
a 20 degree angle to the southeast... :)

m

--
Cian ua'Lochan /mka/ Michael D. Hofer
I'm not a medievalist - I just play one on weekends!
http://www.geocities.com/SoHo/Lofts/9800/

6806. Re: The hurricane is comming!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <360B1060.722D850D@nol.net>
Source record: 143130
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jack wrote:

> A few of us in the affected area will be on irc come to #airband
> or #monitor for freq discussions..hopfully.. or effnet irc.ais.net
> irc.emory.edu irc.frontiernet.net are among a few servers that will
> get you there.
>
> oops irc.emory.edu
>
> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org

Well good luck buddy. Hey is there any way I can monitor any scanner reports from Florida in Texas?? Probably not, but maybe a really really strong repeater

6807. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoubleDiamonds@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8769-360B10DF-13@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143131

Try again. 1105.00-1114.00

6808. help choosing please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: flash <flash@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6uc16f$ep9$1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 143230

hi there
can you help me please. i am a uk resident in leicestershire,
i am on the verge of buying a scanner, i want it mainly for
police/fire/ambulance and aircraft, i have about
£200 to spend and i would like a hand held scanner instead of a base
scanner, the problem i have is that i don't know which one to buy as they
all have different frequency ranges, can you please tell me what i should be
looking for, any help would be much appreciated.
thanks
jas.....

6809. Mods - Discriminator Tap Pro-2040

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicp@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6uc271$l85$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 143231

Can some one please help me with a discriminator tap for the Pro-2040?
Thanks, Vic

6810. NEED HELP pro-2028

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: don@hto.net
Message-ID: <360a8bce.2873068@news.hto.net>
Source record: 143232

i have a realistic pro-2028 and iam trying to find out if i can modify this to go to 8 or 900 megahertz it goes to 500 now but scanners cost alot and this has been good to me, is there plans that i can purchase to do this? or a web sight that sells them? thanks if anyone can help...........

6811. AOR AR8000 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Jans <rjans@home.com>
Message-ID: <36099735.4F231B0F@home.com>
Source record: 143233

I have an AR8000 that is almost brand new for sale.

rjans@home.com

6812. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-2309982106120001@pm63-03.magicnet.net>
Source record: 143234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <36091a27.33023762@enews.newsguy.com>, icemann@newsguy.com wrote:

> FYI: I saw an 1-800 # ad on E! showing the Uniden Sport Cat 150
> Scanner. The thing I was surprised at was most promoted feature was
> cordless phone call monitoring. Listening to the Police & Fire Dept.
> was just a side note. I understand, if I am correct, you can listen
> to a call but cant tell anyone what was said or used the information
> for any reason. It just seemed to me there is more to promote then
> 46mhz Phone Call Monitoring.
> IceMann

Nope, it is not legal even to listen, even if you do not disclose
anything. Probably one of the most stupid laws on the books. If you do not
want to be heard, buy a digital spread spectrum cordless phone.

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

6813. Re: GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jklein1050@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980923214350.25899.00000527@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 143235

Houston Fire Department ~~ DISTRICT CHIEFS
Jklein1050@aol.com

6814. Re: un-program BC760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: news@helispot.com
Message-ID: <360ba210.71691146@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143236

On 23 Sep 1998 17:11:11 GMT, elespc2@aol.com (Elespc2) wrote:

>
>With power switch "off", hold buttons "2", "9", and "manual", turn power on.
>This will reset all channels to "000.000.

Thanks!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! That's just what I needed. Works like a
charm.

Still need to find out how to zero-out just one program.

AC

6815. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Kids don't Know!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian H <no@alternative.ca>
Message-ID: <iijO1.66$Fg6.905672@sapphire.mtt.net>
Source record: 143237
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.acivism.community

Evenin'

I must say that is profoundly idiotic (whether it be law or not)
or an emergency vehicle to STOP simply because a school
bus has its red lights flashing.
The emergency vehicle has its lights/sirens going for a -reason-
namely.. an emergency.
I agree that a <10 year old might panic and run into the EV, but
why not teach the bus DRIVER the importance of holding a child
back if s/he sees an EV approaching? Common sense -should-
tell them that it is an emergency, more likely than not life threatening.
If normal traffic has to pull over on the side of the road when an
EV is coming, why should a school bus be exempt?

I have yet to meet the perp who is going 80 mph, being chased by
police and will stop for a school bus's red lights.
(granted, an extreme example but nontheless...); or the ambulance
who is going to a multiple vehical MVA with several lifes 'dangling'
on thin thread and -every- second counts....

Just my $0.02 worth.

cah

6816. Re: GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmandgr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924015852.09269.00001139@ng148.aol.com>
Source record: 143238

An unmarked, antennae on roof, blackened windows, engines idling unit, seen outside the Whitehouse. Sorry, they didn't identify which agency with which they may or maynot be associated.
nobloodyspamLMandGR@aol.com

6817. FT50 Firmware change again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Public Safety <publicsafety@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3609EB79.1D6F900C@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143239
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.scanner

Tried to mod 5 FT 50s with serial number 8C26 non of the mods including the software mod did not work these radios are U.S. radios. Has anyone successfully used the software hex mod on a USA radio ?
publicsafety@earthlink.net

6818. FT50 Firmware change again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Public Safety <publicsafety@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3609EB8C.6679F6E8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143240
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Tried to mod 5 FT 50s with serial number 8C26 non of the mods including the software mod did not work these radios are U.S. radios. Has anyone successfully used the software hex mod on a USA radio ?
publicsafety@earthlink.net

6819. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#Tm1mC559GA.179@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 143241

> I might be taking a train ride on Amtrack from Seattle to Walla Walla.
> Does anybody have any frequenceies for AMTRACK??

Amtrak uses the radio frequencies of the host railroad. In Washington, this normally means the Burlington Northern. Unfortunately, the nearest Amtrak service to Walla Walla is the Portland section of the Empire Builder, which stops at Pasco.
Leaving Seattle, you would either have to take one of the northwest corridor trains to Portland and change to the Empire Builder, or take the Seattle section of the Empire Builder to Spokane and change to the westbound Portland section (an interesting routing, since all four trains are in Spokane at 1am).

The BNSF road and dispatcher frequencies should be:

Empire Builder
Seattle - Snohomish (Everett) 161.160
Snohomish - Spokane 161.100
Portland - Wishram 161.415
Wishram - Spokane 161.160
Northwest Corridor
Seattle - Black River (10 mi) 161.160
Black River - Wabash (Centralia) 161.415
Wabash - North Vancouver 161.100
N. Vancouver - Portland 161.415

6820. Re: help choosing please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924064821.20884.00006036@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143242

>From: "flash" <flash@globalnet.co.uk>

>i am on the verge of buying a scanner, i want it mainly for
>police/fire/ambulance and aircraft, i have about
>ï¿½200 to spend and i would like a hand held scanner instead of a base
>scanner, the problem i have is that i don't know which one to buy

Contact Jonathan Clough at Javiation in the UK (www.javiation.com) and tell him what you're looking for. He'll steer you straight.

6821. Re: Victorian Emergency Services Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: qirat@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <360a2bd5.10552101@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 143243
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.scanner,aus.radio.amateur.misc,aus.electronics,aus.comms,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What amazes me is that the dude @ yahoo has nothing to sell! Why does
he do it.

On 23 Sep 98 21:17:47 +1000, Angus Mann <amann@mail.usyd.edu.au>
wrote:

>On 23-Sep-98 20:02:59, radiocomms <radiocomms@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>First of all, new people read these groups every day. Secondly, I
>>will post what I have to wherever I need to.
>
>First of all, posts are *not* deleted every day - any new reader will most
>likely look at the previous X number of messages, which would include *four*
>copies of your post.
>
>Secondly, it's bad netiquette to repost the same article over and over.
>
>Thirdly, it's very bad netiquette to not only post web ads to groups on a
>regular basis, but posting them on more than a weekly basis (in fact on anything
>more than a monthly basis) is just plain inconsiderate.
>
>And fourthly, you might want to post whatever you want - let's just see how
>everyone *else* reacts.
>
>
>--
>Angus Mann \/ amann@mail.usyd.edu.au
>Sydney, Australia /\ UIN 17393253
>

6822. Re: ? Comments on Alinco DJ-x10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6udc9k$4kv@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143244
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The Alinco DJ-X10T has the most rugged construction of any
portable scanner since the old Azden-manufactured
Regency HX-1000/1200/1500 series.

I was impressed with the flexible battery arrangement
and overall RF/AF performance. Appreciated the user programmable
memory labels, too.

Drawbacks include:
a. 5 - 6 channel/second memory scan rate,
b. auto store facility which stores duplicate active frequencies
instead of being able to tell they have already been stored.
c. complex keystroke sequences and memory organization

Like the other wideband portable scanners, passable
shortwave reception requires you install a different
antenna (not supplied). The DJ-X10T I tested for an
upcoming issue of Monitoring Times was more
sensitive on shortwave than the sample AR8200.

In article <19980924013215.12821.00001767@ng67.aol.com>,
SRahman101 <srahman101@aol.com> wrote:

>Does anyone have any experience with the Alinco DJ-X10,
>, I recently bought one at 379.00 ,, Iooked at the R10
>and the AR 8000. I thought the Alinco
>performed better than the R10 and the 8000 was $600.00,
>... I though the Alinco was overall the
>best vallue and the money I saved I got a Uniden Trunk tracker too...
>Bing a Previous owner of an IC7100 and the BC900xlt I was very impressd with
>the quality if construction of the alinco..
>
>Sal

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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

6823. Re: where the port. phone freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: alf sauve <alf.sauve@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <KTqO1.4423$Eu2.287008@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143245

Well John,

Did you go to yahoo or altavista and search for "cordless phone"? It really isn't hard to find things on the web if you'll just try. I just typed "go cordless phone" in my browser's location window and, voila!

Try: http://www.angelfire.com/ok/ozzhead/WackyMain.html

Alf

John Smith wrote in message <36095A55.8EBB78D3@company.com>...
>hi everyone can you tell me where to find a list of portable phone
>channels?
>
>thanks everyone!
>
>dino
>

6824. Re: unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XacayX.com.au
Message-ID: <360a4a5e.333654@news.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143246

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

:
:>cornwall@antispamremoveme.i1.net (Mike Cornwall)
:
:>No,
:>
:>You have to type (and say out loud while typing).....
:>
:>OWA TAGU SIAM
:>
:>Doing this multiple times in a row (and more quickly each time) has a higher
:chance or working correctly.
:
:
:Brother, you are cold! You should let the stooge off the hook and give him the
:real secret and that is: he should log onto the Internet and then hit the power
:switch on his PC and that should take care of everything.

If he phones me and gives me his credit card number I could do it for him.

6825. Re: Modification voor Uniden UBC-9000xlt ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XacayX.com.au
Message-ID: <360a4a64.339769@news.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143247

"cvdspoel" <cvdspoel@knoware.nl> wrote:

:Hello there...
:
:I'am searching for the modification off the UNIDEN UBC-9000xlt.
:Do you have this modification please send it to me !!
:
:Bye Kees

There are many modifications for the UBC-9000xlt.

One mod is to take a hammer and bring it down on the top of the case
several times very heavily. The effect of this mod is to reduce the
frequency coverage and number of memory channels to zero.

A less permanent way is to simply remove the power.

Those are the "off" modifications.

To improve reception of a signal move the scanner closer to the signal.

Send for further useful mods.

Barry

6826. POCKETTALK PAGER - FREE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meadowlands Communications <meadowcomm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bde7c5$281859e0$84c4accf@default>
Source record: 143248
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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CALL 201-896-8770 ANYTIME!

6827. WTB: Sony ICF-SW100S SW RCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@writeme.com>
Message-ID: <360A56BB.2B79788F@writeme.com>
Source record: 143249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.marketplace

If you have one for sale, contact me via direct email with details.

6828. Re: FCC Radio Service Rules ?'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <360A5D3A.2244@popd.Accesscom.com>
Source record: 143250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

shaun sandoval wrote:
>
> I have glanced through my FCC rule book and still do not have a definate
> answer, and hopefully someone out there can help me.
>
> Ok, question one. We have a frequency listed as service code IW and it
> is licensed as a fixed site, 10watt, pump telemetry system, at 173.2625
> MHz. The license is still valid for only those parameters, but we no
> longer use that frequency in the system. Can we go ahead and use the
> frequency secretly as a sort of car-to-car channel in our 45watt mobiles
> and 5 watt portables throughout the town to talk to each other so no one
> hears us and also use it as the channel at another permant fixed site 30
> miles away, also at 45 watts, so we do not have to go through the
> process of obtaining a new PL service frequency???
>
> Question two. We have another frequency legally licensed as a repeater
> with output of 100 watts, frequency of 155.8200, and service code PL.
> This is the primary frequency we use locally. Can we legally use this
> frequency in the direct (talkaround) mode at another permant fixed site
> about 60 miles away, at 45 watt mobiles and 5 watt portables, in another
> county for 7 months out of the year?
>
> Question three. Can an authorized user on our primary repeater, program
> our frequency into his personal radio and use it only during business
> hours so he doesn't have to carry our portable and his other jobs
> portable at the same time, without never obtaining our permisson. I say
> it was not right, but not illegal, maybe someone can help?
>
> I hope anyone can answer these questions for me. I was gonna call the
> FCC, but just haven't gotten around to it and didn't find anything about
> in my book, probably because I need a better book.
>
> Please just e-mail me back and thanks a bunch.
>
> Shaun S.
> scsando@wazoo.com

Shaun;

Question one. Depends how you have it listed on your license. If it has
a
station class of FXO that means that it is an operational FIXED station,
no mobile operations allowed. you would have to modify your license to
change the station class to MO (mobile) to be legal.

Question two. Again add modify the license to add the station class MO and you would be allowed to operate mobiles on this frequency. Or if you wish to use this frequency as a base ststion at another location modify the license to reflect the new location. Another way would be to modify the existing license to add a station class FBT (Fixed base temporary) this means that you can move the transmitter around. I think the FCC frowns upon using this temporary class of station at one spot for more that a couple of months ie not a permanent instalation. Better to modify the license to add this as a permanent location on the license.

Question three. Yes, if you issue the user what is called a letter license. This letter authorizes the portable owner use of only the mobile
side of the frequency pair for the term of your license. The letter must be
reissued when you renew the license. The mobile count on the license must
not exceed that on the license.

Hope this helps

Regards

Ed

6829. FS Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Brown" <wb6duo@zippnet.net>
Message-ID: <360A694C.31EB@zippnet.net>
Source record: 143251

For sale Scout 40 ver. 3.1 with all factory antennas, charger, case and manuals. Factory box. Excellent condition. $300 and I will ship.
Located in Southern California.
Thanks
Don

6830. Re: police CODES, where to find?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: usc95@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924125556.09200.00001285@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 143252

The ten codes and other codes are all unique to an agency or area. I've always known "Code 3" as a response status (lights/sirens), however an agency that I once dispatched for used it for "unable to locate, back in service".
Good luck finding the info respective to your area.
Michael

6831. IC-R1 ELECTRONIC LOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marco Ricciardi <impregnator@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6ue0v9pvl1@puma.unisys.com.br>
Source record: 143253

Hi.

I borrow a IC-R1 from a friend and I don't know wich buttons I pressed but I lock the radio. As I don't have the manual with me I need to know how to unlock it.

Don't ask me to call him to read the manual because he knows nothing about english.

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73
Marco Ricciardi
http://surf.to/transporte
ICQ 888461

Rio de Janeiro - RJ, Brasil

6832. Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <360A71A1.4B105A50@arn.net>
Source record: 143254

Hi gang,
I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
Can anyone help?
Thanks,
Larry

6833. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <no-spam-bmwebb@tima.com>
Message-ID: <6ue2rd$c7d$1@topsy.kiva.net>
Source record: 143255

Larry wrote in message <360A71A1.4B105A50@arn.net>...
>Hi gang,
>I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
>get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
>frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
>Can anyone help?
>Thanks,
>Larry
>

Larry,

The cell mod was in Monitoring Times Feb, 1996 issue page 26. It was a virtual downconversion mod.

Good luck.

Brian

6834. Re: uniden/bearcat 895 FS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <360e91d0.147456412@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143256

On 22 Sep 1998 18:52:59 GMT, sky444@worldnet.att.net (skyhawk) wrote:

>I can't resist sorry......He He He He He He Ha Ha ha Ha H a Ha ha Ha
>Ha Ha Ha HeHe He He He Ha
>Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha h a uhhhh uhh uhh uhhh ha ha aha ha heeee heeeeeee
>Har Har He Ha Har Har.....!!!!!You have got to be kidding!!!!
>
>On 22 Sep 1998 03:46:34 GMT, ddubsky@aol.com (DDubsky) wrote:
>
>>
>>fs uniden/bearcat 895 t-tracker. brand new unopened box. i bought two ! and i
>>donot need the 2rd scanner! is brand new. 300.00.plus $ 10.00 shipping. no
>>trades. if any questions ?. please e-mail me. ddubsky@aol.com
>>
>> we live in oxnard, ca. thanks
>>denny-----------------
>>
>>
LOL!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6835. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-Q5v0e839jo3x@localhost>
Source record: 143257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

JT,

> Hmmm. Sounds like it's broken. Most of them are. Take it back and give up.

I've just purchase one and it seems to work flawlessly. Besides, I've not seen much posted to this effect regarding this scanner. How is it that you've come by this opinion? It concerns me because mine is brand new and I don't want any problems with it.

I will say this, until I did a RESET on the unit, it was flakey in trunking mode. But afterward I was able to correctly program it and utilize it for trunking. It's an amazing hobby now that I've gotten this capability. I'm even enjoying the local elementary schools ordering toilet paper and the like! <G>

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

6836. Pro-2022 mod - Re: Scanner Modizfication Handbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <Jefft@jnlk.com>
Message-ID: <360AA5F0.973286AA@jnlk.com>
Source record: 143258
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have any more info on the Pro-2022 mods for speeding up, and for the 3,200 channels?

6837. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6ue8l9$5s4$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143259

If you get an interface for it , it will do cell direct. Get in touch with

bcheek@cts.com

Larry wrote in message <360A71A1.4B105A50@arn.net>...
>Hi gang,
>I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
>get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
>frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
>Can anyone help?
>Thanks,
>Larry
>

6838. Re: Mods - Discriminator Tap Pro-2040

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6ue8ld$5s4$2@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143260
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: Scanner Data Decoding FAQ.txt

vicp@geocities.com wrote in message <6uc271$l85$1@news.megsinet.net>...
>Can some one please help me with a discriminator tap for the Pro-2040?
>Thanks, Vic

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

6839. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924163239.17809.00002430@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143261

>From: "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>

>If you get an interface for it , it will do cell direct. Get in touch with
>
>bcheek@cts.com

This is flat-out wrong. In your zeal to sell Cheek's CE232, you have overstated its capabilities. Adding a CE232 will not enable the PRO2035 to tune cell. Bill knows that and I doubt that he would appreciate your making up nonsense, apparently on his behalf.

If you get an Opto OS535 interface from an overseas seller or one that was made to be sold here about two years ago, you can tune cell phones (you must enter a 20-digit unlock code as well).

6840. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: daleeh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924164128.04331.00000347@ngol01.aol.com>
Source record: 143262

Chuckie,
I've had one for quite a while and I have had no problems at all. Didn't need
a reset or anything.
Dale

6841. Re: IC-R1 ELECTRONIC LOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: daleeh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924164129.04331.00000348@ngol01.aol.com>
Source record: 143263

Marco,

Push the "F" button(large button on side) plus the "Light/Lock" button(smaller button on opposite side). This combination initiates and stops the lock function.
Hope this helps.

Dale

6842. Re: GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcgs3333@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924164715.21368.00001130@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 143264

That would most likely be Secret Service.

6843. *** universal audio analyzer for fr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas <113451.2635@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <Opok5z$59GA.323@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 143265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,relcom.radio.ham,sanet.radio.packet

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Analyzer2000, one of the world's most fastest and famous audio
analyzers,
is now available in the 3.0 version.

It's full functional shareware and can be download at
http://members.aol.com/btf1

+++Superfast spectral analysis with FFT display for time and
frequency variant signals
+++FFT sizes from 256 to 16384 points, dynamic range up to 160
dB, graphical zoom up to 32:1
+++Time analysis with oscilloscope and envelope display
+++Sonagraphic analysis with waterfall display
+++Measurement tools like markers, frequency rulers, level
rulers, time rulers
+++Easy determination of THD, SNR (SINAD) and VCO phase noise
(dBc/Hz)
+++Built-in test generator for sinewave and/or noise stimulation
(full duplex mode)
+++Multi morse decoder
+++Simultaneous recording directly from PC sound card to standard
wave file
+++Snapshot functionality (20 seconds post trigger memory)
+++Analyzing of standard wave files or post trigger memory in
offline mode
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6844. Re: BC 200XLT After market Anntenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tosca@warwick.net
Message-ID: <360aba8d.5340264@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 143266

On Sun, 20 Sep 1998 16:52:53 -0700, Bob Esacove
<mebe1@ix.netcom.com> was lurking in rec.radio.scanner, and
composed the following about "BC 200XLT After market Anntenna":

> Is there an after market antenna that out performs the rubber antenna
> supplied with the scanner? I saw a advertisement a while back for a
> portable antenna that looked like a mini space helmet (round W/ wires
> extending from a main ball). They made claims that it offered improveded
> receiption for all frequencies. If such an antenna or something simular
> works, you someone supply with the products name and place where I can
> buy one. Thanks Bob

Of all places, Radio Shack makes two different telescoping
antennae, with center loaded tuned coils on them; one has a
motorola plug, the other a BNC connector.

They're both $9.95. Sorry, I don't have the stock numbers handy.

You can extend or detract the antennae to properly (as close as
feasible) tune to the frequency being scanned, i.e.- shorter for
800mHz, longer for 45mHz.

I'm pleased with its performance.

=vt

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ï¿½ase ELECTRONICA! ï¿½1976 TE Inc.
mailto:tosca@warwick.net
****
* ==PLEASE E-MAIL AS WELL AS POST;*
* ISP HAS BEEN PURGING QUICKLY; *
* MOST RESPONSES ARE MISSED!!== *
****

6845. FS:PRO 46

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shaun Whitman <lstrain@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uZJHLgA69GA.250@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 143267

Pro 46. For parts or repair.
Make an offer.

Shaun

6846. Re: RS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6uefg7$e2r$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143268

I have one for sale for $275. It includes manual, antenna and box. Someone says he wants it but I have not heard from him today.

6847. Re: RS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6ueful$f6v$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143269

I should add I gave him until 9pm est to respond.

6848. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <360AC815.DE0E8F89@arn.net>
Source record: 143270

Ok, I had someone email me and tell me it was in the
Feburary 96 issue. It was a downconversion mod, not
image frequencies. If anyone has that issue, I would
appreciate a copy of that article. You can email it, or fax
it to me. Thanks
Larry

Larry wrote:

> Hi gang,
> I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
> get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
> frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
> Can anyone help?
> Thanks,
> Larry

6849. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: clayfyre61@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924185919.03769.00001166@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 143271

These should be the correct freqs:

161.145
161.160

6850. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoubleDiamonds@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8763-360AD321-94@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143272

The images are 1105.00- 114.00
Good Luck.

6851. MN Air Guard?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ziegler <steveziegler@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u8WqN1B69GA.221@upnetnews03>
Source record: 143273

Does anyone have some good, active frequencies for the Minnesota Air National Guard/Air Force Reserve? I'm especially interested in the Minneapolis/MSP/Ft Snelling area...Thanks,

Steve

6852. Re: BC 235XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale@iglou.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1074bb58eeaddd3898969d@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 143274
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6ubi7c$7bf$1@tenax.raex.com>, dtfh32@raex.com says...
> I've read allot about some of the poor soldering jobs on the BC235XLT, but
> that's about it and I must say that it is a good scanner.
>
> Radio Shack dose carry it is the PRO-90.
>
> Mike
> Manny wrote in message <6ua5ci$b5e$1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
> >looking to get a BC 235XLT scanner. would like to know how good is it and
> >how good is the trunk scan on it, and also does Radioshack sell the BC
> >235XLT
> >
> >
>
>
>
If you're considering this for a mobile setting, you might be better off
with an Icom/AOR/Alinco widebander, an Optotrakker and a laptop PC. The
Bearcat/Realistic trunktrackers are limited in their system coverage
(they're only compatible with Motorola TRSes). Think about that.

6853. Re: NFL frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbseale@iglou.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1074bd5578b6b8ae98969e@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 143275
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <MPG.1070b68cc64fb689989681@news.erols.com>, brents@erols.com says...
> I am going to the Redskins game at the "BIG JACK" this weekend.
> Looking for any info on the NFL frequencies used by the refs or
> the quarterback's helmet radios.
>
> Thanks in advance
>
There are too many to list here, but they're all listed in "Beyond Police Call". Look in its nationwide business frequencies section.

6854. SD CA Cloud9 Freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Birckhead <birck@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <360AFAE2.82B1ACA5@ibm.net>
Source record: 143276

I have searched all of the data bases, Percon etc, but cannot find the freqs that the Cloud9 Shuttle Service uses in San Diego?

Does anyone have them?

Thanks-
Ted--

6855. Re: police CODES, where to find?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Marnell <marnells@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <6uf120$1b0@news.snowcrest.net>
Source record: 143277

ShortDog wrote in message <3609c235.0@news.usenetnews.org>...
> please let me know the location for the FAQ if there is one available
:)
>i apologize in advance if this is a repeat/common question...
>
> i'd like to find out what codes the local police here are using. i
know
>the ten codes but these are different. they always say "code" before hand,
>for example, "code 50"

Every agency in the country has its own specific codes. There are a lot of "common" or "standardized" codes, but nothing you can hang your hat on. The "Police Call" guide for Texas, available at Radio Shack, should have a list in the back of common Texas codes, and codes used by some larger agencies.

Otherwise, you'll just have to listen carefully when the various codes are used, and try to figure out from the accompanying conversation what they're talking about. A lot of them should become clear to you after listening a while.

******
Harry Marnell, N6URU
marnells@snowcrest.net

"With email and the Internet it is now possible to get huge amounts of erroneous information in milliseconds"

6856. Re: The hurricane is comming!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <360B0D30.4F4B4430@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143278
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jack wrote:

> A few of us in the affected area will be on irc come to #airband
> or #monitor for freq discussions..hopfully.. or effnet irc.ais.net
> irc.emory.edu irc.frontiernet.net are among a few servers that will
> get you there.

Good Luck Jack,

I was scheduled to arrive in Orlando at 10:00 AM Friday for a fishing trip with my Dad and brother. I just cancelled. Delta said I could reschedule with no penalties or additional fees. (Thanks jorge!).

I was planning on packing my Pro-39, to monitor the action, but I think I'll just monitor it from here, (If ya'll don't mind.)

The wife and son already left for her parents house for the weekend.

Soooooooo. It looks like I got the weekend free!

I win! I win! I WIN!!!!!!

Now don't ya'll go and die down there or anything! ;)

Good luck man. I'm pulling for Jorge to head out into the gulf.

allsafe

6857. Re: radio mounting in 98 Chevy Blazer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: markw@indy.net
Message-ID: <3604f5d9.12725383@news.indy.net>
Source record: 143132

Have you looked in Gall's http://www.gallsinc.com/ (request a
catalog)? I bought a center console for my Caprice which may work in
your truck. It holds three radio and is very sturdy. If the thieves
did get in it would take a few minutes to pry them out of there (buy
an alarm).

On Thu, 17 Sep 1998 22:15:27 -0700, "Harry Marnell"
<marnells@snowcrest.net> wrote:

>I'm about to purchase a 98 Chevy Blazer 4Dr with front bucket seats. Any
>suggestions on how best to mount a couple mobile radios (2m ham, scanner,
>maybe a CB)...want them within reach, but not too visible to would-be radio
>thieves. Commercial brackets? Under dash? Facing up between seats? Or??
>
>Thanks.
>
>******
>Harry Marnell, N6URU
>marnells@snowcrest.net
>
>"With email and the Internet it is now possible to get huge amounts of
>erroneous information in milliseconds"
>
>

6858. HT 2M Radio for sale/CB Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaronj@graphnet.com
Message-ID: <6ueq10$i4f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143133

Standard C156a 2M Ham Radio for Sale, 5 Watt output, very small size, rubber duckie antenna , manuals, with Packet Modem BayPac BP-2m. $140.00

Realistic CB 40 Radio with car antenna and 110V power supply for sale $40.00

The whole package deal for $160.00

I trade with trade direct at www.trade-direct.com

Aaron

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6859. Re: FCC Radio Service Rules ?'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6uenfqmgv0@207.18.224.101>
Source record: 143134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

On 24 Sep 1998 09:49:03 -0500, Ed Tobiasz <edt@popd.Accesscom.com>
wrote:

>> Ok, question one. We have a frequency listed as service code IW and it
>> is licensed as a fixed site, 10watt, pump telemetry system, at 173.2625
>> MHz. The license is still valid for only those parameters, but we no

>Question one. Depends how you have it listed on your license. If it has
>a
>station class of FXO that means that it is an operational FIXED station,
>no mobile operations allowed. you would have to modify your license to
>change the station class to MO (mobile) to be legal.
>
Yes, and no. It has to be narrowband, and the mobile power ERP has to
be 2 watts or less. So, in answer to the question, no.

>Question three. Yes, if you issue the user what is called a letter
>license. This letter authorizes the portable owner use of only the
>mobile
>side of the frequency pair for the term of your license. The letter must
>be
>reissued when you renew the license. The mobile count on the license
>must
>not exceed that on the license.

First off, there is no such thing as a "letter license". You can have
letter of authorization from the licensee, under specific terms, but
it is by no means a license.

Secondly, there would be no need for such a letter in this case,
employee provided equipment can be programmed up, and run,
as long as it is done within guidelines of the license.

6860. Re: G-Whiz ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6ueri6$2vb@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143135
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <360a6350.0@209.149.100.15>,
Guy Ross <guyross@cybrtyme.com> wrote:

>Where can I get this mod to monitor GE Erickson systems?

Contact:

Scanner Master, PO Box 428, Newton Highlands, MA 02161.
telephone 1-800-722-6701.

The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN
47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

6861. Re: Battery backup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bde826$8a27b020$a8685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143136
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

> I've got one of those battery packs that can be used to jump start a dead car battery that also has a 12 volt lighter plug on the face - when my power goes, I can run any of my scanners that will run on 12 volts for several hours with some simple cables I made with RS parts.
> I wouldn't want a vehicle-type lead acid battery inside the house - I'd be concerned about gases escaping and explosion danger.
> I've seen these types of battery packs advertised in one of the radio magazines - they'll cost more than the $18 you spent on that battery, but I'd feel safer with it.
> Dennis
> djmr26@bestweb.net

Jack <kryppy@bellsouth.net> wrote in article <36094627.62539362@news.bell.net>...
> With hurricane George threatening impending doom here...my mother
> called me up concerned about how she will use her 2005 and 895XLT
> if the power goes out during a large storm..anyway I went to discount
> autoparts and got a little lead acid motorcycle battery for $18! I've
> hooked it up to a 12v wall transformer (that actually puts out 18v no
> load) through some 1n914 diodes. So far after 2 hour's the diodes are
> cool and the battery is at 12.8 volts and powering the scanners real
> nice. Can I leave the transformer plugged in all the time without
> damaging the battery? Also, it has a vent tube that comes out the side
> and I've put it in a cup of water with a pinch of baking soda to try
> and catch any gas that comes out, do these batteries ever create
> enough vacuum to pull anything back in..not much has really come out
> anyway so I'll just have to wait and see. Thanks for any input!
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> -
>
> 26.1972800/-080.1707083
> Fort Lauderdale, FL
> http://broward.home.ml.org
>

6862. AR7000 IS HERE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerunl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924213803.28853.00000298@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143137

The long awaited AR7000 is available for sale in the U.S. You may contact us by e-mail or phone (650) 573-1624 for further info.

Glenn Cohen, Owner Scanners Unlimited
rec.radio.scanner

6863. Re: Pro-2006 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer1538@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924214450.06342.00001243@ng08.aol.com>
Source record: 143138

y would u need to reset it ??

6864. FS: BC 760XLT with PL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: fsmoyer@sgi.net
Message-ID: <360AF31C.52E1@sgi.net>
Source record: 143139

For Sale

BC760XLT with accessories, and ac adapter , PL board

1 year old

asking $150

reply via email
Frank Smoyer
fsmoyer@sgi.net

6865. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer1538@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924215112.06342.00001246@ng08.aol.com>
Source record: 143140

they use the road ch. of the tracks they are on and a few of their own in fargo n.d. it is 160.305 try searching or enter all r.r. freqs in your scanner, if it is fast u will hear anything they say regardless of what ch. they are on scan on

6866. Re: where the port. phone freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer1538@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924215342.06342.00001247@ng08.aol.com>
Source record: 143141

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46.61 to 46.97
43.72 to 44.48
920 to 928
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6867. Need freq for Orlando FL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Segal.nospam@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <360afd47.2254141@news.magicnet.net>
Source record: 143142

I would like to find the latest list of Freq. in the Orlando Area

Thanks
Bob segal
segal@magicnet.net

6868. Need Repair Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: visionlabs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924225136.22855.00001364@ng108.aol.com>
Source record: 143143

Please Help Me!
I Have An old Bearcat 160(pre-uniden) That works fine except it won't pick up anything. There are two violet jumpers on the back of board and one end of one is unhooked. I Get White noise from the speaker but it won't pick up anything even when tuned to a frequency with a known signal on it. Any help would be appreciated with this more than you know
thanks,
visionlabs@aol.com

6869. Re: NFL frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam C. Harrison" <aharrison@nospam.harrisonpc.com>
Message-ID: <aEDO1.5319$JW5.18123077@news.rdc1.md.home.com>
Source record: 143144
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

try 46.REDSKINS.SUCK

Jeff Seale wrote in message ...
>In article <MPG.1070b68cc64fb689989681@news.erols.com>, brents@erols.com
>says...
>> I am going to the Redskins game at the "BIG JACK" this weekend.
>> Looking for any info on the NFL frequencies used by the refs or
>> the quarterback's helmet radios.
>>
>> Thanks in advance
>>
>There are too many to list here, but they're all listed in "Beyond Police
>Call". Look in its nationwide business frequencies section.

6870. HERE WE GO AGAIN:ALINCO DJ-X10F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980924234435.16559.00001552@ng93.aol.com>
Source record: 143145

Mint condition with all the accs.$300.00. I pay for the shipping.skezzo@aol.com

6871. Re: FS: AOR 2500 2000channel scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: skezzo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925000441.28785.00001402@ng95.aol.com>
Source record: 143146

HAVE YOU SOLD THIS UNIT YET: PLEASE REPLY.

6872. Need SCR-610 mount

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeepguy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <360d1678.20080979@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143147

I need the following parts FT-250, FT419, FT-420. These are the mounts
for mounting SCR-610 WW2 radio to a jeep.
Thx
Tom

6873. R10/AOR8200/DJ-X10 SSB RX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <frank@mishey.com>
Message-ID: <6uf9r7$97k$1@news.internetsat.com>
Source record: 143148

Anyone compared the SSB receive between the R10, AOR 8200, and DJ-X10? I currently have a R10 and am not very pleased by the SSB receive on shortwave at all. I also find it impossible to decode any rtty or digital data modes of any sort or shortwave since the bandwidth seems to be too narrow to capture a large enough portion of the transmission to make any sense of it. I really would like to get the AOR 8200 since it can be computer controlled like the R10, but descent SSB receive is a must for me. I welcome any comments, thanks!

Frank

6874. How to program RS PRO-508?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6uf2l2$f6g$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 143149

I just bought an RS PRO-508 at a pawn shop. I won't say how much I paid for it.

It did not come with a manual and I hope some one of you out there in computerland can tell me how to program it.

I will be ordering a manual from our local dealer store but need to know NOW how to set in the channels.

Thanks
Bil
N7AOU
Prescott AZ
wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
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Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org

6875. Top 100 ham sites!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd*4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <360B4190.3175@qsl.net>
Source record: 143150
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.cb,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.mis,uk.radio.amateur

Top 100 ham sites @
http://www.webfringe.com/host/w5www/

Also visit:
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page.
Reviews on: Optoelectronics Cub frequency counter and CTP voice
De-scrambler.
Humor on "How to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S." organization
East Tennessee frequencies along with the general ones and pictures of
my equipment.

6876. Re: police CODES, where to find?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <360b55c1.58237148@news>
Source record: 143151

Try and call the p.d. that's ur interested in. Who knows, if they're
PR oriented they might tell u or they may have a "code book" to give
or sell u. I work for a law enforcement agency communications center
and we sell our official code book to the public for 2 or 3 bucks.
Which also list all the local public safety frequencies in our county.

Sam

On Wed, 23 Sep 1998 22:54:54 -0500, "ShortDog" <shortdog@arn.net>
wrote:

> please let me know the location for the FAQ if there is one available :)
>i apologize in advance if this is a repeat/common question...
>
> i'd like to find out what codes the local police here are using. i know
>the ten codes but these are different. they always say "code" before hand,
>for example, "code 50"
>
> any advice? thanks in advance :)
>
> oh by the way i live in a real small town in texas. i tried web
>searching but no luck...maybe there's a url that i didnt find?
>
> peace
>
> shortdog@arn.net
>
>
>

6877. Re: DES encryption question .WAV file attached (sorry!!) - cusrkey.wav (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: losergeek@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <losergeek-2509980609020001@1cust157.tnt1.syracuse.ny.da.uu.net>
Source record: 143152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I must have an evil mind. Steal two, swap the guts and replace one, hehe.

In article <3607A3CC.4109@usa.nobulkemail.net>, Brian Varine
<Witch*Dr@usa.nobulkemail.net> wrote:

> No, every radio has a smaller "hash" key which is yet another key. It's
> unique to the radio so when the OTAR is sent, it's sent to each radio.
> If a radio is lost, they just tell the computer and the radio in
> question will never receive the new code.

Visit the "Little web server," || Also my other pages:
A Mac SE serving the web, at: || http://www.lpl.org/people/gianni
http://149.96.1.33 || http://149.96.1.135

6878. Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925070135.12824.00002681@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 143153

In another post, Zombie Wolf claims that the CE232 can receive cellular telephone calls. I don't believe this is true and when I said so, he replied that I did not know what I was talking about.

So, would an owner of this interface please settle this point for us? Thanks.

6879. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pturton@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <360b8111.171777125@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143154

I did not catch the original post but to answer this question...

The CE232 is an interface between a scanner and computer. It cannot receive or process any RF signals.

The CE232 can program your compatible scanners, Pro-2004, 2005 & 2006 to receive any frequencies that they can normally receive or have been modified to receive. Other scanners can be programmed with the CE232 but only the Pro-2004, 5 & 6 give bi-directional flow of data so that the scanner CPU data is displayed and controlled by this interface with appropriate software.

The CE232 does not add any frequencies to these scanners. With a minor modification (snip a diode) the Pro-2004, 5 & 6 can receive the cell frequencies which can be programmed manually or with the CE232.

The CE232 with appropriate software can bounce the scanner from the handset frequency to the cell-site frequency durring a search of the cell handset frequencies.

Paul

malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>In another post, Zombie Wolf claims that the CE232 can receive cellular
>telephone calls. I don't believe this is true and when I said so, he replied
>that I did not know what I was talking about.
>
>So, would an owner of this interface please settle this point for us? Thanks.
>

6880. Re: MN Air Guard?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925083041.20647.00009873@ng88.aol.com>
Source record: 143155

If you're interested in monitoring military communications you need to join MilCom, the military monitoring e-mail listserver.

To join, send an e-mail message to: majordomo@qth.net
In the subject put: milcom
In the text area put: subscribe milcom

That's all there is to it. You should start receiving messages within a few hours.
To post a message to the list members address it to milcom@qth.net
We have members all over the country, in Europe and Japan.
For help finding frequencies in your area just post a message stating your location
and requesting frequency help and you should get some answers.

John Ward

6881. Re: bc895xlt does not track

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925084054.12821.00002705@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 143156

Hi Group,
I have one that works Flawlessly too...It took me a while to understand the instructions and a couple of calls to Lentini Communications in Newington CT but I gotthe knack of programming it...also be aware of the fact it will only trunk track Motorola Systems...Hartford CT is trunked but with a GE system and it doesnt work...the only thing about it that is flaky are the directions.....John
John W Gardner

6882. Re: Winradio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jo <postmaster@cfi.es>
Message-ID: <360B8E7F.93EE4D16@cfi.es>
Source record: 143157

I Too
I just received Winradio, and suggestion or comments are welcome

Dan Oppenheim escribiï¿½:

> Hello,
>
> I just ordered a Winradio 1000i. Should have it tomorrow. Anyone here have
> one, and if so, any advice? What type of antenna is being used, freq.
> selection, etc?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Dan Oppenheim

6883. Re: Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bde88b$a7196740$33685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143158

> I would guess it's on the 49Mhz lowpower 2way band.

dave archer <Mrchess@webtv.net> wrote in article
<24246-36035B6D-92@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
> I was at a high school foot ball game
> the coach was wearing a radio head set
> no cord or anything attached to the radio
> dose any body have a possible frequence
> that could be on
> Thanks
> Dave
>
> born to be wild (thats my theam)
>
>

6884. BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcvertex@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925095413.02560.00000173@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 143159

Anyone know of any Mods for the BC895XLT OR a web site that offers the BC895XLT mods?

6885. Icom R-10 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon <sm@mishey.com>
Message-ID: <6ug8li$s89$1@news.internetsat.com>
Source record: 143160

I have a barely used Icom R-10 wideband receiver with manuals, charger and optional LC-140 case that I bought and really have not had the chance to play with much, and am willing to sell for $375. Shipping will be included in price, email me if interested.

Shannon

6886. anyone have the web address for CEI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdwhee@flash.net
Message-ID: <6ug8q9lca2@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 143161

Anyone have the web address for CEI??

6887. Re: BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: BayCitVidGrp <myway@netcom.com>
Message-ID: <360BA990.796A78FA@netcom.com>
Source record: 143162

RCvertex wrote:

> Anyone know of any Mods for the BC895XLT OR a web site that offers the BC895XLT
> mods?

There it is: the need for the CHEEK guy.

Look what a blunder has been done by one idiot-one wimp
in keeping the Cheek guy off this NG.

Hey mackeral of royal stinkness....what is the answer to this question?

bill conduit
etc.

6888. Re: BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925112219.17811.00003085@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143163

<<BC895XLT OR a web site that offers the BC895XLT
> mods?

There it is: the need for the CHEEK guy.

Look what a blunder has been done by one idiot-one wimp
in keeping the Cheek guy off this NG.
>>
Ok...I gotta ask...What the hell happened to Bill Cheek? And just whom is keeping him off the NG? I missed it all....

John W Gardner

6889. Re: Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <360db659.4144166@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143164

On Fri, 25 Sep 1998 13:50:57 GMT, "Dennis" <djmr26@bestweb.net> wrote:

>> I would guess it's on the 49Mhz lowpower 2way band.
>
>dave archer <Mrchess@webtv.net> wrote in article
><24246-36035B6D-92@newsd-161.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
>> I was at a high school foot ball game
>> the coach was wearing a radio head set
>> no cord or anything attached to the radio
>> dose any body have a possible frequence
>> that could be on
>> Thanks
>> Dave
>>
>> born to be wild (thats my theam)
>>
>>

Ok, it's all I can stands cuz I can't stands no more.
It's spelled THEME.
And Dennis is right, probably a 49mhz headset....check the baby
monitor/cordless phone freqs.

The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

6890. FS: Radio Shack Pro 26 and Pro 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: skanman <skanman@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bde89d$f3db7fc0$f9e437a6@mycomputer.nando.net>
Source record: 143165
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.scanner,phl.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,triangle.forsale

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Pro 26 200 channel portable scanner
Euro logic board (full coverage with cell)
Also includes original mint cond. logic board
Nice leather case.
Original ant,manual,box.
Disc. out jack
Mint condition.
$300 plus shipping

Pro 51 200 channel scanner
telescoping ant.
belt clip
Service and owner's manual
Disc output
excellent cond.
$150 plus shipping
email skanman@mci2000.com
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6891. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: phred2600@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925121331.17811.00003135@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143166

If I remember correctly, the guy in Denver who used a modified ham HT to call for help on a police repeater had his rig confiscated, even though he received kudos for taking the action he did. Why? Because his action under Part 97 did not negate the fact that it's ILLEGAL to modify a ham (or any) transmitter to operate out-of-band. What you end up doing is violating type-acceptance. The exception of course is that another service's equipment can be modified for the Amateur Service.

So no one should be surprised at the possible consequences if you do end up calling the cops on their freqs.

>Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>>::ahem:: No amateur station is prevented from using any means of
>communications
>>necessary.
>
>"...at its disposal...", not "necessary" - don't add your own words
>to the FCC's regulations. Now, if you're able to think in a legalistic
>sense, ask yourself what equipment would be at the disposal of an
>"amateur station."
>
>I've written to the FCC regarding this matter - I'll post their
>reply to finally settle this issue.
>
>Jeff
>
>

6892. Any more Pro-64s for sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Daze <superradio@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6uggrt$ib9$1@dbtsvr2.dbtech.net>
Source record: 143167
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Ever since I heard about the Pro-64 being closed out for under $100, I got on the phone and started calling Radio Shacks. There's none available within 200 miles of me. One local franchise had one for $299. When I told him that it was being closed out, he offered it to me for $199. Too high. Does anyone know where I can find one of these radios new for <$100?

superradio@yahoo.com

6893. Re: BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925124755.20884.00007156@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143168

>From: buggiecar@aol.com

><<BC895XLT OR a web site that offers the BC895XLT
>> mods?

>There it is: the need for the CHEEK guy.

Naw, Cheek would ask the guy what sort of mods he was looking for...

>Look what a blunder has been done by one idiot-one wimp in keeping the Cheek guy off this NG.

Let's not start this again. No one is keeping him off. He chooses not to participate. That's the difference.

6894. Re: uniden/bearcat 895 FS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <360BD558.25B11FB8@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143169

DDubsky wrote:

> fs uniden/bearcat 895 t-tracker. brand new unopened box. i bought two ! and i
> donot need the 2rd scanner! is brand new. 300.00.plus $ 10.00 shipping. no
> trades. if any questions ?. please e-mail me. ddubsky@aol.com
>
> we live in oxnard, ca. thanks

The worst part is, it'll sell too. Remember what Barnum said.....

Yikes.

-Phil

6895. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobodies@home.now
Message-ID: <360bc70c.41880451@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143170

On 25 Sep 1998 11:01:35 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>In another post, Zombie Wolf claims that the CE232 can receive cellular
>telephone calls. I don't believe this is true and when I said so, he replied
>that I did not know what I was talking about.
>
>So, would an owner of this interface please settle this point for us? Thanks.
>
>

The Ce-232 does nothing to the tuning range or modes in the scanner.
It is not like an opto board, which replaces the scanners cpu with its
own while it is engaged.

FWIW I own both a Ce 232 on a 2006 and an OPTO 535 on a 2042.

For a 2004 2005 2006 I think the CE232 is a better choice than an OPTO
456, especially now that the full version is discontinued. The Ce 232
can be put together for much less $ by a good scrounger, and it has
much better home brew expansion capabilities.

For any other scanner model, don't bother with a Ce 232. For any
scanner except a PRO 2004, 2005, 2006, a Ce 232 won't do anything
more than a cheap Programmit interface will do.

6896. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif. Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <360BD75A.FD1FDFC0@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143171
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.activism.community,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Shawn Cory wrote:

> NOTE: Timothy Lanni was a 7 year old boy who panicked when he realized that
> missed his stop. He got off wrong stop then darted into the street
> where he died after getting hit by a car.
> ---

So basically what we are saying here is because Timothy was dumb all must pay.....

My children are only 3 and 1 respectively, and they both already know not to enter any street without first looking for cars in both directions. Maybe there ought to be a "stupid parents" law instead.

I am constantly amazed at the sheer number of stupid pedestrians and bicyclists who see the oncoming car and still force the issue of "right of way" (which most don't have in the first place). Combine that with the number of clueless morons who drive their vehicles like ballistic missiles thru school zones and we end up with stupid unenforceable laws and more dead kids.

-Phil

6897. Re: Need freqs for CA Intl Airshow, Salinas CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: clarkm@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <clarkm-2509981113420001@192.168.2.101>
Source record: 143172

In article <19980923170520.23122.00000622@ng98.aol.com>, boeing377@aol.com (BOEING377) wrote:

>CA Int'l Airshow will take place at Salinas CA this weekend. Anyone have
>likely UHF AM freqs for Thunbderbirds and Snowbirds? Airboss or other
>interesting freqs? Pls cc my email (boeing377@aol.com) when posting responses.
> Thanks for any tips.

This was posted a little while ago.

Thunderbirds
66.900 - GROUND OPS
114.950
118.100 - REPORTED OPS
118.200 - REPORTED OPS
120.450 - OPERATIONS
123.400 - AIRSHOW COMMON
123.450 - AIR TO AIR CHIT CHAT
124.920
134.100 - REPORTED OPS
138.875 - REPORTED OPS
140.000 - REPORTED OPS
140.400 - AIR TO AIR TAC AND GROUND CHIT CHAT
141.300 - REPORTED OPS
141.850 - VICTOR 1 PRIMARY
142.000
143.100 - GROUND OPERATIONS
143.5875
143.850 - VICTOR 2 SECONDARY
148.175
148.550 - REPORTED OPS
148.850 - REPORTED OPS
235.250 - T-BIRD CONTROL (TEAM LEADER)
236.550 - SOLOS 5 AND 6 AIR TO AIR
236.600 - AIR TO AIR
241.400 - REPORTED AIR TO AIR
250.850 - REPORTED LEADER CUES
263.550 - SOLOS
273.500 - F2
273.850 - REPORTED OPS
283.500 - F3
294.700 - REPORTED OPS (AIR TO AIR)
295.700 - F1
319.700 - REPORTED OPS
322.300 - F4

322.600 - F5
322.950 - T-BIRD REPLY TO TEAM LEADER AND SOLOS
382.900 - F6
392.900 - REPORTED OPS
394.000 - F7
413.000
413.025 - GROUND OPS F1
413.100 - GROUND OPS F2
Snowbirds Frequencies
141.850 - AIR TO AIR
275.800 - CHANNEL 1
295.600 - CHANNEL 2
310.800 - CHANNEL 3
227.600 - CHANNEL 4
243.400 - CHANNEL 5
240.500 - CHANNEL 6
378.500 - CHANNEL 7
266.300 - CHANNEL 8
294.500 - CHANNEL 9
322.800 - CHANNEL 10
245.700 - CHANNEL 11
316.500 - CHANNEL 12
344.500 - CHANNEL 13
356.600 - CHANNEL 14
236.600 - CHANNEL 15
283.900 - CHANNEL 16
363.800 - CHANNEL 17
289.400 - CHANNEL 18
245.000 - CHANNEL 19
239.800 - CHANNEL 20
278.800 - CHANNEL 21
227.650 - CHANNEL 22
266.310 - CHANNEL 23
294.700 - CHANNEL 24
321.700 - CHANNEL 25
344.400 - CHANNEL 26
356.600 - CHANNEL 27
236.800 - CHANNEL 28
282.800 - CHANNEL 29
245.500 - CHANNEL 30
239.900 - CHANNEL 31
299.900 - CHANNEL 32
381.800 - EMERGENCY
413.025 - GROUND CREW
Airshow Common Frequencies (Check Itinerant Frequencies Also)
122.725 - UNICOM/Non-Public
122.750 - Air to Air UNICOM
122.775
122.850 - MULTICOM/Federal
123.100

123.400
123.450
126.400 - Show Time Control
120.450 - Stunt Coordination
123.450 - Stunt Coordination
122.920 - Talk Through PA System
133.850 - Airshow Control
122.950 - UNICOM
123.125 -TO- 123.575 FLIGHT TEST
122.675 -TO- 123.000 MISC
WAYNE HANLEY
122.725
SEAN TUCKER
122.950
122.975
SALINAS AIRPORT
CTAF: 119.4
UNICOM: 122.95
ATIS: 124.85
GROUND: 121.7
TOWER: 119.4
TOWER: 239.3
MONTEREY APPROACH/DEPARTURE: 133.0
Local PD
159.21
460.3
460.35
460.375
460.5
460.175
42.34 (CHP)
42.46 (CHP)
42.54 (CHP)
Local Fire
154.205
154.175
154.28
154.37
154.995
Other Local
154.04
156.165
453.5
Media
450.02
450.6
450.65
450.7
450.8
450.9

455.02
455.6
455.65
455.7
455.9
455.99

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"I'm a designated driver on the Information Super Highway"

6898. ? ABOUT BC200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlewis8687@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925143902.11119.00001841@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143173

THE SCANNER CURRENTLY COVERS FREQS
29.0 - 54
118 - 174
406 - 512
806 - 824
849 - 869
894 - 956

THESE NUMBERS ARE ROUNDED OFF...NOW MY QUESTION IS...CAN THE BC200XLT GAIN ACCESS TO MORE FREQUENCIES THROUGH MODIFICATION???..BESIDES THE CELLULAR PHONE FREQS...I ALREADY HAVE MODIFIED IT TO GET THOSE....I WANT TO KNOW IF I CAN GET SOME OF THE LOWER FREQUENCY STUFF LIKE THE FREQ RANGE 175-405...ARE ANY OF THESE BANDS ABLE TO OPEN UP BY REMOVING SOMETHING LIKE I DID FOR THE CELLULAR FREQS??? A EMAIL WOULD BE APPRECIATED...THANKS...OR YOU COULD JUST REPLY TO THIS..THANKS :)

6899. how to order for France

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: noel <f1tzf@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <6ugpp6iht1@front1.grolier.fr>
Source record: 143174
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Hi everybody !

I'm a new french addict to this forum and also some others about radio & scanner.
After some visits on the web, in Ham-radio dealers, I noticed that prices are really lower than in France.
For example: the difference for a AOR 8000 is about 150$.
So I'm tempted to order a scanner or TX/RX. I'm really insterested by the IC Q7 ,the new ICOM handheld.
Then I'd like to have information from users about birdies,intermodulation,& so on....
An other question,how import a device into France? How much is the shipping,taxes...

About scanning in france,it's not very interesting if we compare with reports in USA.
800/900 Mhz is very busy whereas here it's the desert, there is only GSM phone.
So the pleasure "to trunk" is a dream for us.We have functions of our devices but there are useless.
For information here is a freq plan : 66-84 =>various users :taxis,prived communications,....

84-87.5=>police,firemen,ambulances (main band)

108-136.5=>civil aircraft

136.5-144=>MIL aviation
144-146 => 2
M band
146-150 =>
empty
150-156 =>
like 66/84
156-162
=>VHF marine ,various broadcast in gaps
162-166
=>Various users

169.3-169.9=> Alphanum paging system with E.R.M.E.S norm (400

characters per MSG)."TAMTAM"&"KOBBY" brands

170-176=>Various users

210-215=>Old analogic phone system in Paris which is

disappearring (Radiocomm 2000)
220-380=>
MIL UHF aviation
418-420=>
Various com
424-428=>
Radiocomm 2000 national range (same 210/215)
430-440=> 70
cm ham band , LPD devices within.

441.5-443.5=>SFR analogic mobile phone

443.5-447=>miscellaneous

464-466=>police,firemen in Paris & big cities

466-466.3=>Alphanum paging "TATOO" system by FRANCE

TELECOM public service. only 80 characters.

466.1-470=>Miscellaneous including railway service.
470-890=>UHF
TV main use.
890-915=>GSM
phone. mobile to base (FTelecom / SFR prived)
935-960=>GSM
phone. base to mobile.

1710-1785=>DCS phone .To base \

1805-1880=>DCS phone. To mobile/ Bouyges Telecom (prived)
From 1st
january 1999 FTelecom & SFR could use 1.8 Ghz

I hope that some people enjoy this plan even it's useless for you.I'd like
knowing yours.
Waiting for answers all my best 73's :-)

Excuse me for mistakes :-)

f1tzf@club-internet.fr

6900. Re: Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3wtf@cyberix.com
Message-ID: <360c008e.2275090@news.cyberix.com>
Source record: 143175

Could also be on the interent freqs. like blue dot , red dot and so on
Some listings have these listed as roaming freqs

6901. Re: BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925153303.09305.00003025@ng65.aol.com>
Source record: 143176

Ohh? And the mod I am looking for is the cell restoration....John
John W Gardner

6902. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3612f71f.11764426@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143177

On Fri, 25 Sep 1998 11:56:49 GMT, pturton@iaw.on.ca wrote:

>The CE232 with appropriate software can bounce the scanner from the handset
>frequency to the cell-site frequency durring a search of the cell handset
>frequencies.

Now your os456and maybe even os535 can do this also, and for free!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6903. WTB: Portable Scanner W/ Cellular Receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6zgp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925160601.21105.00001105@ng81.aol.com>
Source record: 143178

Must be in good condition
200 channels
VHF/UHF/AIR
Bryan Herbert
BLH Communications-owner
Magic Mountain-Parking Lot Attendant / Tram Operator
Amateur Radio-KE6ZGP
LA Co. Disaster Communications Service-F-150
Civil Air Patrol-YOSEMITE 845

6904. Re: BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3613f7b6.11915947@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143179

On 25 Sep 1998 15:22:19 GMT, buggiecar@aol.com (BUGGIE CAR) wrote:

> Look what a blunder has been done by one idiot-one wimp
> in keeping the Cheek guy off this NG.
>>>
>Ok...I gotta ask...What the hell happened to Bill Cheek? And just whom is
>keeping him off the NG? I missed it all....

Look, DON't ASK! If you really want to know goto www.dejanews.com and
do a search for mackey!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6905. Re: Any more Pro-64s for sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6ugt1m$76c$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 143180
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Radio Daze wrote:
> Those bargain days are over, sorry about that. If you want one
you will have to pay what ever the seller wants. I picked up 2 of
them, which I will sell if I get at least $195 each.....jerr

> Ever since I heard about the Pro-64 being closed out for under $100, I got
> on the phone and started calling Radio Shacks. There's none available within
> 200 miles of me. One local franchise had one for $299. When I told him that
> it was being closed out, he offered it to me for $199. Too high. Does anyone
> know where I can find one of these radios new for <$100?
>
> superradio@yahoo.com

6906. WTB: Portable Scanner W/ Cell Receive or Capability

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6zgp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925161331.21105.00001107@ng81.aol.com>
Source record: 143181

Must be in good condition
200 channels
Current owner must live in SoCal and available for inspection
will pay up to $200.00

Contact:
Bryan Herbert
(805) 253-2611

6907. 2 CENTS& BAD JUDGEMENT FROM KRYPPY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925164236.22689.00001759@ng147.aol.com>
Source record: 143182

WELL THERE'S PLENTY OF FOOLS WHO HAVE MADE GOOD DEALS WITHOUT USING YOUR METHODOF PAYMENT INCLUDING MYSELF(YOU'RE SUPRISE I BET).
Also realize this,I'm not in this for fun of it not to make a living . So I won't and don't have a sell you anything(Thank God). Keep your two cents in your pocket and not on the boards.Policing people you do not know. You should at least know a person before passing yourwonderful judgement around.I've had nothing but good dealing on this NG and packet radio for the pass years while selling and trading equipment.Guess what and you can't change that Because I have established myself as a honest person and has never ripped or been ripped off.
There's one thing you're correct about i dont know anything about spaming So you got me there.
What else?????????????

6908. Re: Fraud DONT CALL YOURSELF A FRAUD/KRYPPY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925164553.22689.00001761@ng147.aol.com>
Source record: 143183

ONE MORE THING THERE NO NEED TO CALL YOUR SELF A FRAUD. bECAUSE YOU COULDNT BE
REFERING TO ME IF YOU ARE WHO DID I FRAUD? MR. POLICEMAN
MR JUDGEMENT MR RIGHT

6909. San Diego Scanner Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <donw@nna.tel>
Message-ID: <2iTO1.24$Zh1.335985@news.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 143184

Southern California 911 has moved to http://24.4.72.154. Check us out for frequencies and radio system information for 10 Southern California counties, including San Diego, Los Angeles, Orange and more. We also feature a live scanner feed of the San Diego Police Department, and numerous links to other scanner feeds.

6910. Los Angeles Scanner Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <donw@nna.tel>
Message-ID: <AiTO1.25$Zh1.336279@news.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 143185

Southern California 911 has moved to http://24.4.72.154. Check us out for frequencies and radio system information for 10 Southern California counties, including San Diego, Los Angeles, Orange and more. We also feature a live scanner feed of the San Diego Police Department, and numerous links to other scanner feeds.

6911. Southern California 911 Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <donw@nna.tel>
Message-ID: <RiTO1.26$Zh1.336396@news.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 143186

Southern California 911 has moved to http://24.4.72.154. Check us out for frequencies and radio system information for 10 Southern California counties, including San Diego, Los Angeles, Orange and more. We also feature a live scanner feed of the San Diego Police Department, and numerous links to other scanner feeds.

6912. Scanner Frequencies For Southern California

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <donw@nna.tel>
Message-ID: <9jTO1.27$Zh1.336587@news.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 143187

Southern California 911 has moved to http://24.4.72.154. Check us out for frequencies and radio system information for 10 Southern California counties, including San Diego, Los Angeles, Orange and more. We also feature a live scanner feed of the San Diego Police Department, and numerous links to other scanner feeds.

6913. Frequency Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <donw@nna.tel>
Message-ID: <kjTO1.28$Zh1.336693@news.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 143188

Southern California 911 has moved to http://24.4.72.154. Check us out for frequencies and radio system information for 10 Southern California counties, including San Diego, Los Angeles, Orange and more. We also feature a live scanner feed of the San Diego Police Department, and numerous links to other scanner feeds.

6914. Re: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Winston Smith <winston@psicorps.com>
Message-ID: <360c0356.0@news.tislink.com>
Source record: 143189

The information that you are looking for can be found at
<http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Hollow/4346/2003_bc895_tap.html>

Win

Clifton Turner wrote in message <3603208a.1706956@news.prodigy.net>...
>On Tue, 15 Sep 1998 23:10:36 -0400, "David L Litz" <dlitz@wdn.com>
>wrote:
>
>>Does anybody no how to get the descriminating audio out of the scanner? I
>>would like to use it to decode some signaling.
>>
>>David
>>
> The posts that are in this thread are not the best choice for
>discriminator tap point. Greg Knox posted a message and a JPG file
>concerning this. If someone would provide a place to archive this, I
>would be glad to email it to that person. I don't think that Mr. Knox
>would mind.
>
>The jpg was originally posted to alt.binaries.pictures.radio
>
>Clifton Turner KF5OJ
>

6915. Pro-2003 Page Announced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Winston Smith <winston@psicorps.com>
Message-ID: <360c03ec.0@news.tislink.com>
Source record: 143190

The (Unofficial) Radio Shack® Pro-2003 Scanner HomePage can be found at
http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Hollow/4346/2003.html

Please email any applicable content that is appropriate to the page's
subject matter.

Win

6916. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <360C03E2.3F54FC45@arn.net>
Source record: 143191

If any one out there has the Feburary 96 issue, I would
like a copy of the article. Email it or fax it.
Thanks.
Larry

Larry wrote:

> Hi gang,
> I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
> get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
> frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
> Can anyone help?
> Thanks,
> Larry

6917. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shaun Whitman <lstrain@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eai98vM69GA.185@upnetnews03>
Source record: 143192

If you got the space in your scanner, type in all 97 AAR frequencies.

Shaun Whitman
lstrain@email.msn.com
http://jerseyrails.railfan.net

dave archer wrote in message
<1144-36090C28-1@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
I might be taking a train ride on Amtrack
from Seattle to Walla Walla.
Does anybody have any frequenceies for
AMTRACK???
thank You

born to be wild (thats my theam)

6918. optotracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: criminalcourt@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1075d9f4580dc575989682@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 143193

Is anyone using this yet ? i cant seem to get mine to trunk track please e-mail with your comments. I am using it with a icom 8500.

Thanks Fred

6919. Re: optotracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925181539.17715.00002936@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143194

>From: criminalcourt@yahoo.com (fred)

>Is anyone using this yet ? i cant seem to get mine to trunk track please
>e-mail with your comments. I am using it with a icom 8500.
>

I'm not using one, but I sure would like to hear what you have to say about the Icom 8500! Is it all that it appears to be? I'm planning to buy one when I win the lottery (should be any day now).

6920. chicago area frequencys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: DIFFERENT DRUMMER <evencent1@midway.uchicago.edu>
Message-ID: <360C12BD.5F2CAADA@midway.uchicago.edu>
Source record: 143195

anyone know were i can get a list of chicago area frequencys over net ?

6921. Motorola Hex Uniden Dec

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mm505@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6uh59c$ms6$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143196

Would like a complete list of Uniden codes & their equivelant Motorola codes for trunking.

/\/\|k.e

6922. Trade for Late Sony SW77

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6uh85mrj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a Drake R8, a 3 mo. old Bearcat 3000xlt, OR a 9 mo old Sangean ATS818 to trade for a mint, late Sony SW77. The R8 has two loose knobs but works perfect. Make an offer.

Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6923. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uh5pl$hk4$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143198

I want to see that post. Could you please re-post it for us ? If you don`t have it (and you damn well DON`T.) then you just hustle your little butt right over to deja news and GET it , will you ? (Don`t search too long, you`ll get scabs on your butt).

So I made a liitle mistake about the 2035. Why don`t you make a federal case out of it, looney ? Most of my info on this group has been accurate (which is more than I can say for yours.) On a crusade ? geta life . Like I told you when you had the nerve to accost me via e-mail, when you give no respect, you get none. You don`t have a good word for anyone on here. You usually draft a nasty reply to anyone who wants to know anything on here. Don`t believe it ? Well, while you`re cruising over at dejanews, check out your posts for the last 6 months or so, I did.......
The only reason you had to start championing the Programmit was that I mentioned Cheek`s interface in the first place. Yeh, I think you are on a crusade here......
MAlexder wrote in message <19980925070135.12824.00002681@ng67.aol.com>...
>
>In another post, Zombie Wolf claims that the CE232 can receive cellular
>telephone calls. I don't believe this is true and when I said so, he
replied
>that I did not know what I was talking about.
>
>So, would an owner of this interface please settle this point for us?
Thanks.
>
>

6924. Un-listed frequency guide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6uh5bdlmv1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 143199

Listening-Post.

This site is dedicated to scanner radio hobbists
who are frequency hunters. On here you will find
lists of Ontario radio frequencies that are not
listed on any web page, published in any
scannner book ie. Haruteq or Scantrix) or listed
on a government web page Industry Canada's
TAFL. This list is all based on research.

www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org

We at listening-post always searching for new
information. Should you have any aditional
information that you wish be published.

Submit forms available text format: submit

www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/freque~1.txt

Submit your entry via your web-browser:

www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/submit~1.htm

Any questions/comments please email:
Jmedica@listening-post.dyn.ml.org

John Medica - System adminstrator

6925. Re: chicago area frequencys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JPS <jps@mc.net>
Message-ID: <360C1E63.F470BAFD@mc.net>
Source record: 143200

Yes, check out this site
carefully.....http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

Chip

DIFFERENT DRUMMER wrote:

> anyone know were i can get a list of chicago area frequencys over net ?

6926. Re: Emergency Transmissions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XacayX.com.au
Message-ID: <360c25bd.1236689@news.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement

"Ken M." <pobox-dc@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

:Just Cause wrote:
:
:> Mine and the Governments:
:> Only using a part 97 form of communications. Not part 90 or 85 or any of the
:> other services. Read again, this is for part 97 rules..... If you use a
:> public service frequency and you are not licensed to be there then you run
:> the risk of being prosecuted. Part 97 does not save your "ass" when you do
:> this.
:
:The whole purpose here is to save someone else's "ass" -- not mine.

I thought the idea was to save human lives.

:I wonder if a cop was being mugged or shot, if they would prosecute me?

What if the cop didn't own an ass?

:(ken)

6927. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925194719.12821.00003323@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 143202

>From: "Zombie Wolf"

>I want to see that post. Could you please re-post it for us ? If you don`t have it (and you damn well DON`T.) then you just hustle your little butt >right over to deja news and GET it , will you ? (Don`t search too long, you`ll get scabs on your butt).

Well, here it is Zombie, read it and weep:

Subject: Re: Cell on 2035
From: "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Date: 9/24/98 3:56 PM Eastern Daylight Time
Message-id: <6ue8l9$5s4$1@garnet.mint.net>

If you get an interface for it , it will do cell direct. Get in touch with

bcheek@cts.com

Larry wrote in message <360A71A1.4B105A50@arn.net>...
>Hi gang,
>I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
>get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
>frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
>Can anyone help?
>Thanks,
>Larry
>

> Most of my info on this group has been accurate (which is more than I can say for yours.)

Naw, you've been spouting complete nonsense when you now the self-appointed advertising agency for Bill Cheek. You've been posting and reposting his stuff as though you were Moses with clay tablets in hand.

> Like I told you when you had the nerve to accost me via e-mail, when you give no respect, you get none.

Naw, I sent you via e-mail a copy of a post that I made here. That isn't accosting you by any stretch of the imagination, including a warp pea-brain like yours. You also sent me a wacko reply, which you began by telling me that I need not reply because you already filtered it (along with my newsgroup posts, which you claim not to ever read). Aside from being a coward, you're also a blatant liar. Respect you? You're a piece of doo-doo on the bottom of a cow's hoof.

>The only reason you had to start championing the Programmit was that I mentioned Cheek`s interface in the first place. Yeh, I think you are on a

crusade here......

Naw, if you weren't so new around here, you'd know that I have been a long-time advocate of the PROgramit interface. I happen to think that it is a worthwhile product. I'm less impressed with the CE232, something that I have told Bill Cheek on several occasions. He doesn't seem to soil his drawers over it, so why do you?

See ya, wouldn't want to be ya!

6928. TV Audio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Brown <cdb@provide.net>
Message-ID: <360C44FA.F51FA1A2@provide.net>
Source record: 143203

I came across a list some time ago that had all of the audio channel frequencies for broadcast television. Handy when stuck at the airport or in traffic and want to listen to the local news.

Anybody know where it is on the 'net??

6929. Fauquier County VA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel J Velez <dvelez@citizen.infi.net>
Message-ID: <6uhgcq$ub2$1@nw001t.infi.net>
Source record: 143204

Help! Looking for scanner freqs for this area...plenty for Fairfax, etc,
but my sources run dry for the Warrenton area.

Tnx
Dan

6930. UNIDEN BC895 TRUNKING SCANNER F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: YOUKNOWIT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11614-360C4CB0-8@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143205

This new item was just taken out of the box.Decided trunking just wasn't for me.Have everything-box,manual and can put it back like it was new.$200 shipped in US.Will ship it UPS.Please let me know if you are interested.

6931. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <6uh0jq$73p$1@fnord.systemsoft.com>
Source record: 143206

Please stop spreading misinformation, next you'll be neck
and neck with the good times virus email.

It is NOT illegal to modify a HAM HT to go 'out of band' ,
with the exception of 'phone' frequencies. It is illegal to
USE it out of band. BIG DIFFERENCE!!

Besides, it's like carrying a gun. If and when the time
comes when you really do need it, if the need is sufficient,
who gives a hoot what the law is.

I'd GLADLY sacrifice a radio if it just mitigated one of my
kids suffering by even a few seconds! Who gives a shit
what the law is if my kids in pain! Right?

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

>
>If I remember correctly, the guy in Denver who used a modified ham HT to
call
>for help on a police repeater had his rig confiscated, even though he
received
>kudos for taking the action he did. Why? Because his action under Part 97
did
>not negate the fact that it's ILLEGAL to modify a ham (or any) transmitter
to
>operate out-of-band. What you end up doing is violating type-acceptance.
The
>exception of course is that another service's equipment can be modified for
the
>Amateur Service.
>
>So no one should be surprised at the possible consequences if you do end up
>calling the cops on their freqs.
>

6932. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uit8g$or7$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143080

You mean "anti - FLAKE". don`t you, Healey. Still stinging from when you made a fool out of yourself recently? Well, don`t worry , you`re about to do it again.....

By the way, posting things to homo news groups won`t impress me a bit. My wife of 26 years knows damn well different, so don`t waste your time. Does the word "butt" have some "special meaning" for you, Healey ? Well, I think that is YOUR problem.

Sorry. I am not Bill Cheek. But thanks for the compliment. Bill Cheek doesn`t live on the east coast.......

6933. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: smakkyIHATESPAM@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6uivum$7ic$1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143081
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

copwatch@usa.net (Tom Sparks) wrote in response to:

>Captain Crimefighter <"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com>
>bravely declared in alt.thebird.copwatch:

>>SoCal Agencies Ponder 311 to Reduce 911 Calls...

Personally, I wonder if having another "national number" for non-emergent calls is the answer to reducing non-emergent calls on 9-1-1.

Not too long ago prior to the implementation of 9-1-1, seven digit dial numbers were painted on police cars, fire trucks, ambulances. These numbers were publicized in several forms and many agencies had "non-emergency" or "other business" numbers in the directory.

My doubts about 3-1-1 are based on:

* Everyone's emergency is subjective. Unless WE educate the public as to what WE expect them to perceive as an emergency, we will be receiving barking dog and blocked driveway complaints on 9-1-1 forever- no matter what other numbers are available to call.

* 3-1-1 is an expensive proposition for most places, especially for those that are struggling to get 9-1-1 online or are upgrading from their first generation of enhanced signalling.

* Public safety entities must pay (or impose a surcharge, user fee or tax) to subsidize the operation of 9-1-1. What will this rise to if the public's expectation of standard of care rises to 3-1-1? The Commission's findings are that the 9-1-1 authority is the customer and must ultimately pay for mandated new technology, like mobile telephone interconnection into 9-1-1 and radiolocation. Don't look for industry subsidies even though safety aspects are a major revenue producing point for them and telecommunications is a billion$ industry.

From where I stand, once we developed 9-1-1 and pushed for the national emergency number concept, most places abandoned any public education as to what IS and what ISN'T an emergency, and along with it, stopped publicizing their alternate emergency reporting and "other business" lines. 3-1-1 could easily be 945-0205 in a community, if it was posted along with 9-1-1 on stickers, pamphlets, literature to kids and under 9-1-1 on emergency vehicles. And, there would be no cost higher than maintaining several POTS or DID lines unlike building ANOTHER communications infrastructure for 3-1-1.

If all the public sees is 9-1-1, that's what they'll call.

ONLY active public education is the key to success or failure (even for the 3-1-1 program).

Steve

6934. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6uj0gd$4he0$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 143082
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Captain Crimefighter wrote...

>The problem is well-defined: too many calls to 911. But public safety
>agencies in Southern California are not completely convinced that the
>recently-approved 311 number is the solution.

And Right you are!

One of the greatest challenges in analyzing the 3-1-1 issue is countering the nonsense that came out of Baltimore. I say nonsense, though I could use *far* stronger words.

Not only does the "Baltimore 311 Study" lack any scientific merit, it deeply offends the decency of all of us in the Public Safety sector who place truth above politics.

The article in Dispatch magazine..

>http://www.911dispatch.com/web_story/stories_97/story-32-may97.html

...only begins to scatch the surface of what will become a major debate in the Public Safety arena. The well written article is indicative of the excellence at Dispatch Monthly Magazine.

If your professional responsibilities include Public Safety Dispatching, I encourage you to subscribe to the (hardcopy mailed) version of their outstanding publication.

http://www.911dispatch.com

Speaking my PERSONAL opinion (and yes, publicly condemning those who promulgated the Baltimore study)...

-brian-

6935. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6uj20q$p0s$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 143083
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Steve & Susan wrote in message
<6uivum$7ic$1@camel18.mindspring.com>...

>* Everyone's emergency is subjective. Unless WE educate the public as
>to what WE expect them to perceive as an emergency, we will be
>receiving barking dog and blocked driveway complaints on 9-1-1
>forever- no matter what other numbers are available to call.
>
>* 3-1-1 is an expensive proposition for most places, especially for
>those that are struggling to get 9-1-1 online or are upgrading from
>their first generation of enhanced signalling.
>
>
>From where I stand, once we developed 9-1-1 and pushed for the
>national emergency number concept, most places abandoned any public
>education as to what IS and what ISN'T an emergency, and along with
>it, stopped publicizing their alternate emergency reporting and
"other

I agree with the above. The debate over "emergency" telephone calls
vs non-emergency calls is a worthy topic for public safety to
consider. But why is it cross-posted to alt.radio.scanner and
rec.radio.scanner? And why does almost everyone participating have to
quote the entire 4 kB original message?

6936. Re: Interoperability, my a&&

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6uj20s$p0s$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 143084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Captain Crimefighter <"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com> >
wrote in message <360C3319.C86D371E@cabrillosquare.com>...
>Before the
> Federal Communications Commission
> Washington, D.C. 20554
>
>
>In the Matter of)
>)
>Reallocation of Television Channels) ET Docket No. 97-157
>60-69, the 746-806 MHz Band)
>
> 3. In providing for early recovery of spectrum, we also
observed
>that there is an urgent need for additional spectrum to meet
important
>public safety needs, including voice and data communications, and to
provide
>for improved interoperability between public safety agencies. We
indicated
>that spectrum in the region of the 746-806 MHz band may be
appropriate
>to meet some of these needs.
>
>The Notice proposes measures to address current and future
communications
>needs of public safety agencies. The Notice also sought comment on
>regulatory approaches that would facilitate the development of
interoperable
>equipment and technologies and system requirements essential to the
>effective performance of public safety functions.
>
> 7. Public safety services are essential to the well-being of
the
>American public. Public safety agencies work to ensure the security
of the
>public both on a daily basis and in times of natural disasters and
other
>crises. The ability of public safety agencies such as police and
fire
>departments, emergency medical services, and forestry and emergency
response
>services to react swiftly and efficiently to crimes, traffic and

aircraft
>accidents, natural disasters, and special events is enhanced by
public
>safety
>agencies' use of communications technology. Radio-based
communications
>allow
>public safety agencies to pass information quickly, coordinate their
>efforts,
>and warn of impending danger. As telecommunications technology has
become
>more sophisticated, its contribution to the effectiveness of public
safety
>agencies has dramatically increased.................

Does the Commission even remember what "interoperability" really
means?

If the FCC wants to promote efficient use of radio spectrum to inform
and coordinate public safety response to emergencies, then the FCC
must begin by mandating technical standards, just like they have done
with analog technology. Forget the "market forces" approach - it
hasn't worked.

73 de Dave, NF2G

6937. Re: Cheek decided not to participate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uj3j8$pj0$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143085

allsafe wrote in message <360CF5E9.D7E2ED09@INVALID.com>...
>
>
>Victor Healey wrote:
>
>> Why is it that everyone who promotes Bill Cheek's obsolete stuff has
the
>> same anti social attitude he has?
>> I am beginning to suspect Zombie Wolf is Bill Cheek back here again.
There
>> can't be two people like him in this newsgroup can there?
>> Both seem to have the same homosexual slant since they are familiar
with
>> the 'butt' and refer to it often in these annoying posts..
>> Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?
>
>Zombie Wolf made a simple mistake on a feature of the CE-232. No big deal.
>Since Bill sells plans, kits, and completed/tested CE-232 units, Bill would
>know these units inside and out (literally). Such a mistake wouldn't
likely be
>attributed to him. In fact, Bill is highly accurate in his technical info.
>
>If Bill chooses to return to this NG, he'd hardly have to "sneak" anywhere.
>Since scanners are his business, it would be in his interest to post under
his
>own name. He's still got internet access and could participate if he
chooses.
>He simply chooses not to.
>
>As for you Victor: What's your purpose here? Your posts are nothing but
>negative snipes at anything and everything having to do with Bill Cheek.
>What's the reason for your negative attitude with Bill? The only people on
>Bill's "sh*t-list" are NG loonies and pests (such as yourself), who really
have
>no interest in scanners but seem to confine their activities to attacking
vocal
>personalities. Why do you do it?
>
>
>
He does it because he is the same flavor as Mackalooney.
I find his cross - posting of this stuff to other groups like alt.homosexual
highly amusing. He is obviously an "Archie Bunker" type, and he thinks that
the majority of the people on this group are "sympatico". he is your typical

gay - basher, with latent homosexual tendencies. This is the only reason anyone else being purportedly "gay" would bother him. he has only served to point himself out on alt. homosexual as a homophobe, and I hope they come down on him like a ton of bricks.
Although I am hetro, I have had a few gay friends over the years, and have found them to be generally inoffensive, well - behaved, and in many cases, well - educated. What they do in the privacy of their own home behind closed doors does not concern me in the least.
I recently voted for a gay rights law in Maine that was voted down by the "Archie Bunker" types, which made Maine the laughing stock of the country. I voted for it because I do not believe that they should be thrown off bridges and killed simply because they are not the same as us. This actually happened in Bangor.
Healey , on the other hand, fears homosexuals simply because he fears his own homosexual tendencies, however latent they may be. (What other reason would you have to hate gay people ?)

Now, Healey, I suggest you take your gay -bashing activities to a news group that is ignorant enough to sympathize with you. If there is an alt.Archie Bunker news group, you will be tright in your element.....

6938. Re: Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ssb112f@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926122752.28297.00003844@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 143086

>Subject: Re: Highschool football
>From: dick832@aol.com (Dick832)
>Date: Sat, Sep 26, 1998 08:41 EDT
>Message-id: <19980926084133.29978.00001076@ng54.aol.com>
>
>
>n3wtf is right. High School coaches are often on the itinerant frequencies.
>It
>doesn't hurt to search 151-152mHz; 154-155mHz; and 460.6-466mHz.

For what it's worth . . . I've heard high school football coaches on 154.600 MHz in the city where I live, so it's worthwhile to search the low-power itinerant business frequencies. You might also check the FCC or Percon Corp. databases to see if the high schools in your area are licensed for any of the low-power itinerant freqs., even though there's many people who never bother to get the required FCC license for the radios which operate on the itinerant frequencies.

6939. Re: trunking ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6uj6a4$t1o@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143087
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In <6uiq5t$j7t$2@front4.grolier.fr> "noel" <f1tzf@club-internet.fr>
writes:
Hi !
>=20
>I'm french and I read mails about "TRUNK". What does it mean exactly ?
>Because for us it's unknown & unused.
>I know it deals with inter-cities communications and Motorola is the =
>leader=20
>in this domaine.Then I wait for your information.
>Thanks a lot !
>=20
>See you next time, Bye !!!
>

so what? go to http://www.trunktracker.com
.unidenamerica.com

there it will be explained to you in plain english

enjoy the wait. do it yourself. you'll respect yourself
in the morning.

bill conduit
etc.

half-french.

6940. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6uj6dt$2l@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143088

In <6uit8g$or7$1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
writes:

>Sorry. I am not Bill Cheek. But thanks for the compliment. Bill Cheek
>doesn`t live on the east coast.......
>
>
he lives in your mind's...forever.

that is his silence.

bill conduit
etc.

6941. Government Scanner Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926134607.29772.00002117@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 143089

Anytime the Government outlaws technology for it's citizens
that it itself has and uses, the potential grows for an
increase in control. The Government works for us yet how
many of us feel like it's the other way around...

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html">
CTP Descramblers/ Signal Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

6942. 160.920 recorded message by newhaven rail yard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926141241.11121.00002150@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143090

Listening to the scanner by the New Haven rail yard and noticed on 160.920, a regular recorded message that says "track 2 tempoerature 59 degrees, no defects". What defects would there be? what is this used for?

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6943. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926141437.11121.00002152@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 143091

>If you got the space in your scanner, type in all 97 AAR frequencies.

or just search. my 2045 searches the whole AAR band in about 1.5 seconds. and
i can lockout any of them.

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

6944. FS: Radio Shack PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lawrence H. Zielasko" <coderman@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6ujcld$7e4@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio Shack PRO 2006 in excellent condition with manual, box, and antenna. Has cell and speed modifications. $275 firm via cash COD (includes shipping). No trades. Interested parties reply by email.

6945. Rocky Mountain Railtours (Canada) Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: patpope@postoffice.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <360D47C9.C865E9B6@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 143093

Next week I am going from Vancouver to Banff on a Rocky Mountain Railtour. If you know the frequencies that might be used along the way could you post them or send me an e-mail?

Thank you.

6946. PRO-2006 F/S-EXCELLENT CONDITION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: lancerl@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15347-360D498C-70@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143094

Radio Shack Pro-2006 for sale in absolutely excellent condition.Cellular modified with box,antenna and manual.$280 shipped in CONT U.S.Please no trades-email me if interested.

6947. uk scanner site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ukscanner Frequency <ukscanner.frequency@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6ujlmo$153$1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 143095

New uk scanner information site ..thanks

http://freespace.virgin.net/lynx.uk/index/scanner.htm

6948. What happened to author profile and view thread features?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6ujrlq$v7p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143096
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I wonder why they dropped the author profile and view thread features. I used these features quite often.

Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

6949. Re: Cell on 2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <360D6532.E1704F21@arn.net>
Source record: 143097

Hey everybody, I got lots of response to my request.
Thanks to everyone who replied. I received a copy of
the article today. You guys are swell. Thanks Brian.
Larry

Larry wrote:

> If any one out there has the Feburary 96 issue, I would
> like a copy of the article. Email it or fax it.
> Thanks.
> Larry
>
> Larry wrote:
>
> > Hi gang,
> > I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
> > get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
> > frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
> > Can anyone help?
> > Thanks,
> > Larry

6950. Icom discone wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfd4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926180846.20881.00003800@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 143098

Looking to buy an Icom or Sigma scanner discone antenna
Tom....Member of Family Campers and RV'ers of New Jersey
Disaster Awareness Trainer

6951. WTT : 4.5GB SCSI HD for HT or Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thanika Skulratana <thanika@cheerful.com>
Message-ID: <6ujre0$5kg@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have 2 Seagate Barracuda 4.5GB Fast SCSI-2 7200rpm 9ns. Would like to
trade for any of these item,
Icom IC-W32A
Icom IC-Delta-1
Yaesu FT-51R
Icom IC-R10

The HD is brand new never use.

Or sell it out for $200 each.
Please reply to kf6oyk@jps.net
Thanks
Chad

6952. Re: 2 CENTS& BAD JUDGEMENT FROM KRYPPY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <360e716e.61556734@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 25 Sep 1998 20:42:36 GMT, cwest69521@aol.com (CWest69521) wrote:

>
>WELL THERE'S PLENTY OF FOOLS WHO HAVE MADE GOOD DEALS WITHOUT USING YOUR
>METHODOF PAYMENT INCLUDING MYSELF(YOU'RE SUPRISE I BET).

I've made lots of great deals on the net with individuals that seem
trustworthy, a category you are most definitely NOT IN!

> Also realize this,I'm not in this for fun of it not to make a living . So I
>won't and don't have a sell you anything(Thank God).

I wouldn't buy the last PRO-2006 on earth from YOU for $25 unless
I saw it first, that's for sure!

>Keep your two cents in your pocket and not on the boards.Policing people
>you do not know. You should at least know a person before passing your
>wonderful judgement around.

The boards are here for EVERYONE to make any comment they damn well
please! Don't like what I'm saying? Learn how to use some sort of
censorship device on unsavory characters like my self..so your tender
little eyes won't bleed when you read something you don't like!
!
>I've had nothing but good dealing on this NG and packet radio for the pass years while
>selling and trading equipment.Guess what and you can't change that Because I
>have established myself as a honest person and has never ripped or been ripped
>off.

Good for you! Sure hasn't been anyone jumping out to defend you, or
any of your other screen names..but there have been quite a few
e-mail's rolling in here agreeing with my point of view!

>There's one thing you're correct about i dont know anything about spaming So
>you got me there.
>What else?????????????

Put down the drugs! They are ruining your life!

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6953. Re: Fraud DONT CALL YOURSELF A FRAUD/KRYPPY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <360f7471.62327729@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143101

On 25 Sep 1998 20:45:53 GMT, cwest69521@aol.com (CWest69521) wrote:

>
>ONE MORE THING THERE NO NEED TO CALL YOUR SELF A FRAUD. bECAUSE YOU COULDNT BE
>REFERING TO ME IF YOU ARE WHO DID I FRAUD? MR. POLICEMAN
>MR JUDGEMENT MR RIGHT

I was quite clear, did you have a problem understanding it? Maybe you
should go back and reread it! You might also consider quoting the
relevant message when replying..for the benefit of someone who might
not have seen this thread and is now looking at your post and thinking
that you are a moron or something..It's going to be real hard for
someone to believe that you have anything of value for sale (non COD
only of course) when you write like someone who has yet to exit
elementary school! Good luck, don't end up like that kid in RRC!

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Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

6954. PRO-2026 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jughead <jlowens@gate.net>
Message-ID: <360D78B3.65E8@gate.net>
Source record: 143102

Radio shack Pro-2026 (catalog #: 200-0148), cell modified, perfect condition, $200 obo, including COD cash shipping.

Send e-mail to jlowens@gate.net

Jughead

6955. Re: What happened to author profile and view thread features?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spambags@are.morons.com
Message-ID: <6ujtq3$7ah@crl.crl.com>
Source record: 143103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6ujrlq$v7p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, <wplanck@netusa1.net> wrote:

>I wonder why they dropped the author profile and view thread features. I used
>these features quite often.

Try clicking on the "more options" line and you will get the menu.

--

Deil "The Jackal" Bland |307 confirmed kills
dbland(at)crl(dot)com |So Many Spambags,
Alleged Net Terrorist |So little time!
(http://www.crl.com/~dbland/zitlicker)

6956. Scanner Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jughead <jlowens@gate.net>
Message-ID: <360D7D65.507D@gate.net>
Source record: 143104

A few years ago I saw a scanner in a Scanner World catalog, but I cant remember the model number. I'm pretty sure it was made by Uniden. It had a seperate control head you could mount on your dash with the main receiver mounted out of the way. It had an alphanumeric display and could be programmed by a PC.

Does anyone have any info on this unit and where I might find one?

Jughead

6957. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360D94B7.655A@parg.org>
Source record: 143105
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Bud wrote:

> Bill has no need to disguise himself.

Then why has he (like you) been caught disguising in the past?

> Not to mention the headers are
> easily traceable by anyone with the LEAST little bit of knowledge.

I do agree with you here. While the acts & posts of Zombie are
similarly
troublesome as Bill's were in the past, he is clearly coming from
an east coast provider therefore making it very unlikely he is Bill.

6958. Re: Cheek decided not to participate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360D93E0.2BAC@parg.org>
Source record: 143106

allsafe wrote:

> As for you Victor: What's your purpose here? Your posts are nothing but
> negative snipes at anything and everything having to do with Bill Cheek.
> What's the reason for your negative attitude with Bill?

With the LOOOONG history Bill has of causing problems in this NG there
are MANY people who have what you admittingly describe as a
"negative attitude with Bill". If everyone just backs off & lets things
go rather than talking about it the problems & feelings will eventually
go away. But, it will take time & it has not been long enough yet.

> The only people on
> Bill's "sh*t-list" are NG loonies and pests

Your above statement is simply untrue.

6959. Re: Cheek decided not to participate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <360D9A64.B17D43A7@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143107

John wrote:

> allsafe wrote:
>
> > What's the reason for your negative attitude with Bill?
>
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> are MANY people who have what you admittingly describe as a
> "negative attitude with Bill". If everyone just backs off & lets things
> go rather than talking about it the problems & feelings will eventually
> go away. But, it will take time & it has not been long enough yet.

Ah...there ya are you friggin loon: News Group Pest (NGP) numero uno.

> > The only people on
> > Bill's "sh*t-list" are NG loonies and pests
>
> Your above statement is simply untrue.

Hey...wait-a-minute there Mackey, you're on Bill's "sh*t list". And *everyone*
knows you're a certifiable loon.....

How could the statement be "simply untrue"?

You friggin' loon.

6960. FS : Radio Shack Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6uk6of$p6p$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 143108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio is in great condition, I thought I had firm deal, but the buyer backed out, so its available again. Includes Box, Manual and antenna....Cell Enabled., Very little use!!! $275 Firm!!! Not Trades Pls.

6961. Mackey Takes The Bait Again !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <360DB54A.ED2E7AC8@pacbell.net>
Source record: 143109

John wrote:

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> are MANY people who have what you admittingly describe as a
> "negative attitude with Bill". If everyone just backs off & lets things
> go rather than talking about it the problems & feelings will eventually
> go away. But, it will take time & it has not been long enough yet.
>
>

R E A L I T Y C H E C K

Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey).
Edited for the more salient point(s). Compelling nonetheless.

SNIP --- Data From Smally ----

I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed, folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------

Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
APR 98	194	128	27	41	25	12	0
MAR 98	254	240	49	24	50	18	0
FEB 98	200	274	51	27	46	18	0
JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
DEC 97	149	227	32	0	16	1	0
NOV 97	63	65	1	0	10	0	0
OCT 97	48	60	0	0	8	0	0
SEP 97	181	78	0	2	4	0	0
AUG 97	29	2	0	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	2139	2348	201	203	275	266	341

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX. We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost, $USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

6962. Scout 40 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobhome@postoffice.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <360DB62D.51D5C2BC@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 143110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Scout 40 and accessories for sale - $310 firm

Original costs when purchased from Optoelectronics in May of this year, detailed below, were $402.

Scout 40 ($349 original cost)
DB32 stubby antenna ($29 original cost)
CC30 carrying case ($9 original cost)
freight ($15 original cost)

Unit is in perfect condition with the exception of a minor repair to the elastic strap inside the carrying case resulting from a manufacturing defect. All original packaging and accessories are included.

Payment will be by postal money order. Shipping by UPS ground within the continental US is included in the purchase price.

Bob (WO6W)

6963. Wanted: SF Bay Area Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc <marcl@silcon.com>
Message-ID: <360DD42E.87C9D32B@silcon.com>
Source record: 143111

Does anyone have a listing for San Francisco/South Peninsula Bay Area frequencies? Specifically looking for Daly City, Burlingame, SSF, etc. Could not find a good frequency source by searching the web on my own. Any help is appreciated......

Marc

6964. UHF-TV Channels 60-69: Digital Television Vs. Public Safety?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Captain Crimefighter <"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com>
Message-ID: <360C3319.C86D371E@cabrillosquare.com>
Source record: 143207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)
)
Reallocation of Television Channels) ET Docket No. 97-157
60-69, the 746-806 MHz Band)

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING

Adopted: July 9, 1997 Released: July 10, 1997

Comment Date: [45 days after Fed. Reg. publication]
Reply Comment Date: [75 days after Fed. Reg. publication]

By the Commission:

INTRODUCTION

1. By this action, we propose to reallocate the 746-806 MHz band, currently comprising television (TV) channels 60-69. We propose to allocate 24 megahertz, at 764-776 MHz and 794-806 MHz, to the fixed and mobile services,
and to designate this spectrum for public safety use.

We propose to allocate the remaining 36 megahertz at 746-764 MHz and 776-794 MHz to the fixed, mobile, and broadcasting services; and we anticipate that licenses in this portion of the band may be assigned through competitive
bidding.

These allocations would help to meet the needs of public safety for additional spectrum, make new technologies and services available to the American public, and allow more efficient use of spectrum in the 746-806 MHz band.

We also consider issues related to protecting existing and proposed TV stations on channels 60-69 from interference until the transition to digital TV (DTV) is complete, but defer specific interference protection standards to a separate proceeding on service rules in the 746-806 MHz band.

BACKGROUND

2. Channels 60-69 (746-806 MHz) are relatively lightly used for full service television operations. There are currently only 95 full service analog stations, either operating or with approved construction

permits on these channels.

In the Sixth Report and Order in MM Docket No. 87-268 (DTV Proceeding), we adopted a Table of Allotments for digital television.

This Table provides all eligible broadcasters with a second 6 MHz channel to be used for DTV service during the transition from analog to digital television service. The DTV Table also, interalia, facilitates the early recovery of a portion of the existing broadcast spectrum, specifically, channels 60-69, by minimizing the use of these channels for DTV purposes.

The DTV Table provides only 15 allotments for DTV stations on channels 60-69 in the continental United States.

3. In providing for early recovery of spectrum, we also observed that there is an urgent need for additional spectrum to meet important public safety needs, including voice and data communications, and to provide for improved interoperability between public safety agencies. We indicated that spectrum in the region of the 746-806 MHz band may be appropriate to meet some of these needs.

We stated that we would initiate a separate proceeding to reallocate the spectrum at channels 60-69 in the very near future, and that we would give serious consideration to allocating 24 megahertz of this spectrum for public safety use and consider allocating the remaining 36 megahertz in the 746-806 MHz band for assignment by auction.

4. In 1995, the Commission, along with the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, established the Public Safety Wireless Advisory Committee (PSWAC) to study public safety telecommunications requirements. The PSWAC was chartered, inter alia, to advise the Commission on total spectrum requirements for the operational needs of public safety entities in the United States through the year 2010.

On September 11, 1996, the PSWAC issued its Final Report. The PSWAC found that the currently allocated public safety spectrum is insufficient to support current voice and data needs of the public safety community, does not provide adequate capacity for interoperability channels, and is inadequate to meet future needs, based on projected population growth and demographic changes.

In the Final Report, the PSWAC stated that data communication needs are also expected to grow rapidly in the next few years, and wireless video needs are expected to expand quickly. In addition, new spectrum is required to support new capabilities and technologies, including high speed data and video.

The PSWAC found that, in the short term, 24 or 25 megahertz of new public safety spectrum is needed, and concluded that public safety users should be granted access to portions of the unused spectrum in the 746-806 MHz band.

5. On April 10, 1996, the Commission released a Notice of Proposed Rule Making (Notice) in a proceeding to address current and future public safety wireless communications and spectrum needs (Public Safety Proceeding).

The Notice proposes measures to address current and future communications needs of public safety agencies. The Notice also sought comment on regulatory approaches that would facilitate the development of interoperable equipment and technologies and system requirements essential to the effective performance of public safety functions.

We requested comment on technological issues regarding the enhancement and improvement of public safety wireless communications and measures to foster spectrally efficient communications.

Finally, the Notice addressed additional spectrum allocations for public safety agencies. This instant proceeding also addresses spectrum allocations for public safety communications; and, therefore further addresses some of the issues raised in the Public Safety Proceeding.

6. In the DTV Proceeding, we stated that all existing analog and DTV full service broadcast operations on channels 60-69 will be fully protected during the transition, which is targeted for completion in the year 2006.

At that time, we anticipate that analog TV operations will cease and all digital TV stations on channels 60-69 will be relocated to other channels. The allocation proposals set forth below are consistent with this plan.

I. Allocation of Spectrum for Public Safety in the 746-806 MHz Band.

7. Public safety services are essential to the well-being of the American public. Public safety agencies work to ensure the security of the public both on a daily basis and in times of natural disasters and other crises. The ability of public safety agencies such as police and fire departments, emergency medical services, and forestry and emergency response services to react swiftly and efficiently to crimes, traffic and aircraft accidents, natural disasters, and special events is enhanced by public safety
agencies' use of communications technology. Radio-based communications allow
public safety agencies to pass information quickly, coordinate their efforts,
and warn of impending danger. As telecommunications technology has become more sophisticated, its contribution to the effectiveness of public safety agencies has dramatically increased.....

to continue, click here:
http://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering_Technology/Notices/1997/fcc97245.txt

6965. Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Captain Crimefighter <"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com>
Message-ID: <360C354F.DBCF1486@cabrillosquare.com>
Source record: 143208
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

SoCal Agencies Ponder 311 to Reduce 911 Calls

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The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) reserved 311 nationally on Feb. 19 to "gain access quickly to non-emergency police and other government service to be in the public interest."
(DISPATCH, March 1997)

"At this point, we just don't have a real clear handle on how it can be successfully implemented," said Capt. Scott Brown, of the Orange County Fire Authority.

He said their dispatchers handle about 15,000 calls on 911 each month.

Roger Ham, administrator for Huntington Beach's comm center, said, "We think it's a real solid way to get those (non-emergency) calls off the 911 lines."

He feels 311 should be implemented on a countywide or statewide basis, rather than city-by-city. "Otherwise, it wouldn't work because people wouldn't know when or when not to call 311."

Huntington Beach dispatcher Richard Eidlhuber recalled a woman who called to report she had fallen out of bed. "She probably needed help, but it wasn't
a life-threatening situation," he said.

Other agencies wonder if education might be a better--and cheaper--solution. "Education is one of the most difficult things to accomplish," said Richard Blansett, Fullerton police's crime analyst.

"We're just now making headway in teaching people when and when not to use 911. If we implement 311, we'd have to start all over again."

Still other cities are taking a hard line on 911 abuse, fining callers who abuse the number. Last year Garden Grove fined 82 residents $25 each after they dialed 911 and hang up.

Their calls required dispatchers to call back and send officers to check the residents. "When the officers got there, there was no emergency," said Julie Dutton, comm center manager. "Sometimes it's a misdial, and other times it's their kid playing on the phone."

The state program is studying whether to fund 311 from 911 surcharges. "Right now, all that is still in its infancy stage," said Leah Senitte, program manager for California's 911 agency.

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http://www.911dispatch.com/web_story/stories_97/story-32-may97.html

6966. CAF Air show Midland, TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Duer <rbduer@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <360C47BF.ED7FACC7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143209

I am going to the Confederate Air Force AIr show in Midland, TX on the
3,4 of OCT..
Does anyone have any air freq. for the show?please reply this newsgroup
or rbduer@worldnet.att.net.
Thanks,
Bob

6967. Re: UNIDEN BC895 TRUNKING SCANNER F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimdpeters@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980925231635.00134.00001925@ng12.aol.com>
Source record: 143210

Hi Bruce, would you consider a trade for a Radio Shack Pro-2006 scanner.
Excellent condition. If interested send me your phone number and we can talk.

Jim Peters
jimdpeters@aol.com
Portland, Oregon

6968. Anyone tapped ICOM R1 discriminator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: orthner@idirect.ca
Message-ID: <360c5f9d.11000168@news.idirect.com>
Source record: 143211

Hi, I'm wondering if anyone has successfully tapped the NFM disc chip in the R1...it's listed on the bill cheek list but it's awfully tiny and *very* hard to get at. I'm working up my courage...

Cheers, Duncan

6969. Re: School Bus with Flashing RED Lights: Calif. Vehicle Code 22454

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Vincent J. Skinner" <vskinner@ptialaska.net>
Message-ID: <01bde908$24be3fa0$266a97d0@default>
Source record: 143212
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.law-enforcement,alt.support.road-rage,alt.secuity.neighborhood,misc.emergency-services,alt.activism.community,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@yahoo.com> wrote in article
<360BD75A.FD1FDFC0@yahoo.com>...
>
>
> Shawn Cory wrote:
>
> > NOTE: Timothy Lanni was a 7 year old boy who panicked when he realized
that
> > missed his stop. He got off wrong stop then darted into the
street
> > where he died after getting hit by a car.
> > ---
>
> So basically what we are saying here is because Timothy was dumb all must
> pay.....
>
> My children are only 3 and 1 respectively, and they both already know not
to
> enter any street without first looking for cars in both directions. Maybe
there
> ought to be a "stupid parents" law instead.
>
> I am constantly amazed at the sheer number of stupid pedestrians and
bicyclists
> who see the oncoming car and still force the issue of "right of way"
(which most
> don't have in the first place). Combine that with the number of clueless
morons
> who drive their vehicles like ballistic missiles thru school zones and we
end up
> with stupid unenforceable laws and more dead kids.
>
> -Phil
>
Phil I do not remember all of the posts previous to yours so if this is
just rehash please excuse me

I myself have three children and all of them know the rules of crossing the
street. My youngest is two.

I do not think it is fair to call Timothy dumb, lets face it the child was
only 7, not an adult as you and myself. It is very easy for a 7 year old to
just forget to look before crossing the street. Let me ask you this, how

many adults do you know that have leapt before they looked?

I agree that some of the laws are somewhat excessive, but well needed. I do not believe that people who blow through school zones or zip past a stopped school bus are clueless morons but just do care until they have hit a child or have had one of their own children hit.

That is why laws like these are enacted. So do the rest of us pay for the others, I do not think so. If you are taking prudent steps to watch out for your safety and the safety of the children in and around school zones and bus stops then laws like theses shouldn't upset you so since you are already taking every step possible to avoid a collision with another vehicle or pedestrian.

In closing I would like to say that the comment "Maybe there ought to be a stupid parents law instead" sounded a bit excessive.

Once again I did not get to see the earlier posts so forgive any misinterpretation of your post. :-)

6970. Re: TV Audio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926013047.15632.00002094@ng43.aol.com>
Source record: 143213

Don;t know about the 'net, but they're all listed in the back of PoliceCall plus.

6971. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: copwatch@usa.net
Message-ID: <362d81dd.62800134@nntp.stc.net>
Source record: 143214
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

On Sat, 26 Sep 1998 00:29:19 GMT, Captain Crimefighter <"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com> bravely declared in alt.thebird.copwatch:

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>program manager for California's 911 agency.

I do my damnedest to avoid flaming you people, but how much of a
challenge can having two numbers be?

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For CopWatch,

Tom Sparks news:alt.thebird.copwatch
http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/Lobby/1794/copwatch.html

Please post newsgroup replies to the newsgroup.

6972. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billblevins@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <360e875a.7525677@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143215
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

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CT: "9-1-1, Do you have an emergency?"

Caller: "Yes, the neighbor's dog is barking and keeping me awake."

I rest my case.

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Bill Blevins
billblevins@earthlink.net
PGP Key ID: 0x059B1511
PGP Fingerprint: BC2E 6277 25C9 FD2B 491E 5DF6 159B 6D02
UIN: 19198593

6973. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billblevins@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <360f8859.7781016@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143216
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

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6974. Need Freqs For Pasadena, Texas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott A. Davis" <sdavis@nospam.pop.net>
Message-ID: <6ui4ge$579$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 143217

Greetings!

I do not have access to any freq. books and was wondering if someone would be so kind as to send me the freqs (especially for police) in the city of Pasadena, Texas. Any additional Pasadena freqs are appreciated.

**NOTE: Please reply to me by REMOVING "nospam" from my e-mail address.

6975. Re: TV Audio Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <u#j7BkR69GA.315@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 143218

Chris Brown <cdb@provide.net> inquired about:
> ... all of the audio channel frequencies for broadcast television.

From the FAF - Frequently Asked Frequencies
on ftp://oak.oakland.edu
as /pub/hamradio/docs/misc/scanner.faf

Television [73.603]

Ch Range Video Audio

2 54 - 60 55.250 59.750
3 60 - 66 61.250 65.750
4 66 - 72 67.250 71.750
5 76 - 82 77.250 81.750
6 82 - 88 83.250 87.750
7 174 - 180 175.250 179.750
8 180 - 186 181.250 185.750
9 186 - 192 187.250 191.750
10 192 - 198 193.250 197.750
11 198 - 204 199.250 203.750
12 204 - 210 205.250 209.750
13 210 - 216 211.250 215.750
14 470 - 476 471.250 475.750 }
15 476 - 482 477.250 481.750 } Range for Ch. N
.. ... - ... . } Low = 386 + 6*N
68 794 - 800 795.250 799.750 } High = 392 + 6*N
69 800 - 806 801.250 805.750 }

Note the gaps between chs 4/5, 6/7, and 13/14.
Freqs in the 470-512 MHz range (Ch 14-20) may be assigned to
Public Service mobile use in major metro areas. No transmitters
are allowed on 608-614 MHz (Ch 37).
Each TV channel is 6 MHz wide. The video carrier is 1.25 MHz
above the start of the range. The audio carrier is 0.25 MHz below
the end of the range. Television audio is wideband FM.
Some TV stations may be offset +/- 10 kHz.

6976. NEED Pasadena, Texas freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <sdavis@nospam.pop.net>
Message-ID: <6ui6eh$617$1@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 143219

Greetings!

I do not have access to a freq. book and cannot find what I need on the web.
I was wondering if someone would be kind enough to send me the police freqs
for Pasadena, Texas.

Any freqs on top of that from pasadena are appreciated!

Thanks in advance

** Note: To reply to me, please take "nospam" out of my e-mail address.

sdavis@nospam.pop.net

6977. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: F Barry Mulligan <70035.140@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OiXsggS69GA.266@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 143220

I usually avoid doing the following, but this thread verges on setting
a Usenet record. Donning Nomex underwear, I note -

The original poster inquired about frequencies for an Amtrak trip from
Seattle, Wash. to Walla Walla. Various posters replied:

> ... check out PoliceCall from RadioShack for Amtrak freq's.
> I'm too tired to list all of 'em.
Ignoring the tone of this reply, it still doesn't help with the actual
operating frequencies, which belong to BNSF.

> ... and also it's is "its".... <GRIN>
The contraction of "it is" is "it's"; "its" is the possessive form.

> I took Amtrak home once, when I was on leave from the Army. I HATED IT!!!!!!
Amtrak, home or the Army ? (One trip, date/train unspecified, isn't really
a basis to offer a judgement.)

> ... Frequencies that I have for Amtrak ...
The frequencies offered are for the Chicago terminal, Conrail, and the
N.E. Corridor M.O.W. & police - a unique routing for a trip from Seattle
to Walla Walla.

> These should be the correct freqs: 161.145 161.160
More helpful, but that should have been 161.415.

> ... and a few of their own in fargo n.d. it is 160.305
Definitely helpful - that's the Chief-of-Service on the Empire Builder.

> try searching or enter all r.r. freqs in your scanner
Not helpful, unless the listener can distinguish every BNSF & UP hump, yard,
pulldown, tower & PBX from the road frequency he's listening for.

Based on the replies he recieved, I suspect the original poster has
given up and is taking Greyhound. Please, folks - could we have: accuracy;
relevance; civility; and grammer/punctuation in the postings. I'd settle
for two out of four.

/* barry /&
mulligan@acm.org

6978. Wards/Bearcat 220 repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <6uicud$pep@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143221

Hello all!

I am working on a scanner for a friend of mine. It is a "Bearcat for Montgomery Wards", Wards model GED-845A. From what I have been able to find out, it is the Wards version of the BC-220.

The main problem with it right now is the keypad; I have another one on order. Other than that it works fine. However, I read the "Repair Tips for Bearcat Scanner Radios" by Bob Parnass and it mentions the switching power supply problems with capacitor C98. I found C98 and what I believe to be the switching transformer; in this area of the board there is a small 1/4 watt resistor that has been rather warm at one time and a small darkened spot on the PC board. I have also found many questionable solder joints all over, which I am going through and re-soldering.

My question is: is it wise to "pre-emptively" replace C98 and possibly other parts, or to just leave it alone, since it works now? Anything else not covered in that document that I should look at?

Thanks very much for your help!

Matt Roberds
mroberds@worldnet.att.net
Tulsa, Oklahoma USA

6979. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926070241.17808.00003407@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143222

>From: copwatch@usa.net (Tom Sparks)

[major snip]

>I do my damnedest to avoid flaming you people, but how much of a
>challenge can having two numbers be?

>For CopWatch,
>
>Tom Sparks news:alt.thebird.copwatch

Oh, I'd say it's about as challenging as using a newsreader and posting a proper reply, which is evidently something you're still working on.

6980. ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <ve4P1.3296$R_4.3030385@news3.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143223

Why is it that everyone who promotes Bill Cheek's obsolete stuff has the
same anti social attitude he has?
I am beginning to suspect Zombie Wolf is Bill Cheek back here again. There
can't be two people like him in this newsgroup can there?
Both seem to have the same homosexual slant since they are familiar with
the 'butt' and refer to it often in these annoying posts..
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Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6uh5pl$hk4$1@garnet.mint.net>...

>have it (and you damn well DON`T.) then you just hustle your little butt
>right over to deja news and GET it , will you ? (Don`t search too long,
>you`ll get scabs on your butt).
>
>So I made a liitle mistake about the 2035. Why don`t you make a federal
case
>out of it, looney ? Most of my info on this group has been accurate (which
>is more than I can say for yours.) On a crusade ? geta life . Like I told
>you when you had the nerve to accost me via e-mail, when you give no
>respect, you get none. You don`t have a good word for anyone on here. You
>usually draft a nasty reply to anyone who wants to know anything on here.
>Don`t believe it ? Well, while you`re cruising over at dejanews, check out
>your posts for the last 6 months or so, I did.......
>The only reason you had to start championing the Programmit was that I
>mentioned Cheek`s interface in the first place. Yeh, I think you are on a
>crusade here......
>MAlexder wrote in message <19980925070135.12824.00002681@ng67.aol.com>...
>>
>>In another post, Zombie Wolf claims that the CE232 can receive cellular
>>telephone calls. I don't believe this is true and when I said so, he

6981. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Stoll <Stollg@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <360CDF47.474B4DAB@mindspring.com>
Source record: 143224
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

I used to work as a dispatcher for the "Safety Officers" (Campus Police) at my college and we got non-emergency calls on our own 911 system fairly frequently. Anyway, we used to answer the phone "Safety Office, what is your emergency?", when the caller would stutter and say that there wasn't an emergency and just wanted the phone number to Dominoe's we would give them the directory assistance number and hang up. I had a guy call the 911 line and I answered the the normal way and when asked the caller said that his call wasn't an emergency and he promptly called back the non-emergency line. When asked what he wanted to call us about, he wanted to report a dorm room on fire!!! The job was rarly dull anyway. :)

Jay

Bill Blevins wrote:

> As anyone who has been in this business for very long knows, a good
> portion of the public is far too stupid to know the difference between
> a non-emergency call and a real emergency call. How many times have
> you received this call?:
>
> CT: "9-1-1, Do you have an emergency?"
>
> Caller: "Yes, the neighbor's dog is barking and keeping me awake."
>
> I rest my case.
>

6982. Pager Decoders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "TraceyLevin.," <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <360CDDCB.3E7F@swbell.net>
Source record: 143225

What is the absolute best Pager Decoder program, and where can it be found?

Please reply via email too. Otherwise, I may not see your reply!

Thanks!

Mark.

6983. Re: !!FREQUENCY REQUEST PLEASE HELP!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick832@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926083559.29978.00001074@ng54.aol.com>
Source record: 143226

Not confirmed by me, but try:
NFL Films: 153.02

Bengals: 183.0, 184.8, 469.025, 460.275, 461.75

Packers: 463.8875, 468.8875, 851.0125, 151.625, 151.295, 853.4875, 469.5, 469.55, 181.8

6984. Re: Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick832@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926084133.29978.00001076@ng54.aol.com>
Source record: 143227

n3wtf is right. High School coaches are often on the itinerant frequencies. It doesn't hurt to search 151-152mHz; 154-155mHz; and 460.6-466mHz.

6985. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uirn0$ol9$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143228

That post does not say a word about the 232 handling RF. I want you to
re-post the one where I said that the 232 will handle RF signals.

MAlexder wrote in message <19980925194719.12821.00003323@ng67.aol.com>...
>
>
>Well, here it is Zombie, read it and weep:
>
>Subject: Re: Cell on 2035
>From: "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
>Date: 9/24/98 3:56 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <6ue8l9$5s4$1@garnet.mint.net>
>
>If you get an interface for it , it will do cell direct. Get in touch with
>
>bcheek@cts.com
>

6986. Cheek decided not to participate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <360CF5E9.D7E2ED09@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143229

Victor Healey wrote:

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> same anti social attitude he has?
> I am beginning to suspect Zombie Wolf is Bill Cheek back here again. There
> can't be two people like him in this newsgroup can there?
> Both seem to have the same homosexual slant since they are familiar with
> the 'butt' and refer to it often in these annoying posts..
> Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Zombie Wolf made a simple mistake on a feature of the CE-232. No big deal. Since Bill sells plans, kits, and completed/tested CE-232 units, Bill would know these units inside and out (literally). Such a mistake wouldn't likely be attributed to him. In fact, Bill is highly accurate in his technical info.

If Bill chooses to return to this NG, he'd hardly have to "sneak" anywhere. Since scanners are his business, it would be in his interest to post under his own name. He's still got internet access and could participate if he chooses. He simply chooses not to.

As for you Victor: What's your purpose here? Your posts are nothing but negative snipes at anything and everything having to do with Bill Cheek. What's the reason for your negative attitude with Bill? The only people on Bill's "sh*t-list" are NG loonies and pests (such as yourself), who really have no interest in scanners but seem to confine their activities to attacking vocal personalities. Why do you do it?

6987. Re: Battery backup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JAMES E AKIYAMA <JAMES_AKIYAMA@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bde90e$7862d980$0100007f@RemoteUser>
Source record: 142980
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Lead acid batteries typically want a constant voltage charge, only slightly above their normal voltage. For a 12 volt battery, the trickle charge is usually about 13.8 volts. Any higher will result in premature failure of the battery.

To quick charge lead acids, you need to use two voltages; a higher voltage to quick charge, then a lower voltage to trickle charge.

You may also want to use a sealed lead-acid like those typically used for alarm systems, etc. They are considered "spill-proof", although I would place them into a acid-proof plastic container just in case the case were to crack. The acid is contained within a gell, but can still leak out.

James

6988. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skeezisk <SkizzikS@NO.SPAM>
Message-ID: <360EA272.65E@NO.SPAM>
Source record: 142981

BUGGIE CAR wrote:
>
> ENOUGH ALREADY!!!
> The bullshit back and forth is nothing short of trolling...cut it out.
> These newsgroups are loaded with self promotion and sales...SO?
> You don't have to read it do you???
> Someone speaks up in defense of another individual who (by the way) has just as
> much right to be here as any of you do..and you get Flamed!
> Bill Cheek if you are out there...How do you restore the cell to an 895XLT?
> John W Gardner

Uh, did you bother to check the dates on those flame war messages you
are replying to? Things have been back to normal around here for a few
weeks now. Check your dates, so we can keep it that way. You do no
better by feeding into it, expecially *long* after it has ended....

6989. FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927164312.12822.00004520@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 142982

I'm selling my Uniden BC895 TrunkTracker to raise some dough for another scanner. 300 channels, built-in CTCSS, RS232 port and more. I'll throw in the cable for computer control. $200 plus shipping.

6990. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927165058.17808.00004460@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 142983

>From: John <john@parg.org>

>
>With all the problems that Bill Cheek caused on this NG for so long, I
>think
>you are going to find a lot of these issues still lurking. Just let it
>go away.
>

Great suggestion. Please follow your own advice.

6991. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927165258.17808.00004463@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 142984

>From: Skeezisk

>
>Uh, did you bother to check the dates on those flame war messages you
>are replying to? Things have been back to normal around here for a few
>weeks now.

Too late. Mackey's b-a-c-k...

6992. Re: Sad news for Monroe, CT CB/scanner shop. RIP Ethel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: firebuff66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927170627.24760.00003244@ng73.aol.com>
Source record: 142985

Very sorry to hear about Ethel.
She was a real nice person. It was very sad when herb passed away also.
Both were great people and I got many things at the store you could not get anywhere else.

As an idea you could try CB City in West haven. The prices are real high but I can't think of another place like herbs.

6993. ICOM R 7000 WITH TV R7000 CONVERTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: motomp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927172417.28297.00004780@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 142986

LIKE NEW : IC R-7000 RECEIVER 25- 2000 MHZ NO GAPS ALL MODES. WITH NEW TV R 7000 CONVERTER FOR TELEVISION MANUALS AND BOXES $800.00 MIKE 630 752 2020 WEEKDAYS

6994. I need pictures of a Pro-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd*4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <360EB580.1D0E@qsl.net>
Source record: 142987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Do you have any pictures (that you took) of a Pro-2045?
I need some good clear pictures for my web page.
I also will be adding any Mod to this page....as far as I know there is only one useful one...the discriminator tap for decoding. Let me know if you have any others.

I would have access to a digital cam for a while and would like to get the page completed soon....thanks

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Please take the "*" out of my address to return email!
Or just click on the address below!
mailto:kd4lyp@qsl.net

Web site at:
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page.
Reviews on: Optoelectronics Cub frequency counter and CTP voice De-scrambler.
Humor on "How to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S." organization
East Tennessee frequencies along with the general ones and pictures of my equipment.
Listed with the "Top 100 ham sites".

6995. Digital or scrambled baby monitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Dietz <tom@badname.glis.net>
Message-ID: <6umcuu$76j$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 142988

Is there such a thing? I am trying to find a secure one.

Thanks,

Tom

6996. MR8100 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6umeatqqh1@207.18.224.59>
Source record: 142989

A while back, a company made a windows interface for programming the Uniden MR8100.

Is this still available? Supported by the company? Webpage?

If it is not available, does anyone have a copy?

6997. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tweek@netcom-NO.SPAM-com
Message-ID: <Ezynsx.sw@moraga.ness.com>
Source record: 142990
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

In article <3611c906.126008354@news-server>, Loki <dabar@upchuck.com> wrote:
>
>Emergency services numbers (even non-emergency numbers) get all sorts
>of weird-assed calls as well. Call 911 and ask if a car is blocking
>their driveway, are they allowed to shoot the driver? These
>dispatchers are under a tremendous amount of stress, and these idiot
>calls are a pain in the ass if they have a life-threatening emergency
>on hold.

Reminds me of a police dispatch I heard yesterday. No idea if RP called
it in via 911 or the 7 digit number (there isn't a 311 here). The RP
wanted contact because her neighbor "called her a pig." I was expecting
the officer to come back to dispatch with some smart assed comment but
all he came back with was "does the RP want a 21 or a face 2 face." The
RP wanted a face2face.

--

Had your share of stoopid(tm) people?	
View the "Contra Costa Whines" at	[This space for lease]
http://www.io.com/~tweek/cocowhine/	

6998. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6umfko$8ll$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 142991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Hey ! Wiggie ! That was a damn good post . I had no idea you had done an in-depth analysis of this whole thing. Good information. You`re not Bill cheek, are you ?

Wiggie wrote in message <360e6775.3140543@enews.newsguy.com>...
>On 25 Sep 1998 11:01:35 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:
>
>>
>>

6999. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <360EC2FA.187A3902@uswest.net>
Source record: 142992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

200 Khz?

No way. FCC defined the bandwidth limitations for NTSC video and its
accompanying fm Audio.

Video: NTSC standard format Am Vestigial sideband at 4.75 Mhz Edge to edge
with a 300 Khz
band edge guard band on both sides.
TV Audio: 75 Khz Maximum deviation with stereo components.

Hawke

Barry O'Grady wrote:

> James <jamesgrv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
> :Video is several signals spread over a 6MHz bandwith. The audio (FM) has a
> :devation of (I forget exactly) of something like 15khz.
>
> TV audio deviation is around 200KHz. That is why they call it wide band
> FM.

7000. Re: Highschool football

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sujkowski <ronalds@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <360ECAE9.A0299F2D@concentric.net>
Source record: 142993

try these. nearby high school I always hear 'em one or so,

If you can get a look at the bottom of a Motorola radio and it has a
colored dot, symbol or letter on it, you know the frequency it is on:

Blue 154.570 Brown 464.500 Green 154.600 Red 151.625 Yellow
464.550
Purple 151.955 White 462.575 Black 462.625 Orange 462.675 J
467.7625
K 467.8125, Silver Star 467.850, Gold Star 467.875, Red Star
467.900, Blue Star 467.925

Jobcom radios 151.625, 462.575, 154.600, 154.570
Util-com radio 154.570
Voice one radio 49.845

The Motorola Talk About radios use the following 14 frequencies:
(Low power-1/2 watt)
1 462.5625, 2 462.5875, 3 462.6125, 4 462.6375, 5 462.6625, 6 462.6875,
7 462.7125, 8 467.5625, 9 467.5875, 10 467.6125, 11 467.6375, 12
467.6625,
13 467.6875, 14 467.7125

Itinerant (Low Power)- 151.505, 151.625, 154.570, 154.600, 158.400,
451.800, 457.525, 457.550, 457.575, 462.575, 464.500, 464.550, 464.750
dave archer wrote:

> I was at a high school foot ball game
> the coach was wearing a radio head set
> no cord or anything attached to the radio
> dose any body have a possible frequence
> that could be on
> Thanks
> Dave
>
> born to be wild (thats my theam)

7001. Re: Sad news for Monroe, CT CB/scanner shop. RIP Ethel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927193858.03739.00000290@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142994

Ther is a nice little shop just east of Sturbridge Ma. if you are close to the line. It's The CB Works and it's on route 20 east in Shrewsbury Ma.

Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

7002. FLEX 4 level FSK interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Krypt <krypt@enteract.com>
Message-ID: <360EDC4C.2856@enteract.com>
Source record: 142995

Hi !
Anyone got it to work ?
I use 2 level (SCHMITT TRIGGER) interface wiht PRO-51.I had to modify the value of resistor from pin3 to the ground to get it to work. Had a hell of a time to get the discriminator output, but that was worth the effort. NOw i need to make the 4 level interface to work.
I have seen at least 3 versions of schematics. Does anyone know (or have) a lyout that works ? One i tried to put together is at www.qsl.net/pa3eik/4lev_fsk.html.

BTW 2 level seems to decode 2 channels from FLEX transmissions properly (POCFLEX.EXE)

Thanks

7003. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: spennine@home.com
Message-ID: <36101dfa.10584579@news>
Source record: 142996
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

To those of you who believe cordless phone monitoring to be illegal in
the US, can anyone cite any statutes (federal, state, local or other),
that will validate this belief?

Don Leonard <dleon@mail.lig.bellsouth.net> wrote:

>It is not illegal to listen to cordless phones...it is illegal to listen to cellular
phones.
>
>zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
>
>> In article <36091a27.33023762@enews.newsguy.com>, icemann@newsguy.com wrote:
>>
>> > FYI: I saw an 1-800 # ad on E! showing the Uniden Sport Cat 150
>> > Scanner. The thing I was surprised at was most promoted feature was
>> > cordless phone call monitoring. Listening to the Police & Fire Dept.
>> > was just a side note. I understand, if I am correct, you can listen
>> > to a call but cant tell anyone what was said or used the information
>> > for any reason. It just seemed to me there is more to promote then
>> > 46mhz Phone Call Monitoring.
>> > IceMann
>>
>> Nope, it is not legal even to listen, even if you do not disclose
>> anything. Probably one of the most stupid laws on the books. If you do not
>> want to be heard, buy a digital spread spectrum cordless phone.
>>
>> --
>> If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to
it. Nothing cost anything.
>
>
>

7004. Re: GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: spennine@home.com
Message-ID: <36101f91.10991675@news>
Source record: 142997

RI (USA) State Police
Providence RI (USA) Fire Department.

"Karl Dahlquist" <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com> wrote:

>Well, they did it again.
>
>My friends at Code Three Collectables have asked for a new list of Fire and
>Police Services which utiltilize the GMC Suburban.
>
>Some of you know that I posted this question to the group before, and was
>deluged with the response. A list will be submitted to them in order for
>them to consider new scale die-cast vehicles in the future.
>
>If you can please post or email all the agencies you are aware of that
>utilize the GMC Suburban, I would appreciate it.
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>
>Karl Dahlquist
>karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
>http://vistagroupusa.com/karldahlquist.htm
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7005. ROTFL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <JgAP1.4315$R_4.4047577@news3.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 142998
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I am a vociferous reader.
I have had the privilege of reading V8N7 World Scanner Report I picked myself up from rolling around on the floor laughing ;>}
You guys are mean for forwarding that one to me Our hero was mad as a snake. In just the last few months while he was making rec.radio.scanner unreadable, Bill also not only got kicked off SCAN-L. he joined CARMA and immediately got kicked off, he started his own list only to lose his ISP account which forbid such things (cable providers explicitly forbid this), and he finally got one started on QTH.NET only to be jerked by the very men he selected to run it after he made an obnoxious post. How can you get kicked on your own mailing list? Only Bill could manage the impossible! ROTFL!

Anyway his parting words are he plans to be back. He proposes to merely post without bothering to read the posts from other people. He envies Bob Parnass who we all respect for his dignified desimination of valued information and years of experience. Yet he could not bring himself to mention Bob by name. He wants us to respect him like we do Bob.
I have no problem with that, I just draw the line at boorish antisocial behavior. He devoted several paragraphs to whom I assume is John Mackey- again no name.
In the meantime he announces he is dropping phone support for all those that have had dealings with him except he promises to answer the phone one hour a day around 5PM, MAYBE.
I hope other venders do not drop their phone support for the high tech items they sell just to save a buck.

Anyway I wouldn't even have thought about it except for these masochists who delight in making sure I get to read World Scanner Report after they read it. The last one wasn't too bad for several pages until I ended up on the floor. But hey guys, I would rather read the CARMA newsletter or some of the other local newsletters, hint hint.

73 de ki4je

Blake Bowers wrote in message <6ulj8a$6dq$0@207.18.224.102>...
>
>>On Sat, 26 Sep 1998 11:29:31 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
>>bellsouth.net> wrote:
>>
>>>Why is it that everyone who promotes Bill Cheek's obsolete stuff has
the
>>>same anti social attitude he has?
>

>Vic,
>
>This is a straight up, serious question. No flame intended, please do
>not take it that way.
>
>You make some very good posts in Scan-l. It is obvious that you
>are not by any means, stupid.
>
>Why then, did you start this stuff up in the newsgroups again? Why
>is your, hmm, attitude, for the lack of a better word, so different in
>the newsgroups, than it is in Scan-L?
>
>Thanks in advance for a reasoned, intelligent reply.

7006. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6umj4g$ebm@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142999

In <360E9DA9.2A36@parg.org> John <john@parg.org> writes:
>
>BUGGIE CAR wrote:
>> Bill Cheek if you are out there...How do you restore the cell to an
895XLT?
>
>With all the problems that Bill Cheek caused on this NG for so long, I
>think
>you are going to find a lot of these issues still lurking. Just let
it
>go away.
>
Listen up vapid mouth...who in the hell gives you
the "deistic-like" authority to tell someone not to
request info from bill check. What are you going to
do: report him to a ISP who you masturbate to get
him or her to deny people their "first amendment
rights" by posting what they fuckin well want to.

runt-end of a stunk skunk-like mind-missing link:

go away. Bill cheek is silent. Take a lesson
and do it also. You have absolutely nothing to do
with anything in the scanner world...except that your
brain has holes in it where ass-gass flows incessantly
upon this NG.

no one wants your bile-full

don't you read.

go away and let the sun shine in.

bill conduit
etc.

7007. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6umj7c$mq1@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143000

In <19980927164312.12822.00004520@ng67.aol.com> malexder@aol.com
(MAlexder) writes:
>
>
>I'm selling my Uniden BC895 TrunkTracker to raise some dough for
another
>scanner. 300 channels, built-in CTCSS, RS232 port and more. I'll throw
in the
>cable for computer control. $200 plus shipping.

this is what they are selling for brand new
in a box with a warranty and more...

Radio Shack even has one for 200 bucks...a desk
model.

bill

7008. Re: Digital or scrambled baby monitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6umg7paik1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 143001

Good question.
You could add a scrambler to a regular unit, and then use a descrambler on
the receiving end.

Tom Dietz wrote in message <6umcuu$76j$1@supernews.com>...
>Is there such a thing? I am trying to find a secure one.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Tom
>
>
>

7009. Re: Mackey Takes The Bait Again !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <360ED879.63AC572B@INVALID.com>
Source record: 143002

John wrote:

> Mr. WireHead wrote:
>
> > I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched
> > the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the
> > group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since
> > he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has
> > made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed,
> > folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.
> >
> > Date | Mackey | Cheek |-
> > TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |
>
> All you've done here is prove that Cheek posted over 200 more posts than
> me!

Of course, these numbers mentioned that approxiamtely 24 of your 2139 posts were "on topic." The rest were harassment. And they don't even count your forgeries and rogue cancels.

While Cheek's "on-topic" posts were around 1500.

(You shouldn't have snipped that part of the data off in your reply. We're only going to point it out to you and everyone else.)

You friggin' loon.

7010. Re: Scanner Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <360ED917.D5ACAE35@cwix.com>
Source record: 143003

Sounds like the Uniden MR8100. Great scanner. Good luck finding one,
they are pretty scarce and hard to find.

Mike

Jughead wrote:
>
> A few years ago I saw a scanner in a Scanner World catalog, but I cant
> remember the model number. I'm pretty sure it was made by Uniden. It
> had a seperate control head you could mount on your dash with the main
> receiver mounted out of the way. It had an alphanumeric display and
> could be programmed by a PC.
>
> Does anyone have any info on this unit and where I might find one?
>
> Jughead

7011. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <360EDCAB.6DDCF4FF@cwix.com>
Source record: 143004
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

This is the best idea yet and dispatchers might finally get the pay
raise they deserve, and still be able to throooow one heck of a party.

Mike

Loki wrote:
>
>
> People - even the dumbest of the dumb, can remember "911" or "311".
>
> Perhaps put credit/debit card swipers on telephones? Run your card
> through and dial 911, if the dispatcher determines you are brain dead
> he charges you $1000 ($50.00 to send flowers to your next of kin, the
> rest for a dispatcher/PD/FD end of year party and taxis home).
>
> Loki
>
> CoT/KoB #314/U-76
> Other letters and numbers available at reasonable prices.
> Slight extra charge for capitals or numbers over 100.

7012. Frequencies wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: elduck <elduck@1st.net>
Message-ID: <360EE456.40C5B5B1@1st.net>
Source record: 143005

I need the frequencies for the Wheeling, Wwst Virginia area if anyone has them..

LAD

7013. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skeeziks <SkizzikS@NO.SPAM>
Message-ID: <360EE50E.5B93@NO.SPAM>
Source record: 143006

MAlexder wrote:
>
> >From: Skeezisk
>
> >
> >Uh, did you bother to check the dates on those flame war messages you
> >are replying to? Things have been back to normal around here for a few
> >weeks now.
>
> Too late. Mackey's b-a-c-k...

Yea, I just noticed that. My apologies to the guy I originally replied to. I thought we were past it. Oh well. Another few months of unsubscribing for me. It's just gonna get worse..... Hasta luego.

7014. Re: GMC Suburbans in public safety service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <360EEA6D.F45BCB2D@cwix.com>
Source record: 143007

California Highway Patrol, Kern County Fire Department, Bakersfield Fire Department, Anaheim Police Department, Hall Ambulance, AMR Ambulance

All of the above use Suburbans as part of their fleet.

Mike

Steve P wrote:
>
> RI (USA) State Police
> Providence RI (USA) Fire Department.
>
> "Karl Dahlquist" <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com> wrote:
>
> >Well, they did it again.
> >
> >My friends at Code Three Collectables have asked for a new list of Fire and
> >Police Services which utiltilize the GMC Suburban.
> >
> >Some of you know that I posted this question to the group before, and was
> >deluged with the response. A list will be submitted to them in order for
> >them to consider new scale die-cast vehicles in the future.
> >
> >If you can please post or email all the agencies you are aware of that
> >utilize the GMC Suburban, I would appreciate it.
> >
> >Thanks in advance.
> >
> >
> >Karl Dahlquist
> >karldahlquist@vistagroupusa.com
> >http://vistagroupusa.com/karldahlquist.htm
> >
> >
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> >
> >

7015. Need freqs for Winnemucca and Humbolt County, NV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Houck <firefighter18@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <360EDF61.28D0FB6A@geocities.com>
Source record: 143008

A friend of mine wants some frequencies for the Winnemucca and Humbolt county areas. Hopefully someone on here can help. Thanks in advance,
Tom
please respond via e-mail

7016. Re: Can a handheld serve as a base also?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Costin <bcostin@clark.net>
Message-ID: <6umqi5$49j$1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 143009

MECaswell wrote in message <19980917130801.28335.00001183@ng66.aol.com>...
>
>I'd probably going to buy a Pro-90 next time they go on sale. I realize
that
>these handhelds are designed primarily for scanning on the move, but can
they
>also effectively serve as a base scanner if an external antenna is added?
>
>If it WON'T work well, I may just buy a Pro 2050 now (while they're on
sale)
>and possibly pick up a handheld later.
>
>--Mike

I'm using a Pro-90 and a Pro-60 as pseudo-base scanners now. They seem to do a pretty good job, picking up everything that I expect to hear. I'm in a relatively rural area, so perhaps there's not as much interference around here to cause problems. I needed units that could go with me in my car and office, so a base unit wasn't really suitable at the time.

That said, I'm planning on purchasing a BC895XLT within the next month or so, primarily to get the computer control and progamming features.

-Bryan

7017. New Orleans: Worst Case Scenario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Dahlquist <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com>
Message-ID: <6umpn9$r35$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143010

http://www.nolalive.com/weather/mainstorm.html

It's hurricane season again, and the region's good luck is bound to run out soon. That's the verdict of storm experts, who say the relative tropical calm of the past 10 years is over. And officials concede the area can't be successfully evacuated. So each new season, we're flirting with disaster.

The Grim Scenario:
By LESLIE WILLIAMS
Staff Writer / The Times-Picayune

Dead bodies hang in trees. Small boats have been swept away or reduced to flotsam. Venomous snakes compete for space with resident shuddled on rooftops and in attics. Water and food are rationed. Much of New Orleans is under 8 to 14 feet of water mixed with human waste, rats and debris.

It's the aftermath of a direct hit by one of New Orleans' greatest threats; a slow-moving mid-level hurricane known as a Category III storm. And for those who didn't get away ahead of the storm, the horror will not end quickly.

A computer-generated worst-case scenario has the hurricane moving north from the Gulf of Mexico into the city at 5 to 7 miles per hour. It first pushes water from the marshes of the Barataria Basin over the West Bank levees. As the storm system passes into Lake Pontchartrain, it whips up a swirling wall of water that backwashes over east bank levees and begins to fill the geographical saucer that is New Orleans.

The surviving one-story shotguns and two-story camelbacks in Algiers Point, Mid-City and Carrollton not shredded by the storm surge or by wind gusts swirling in excess of 111 miles per hour soak for days in water that has risen to their eaves.

Staff file photo
The last hurricane to take a good shot at New Orleans was Andrew in 1992, which grazed the city but devasted parts of LaPlace with a late-night tornado.
Homes are without electricity or water service. Shelters are stuffed. And everyone is trapped, whether alone or in clusters, waiting for the National Guard to bring emergency food rations and supplies of drinking water. Assuming no levee breaks, it will be three to five days before city pumps have made much headway sluicing the inundation back into the lake, marshes and river that encircle the metro region

. The worst-case scenario might seem the stuff of a summer movie heavy on special effects, but in fact its horrors are drawn from the experience of Betsy, Audrey and other hurricanes that have afflicted New Orleans in recent decades. Betsy, which
brought 145-mph winds to the Louisiana coast in September 1965, killed 75 people. Audrey, which hit Cameron Parish with slower 135-mph winds in June 1957, killed more than 500 people.

The only remedy: evacuation, an emergency response more easily said than done. One problem is the region's limited highway system, which will clog hopelessly if the onslaught of those seeking escape to higher ground comes late and all at once, as expected. The three days needed for an orderly evacuation just doesn't gibe with the natural tendency to wait out storms on the hunch that they will change course and make landfall somewhere else.

It's a deadly calculation, but not an unreasonable one. Hurricanes, after all, are fickle beasts, and beating a retreat to Jackson, Miss., can seem silly a day later as sunshine breaks over downtown New Orleans because the storm has veered southwest to Corpus Christi. That's what Gilbert did in 1988, only to change course again and make landfall not in Texas at all, but at La Pesca, Mexico. Compounding the willingness of residents to gamble is widespread ignorance of just how devastating the big one will be.

The example of emergency personnel -- the folks who know hurricanes best -- should wake up anyone tempted to take a laissez-faire approach to preparedness. Walter Maestri, director of the Jefferson Parish Emergency Management Department, will pack his wife and sons off to Jackson three days before any Gulf hurricane could possibly hit New Orleans. His job will keep Maestri here, as will Jim Hubbard's as chief executive officer for the American Red Cross in Louisiana. But like Maestri, Hubbard won't subject his family to the same risk. Seventy-two hours ahead of a possible New Orleans landfall, Hubbard's wife and their Pekinese, Pepper, have made plans to be in a car or plane headed for Dallas to stay with relatives.

``Our problem is psychological,'' Hubbard said of the area's lackluster evacuation
readiness. ``There's a generation now that has not endured a Betsy or a Camille.'' Louisianians in their 20s are among those considered least likely to follow emergency officials' recommendation to create a hurricane fund to finance trips to safer areas during hurricane season. For those still thinking of staying, Robert Eichhorn, the director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness for New Orleans, suggests they sample what's to come if a hurricane bombards this area.

His advice: ``Turn off your AC. Climb in your attic and sit in the dark for about 30 minutes.''

7018. WTB: MR8100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jughead <jlowens@gate.net>
Message-ID: <360EEEBB.25E6@gate.net>
Source record: 143011

e-mail to: jlowens

Jughead

7019. Radio Shack PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lawrence H. Zielasko" <coderman@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6umq13$olf@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio Shack PRO 2006 in excellent condition with manual, box, and antenna. Has cell and speed modifications. $275 firm via cash COD (includes shipping). No trades. Interested parties reply by email.

7020. Salinas Airshow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: HOUNDDOG <HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <360EFB4F.35D6@prodigy.net>
Source record: 143013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Here's what I logged:
T-Birds -
141.3
141.85
322.95
413.1
S-Birds
272.1 - This was a freq that I hadn't seen reported before
Other Airshow Freqs
123.15
122.85
122.95

Did anyone find any other frequencies in use?

P.S. - Next stop for me - Blue Angels in SF on 10/11

7021. Re: Mackey Takes The Bait Again !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360EFCF4.3D7@parg.org>
Source record: 143014

allsafe wrote:
> While Cheek's "on-topic" posts were around 1500.

On what do you base this on?

7022. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360EFDAA.9C0@parg.org>
Source record: 143015

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> Listen up vapid mouth...who in the hell gives you
> the "deistic-like" authority to tell someone not to
> request info from bill check.

More bullshit & lies from Bill Conduit. You better look again,
just today I suggested to a fella he should write e-mail to
Bill Cheek if he wanted to be sure to reach him & gave the
fella Bill's e-mail address.

Once again you have proven yourself to be a lying fool. :(

> go away. Bill cheek is silent. Take a lesson
> and do it also. You have absolutely nothing to do
> with anything in the scanner world...except that your
> brain has holes in it where ass-gass flows incessantly
> upon this NG.

You would do very well to follow your own advice.

x

7023. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360EFE1C.37BE@parg.org>
Source record: 143016

MAlexder wrote:
> Mackey's b-a-c-k...

I never left!

I see YOU are back on here making trouble & making an ass of yourself,
again!

:(

7024. Hanheld info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jughead <jlowens@gate.net>
Message-ID: <360F0781.6D3F@gate.net>
Source record: 143017

I'm looking for a handheld scanner. I've been looking at three, the
Uniden BC235XLT, A Uniden 200ch 800mhz non-trunking unit that
Scannerworld does'nt give the model number for, and the Relm HS200.

Any info you could give me on these units would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Jughead

7025. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dockery <mdockery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <360f242f.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 143018

CEI sells the BC895 for $194.00 plus $18.00 shipping.

7026. Ref Uniden SC-150B Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuart goodfield <stuart.g0gnm@gifford.co.uk>
Message-ID: <360e4769.0@news.gifford.co.uk>
Source record: 143019

Hi.
I have a Uniden SC-150B scanner, but no manual
Can you help in suppling a copy, (all costs met)
Or quick user guide, would be a help
Email me
Stuart
stuart.g0gnm@gifford.co.uk

7027. FS:Pro-2006 & OS/456

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tag <tagger@indy.net>
Message-ID: <6umhpamus1@news.indy.net>
Source record: 143020

Pro-2006 , SN 068400 (with the 120volt power transformer removed)
uses a Radio Shack AC adapter,(supplied), with OS456 board installed.
One Owner(me)
Scancat-Gold Ver 7.24
enterdev ver 1.5
all manuals
$200 and i'll ship

tom gray
tagger@indy.net
KB9OCX

7028. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <360e1d16.1715569@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 143030
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

De Sun, 27 Sep 1998 00:09:03 -0700, Jaye <Trudy@flash.net> a �crit
dans le message:

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>> The state program is studying whether to fund 311 from 911 surcharges.
>> "Right now, all that is still in its infancy stage," said Leah Senitte,
>> program manager for California's 911 agency.

>In Dallas we have the opposite problem. We have 311 and we can't get
>the citizens to stop calling for emergency situations. We get 311 calls
>regarding fires, prowlers, medical etc, etc,
>etc...
>Jaye

welcome to 21st century...
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Masataka Noda (Infinite Communications (TM)), Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
N� d' ICQ: 15115035
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
Pilote Avion Priv�(avec la qualification de vol de nuit)
�tudient @ m�t�orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit� McGill
C�: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit� McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!
*** Pour me repondre, enlever .PAS_DE_SPAM de mon adresse ***
*** To reply to me, remove the .PAS_DE_SPAM from my address ***

7029. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XacayX.com.au
Message-ID: <360e1ab9.1933861@news.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com (Mickey McInnis) wrote:

:I see nothing in part 97 forbidding possession of equipment capable of
:transmitters capable of transmitting of outside ham bands. If you see
:any such prohibitions, please cite them. You are claiming that part 97
:forbids hams to possess equipment that can transmit outside of ham
:bands. Would you contend that a ham can't own a CB radio, a family
:service radio, licensed radios for other services, etc.?
:
:As far as I know, there is no prohibition, even on non-hams, of owning
:equipment capable of transmitting on any frequency, but there are
:restrictions on transmitting.

In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
the FCC. There may be some excemptions for hams.

7030. Re: Cheek decided not to participate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ul5n0$mci@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143032

In <360D93E0.2BAC@parg.org> John <john@parg.org> writes:
>
>

>> The only people on
>> Bill's "sh*t-list" are NG loonies and pests
>
>Your above statement is simply untrue.

the pot calling the kettle black.

geesh...what a guy?

bill conduit
etc.

7031. Re: TV video from a scanner..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XacayX.com.au
Message-ID: <360e1ab3.1927640@news.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

James <jamesgrv@bellsouth.net> wrote:

:Video is several signals spread over a 6MHz bandwith. The audio (FM) has a
:devation of (I forget exactly) of something like 15khz.

TV audio deviation is around 200KHz. That is why they call it wide band
FM.

7032. Re: Wanted: SF Bay Area Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6ul60k$mjd@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143034

In <360DD42E.87C9D32B@silcon.com> Marc <marcl@silcon.com> writes:
>
>Does anyone have a listing for San Francisco/South Peninsula Bay Area
>frequencies? Specifically looking for Daly City, Burlingame, SSF, etc.
>Could not find a good frequency source by searching the web on my own.
>Any help is appreciated......
>
>Marc
>
go to Radio Shack and buy a book: police call

it will free you from your angst.

or a HAM store and their offerings.

bill conduit
etc.

7033. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Healey <fourphun@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <xZpP1.4902$_G3.3670989@news2.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143035
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

John you can use a provider from any area of the country. I used one in
California for years befoe the net became popular with the masses.
All you need is a POP in your city if you want local access to an out of
state ISP.
Bill Cheek is aware of how to abuse the net as seen by a casual search of
his computer
He should never have set his sytem up that way! Will these newbies ever
learn? ;>)
He had numerous files related to that. Remember he eventually lost his
account because of net abuse was traced to him. It doesn't mean he still
does, it is just that he has more knowledge about how to abuse the net at
his disposal then the average person.

The only easy way to detect him would be that his boorish attitude would
reappear in someone's posts. That person would also be hiding behind a
pseudo identity. Bill Cheek also can not refrain for long from from greedly
spaming USENET with self promotional posts of things he sells. Don't some
posts here fit that marker?
I don't really care that much as I have other things to do but I mentioned
it only out of passing interest to alert everyone else who may want to play
detective.

John wrote in message <360D94B7.655A@parg.org>...
>Bud wrote:
>
>> Bill has no need to disguise himself.
>
>Then why has he (like you) been caught disguising in the past?
>
>
>> Not to mention the headers are
>> easily traceable by anyone with the LEAST little bit of knowledge.
>
>I do agree with you here. While the acts & posts of Zombie are
>similarly
>troublesome as Bill's were in the past, he is clearly coming from
>an east coast provider therefore making it very unlikely he is Bill.

7034. Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <360e3008.3133960@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 143036

Web site for downloading back up!

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.

You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to have a look, you can get more information
on the program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

7035. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <6ula1l$12m$1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 143037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Barry O'Grady (barryo@XacayX.com.au) wrote:
> In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
> which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
> the FCC.

You may be correct, Barry (or not :-) but your post would have ever so
much more credibility if you could cite the FCC regulation to which
you refer.

--
John Miller, N4VU Linux! Offense should be in
'96 base model MCA #70258 short supply; so much
"Shiroi Kuruma" DoD #1942 more is taken than given

7036. RE:Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: buggiecar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927085227.17811.00004536@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 143038

ENOUGH ALREADY!!!
The bullshit back and forth is nothing short of trolling...cut it out.
These newsgroups are loaded with self promotion and sales...SO?
You don't have to read it do you???
Someone speaks up in defense of another individual who (by the way) has just as much right to be here as any of you do..and you get Flamed!
Bill Cheek if you are out there...How do you restore the cell to an 895XLT?
John W Gardner

7037. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wk1v@shore.net
Message-ID: <360e39b2.2508981@news.shore.net>
Source record: 143039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On 27 Sep 1998 08:11:33 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:

>Barry O'Grady (barryo@XacayX.com.au) wrote:
>> In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
>> which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
>> the FCC.

Pure BALONEY!

The infraction comes when you transmit with that radio...not when you
take possession of it. MARS and CAP operators all over this country
would be in deep kimshee (sp?) if what you say is true..fortunately
for us..it is not.

>You may be correct, Barry (or not :-) but your post would have ever so
>much more credibility if you could cite the FCC regulation to which
>you refer.

I wouldn't worry about it John.

Cheers!
****
*Jim Martin, WK1V Listed email address is not real *
* Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
**********<.procmail> Spam Resistant**********

7038. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bd703@scn.org
Message-ID: <199809271330.GAA15914@scn.org>
Source record: 143040

BNSF "Seattle Terminal" dispatcher covers from Black River (Tukwila)
to about Bridge 4 in Ballard on 161.16. This includes King Street Station.

From Bridge 4 north to Everett, and then east to Spokane is on 161.100,
under the control of the BNSF "Seattle East" dispatcher.

Amthrax also uses 160.455 and 160.785 at King Street Station.

MY THEAM:

You shouldn't let a few spelling or grammar mistakes ruin your whole day.

Consider the possibility that the author has a disability like cerebal
palsy and spent an HOUR typing their message with a head wand.

Kerwin

--
****
* They know who you are...
bd703@scn.org * They know where you live...
* And there's no doubt about it!

7039. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave DiGiorgio <Mrpyro@home.com>
Message-ID: <360E4512.6EDDBE00@home.com>
Source record: 143041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

This topic has been brought up many times in my area, and while I have no legal basis for this, here is my opinion. If you used a radio for a LIFE OR DEATH emergency to contact police, I doubt if it went to court you would loose your case. However, it damn well better be a LIFE OR DEATH situation. You could very easily end up loosing your radio, and/or lots of money (fines). Just think about all the strange verdicts courts come up with these days, and it is really hard to try to figure out how they will side.

Dave

Jim M USAF Ret wrote:
>
> On 27 Sep 1998 08:11:33 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:
>
> >Barry O'Grady (barryo@XacayX.com.au) wrote:
> >> In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
> >> which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
> >> the FCC.
>
> Pure BALONEY!
>
> The infraction comes when you transmit with that radio...not when you
> take possession of it. MARS and CAP operators all over this country
> would be in deep kimshee (sp?) if what you say is true..fortunately
> for us..it is not.
>
> >You may be correct, Barry (or not :-) but your post would have ever so
> >much more credibility if you could cite the FCC regulation to which
> >you refer.
>
> I wouldn't worry about it John.
>
> Cheers!
> **
> *Jim Martin, WK1V Listed email address is not real *
> * Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
> **********<.procmail> Spam Resistant**********

7040. Re: RE:Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdea1e$0f5e5200$43685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143042

>>> I second that emotion!!!
Dennis
djmr26@bestweb.net

BUGGIE CAR <buggiecar@aol.com> wrote in article
<19980927085227.17811.00004536@ng91.aol.com>...
>
> ENOUGH ALREADY!!!
> The bullshit back and forth is nothing short of trolling...cut it out.
> These newsgroups are loaded with self promotion and sales...SO?
> You don't have to read it do you???
> Someone speaks up in defense of another individual who (by the way) has
just as
> much right to be here as any of you do..and you get Flamed!
> Bill Cheek if you are out there...How do you restore the cell to an
895XLT?
> John W Gardner
>

7041. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uliaa$459$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 143043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>I don't really care that much as I have other things to do but I mentioned
>it only out of passing interest to alert everyone else who may want to play
>detective.
>
>
>
I gotta see this ! Go Ahead. Prove I am Bill cheek. Put up or shut up,
Healey. I have had the same ISP and POP server for at least two years. It is
easily traceable Go over to deja news. My screen name before this was
zmbwf.
Like I said, thanks for the compliment. Bill Cheek doesn`t live on the east
coast. By the way, how many ISP`s and servers do you think we have available
up here in Central Maine ? You keep on making these blanket statements,
which have no basis in fact whatsoever, and then you fail to back them up ,
making yourself look like a complete buffoon. Like I said, it is awfully
hard for people like you to avoid making a complete fool out of yourself. It
is in your nature.

7042. Re: ALERT ﷺ Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ulj8a$6dq$0@207.18.224.102>
Source record: 143044
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

>On Sat, 26 Sep 1998 11:29:31 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
>bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>>Why is it that everyone who promotes Bill Cheek's obsolete stuff has the
>>same anti social attitude he has?

Vic,

This is a straight up, serious question. No flame intended, please do
not take it that way.

You make some very good posts in Scan-l. It is obvious that you
are not by any means, stupid.

Why then, did you start this stuff up in the newsgroups again? Why
is your, hmm, attitude, for the lack of a better word, so different in
the newsgroups, than it is in Scan-L?

Thanks in advance for a reasoned, intelligent reply.

7043. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ulikb$et6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143045
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Incorrect, Zombie. You can. Try Ken Plotkin's.

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6u8og1$h5d$1@garnet.mint.net>...
>nope. won`t go there.....
>>Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?

7044. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ulim1$f31@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143046
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Works fine, and I can and do receive all 832 cellular channels.

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6u92r5iap1@garnet.mint.net>...
>This STILL is not a proper cell modification, and won`t cover the whole
cell
>band anyway. The is a virtual downconversion, which doesn`t work all that
>well.....

7045. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ulinh$fct@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143047
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

But it can be done. http://www.access.digex.net/~kplotkin/scanner.htm

jer wrote in message <6u9e1e$s02$1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
> Boy would'nt That make that a great scanner?? DREAM ON AND ON
>> Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?

7046. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <6ulisq$57v$0@207.18.224.102>
Source record: 143048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 11:00:16 GMT, barryo@XacayX.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
wrote:

>In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
>which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
>the FCC. There may be some excemptions for hams.
>
No, No, No, and again, no.

There is no rule within the FCC, that prohibits someone from
owning a transmitter that they are not licensed for. None.

If you must persist in handing out obvious misinformation, please
include the quote from the FCC, citing rule number, that you are
obviously mis-interpetating.

7047. Re: deletion from the newsgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdea24$49079d80$43685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143049

I can't imagine why someone would want to unsubscribe from a NG related to
their interests - why, every now and then among the flaming and BS I see
some interesting posts about SCANNING!
Dennis
djmr26@bestweb.net

William J. Crawford <wjcnwc@pop.omah.uswest.net> wrote in article
<36029008.564A5A45@pop.omah.uswest.net>...
> would very much appreciate being taken off this newsgroup. thank you
> for your apprecation and cooperation.
>
>
>

7048. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6ulipi$fl5@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

No, incorrect. It is illegal to listen to BOTH cellular and cordless phones in the US.

Don Leonard wrote in message <360DCF92.DEDD0968@mail.lig.bellsouth.net>...
>It is not illegal to listen to cordless phones...it is illegal to listen to cellular phones.

7049. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6uljr0$jsu@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143051
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

... site, that is.

Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ wrote in message
<6ulikb$et6@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>Incorrect, Zombie. You can. Try Ken Plotkin's.
>
>Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6u8og1$h5d$1@garnet.mint.net>...
>>nope. won`t go there.....
>>>Can you modify a pro 64 to receive the missing 800-900MHz freqs?
>
>

7050. Re: where the port. phone freqs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy KC0DSZ <jtonsa@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6uljpg$jn4@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143052

And can't forget 2.2 to 2.4 GHz.

JER1538 wrote in message <19980924215342.06342.00001247@ng08.aol.com>...
>
>46.61 to 46.97
>43.72 to 44.48
>920 to 928

7051. Re: Scanner Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jughead <jlowens@gate.net>
Message-ID: <360E5344.58CA@gate.net>
Source record: 143053

Bud wrote:

> MR8100, hard to find nowadays. A friend of mine recently dug one out of
> the closet, and traded for a TrunkTracker.
>
> TO reply via e-mail, change the I in the address to an A.
>
> Thanks.

Any ideas where I might find one, and about what their going for?

Thanks,
Jughead

7052. Re: AMTRACK TRAIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer1538@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927113254.08090.00002653@ng110.aol.com>
Source record: 143054

Barry ? maybe he can choose the response that fits his operating style. the comments you wrote were of an arrogant nature and show that you are nothing but a world class a--hole!

7053. FS: FRG 9600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Renner <grenner@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <360E6DFC.F0A61FDA@uswest.net>
Source record: 143055
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

In excellent condition electronically and cosmetically. Included box, manual, car bracket and computer interface box (FIF 232). No mods, No TV module $325 shipped FedEx COD in the cont. U.S.

Greg Renner

7054. Re: Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6ulp0qqts1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 143056

Len G. Carpenter wrote in message <360e3008.3133960@news.iaw.on.ca>...
> Web site for downloading back up!
>
> It's now HERE!!
> Pro-Turbo
>
> Now Updated to do even more!
>
> Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
>have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.

If you're gonna post ads for the "new, updated" software every other day, could you at least include the version number so we don't have to keep checking to see if you have actually come up with a real "update"?

No wonder you get so many hits and downloads and so few real customers.

Latest I have is 2.71.

73 de Dave, NF2G
Pro-Turbo beta team

7055. Re: F.S. R1801 Programmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHRISTOPHER (Chris) W. BOONE" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <360E6792.866BB23E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143057
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Oh I cant resist this typo :)

D. F. Cimperman wrote:
> Motorola R-1801A Programer.
> With Bables

Does that include the Tower as well???? :)

Chris
WB5ITT

7056. Looking for South Africa Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: c23bl@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <360e6934.1851959@news.snafu.de>
Source record: 143058

Hi,

looking for bandplan and frequencies for South Africa,
where to lookt for police, rescue, etc...

thanks a lot
redford

7057. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6ulqrf$ogj@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Barry O'Grady <barryo@XacayX.com.au> wrote:
>mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com (Mickey McInnis) wrote:

>:I see nothing in part 97 forbidding possession of equipment capable of
>:transmitters capable of transmitting of outside ham bands. If you see
>:any such prohibitions, please cite them. You are claiming that part 97
>:forbids hams to possess equipment that can transmit outside of ham
>:bands. Would you contend that a ham can't own a CB radio, a family
>:service radio, licensed radios for other services, etc.?

This discussion centers on whether Part 97 protects a ham if he
intentionally *transmits* out-of-band; no one has ever said that
ownership of such equipment is illegal. (My contention has been
when an amateur transmitter is set on a freq'y outside a ham band,
it is no longer part of one's "amateur station"; we'll see if my
opinion is correct once the FCC answers the email I sent them.)

>In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
>which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
>the FCC. There may be some exemptions for hams.

Now Barry, don't confuse your nutty Australian/UK regulations with
our US regs. (How was your winter?)

Jeff KH2PZ

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7058. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wk1v@shore.net
Message-ID: <360e6f18.17062266@news.shore.net>
Source record: 143060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 13:51:43 GMT, Dave DiGiorgio <Mrpyro@home.com>
wrote:

>This topic has been brought up many times in my area, and while I have
>no legal basis for this, here is my opinion. If you used a radio for a

IF a frog had wings he wouldn't bump his ass when he jumped....

>LIFE OR DEATH emergency to contact police, I doubt if it went to court
>you would loose your case. However, it damn well better be a LIFE OR

Loose your case??????

>DEATH situation. You could very easily end up loosing your radio,

Loosing your radio??????

>and/or lots of money (fines). Just think about all the strange verdicts
>courts come up with these days, and it is really hard to try to figure
>out how they will side.

In a LIFE or DEATH emergency pretty much anything goes....who cares
what the repercussions are until afterward? I certainly wouldn't..

Hey, check out www.dictionary.com :)
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*Jim Martin, WK1V Listed email address is not real *
* Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
*************<.procmail> Spam Resistant**************

7059. Making of my own antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tarjei Lundarvollen <tlundar@online.no>
Message-ID: <6ulr3i$56i$2@readme.online.no>
Source record: 143061

Hi, I'm thinking on making my own scanner antenna for the freq. range 118 - 137 Mhz (airplane and controllers). I have calculated that the length og the wave on freq. 125.000 (which is close to the middle of the freq. range I want) is 2.4 meters (240 mm) and the lengt og the antenna will be 2,4m / 2 = 1.2 metres ? And I thinked on use a pipe (metall) to antenna, but how should I connect the wire (50 Omh cabel, it that right for scanners ?) to the "pipe" (antenna), the center of the cabel I think should be conected to the pipe, but where shall I connect the "ground" of the cabel, to ground (a pipe in the ground) or do I have to make som "radials" on the "antenna" (which of course must not be in conctact with the center "pipe" or the center "wire" of the cabel) and conncet the "ground" in cabel to this radials ??

If there any pages on the internett where I find more information about making antennas ?

Please mail me if YOU have any answear: tlundar@online.no

7060. Re: Cell on CE232?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjm2207@kcinter.net
Message-ID: <360e6775.3140543@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

On 25 Sep 1998 11:01:35 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>In another post, Zombie Wolf claims that the CE232 can receive cellular
>telephone calls. I don't believe this is true and when I said so, he replied
>that I did not know what I was talking about.
>
>So, would an owner of this interface please settle this point for us? Thanks.
>

To try to answer your question MAlexder, the CE-232 does in no
way allow a blocked scanner to receive additional frequencies. The
CE-232 is a button pushing interface that also has data aquisition. It
is capable on two-way interfacing with the Pro-2004/5/6 models and
one-way interfacing (autoprogramming like the PROgramit interface)
with several other scanners. Since this interface is mainly used with
the Pro-2004/5/6 models, then it is usually the case that where the
CE-232 is installed, then that scanner has the capabilites of
receiving cellular frequencies mainly because the hacker/hobbyist has
taken the time to do the appropriate mods to the scanner to enable it
to scan the blocked frequencies. The CE-232 (for programming and
scanning purposes) can only do what a human being can do when they are
pushing the buttons on the front of the scanner. If the scanner is
blocked then the user trying to program a cellular frequency is going
to get the same error msg on the LCD as if the CE-232 tries to program
it.
The CE-232 is a two-way interface because it also has data
aquisition. The CE-232 basically sits and waits while the scanner
chugs through the frequencies preprogrammed into the scanner. It waits
and listens until the scanner becomes active, the it captures the
datastream that is being sent from the scanner's CPU to the LCD
drivers. It sends this data to the computer where it allows the
software to know what frequency the scanner is now residing on. Since
the pathway between the CPU and the LCD display drivers existed on the
Pro-2004/5/6, then these were capable of having a two-way interface.
The Pro-2035/2042 has a newer design and the LCD display drivers are
incorporated into the CPU. This didn't leave the "tried-n-true" method
of data aquisition that was possible with the Pro-2004/5/6 models.

****NOTE**** This is no longer true though...through quite a bit of
experimentation and some extra circuitry involving a PIC chip, the
Pro-2035/2042 can be used with the CE-232 for a complete two-way
interfacing just the same way that it is with the Pro-2004/5/6
scanners. The first prototype, we captured the data from the LCD

drivers and converted it to the form of data that was evident between the CPU and the LCD display drivers in the Pro-2004/5/6's. This was a major bite in the posterior..but a learning experience. It became evident that capturing the data sent to the BPF switch and the PLL circuitry was much easier and dealt with a lot less wiring. Now the CE-232 doesn't know the difference between it being hooked up to a Pro-2004 or a Pro-2042. Is it worth taking the time to retrofit a Pro-2035/2042 so it works with a CE-232 interface? ...NO. Is this option going to be available as a commercial interest? ...NO. Is the information going to be out there for the hardcore hobbyists? ...NO. Why not?, because there are other avenues and better ways from getting from point A to point B.

The CE-232 was a marvel of its time, but there are other ways in which to doing things which are quicker and more efficient. I searched the internet until the wee hours deciding on the best option in which to control the scanner. I found that the best way was to directly tune the scanner via software on the computer. The CE-232 did not do that, but the OS535 did. The OS535 controls the Pro-2035/2042 model of scanner. There are pros and cons of each type of interface, but I intend to touch on most aspects.

TUNING METHODS AND DATA AQUISITION
Both the CE-232 and the OS535 are two-way interfaces when used with the appropriate scanners that they were designed for. The CE-232 uses a "button-pushing" method to allow the computer to control the scanner and it obtains data such as frequency and AM/FM/WFM from the scanner by tapping into the datastream between the scanner's CPU and the LCD display driver. The OS535 directly tunes the PLL circuitry and the BPF's. It aquires data such data as signal strength, scan stop (detecting a signal), DTMF and CTCSS tones, etc.

AMOUNT OF CHANNELS
The CE-232 uses the frequencies stored in the scanner's memory. If you have 400 channels with the scanner, that is what you have during computer control. If you have 6,400 or a turbo-whopper 25,600 channels, then that is what you have under computer control. The software is the limiting factor for the OS535 computerized setup. A popular program called Probe allows up to 99,000 channels in each file and I do believe that it allows 4,000 files! Need more channels, just kick out the code in QBasic, VisualBasic, C++, etc.

SCRIPTING
One advantage of the CE-232 is scripting...but is it really the interface? No, its just the software. The OS535 is very capable of scripting just the same, its all in the software. It depends on the situation, but take for instance that you have some obscure frequency that you monitor on a regular basis. It doesn't become active very often, but when it does, another 20 frequencies become quite active. If the "flag" frequency is active, you want to be able to devote all of the scanning to these 20 frequencies for a certain amount of dwell

time or until the channels no longer are active. This can easily be scripted with either the CE-232 or the OS535. The problem with the CE-232 is that it has to download these new frequencies to the scanners memory banks or has to switch to a bank that the frequencies are preprogrammed into and shut off all of the other banks. Since the OS535 controls the PLL circuitry, the software can switch over and have these new frequencies ready to go while you are still listening to the transmission on the "flag" frequency.

AUTO-PROGRAMMING
The CE-232 allows the programming of 400 channels, 6,400 channels or even 25,600 channels. It can do up to 999 channels at a time though with current software. I don't know if there is a easy way to switch between memory blocks easily while programming, but it would be an add-on feature. The OS535 bypasses the scanner's CPU and memory chips and is not capable of programming the frequencies into the scanner itself for operation without the computer interface. There is the PROgramit interface which allows you to do that for a resonable price. The PROgramit interface comes in several flavors...serial or parallel port designs. You can piece it together on perf-board or order a prefab PCB. Costs are from approx. $15 - $40. You can opt for external or internal versions if you want to use one with more than one scanner. I have placed several PROgramits in scanners that have the OS535 boards in them already. I like using the serial version of the PROgramit and just tap off of the DB9 of the OS535. You use the same serial cable of the OS535. Just shut down control of Probe, ScanCat, etc. and fire up the software for Probe. I have a external version of PROgramit for programming my Pro-43s and my BC3000xlt. The circuitry of the PROgramit is easy to add to control the memory blocks of a 25,600 channel Turbo-Whopper Pro-2006 so you can program many of them at once without flipping DIP switches.

TRUNK-TRACKING and OTHER FREQUENCY HAND-OFF TRACKING
The CE-232, OS535 and PROgramit all are capable of doing just that. It pretty much is in the software. There are several free and commercial programs for trunktracking for the OS535. There are a few programs that I have seen for the PROgramit and I have heard about a program or two that incorporates the CE-232. As for speed...the OS535 is by far the fastest. Then it is the PROgramit and the CE-232. The latter two tend to take a bit too long to switch over to the new channel to get the complete transmission efficiently.

COSTS AND INSTALLATION
The CE-232 runs around $150 for the kit or $200 for a built and tested interface. You can also put one together by yourself. The Motorola uPU sometimes is a tad hard to find though. The OS535 is going for $180 now. It comes built and tested. There are also other features of the OS535 such as CTCSS and DTMF decoding and s-meter circuitry. While you can add circuits to do this with the CE-232, it just adds to the price and what you have to install. The OS535 is fairly easy to install. You have to nibble out the little bit in the

back of the scanner and make two solder connections and plug in some wiring harnesses. The installation of the CE-232 is described as fairly extensive. The PROgramit isn't too bad and varies a tad with each scanner. I like the serial version which runs about $40 for the parts and prefab PCB. There are some other modules that have evolved with the PROgramit also. One allows for the operation of the scanner with a TV remote control. One that will later be available is a RF module that allows programming the scanner some distance from the computer. You wouldn't have to take the scanner out of the vehicle to have a couple of hundred frequencies downloaded.

VERSIONS OF THE OS535
There are three versions of the OS535. What really differentiates the difference is the programming in the CPU.

(Version 1) Cell-Blocked, Code Enabled. This allowed a FCC Approved or Cellular Technichian to enter a code via software which enabled the CPU to tune the cellular bands. This was the commonly sold version until there were some legal issues. This version sometimes can be picked up though, but not in the CONUS.

(Version 2) Cell-Blocked, Not Code Enabled. The OS535 cannot tune cell frequencies and no code can be entered via software to undo this blocking.

(Version 3) Cell-Enabled. Available to FCC approved or cellular technicians. Has the capabilites of tuning all of the cellular bands.

AVAILABILITY OF DEVELOPER'S GUIDES
What you need to start programming for the CE-232 and OS535 are both available. The CE-232 information used to be downloadable from Bill Cheek's Hertzian Intercept BBS but the BBS is no longer readily available. It may be available from his website, but I don't think it is up and running at the moment. You might have to e-mail him (bcheek@cts.com)and see about the availability of it. For programming the software for the OS535, you can get info from Optoelectronics or Steve Hancock's site at http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006/index.html. You might have to e-mail Steve to see where his CI-V protocol info is hidden at. For programming the PROgramit on your own, you will have to look through the IC datasheets and figure it out for yourself. Information on PROgramit can be found at http://www.qsl.net/ka2pyj/. John Montalbano has some nice software that will do about everything that most hobbyists would desire.

USER DEFINED SWITCHES!!!
Another debated item that has come up is user defined switches. The OS535 already has a tape control switch, but there can be more added to it. The OS535 is an addressed RS-232 module that allows it and 15 other (for a total of 16) devices to be daisy chained off of it. These of course have to be addressable also to make sure you aren't gonna have some 'strange' commands going down the pipe.

Weeder Technologies has a simple kit with an addressed PIC chip that has 12 digital I/O's coming out of it. Stick 15 of them into various projects and you can have 180 user defined switches just ready to go when you need them. Stick on the X-10 home automation module and have every light come on in your house when the tones are sounded for the local fire department...this works like a charm when you are a member of the volunteer fire department. Do you need some other A/D interfaces or projects to go along with this? Why don't you point your browser to http://members.aol.com/ncdcat/index2.html. There are other places to pick up the kits, plans, etc. but these are two that I have used off and on in addition to my own little designs.

RECORDING
While I don't use a tape recorder for unsupervised monitoring, I do use VOX recording through my soundcard. Now while I have been using RecAll, there are a few other programs out there that also have some neat features that will get the job done. Intercept Technologies made a enhancement for the CE-232 called the Vader board. This allowed you to monitor while you were there or away from you shack and record all picked up transmissions. The nice part about it was that it allowed selective playback by channel, frequency, groupings of similar freqs, time of day or duration. Well, in this present day and age things have changed quite a bit. Why don't you let the computer flex some of its muscle and let it handle all of the work. Since your computer program has all of the channel, frequency, duration, ctcss and other bits of information on all of the transmissions that it incounters, then it is very easy to do a dynamic-data-exchange with a program controlling your soundcard. You can easily sort the recorded transmissions however that you wish very much the way you can sort your received e-mails in Netscape or Explorer by sender, date, subject, etc. The .wav file that you create is dependent on the amount that you have available on a hard drive. Hard drives are cheap and when you are sampling at 5.5kHz, you will get a lot more recorded than the VADER board was capable...I think it could only record 1 hour's worth of continuous audio.

WANNA START WORKING ON YOUR OWN INTERFACE?
Go to http://www.boondog.com/ and you can make your own to decode info sent from the scanner's CPU to the PLL circuitry. Get the PLL IC info's and then do the math and the programming. It would be a nice winter project.

Wiggie

7061. FS: 450-470 Transcievers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mw5789@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6um1p3$6ls$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143063

We have 2 mint condition IC-U400 Modern Heavy Duty UHF Mobile Transceivers Dimensions: 6.7 (W), 2.0 (H), 10.2 (D), 5.7 lb 35W output power 5 W audio output (with a 4 ohm load) 440-480 MHz +/- 16 programmable channels Includes Built-in CTCSS Tone Encoder/Decoder Normal scan and priority scan & HM-35 standard hand mic $300.00 each + Shipping

Click Here For A Picture Of The U-400

We also have one HM-37 Heavy duty commercial DTMF mic for these radios, $50 with radio purchase only.

Lastly, we also have one example of the U-400's predecessor avaliable, although it's a bit banged-up, it does work

-Icom IC-435 16 ch. 35W commercial UHF Mobile 453-470 Mhz band w/ CTCSS, mounting bracket, hand Mic. This rig covers 453-470 Mhz. It's field programmable, you don't need any programmer equipment other than a soldering iron and some tools. It's fully PLL controlled, so you don't need to buy xtals. Programming is a bit time consuming, though. There are two diode matrices. One for TX, one for RX. The frequebcy for each, on each channel is decided by installing little diodes in a certain pattern. I'd supply the instructions. The PL encode/decode scheme uses a standard TSU-32 board, so there is 5 solder pads, the tone is decided by which pads are connected, so no matter how many channels you have programmed into the rig, you can only use one tone. No hand microphone $50 + Shipping, or additional shipping cost only if buying a U-400.

Interested Parties, please E-mail to mw@hula.net

-----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

7062. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave DiGiorgio <Mrpyro@home.com>
Message-ID: <360E79EB.62EF200B@home.com>
Source record: 143064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

yes, in a true life or death situation, any reprocussions later really wouldn't matter, however, there are a lot of people that have kinda funny definitions of Life or Death, and you can pretty well bet, that it better be a TRUE L or D situtaion.

Dave

Jim M USAF Ret wrote:
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> >you would loose your case. However, it damn well better be a LIFE OR
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> Loose your case??????
>
> >DEATH situation. You could very easily end up loosing your radio,
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> Loosing your radio??????
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> >and/or lots of money (fines). Just think about all the strange verdicts
> >courts come up with these days, and it is really hard to try to figure
> >out how they will side.
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> * Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
> **********<.procmail> Spam Resistant**********

7063. Use Everhardt Tiger mobile scanner antenna for xmit?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: eskin@cts.com
Message-ID: <eskin-2709981108440001@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 143065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I'm trying to figure out if I can safely use my mobile scanner antenna for transmitting on 2 meters.

The antenna is manufactured by "Everhardt Antenna" and is marked "Tiger". The black fibreglass mast is approximately 2 feet long, with two loading coils which appear to be part of a continuous single wire wrap under the rubber coating.

It is a great scanner receiving antenna, I'd like to use it on 2 meters. The repeaters I'd like to work are coming in full quieting.

Anyone used this antenna as a transmitting antenna for 2 meters or 440?

Thanks,

Michael

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eskin@cts.com

7064. Re: Rocky Mountain Railtours (Canada) Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BONO <BONO@shaw.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <vKvP1.6758$RC5.6060690@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 143066

This company runs their train on Canadian Pacific Railway's main track. Im not sure of the exact fequency it is but its between 159 and 164.

Trev.

7065. Re: 160.920 recorded message by newhaven rail yard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BONO <BONO@shaw.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <vQvP1.6764$RC5.6064508@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 143067

The rail that is used on that track is most likely CWR (continous welded rail) this type of rail must be installed during the optimum tempurature to allow for expansion and contraction. The rail when it gets cold is more subject to breakage and during the summer it can heat up and cause what is known as SUN KINKS. Im not sure but I will make the assumption that what you are hearing is a radio transmission from a detector that reports to maintainers what the condition of the rail is. This will save them time and labour cost to physically inspect the rail. Hope this helps.

Trev.

7066. Re: Government Scanner Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BONO <BONO@shaw.wave.ca>
Message-ID: <qVvP1.6765$RC5.6067278@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 143068

Majority rules and there are more people speaking up about privacey issues regarding radio frequencies than there are people with scanners concerned for their right to monitor. The government works for the majority! SPEAK UP AND BE HEARD!!!!

Trev.

PS: I'm on your side though!

7067. Problem between Optoscout and AR8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gameye@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927150542.20648.00002748@ng88.aol.com>
Source record: 143069

My Optoscout and AR8000 has been working perfectly until today. AR8000 settings seem OK and states"Remote" when cable(socket) is plugged in, Scout set to filter/capture etc, checked continuity of cable, OK, but comms between the two just isn't happening.

Any suggestions as manuals for both have few instructions for reaction tuning.

Cheers, Gameye

7068. Pro-25 cell unblock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net>
Message-ID: <360E8F62.E801829E@nac.net>
Source record: 143070

Hey all-
I was looking in my pro-25 scanner yesterday, and I
saw the board marked
"800 mhz unit" made by uniden, and saw three
jumpers on it. Don't those
control the blocked out cell freqs? couldnt one be
snipped to unblock
cell? Anyone tried it? I'm really annoyed at all
the freqs RS blocked
out on this unit. Thanks-

Greg

7069. Sad news for Monroe, CT CB/scanner shop. RIP Ethel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stormtracker <Stormtracker@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdea4f$a44f0540$e7224f0c@default>
Source record: 143071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

It was a depressing weekend when I went to my local CB shop, Herb's
Electronics in Monroe, CT, and heard that the owner, Ethel, had passed away
suddenly on Tuesday.
I was shocked, I was there just last week and she looked great.
Unfortunatly they are now selling out everything (not much left, they sold
alot on Sat. morning, really good prices too), and closing the shop for
good. To bad, they were the best CB shop around and really nice people.
Now have to find another good shop around CT area.
My condolences to the family, and especially Don, Nick, and Mike; Good luck
to you guys.
Rest in Peace Ethel
73s
Stormtracker
and
Chatterbox

Fairfield County Fire Monitoring

7070. Re: Problem between Optoscout and AR8000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gameye@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927155151.04125.00002319@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 143072

Cancel, must have drunk too much beer and toggled capture switch during start up!!!!...it was set on CIV rather than AR8000....

7071. Nevada County, CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryce Eichholz <EICHHOLZBR@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6um5m4$c8p@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143073

Looking for frequencies for Nevada County, California. Especially those for Lake Wildwood security, a gated community about ten miles west of Grass Valley.

Thanks in advance.......Bryce

7072. Winradio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <360e9962$0$11056@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 143074

KO6JQ is looking to purchase a Winradio. does
anyone know anything about this reciever ie: user
comments /test reports / white papers / mods/
where I can get one cygnet@cncnet.com
73 Sam

7073. FS: Kick Butt Scanner System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927160515.15486.00004493@ng68.aol.com>
Source record: 143075

After a lot of thought, I've decided to sell my beloved PRO-2042 scanner in order to raise some dough to buy a high-end Icom. The PRO2042 has been very well cared for and is in immaculate condition. It has been modified with an Optoelectonics OS535 and PROgrammit interface; the discriminator has been tapped as well. The installations are neat and professional in appearance. This package also includes software for both interfaces.

The PRO-2042 has 1100 channels (1000 in 10 banks and 100 monitor channels). It scans/searches at 50 channels per second. Frequency range is 25 Mhz to 1300 Mhz with the usual gaps; covers AM, FM, WFM. Lots of other features. For a review of this scanner, go to www.strongsignals.com.

Optoelectronics OS535 decodes CTCSS, DMTF; and imports files from most popular FCC databases. Scan/search speed is 80 cps. Frequency range is 25 MHz to 1300 MHz and is almost continuous. The interface--which was purchased from a Canadian retailer--is capable of tuning cellular frequencies without need of having to enter a "unlock code" or use special software. This interface is no longer available in the US and I paid a premium to acquire this particular version. For more information about this interface, go to www.optoelectronics.com

PROgramit interface enables you to automatically and quickly program the scanner's 1000 channels, giving you unparalleled flexibility to set up the scanner any way you would like when you don't need or wish to use computer control. For more information about PROgramit, go to www.qsl.net/ka2pyj

The discriminator has been tapped as well and allows you to decode POCSAG and many other signals.

The package also includes Probe 3.0 software (DOS-based), arguably the best software on the market. The program allows you to set up 4000 groups consisting of 99 banks with 1000 frequencies in each bank. What that means is you can create thousands of virtual scanners, each with it's own unique "personality." The software also enhances the scanner in several ways, beyond what the scanner itself is capable of, such as faster scanning/searching, alarms and so on. If you want to know more about Probe, go to home.ptd.net/~pro2006/index.html.

I bought the scanner about three years ago (the Opto was installed about a two years ago; the PROgramit was installed about one year ago). It hasn't been used excessively. I can't estimate the number of hours because I have a number of scanners that I use but like I said, it is in like-new condition and performs flawlessly in every way. The package includes all documentation (including some extra info that I've collected off the Net) original packaging materials, accessories and boxes. I paid close to $900 for this bundle back in the day. I'd like to sell it for $600, including shipping. If that seems out of line, make me a best offer. I will reply to all serious offers.

7074. The Outer Banks, NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Kathy <lynchs@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6um6s3$h2u$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 143076
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I'm looking for updates for the Outer Banks of NC, specifically
the Dare County area. Any help would be appreciated.

- Ed Lynch
Chesapeake, VA

http://www.erols.com/lynchs/RP2.html

7075. Re: Cheek decided not to participate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360E9D36.466F@parg.org>
Source record: 143077

Bud wrote:

> John, Bill had NO problem in this newsgroup, or anywhere else, until YOU
> started hounding him.

History according to Dejanews proves you wrong. There were documented
problems with Bill long before July 1996 when I arrived here on this NG.

> off-topic, and the complaints to your ISP will start again. This is your
> ONLY warning (from me).

GOOD!! Is that a promise?

7076. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360E9DA9.2A36@parg.org>
Source record: 143078

BUGGIE CAR wrote:
> Bill Cheek if you are out there...How do you restore the cell to an 895XLT?

With all the problems that Bill Cheek caused on this NG for so long, I think
you are going to find a lot of these issues still lurking. Just let it go away.

If you really want to contact Bill, I recommend you send him private e-mail
to "bcheek@cts.com".

7077. Re: Mackey Takes The Bait Again !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <360E9E26.5BFB@parg.org>
Source record: 143079

Mr. WireHead wrote:

> I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched
> the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the
> group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since
> he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has
> made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed,
> folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.
>
> Date | Mackey | Cheek |-
> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |

All you've done here is prove that Cheek posted over 200 more posts than
me!

x

7078. pro-51 f/s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: methpimp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926201529.26818.00002431@ng97.aol.com>
Source record: 143112

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pro 51 f/s 145.00$ shipped in USA
GOOD COND.
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7079. Re: Wards/Bearcat 220 repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6uk0ba$f2n@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 143113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If your Wards BC220-clone works ok and has a bright display,
I wouldn't replace C98 just yet. Each time you heat the foil,
there's a chance it will lift off the board. It's happened
to me :-(

Preemptively add heat sinks to the power transistors
and regulators. You can make a simple heat sink
from a pair of solder lugs and affix it with a machine screw
through the hole on the transistor's mounting tab.

Hope you can locate the proper Chromerics keypad to replace
the worn pad.
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parnass@bell-labs.com Bell Laboratories / Lucent Technologies

7080. F.S. Pro-34 Realistic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0oba@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926220833.22893.00001673@ng78.aol.com>
Source record: 143114

I have a pro-34 with the modification done. Will sell for $95 shipped from colorodo to conus. 100 dollars to the east coast. Payment by money order and then shipment. Thanks, Scott,n0oba

7081. FS: Pro 34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa186@freenet.akron.oh.us
Message-ID: <Ezx93v.59H@freenet.akron.oh.us>
Source record: 143115

Pro 34 in good condition; no visible scrathes on lens.
Pre-ban model. Comes with duck and charger/adaptor.

$100 shipped (U.S. only)

Email me directly.
Thanks,
Michael
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7082. Re: Scanner Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bde9c2$cf318c20$c1685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143116

Jughead - I saw one for sale on this NG within the last week. Check back on
here or I guess in deja-news. Mighta been the one Bud wrote of in his post,
or maybe not, I'm not sure.
Dennis
djmr26@bestweb.net
>
>
>
Jughead <jlowens@gate.net> wrote in article <360D7D65.507D@gate.net>...
> A few years ago I saw a scanner in a Scanner World catalog, but I cant
> remember the model number. I'm pretty sure it was made by Uniden. It
> had a seperate control head you could mount on your dash with the main
> receiver mounted out of the way. It had an alphanumeric display and
> could be programmed by a PC.
>
> Does anyone have any info on this unit and where I might find one?
>
> Jughead
>

7083. MTX800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: newsilver1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980926231713.05884.00002214@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143117

Hey Mike, have you figured out if any of radios will do
conventional/talkaround?
Thanks.
Will

7084. Re: PRO-2026 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobodies@home.now
Message-ID: <360da2d3.1317037@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 143118

On Sat, 26 Sep 1998 19:28:51 -0400, Jughead <jlowens@gate.net> wrote:

>Radio shack Pro-2026 (catalog #: 200-0148), cell modified, perfect
>condition, $200 obo, including COD cash shipping.
>
>Send e-mail to jlowens@gate.net
>
>Jughead

Damn, I just blew milk out my nose. Don't do that while I'm eating
cereal.

7085. Re: What happened to author profile and view thread features?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6ukc9ihil1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>
> >I wonder why they dropped the author profile and view thread features. I used
> >these features quite often.
>
> Try clicking on the "more options" line and you will get the menu.
>
>

It worked. Thanks
Bill K9KZ

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

7086. Re: MECA: scanning suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpowell632@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927000322.26378.00002503@ng39.aol.com>
Source record: 143120

The author wrote:>What I can't seem to understand is how to fit all those talkgroups into
>this scanner because it only allows 50 talkgroups per trunking enabled
>bank. I tried putting all of MECA's frequencies into all of the 10 banks
>on my scanner. All of the talkgroups fit but I can only scan 50 at a time
>because I have to switch banks to get to the other 50 or so talkgroups.
>Could someone tell me the correct way to handle this system?

The 50 ID per bank limit is a fundamental limitation of the Bearcat/Radioshack trunk trackers available now. The best soulution is what you are allready doing, organize the groups in the most logical fashion you can ie by service or area and off you go!

BP

7087. Chat Server / Chat Rooms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k7on@qsl.net
Message-ID: <43112634A85A4837.6A04B3BEA5A64E80.A79F8FC823D5B3F1@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143121

Please try my Chat Server / Chat Rooms for
Amateur Radio and Experimenting:

From: http://www.qex.net/

or,

http://www.qex.net:8000/

I hope it will be useful.

73, Brian

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Brian K. Short 1994 E. Laguna Dr. Tempe, Az 85282
k7on@qsl.net http://www.qsl.net/k7on (602)839-3484
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7088. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Leonard <dleon@mail.lig.bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <360DCF92.DEDD0968@mail.lig.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

It is not illegal to listen to cordless phones...it is illegal to listen to cellular phones.

zeno@magicnet.net wrote:

> In article <36091a27.33023762@enews.newsguy.com>, icemann@newsguy.com wrote:
>
> > FYI: I saw an 1-800 # ad on E! showing the Uniden Sport Cat 150
> > Scanner. The thing I was surprised at was most promoted feature was
> > cordless phone call monitoring. Listening to the Police & Fire Dept.
> > was just a side note. I understand, if I am correct, you can listen
> > to a call but cant tell anyone what was said or used the information
> > for any reason. It just seemed to me there is more to promote then
> > 46mhz Phone Call Monitoring.
> > IceMann
>
> Nope, it is not legal even to listen, even if you do not disclose
> anything. Probably one of the most stupid laws on the books. If you do not
> want to be heard, buy a digital spread spectrum cordless phone.
>
> --
> If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it. Nothing cost anything.

7089. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: billblevins@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <361ccf2d.35634450@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143123
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 05:26:17 GMT, dabar@upchuck.com (Loki) wrote:

> The world is full of idiots, give them a phone and they will find you.

>Loki

Good analysis.
--
Bill Blevins
billblevins@earthlink.net
PGP Key ID: 0x059B1511
PGP Fingerprint: BC2E 6277 25C9 FD2B 491E 5DF6 159B 6D02
UIN: 19198593
"AOL is for idiots. Get a real ISP."

7090. New swap page! (yes another one)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd*4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <360DD457.46D3@qsl.net>
Source record: 143124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi all,

I just started a new Swap-N-Shop page at:
http://www.InsideTheWeb.com/mbs.cgi/mb162351

Please help me out and list a few items there. It was started about 1:15 am EST on Sep. 27 so there isn't much listed yet....but there will be!

You can list items for sale, for trade or wanted.
Believe it or not, there are folks out there that have never visited the newsgroups and only buy off the swap pages....so let me help you sell or find the item you have or want.

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Please take the "*" out of my address to return email!
Or just click on the address below!
mailto:kd4lyp@qsl.net

Web site at:
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page.
Reviews on: Optoelectronics Cub frequency counter and CTP voice De-scrambler.
Humor on "How to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S." organization
East Tennessee frequencies along with the general ones and pictures of my equipment.
Listed with the "Top 100 ham sites".

7091. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6uknajrum1@supernews.com>
Source record: 143125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

What country do you live in Don? In the US it is illegal.

Don Leonard wrote in message <360DCF92.DEDD0968@mail.lig.bellsouth.net>...
>It is not illegal to listen to cordless phones...it is illegal to listen to
cellular phones.
>
>zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
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>> > Scanner. The thing I was surprised at was most promoted feature was
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>> > was just a side note. I understand, if I am correct, you can listen
>> > to a call but cant tell anyone what was said or used the information
>> > for any reason. It just seemed to me there is more to promote then
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connected to it. Nothing cost anything.
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7092. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaye <Trudy@flash.net>
Message-ID: <360DE48F.27BE@flash.net>
Source record: 143126
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Captain Crimefighter wrote:
>
> SoCal Agencies Ponder 311 to Reduce 911 Calls
>
> The problem is well-defined: too many calls to 911. But public safety
> agencies in Southern California are not completely convinced that the
> recently-approved 311 number is the solution.
>
> Cities and counties surrounding Los Angeles say they receive all types of
> non-emergency incidentson 911. Callers apparently find it's the easiest way
> to contact the police. So far, none of the agencies has plans to
> implement 311, but several are considering it.
>
> The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) reserved 311 nationally on
> Feb. 19 to "gain access quickly to non-emergency police and other government
> service to be in the public interest."
> (DISPATCH, March 1997)
>
> "At this point, we just don't have a real clear handle on how it can be
> successfully implemented," said Capt. Scott Brown, of the
> Orange County Fire Authority.
>
> He said their dispatchers handle about 15,000 calls on 911 each month.
>
> Roger Ham, administrator for Huntington Beach's comm center, said,
> "We think it's a real solid way to get those (non-emergency) calls off
> the 911 lines."
>
> He feels 311 should be implemented on a countywide or statewide basis,
> rather than city-by-city. "Otherwise, it wouldn't work because
> people wouldn't know when or when not to call 311."
>
> Huntington Beach dispatcher Richard Eidlhuber recalled a woman who called
> to report she had fallen out of bed. "She probably needed help, but it
> wasn't
> a life-threatening situation," he said.
>
> Other agencies wonder if education might be a better--and cheaper--solution.
> "Education is one of the most difficult things to accomplish," said
> Richard Blansett, Fullerton police's crime analyst.
>
> "We're just now making headway in teaching people when and when not to

> use 911. If we implement 311, we'd have to start all over again."
>
> Still other cities are taking a hard line on 911 abuse, fining callers who
> abuse the number. Last year Garden Grove fined 82 residents $25 each after
> they dialed 911 and hang up.
>
> Their calls required dispatchers to call back and send officers to check the
> residents. "When the officers got there, there was no emergency," said
> Julie Dutton, comm center manager. "Sometimes it's a misdial, and other
> times it's their kid playing on the phone."
>
> The state program is studying whether to fund 311 from 911 surcharges.
> "Right now, all that is still in its infancy stage," said Leah Senitte,
> program manager for California's 911 agency.
>
> copyright 1997, 911 Dispatch Services, Inc.
>
> http://www.911dispatch.com/web_story/stories_97/story-32-may97.html

In Dallas we have the opposite problem. We have 311 and we can't get
the citizens to stop calling for emergency situations. We get 311 calls
regarding fires, prowlers, medical etc, etc,
etc...
Jaye

7093. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-2709980413080001@pm53-06.magicnet.net>
Source record: 143127
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

In article <360C354F.DBCF1486@cabrillosquare.com>, Captain Crimefighter
<"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com> wrote:

> SoCal Agencies Ponder 311 to Reduce 911 Calls
>
> The problem is well-defined: too many calls to 911. But public safety
> agencies in Southern California are not completely convinced that the
> recently-approved 311 number is the solution.
<snip>
> Still other cities are taking a hard line on 911 abuse, fining callers who
> abuse the number. Last year Garden Grove fined 82 residents $25 each after
> they dialed 911 and hang up.

Here in Florida a man kept calling 911 when he should not, and when he
called 911 to report is toilet overflowing, they had enough and he went to
jail for a short while.

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If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

7094. Re: San Diego County system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: caryc1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927041019.25808.00002388@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 143128

It is possible for CHP to be heard on San Diego Frequencies. A new federally funded radio intertie allows the various agencies to talk to each other via patches.

7095. Mod to Pro-2045

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnryee@hawaii.rr.com
Message-ID: <360df8cb.3502921@news-server>
Source record: 143129

Am looking for mod to the Radio Shack Pro-2045 so that it can be programmed via a PC. Would appreciate any info or pointing in the right direction. dnryee@hawaii.rr.com

7096. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <360fedbd.73986110@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142880

On 27 Sep 1998 20:43:12 GMT, malexder@aol.com (MAlexder) wrote:

>
>I'm selling my Uniden BC895 TrunkTracker to raise some dough for another
>scanner. 300 channels, built-in CTCSS, RS232 port and more. I'll throw in the
>cable for computer control. $200 plus shipping.

He He He He He He Ha Ha ha Ha H a Ha ha Ha Ha Ha Ha HeHe He He He Ha
Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha h a uhhhh uhh uhh uhhh ha ha aha ha heeee heeeeeee
Har Har He Ha Har Har.....!!!!!You have got to be kidding!!!!

7097. Relm HS200 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: brnloooser@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928161326.15486.00005331@ng68.aol.com>
Source record: 142881

I have a Relm HS 200 handheld scanner. Seems to work very well, and I found it on the net for only $179. I was wondering if anyone knows of any modifications for it to receive any additional freq's. I have been told that the mfg. has made it so it can't be modified at all. Does anyone know if this is true? Thanks for any info in advance.

7098. Re: AR7000 IS HERE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928164332.12824.00005298@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 142882

>Subject: AR7000 IS HERE
>From: scannerunl@aol.com (ScannerUnl)

>The long awaited AR7000 is available for sale in the U.S. You may contact us
>by e-mail or phone (650) 573-1624 for further info.

What is the asking price, please?

7099. Frequencies for DELAWARE????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stang300hp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928164801.13140.00003666@ng94.aol.com>
Source record: 142883

Anyone have any numbers for Delaware Northern like the State Police or anything good. i dont know any

Email me

7100. PRO-28 CELLPHONE????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stang300hp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928165610.13140.00003667@ng94.aol.com>
Source record: 142884

Can u Mod the PRO-28 to get cell phones and cordless phones???

EMAIL ME

7101. Re: Digital or scrambled baby monitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: no@spam.com
Message-ID: <3610f658.664719829@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 142885

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 17:13:46 -0500, in msg <6umcuu$76j$1@supernews.com>, "Tom Dietz" <tom@badname.glis.net> wrote:

>Is there such a thing? I am trying to find a secure one.

They used to sell baby monitors that transmitted through the house wiring, before the 900mhz band was allocated. Maybe they still sell them somewhere, or maybe you can find an old set at a swap meet or something (Radio Shack was one company selling house wiring, "wireless", baby monitors.)

-Zonn

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7102. Re: Change step size on Pro43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "@ndre"
Message-ID: <6uotrv$bqe@news3.euro.net>
Source record: 142886

skanman heeft geschreven in bericht
<01bdeafa$24de1660$54e037a6@mycomputer.nando.net>...
>Anybody know how to change the step size on a Pro43? This unit has been
>cell modded and steps the correct 30khz,but I want to change the 12.5khz
>step size to 5khz step in the 900mhz range and possibly other ranges that
>are 12.5khz.
>

YES ...thats possible, there,s a modification for the pro43 ,so that the
keylock switch does the job.

There must be added a diode and some wires thats all.

Search for "PRO43-Modification" in a search engin and you will find it.

(I will try to find it for you in meantime)

7103. Re: F.S. Trunk Tracker Pro-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage95es@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928171123.14161.00003334@ng105.aol.com>
Source record: 142887

ill give $150 for the pro 90
mirage95es@aol.com
Jimmy

7104. WTB PRO90 or BC235

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage95es@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928172214.14583.00003321@ng-fa2.aol.com>
Source record: 142888

If you have either one of these scanners for sale with the original
accessories, please let me know.
Thanks,
mirage95es@aol.com
Jimmy

7105. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6up0kf$4aoe$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 142889

Ivan Ivanovich wrote in message...

>It can be summed up with one word:
>
> Tradition
>
>Public safety officers have always used them, no one really knows why, but
>to have the "Look and Feel" of a public safety officer, ya gotta use'em.

Er, uh... Sorry Ivan - not really!

The primary reason for using codes was aural brevity.

Among the more well-known were the "10-codes". While there are a host of such in use (most agencies having their own), there were **very early** efforts by APCO (now the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials, International)

http://www.apcointl.org ...to standardize at least some of these.

A sampling of the original codes can be found in many places on internet, including

http://aosc.rpmdp.com/apco.html

There has been a movement afoot for quite some time to return to "clear-text" whenever possible. Progressive Fire Departments have been supportive of such efforts for decades.

Among the most outspoken advocates of clear-text was my good friend, the late Stan Harter. A bit of interesting history about this legendary man and his exploits (many of which you may take for granted) can be found at:

http://www.apcointl.org/bulletin/bull/november/historical.html

While it is doubtful that clear-text will replace all codes, it is an admirable effort to do o when possible.

Monitor Safely!

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

7106. Re: Nevada County, CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tork <tork@cts.com>
Message-ID: <907020052.615002@wagasa.cts.com>
Source record: 142890

Did you get any freq's for Lake Wildwood?

--
David Torkelson
KF6DGN
33.205 N 117.353 W
Grid Square DM13
Oceanside, Ca. United States
Bryce Eichholz wrote in message <6uog9c$j5m@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Bryce Eichholz <EICHHOLZBR@worldnet.att.net> writes: > Looking for
frequencies for Nevada County, California. Especially those
>> for Lake Wildwood security, a gated community about ten miles west of
>> Grass Valley.
>>
>> Thanks in advance.......Bryce
>
>I would like to thank everybody that responded, You've been very helpful.
>
>Bryce

7107. Re: Salinas Airshow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: amckie@is2.dal.ca
Message-ID: <amckie-ya02408000R2809981912290001@news.dal.ca>
Source record: 142891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <360EFB4F.35D6@prodigy.net>, HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net wrote:

> S-Birds
> 272.1 - This was a freq that I hadn't seen reported before

Just FYI, this is does seem to be a new frequency this year, however it has been used at every show this year that I've heard about. That's unusually consistent for them! Anyone listening at Travis, Tucumcari, or their last show of the year, at Fort Worth, should check 272.1 first.

-Alasdair

7108. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: zc <zclaudy@locl.net>
Message-ID: <36100C51.B4F42EC3@locl.net>
Source record: 142892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

THE FCC states that a ham may in an emergency use any frequency available to him for such communications. Zara Claudy n9qyr

Dave DiGiorgio wrote:

> This topic has been brought up many times in my area, and while I have
> no legal basis for this, here is my opinion. If you used a radio for a
> LIFE OR DEATH emergency to contact police, I doubt if it went to court
> you would loose your case. However, it damn well better be a LIFE OR
> DEATH situation. You could very easily end up loosing your radio,
> and/or lots of money (fines). Just think about all the strange verdicts
> courts come up with these days, and it is really hard to try to figure
> out how they will side.
>
> Dave
>
> Jim M USAF Ret wrote:
> >
> > On 27 Sep 1998 08:11:33 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:
> >
> > >Barry O'Grady (barryo@XacayX.com.au) wrote:
> > >> In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
> > >> which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
> > >> the FCC.
> >
> > Pure BALONEY!
> >
> > The infraction comes when you transmit with that radio...not when you
> > take possession of it. MARS and CAP operators all over this country
> > would be in deep kimshee (sp?) if what you say is true..fortunately
> > for us..it is not.
> >
> > >You may be correct, Barry (or not :-) but your post would have ever so
> > >much more credibility if you could cite the FCC regulation to which
> > >you refer.
> >
> > I wouldn't worry about it John.
> >
> > Cheers!
> > **
> > *Jim Martin, WK1V Listed email address is not real *
> > * Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
> > **********<.procmail> Spam Resistant**********

7109. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: clayfyre61@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928182412.26158.00000455@ng125.aol.com>
Source record: 142893

>Why don't they use words so that we can easily understand them?

Mostly for brevity and clarity. A lot of people with different accents could be easily misunderstood if using plain English.

7110. re - WWV signal...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: marvin_d_c@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <361036DB.3DE@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142894

A few days, I posted a message here asking if anyone knew a website that echoed the WWV time signal. I got several replies, and I appreciate the help and offers of help.

I came across a site this afternoon that does what I wanted, and more! Go to:

www.nist.gov

There are a lot of interesting topics there, as well as TIME, and you can get a readout that will be within a second, which is what I was after. Looks like our tax dollars at work, so might as well enjoy it!!!

7111. uniden sportcat 150y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <Broemer@mdn.net>
Message-ID: <36101585.0@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 142895

looking to unlock 869mhz to 894mhz please email me

7112. FS: Uniden Bearcat Sportcat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <sbeck@gti.net>
Message-ID: <6up4p9$n74$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 142896

Uniden Bearcat Sportcat with twin turbo. Also roof antenna. (no pole) In very good condition. Will ship COD
$100

sbeck@gti.net

7113. Re: AOR AR8200 scanner Avail.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6up74a$al6@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 142897
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <19980928185019.00797.00004686@ng85.aol.com>,
SRahman101 <srahman101@aol.com> wrote about the AOR AR8200:

>... i knoe the HF receoption is not the best
>from these small radios. I was wondering how the HF reception
>was with the existing antenna

The AOR AR8200 I tested (S/N 550004) in the Oct 1998 issue
of Monitoring Times magazine was fairly deaf on shortwave using
the supplied rubber antenna. You really need to connect
it to something bigger, like a hank of wire.

>and I assume that little bar in the Picture is a Ferite
>antenna.

Yes, it's used for AM broadcast band reception.

>Sal >KB2KDC >srahman101@aol.com
--
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7114. Scout 40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald L. Brown" <wb6duo@zippnet.net>
Message-ID: <36102368.9EB@zippnet.net>
Source record: 142898

For sale scout 40 ver.3.1. Excellent condition with all opto antennas
and 2 filters. $350 obo.
E-mail.
Thanks
Don

7115. Wloo Region Ont EDACS Talkgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: trspig <rlkillins@easynet.on.ca>
Message-ID: <6up9hgjni1@bigdog.easynet.ca>
Source record: 142899

Does anyone have a comprehensive list of accurate talkgroups being utilized in the Waterloo Region EDACS trunking system. Anything would be helpful ...

7116. Re: AOR AR8000 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <36102F32.F56EE78D@ncia.net>
Source record: 142900

Rich Jans wrote:

> I have an AR8000 that is almost brand new for sale.
>
> rjans@home.com

7117. Re: AOR AR8000 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <36102FA5.267B8308@ncia.net>
Source record: 142901

OOps>>>I am probably too late but do you still have the 8000?I am seriously looking for another one for my monitoring station.<>>>>Arthur

Rich Jans wrote:

> I have an AR8000 that is almost brand new for sale.
>
> rjans@home.com

7118. Re: Bernie's Bidding Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur R Howard <mtnman@ncia.net>
Message-ID: <36103020.3A41B1F9@ncia.net>
Source record: 142902

Hit the road Bernie and take your crap with you.This is a scanner group
in case you are too illiterate to read

Bernardo Sagastume wrote:

> Hey there!
> My auction page was updated;
> CDs and other articles at low, low prices.
> If you are a brit pop or Rocki¿½ni¿½Roll fan you cani¿½t miss it!
> CDi¿½s from $1!
> Videos, Magazines, T shirts, etc.
> Check it out at:
> http://members.xoom.com/Ness/auction.htm
>
> Bernie

7119. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36103649.BCC0A848@earthlink.net>
Source record: 142903
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Sounds like you would be better off selling "crack" to a kid on the street corner, than have that radio in your possession! Man, and I though our FCC was bad! HAHAHA

JIM SEWELL wrote:

> If were talking about a 40 channel am mid rig, then its very illegal to own,
> let alone use...
> Do yourself a favour and bin it.....Dont try selling it, because if you
> choose the wrong person ????
> If you keep it, then hide it well, but the chances are, that it probably
> will never become legal !!!!
> Dont get caught using it !!!
> As for making it FM, again the chances of finding a dealer willing to have
> it in his shop to do the work is very slim due to its illegal nature.... It
> would probably be cheaper to buy an FM rig than to have it modified......
> Hope i've scared you enough, but i'm sure most will agree
> !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

7120. Re: Frequencies for DELAWARE????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6upenn$4t8$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 142904

Try a search at www.perconcorp.com !
Stang300HP wrote in message <19980928164801.13140.00003666@ng94.aol.com>...
>
>Anyone have any numbers for Delaware Northern like the State Police or
>anything good. i dont know any
>
>Email me
>

7121. Re: Need freqs for Winnemucca and Humbolt County, NV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: K patterson <kandtp@fiai.net>
Message-ID: <6upf2r$5bm$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 142905

How about trying a search on www.perconcorp.com ?

Tom Houck wrote in message <360EDF61.28D0FB6A@geocities.com>...
>A friend of mine wants some frequencies for the Winnemucca and Humbolt
>county areas. Hopefully someone on here can help. Thanks in advance,
>Tom
>please respond via e-mail
>

7122. FS: Service manuals, Ham Equipment, VHF Pageboy's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Private Dick <mcguyver@bv.net>
Message-ID: <36103F69.81DC063B@bv.net>
Source record: 142906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair

I have the following for sale. Large list of camcorder, VTR/vtr combo, TV, CD player service manuals, send e-mail for list,(HTLM and txt versions available)

2 Pageboy III (VHF) on freq 165.0125 with chargers(2) asking $40.00 for set, they work fine

1 ICOM IC-Q7A with extended TX, RX from 30-1.3GHz without cellular, with box, antenna, manual. Three months old, asking $175.00 (sells for $200 without mods)

Panasonic SL-S162 Portable CD player, works fine, no headphones Asking $30.00 OBO

E-mail with any questions

7123. Re: Yet Again - Wirehead makes a fool of himself!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3610478B.7EDE@parg.org>
Source record: 142907

Thanks, you have just helped prove that Cheek posted well over 200 more messages than me!

Mr. WireHead wrote:

> SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------
> Date | Mackey | Cheek |
> -------------------------
> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |

7124. Re: Cheek --> Mackey's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <361047EC.2338@parg.org>
Source record: 142908

Mr. WireHead wrote:
> SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------
>
> Date | Mackey | Cheek |
> ------------------------
> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |

THANKS!!!

You just helped prove that Cheek posted well over 200 more
mesages than me!

7125. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <361048D6.544D@parg.org>
Source record: 142909

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> you told someone not to make references to
> the Check Guy...that was your remark.

HOW do you intpret the message below where I recommend a person send
e-mail to Cheek as telling him not to reference "the Cheek guy"?

-Re: Cheekï¿½more options
-Author:ï¿½John
-Email:john@parg.org
-Date:1998/09/27
-Forums:rec.radio.scanner ï¿½

-BUGGIE CAR wrote:
-> Bill Cheek if you are out there...How do you restore the cell to an
895XLT?
-
--SNIP--
-If you really want to contact Bill, I recommend you send him private
-e-mail to "bcheek@cts.com".

7126. Re: The Outer Banks, NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Millimeter Wave Report <mmwr@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#cwzRY169GA.299@upnetnews05>
Source record: 142910
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Ed--

See the list at
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/localfrqs/northcarolina/outerbanks.frq

I was in the Outer Banks over labor day, and many of the frequencies on this
list were active.

Hope this helps!

Andrew Clegg

Ed & Kathy wrote in message <6um6s3$h2u$1@winter.news.erols.com>...
>I'm looking for updates for the Outer Banks of NC, specifically
>the Dare County area. Any help would be appreciated.
>
>- Ed Lynch
> Chesapeake, VA
>
>http://www.erols.com/lynchs/RP2.html
>
>
>
>

7127. Re: choosing between hand-held and base scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Millimeter Wave Report <mmwr@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uF##og169GA.238@upnetnews05>
Source record: 142911

W.G.S.:

I own a BC235, and I bought my brother the 895 for his birthday. The 235 is a great scanner for portable use, but the 895 has so many more features, better audio, and nicer display for the same money. I don't think either of them is more sensitive than the other, or at least enough that it would make your reception drastically different.

Happy listening...
Andrew Clegg

Susan M Anderson wrote in message <6up8oq$klf@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>...
>I am considering buying a BC235XLT or BC895XLT. Which of the 2 would be best
>to buy with consideration of the terrain. I live in Wake County NC and would
>like to listen to as much county-wide activity as possible. What is the
>typical range of a scanner without an external antennae and what might I
>expect from the 2 models mentioned. W.G.S.

7128. Re: Cell on 2035 (Unlock code)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Millimeter Wave Report <mmwr@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OgGgli169GA.50@upnetnews05>
Source record: 142912

Just to add my 2 cents worth...

The cell unlock code for the 2035 using the Opto 535 board is:

275 681 149 364 630 538 49

according to a previous post on this group, which referenced Monitoring
Times. I have not tried it.

Cheers,
Andrew Clegg

Larry wrote in message <360A71A1.4B105A50@arn.net>...
>Hi gang,
>I used to have the Monitoring Times issue that detailed how to
>get celluar on the 2035. I can't find it. I know it was only image
>frequencies, but the mod made it better. I think. I can't remember.
>Can anyone help?
>Thanks,
>Larry
>

7129. Re: Cheek --> Mackey's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <361054C5.13D20343@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142913

John wrote:

> Mr. WireHead wrote:
> > SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------
> >
> > Date | Mackey | Cheek |
> > ------------------------
> > TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |
>
> THANKS!!!
>
> You just helped prove that Cheek posted well over 200 more
> mesages than me!

Of course, these numbers mentioned that approxiamtely 24 of your 2139 posts
were "on topic." The rest were harassment. And they don't even count your
forgeries and rogue cancels.

While Cheek's "on-topic" posts were around 1500.

(You shouldn't have snipped that part of the data off in your reply. We're
only going to point it out to you and everyone else.)

You friggin' loon.

7130. Re: Yet Again - Wirehead makes a fool of himself!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <361054DF.D9C2FAB8@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142914

John wrote:

> Thanks, you have just helped prove that Cheek posted well over 200 more
> messages than me!
>
> Mr. WireHead wrote:
>
> > SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------
> > Date | Mackey | Cheek |
> > -------------------------
> > TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |

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7131. Re: Scout 40 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobhome@postoffice.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <36105D40.C38819AD@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 142915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The Scout has been sold...

Many thanks,
Bob

bobhome@postoffice.pacbell.net wrote:

> Scout 40 and accessories for sale - $310 firm
>
> Original costs when purchased from Optoelectronics in May of this year,
> detailed below, were $402.
>
> Scout 40 ($349 original cost)
> DB32 stubby antenna ($29 original cost)
> CC30 carrying case ($9 original cost)
> freight ($15 original cost)
>
> Unit is in perfect condition with the exception of a minor repair to the
> elastic strap inside the carrying case resulting from a manufacturing
> defect. All original packaging and accessories are included.
>
> Payment will be by postal money order. Shipping by UPS ground within the
> continental US is included in the purchase price.
>
> Bob (WO6W)

7132. Sears 5-bander Question/help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <6uo8ms$4mc$1@fnord.systemsoft.com>
Source record: 142916

I picked up an old Sears 5-band scanner. This is the unit that programs off of 'cards' like the SBE Optiscan, only with a different algorith.

I got the thing working, and even found a punch that lets me make cards from heavy paper stock cut from hanging folders. But I found that I can only go about 1 meg or less below each band. Since 2M is more than this below the stated range of 150-170, I wanted to know if anyone had any info on the scanner, like how to set the VFO to the bottom side. I can get a little into the UHF band, to maybe 449, but that's it. That's how I know I can get there. (The scanner uses 150-170 for everything, mixing down to 30-50 or up to three UHF ranges, the lowest one being 450-470.)

Also, the unit will not stop on squelch break. It appears that the squelch break sends a signal (or is supposed to) the to switch-board that sets the scan/step. But to pull the board up to trace it back looks to be a bear.

I have no schematics. Can anyone correct that?

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

7133. Re: New Orleans: Worst Case Scenario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4aus1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927233026.24758.00003279@ng73.aol.com>
Source record: 142930

I'll be interesting to see how the New Orleans Erricson System there holds up......

Jason KE4AUS

7134. Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6un0mt$6dn$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142931

Why don't they use words so that we can easily understand them?
Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

7135. Pin Schematic for 760

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: fsmoyer@sgi.net
Message-ID: <360f0232.854523@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 142932

I need a pin schematic for the Bearcat 760

Anybody with this info please send email to
fsmoyer@sgi.net
Frank Smoyer N3OBL

7136. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-2809980007060001@pm55-32.magicnet.net>
Source record: 142933

In article <6un0mt$6dn$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, wplanck@netusa1.net wrote:

> Why don't they use words so that we can easily understand them?
> Bill K9KZ
> wplanck@netusa1.net

Because there is less chance if being misunderstood with the codes. Short
and too the point. Police radios can make speach hard to understand at
times and lives are litterally at stake so the clearest method of getting
the essential coms across are used.

--
If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

7137. Re: New Orleans: Worst Case Scenario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928000627.11695.00002912@ng15.aol.com>
Source record: 142934

Despite the trunked system, I found NO to be a very good scanner town. I spent half of 97 down there with a 3000 and a 9000 and found scanning to be verrrry interesting. Better than anything I ever heard in my 8 years in Atlanta.

Wonder if the storm will indeed take out the trunked system.

7138. Re: Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <360f12e3.2938541@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 142935

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 12:26:07 -0400, "D Stark" <nf2g@ggw.org> wrote:

>
>Len G. Carpenter wrote in message <360e3008.3133960@news.iaw.on.ca>...
>> Web site for downloading back up!
>>
>> It's now HERE!!
>> Pro-Turbo
>>
>> Now Updated to do even more!
>>
>> Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
>>have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.
>
>
>If you're gonna post ads for the "new, updated" software every other
>day, could you at least include the version number so we don't have to
>keep checking to see if you have actually come up with a real
>"update"?
>
>No wonder you get so many hits and downloads and so few real
>customers.
>
>Latest I have is 2.71.
>
>73 de Dave, NF2G
>Pro-Turbo beta team
>
>
Obviously you haven't download as the latest version is 3.02, but I
will now ad that info to my posts here

7139. Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <36101361.3064577@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 142936

Web site for downloading back up!

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.

You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to have a look, you can get more information
on the program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

VERSION 3.02

7140. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928013817.09179.00003409@ng141.aol.com>
Source record: 142937

Actually, brevity was the primary reason for initiating codes many years ago. Unfortunately, many officers can't seem to get the hang of it. For example, here in Tampa the code 10-20 means "what is your location." Yet over and over again I hear officers asking "what is your 10-20." That's like saying "what is your what is your location." It blows the whole idea of keeping it short and sweet. In many areas the departments are switching back to plain speech 'cause there is less chance of a misunderstanding.

7141. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaye <Trudy@flash.net>
Message-ID: <360F35F0.272A@flash.net>
Source record: 142938
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

zeno@magicnet.net wrote:
>
> In article <360C354F.DBCF1486@cabrillosquare.com>, Captain Crimefighter
> <"Captain Crimefighter"@cabrillosquare.com> wrote:
>
> > SoCal Agencies Ponder 311 to Reduce 911 Calls
> >
> > The problem is well-defined: too many calls to 911. But public safety
> > agencies in Southern California are not completely convinced that the
> > recently-approved 311 number is the solution.
> <snip>
> > Still other cities are taking a hard line on 911 abuse, fining callers who
> > abuse the number. Last year Garden Grove fined 82 residents $25 each after
> > they dialed 911 and hang up.
>
> Here in Florida a man kept calling 911 when he should not, and when he
> called 911 to report is toilet overflowing, they had enough and he went to
> jail for a short while.
>
> --
> If only we knew that money is only an idea. There is no scarcity or loss connected to it.
Nothing cost anything.

In Dallas we had one who was in court for 911 abuse and what did he do?
He got to the court house for his trial and went straight to the
payphone to call 911 some
more!!!
Jaye

7142. Yet Again - Re: Mackey Takes The Bait

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <360F3471.BECF4B17@pacbell.net>
Source record: 142939

John wrote:

> allsafe wrote:
> > While Cheek's "on-topic" posts were around 1500.
>
> On what do you base this on?

R E A L I T Y C H E C K

Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey).
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I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

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Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
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JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
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NOV 97	63	65	1	0	10	0	0
OCT 97	48	60	0	0	8	0	0
SEP 97	181	78	0	2	4	0	0
AUG 97	29	2	0	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	2139	2348	201	203	275	266	341

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back

and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

7143. Re: Cheek --> Mackey's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <360F3548.E6FBEA5C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 142940

John wrote:

> MAlexder wrote:
> > Mackey's b-a-c-k...
>
> I never left!
>
> I see YOU are back on here making trouble & making an ass of yourself,
> again!

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Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

7144. FS: AOR 8000 (original version)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric <scholar@perigee.net>
Message-ID: <6und39$n2c@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 142941

Full coverage like new with box, charger, manual.

$450 including shipping.

scholar@perigee.net

7145. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <360f4006.4369448@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 142942

On Sat, 26 Sep 1998 18:28:23 -0700, John <john@parg.org> wrote:

>Bud wrote:
>
>> Bill has no need to disguise himself.
>
>Then why has he (like you) been caught disguising in the past?
>
>
>> Not to mention the headers are
>> easily traceable by anyone with the LEAST little bit of knowledge.
>
>I do agree with you here. While the acts & posts of Zombie are
>similarly
>troublesome as Bill's were in the past, he is clearly coming from
>an east coast provider therefore making it very unlikely he is Bill.

<Yawn> Are you *still* at it? You need to get a hobby or something,
John.

--
George "Hollywood" Vetterle

"One name's as good as another; Not wise
to use your real name."- Tuco (Eli Wallach),
IL BUONO, IL BRUTTO, IL CATTIVO, (1966) PEA [it]

7146. Re: ALERT ?? Is Bill Cheek sneaking back in disguise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <360f419b.4774740@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 142943

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 12:13:17 GMT, "Victor Healey" <fourphun @
bellsouth.net> wrote:

>John you can use a provider from any area of the country. I used one in
>California for years befoe the net became popular with the masses.
>All you need is a POP in your city if you want local access to an out of
>state ISP.
>Bill Cheek is aware of how to abuse the net as seen by a casual search of

^^^^^^^^^^^^
>his computer
>He should never have set his sytem up that way! Will these newbies ever
>learn? ;>)
>He had numerous files related to that. Remember he eventually lost his
>account because of net abuse was traced to him. It doesn't mean he still
>does, it is just that he has more knowledge about how to abuse the net at
>his disposal then the average person.
>
>The only easy way to detect him would be that his boorish attitude would
>reappear in someone's posts. That person would also be hiding behind a
>pseudo identity. Bill Cheek also can not refrain for long from from greedly
>spaming USENET with self promotional posts of things he sells. Don't some
>posts here fit that marker?
>I don't really care that much as I have other things to do but I mentioned
>it only out of passing interest to alert everyone else who may want to play
>detective.
>
>
>

Isn't it against Federal Law to "casually search" someone else's
computer?

--
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to use your real name."- Tuco (Eli Wallach),
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7147. Re: Nevada County, CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <360f4609.5908227@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 142944

On 27 Sep 1998 20:03:16 GMT, Bryce Eichholz
<EICHHOLZBR@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Looking for frequencies for Nevada County, California. Especially those
>for Lake Wildwood security, a gated community about ten miles west of
>Grass Valley.
>
>Thanks in advance.......Bryce

Don't know about Lake Wildwood but here are a few frequencies for
law enforcement and fire:

NEVADA COUNTY

39.7600 Dispatch
39.3400 Sheriff
45.1800 Sheriff
45.2200 Grass Valley
45.7800 Grass Valley
46.0200 Grass Valley
153.9650 Fire Primary
46.1600 Fire

STATE AND FEDERAL FIRE

151.3250 CDF Primary
151.2500 CDF TAC 5
151.2800 CDF AIR BLUE
168.7750 USFS
170.5750 USFS
169.1250 USFS
419.1500 USFS
419.6500 USFS

CHP GREEN

42.540 42 GRASS VALLEY
42.240 44 PLACERVILLE & 45 NEWCASTLE

CHP GREY

42.480 13 S. LAKE TAHOE
42.680 70 GOLD RUN & 80 TRUCKEE

These may not all be good frequencies but they'll give you something
to play with. Happy scanning.

--
George "Hollywood" Vetterle

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to use your real name."- Tuco (Eli Wallach),
IL BUONO, IL BRUTTO, IL CATTIVO, (1966) PEA [it]

7148. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyn dean <m.dean@microtech.com.au>
Message-ID: <360F5C2D.2294F877@microtech.com.au>
Source record: 142945

Hi guys
is there any where i can find a manual for a Bearcat ubc220xlt on the
net or can someone email me and let me know

7149. American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: McCays <mccay@easynet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6unp66gdq1@apple.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 142946
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

I bought a 40ch handheld C.B radio when I was in America.When I got back to Britain I realised that This C.B was of no use here.The frequencys are as follows in AM mode.All I can pick up is very occasional,very distant spanish voices.If anyone knows of a way that I could change this C.B to FM mode so I could at least get the CEPT channels,then please let me know.

26.9650 -1
26.9750 -2
26.9850 -3
27.0050 -4
27.0150 -5
27.0250 -6
27.0350 -7
27.0550 -8
27.0650 -9
27.0750 -10
27.0850 -11
27.1050 -12
27.1150 -13
27.1250 -14
27.1350 -15
27.1550 -16
27.1650 -17
27.1750 -18
27.1850 -19
27.2050 -20
27.2150 -21
27.2250 -22
27.2350 -23
27.2450 -24
27.2550 -25
27.2650 -26
27.2750 -27
27.2850 -28
27.2950 -29
27.3050 -30
27.3150 -31
27.3250 -32
27.3350 -33
27.3450 -34
27.3550 -35
27.3650 -36
27.3750 -37

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27.3850 -38
27.3950 -39
27.4050 -40
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7150. Re: Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928064556.17712.00005134@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 142947

>Software for the CE/HB 232 interface
>From: jabba@iaw.on.ca (Len G. Carpenter)

>Obviously you haven't download as the latest version is 3.02, but I
>will now ad that info to my posts here

Maybe that should be: "add that info to my ads."

7151. Re: FLEX 4 level FSK interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuckiex@ibm.net
Message-ID: <Loyunz0gstF5-pn2-ecdR9dGiNhoY@slip-32-100-175-198.tx.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Krypt,

• NOw i need to make the 4 level interface to work.
• I have seen at least 3 versions of schematics. Does anyone know (or
• have) a lyout that works ? One i tried to put together is at
• www.qsl.net/pa3eik/4lev_fsk.html.

I got a URL not found on this server error! Is this good or what?

Charles

To reply, remove the "x" from my address

7152. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <360F77BE.1FB76CAB@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 142949
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

McCays wrote:

> I bought a 40ch handheld C.B radio when I was in America.When I got back to
> Britain I realised that This C.B was of no use here.The frequencys are as
> follows in AM mode.All I can pick up is very occasional,very distant
> spanish voices.If anyone knows of a way that I could change this C.B to FM
> mode so I could at least get the CEPT channels,then please let me know.

The channels art the 40 CEPT Channels
Please tell make and model for we can check it out.
But I think its not to modify to FM mode.
There are lots of FM-models over here in Europe you can modify to AM / FM and
more channels.

Make this handheld a gift to your enemy :-))))

regards
odo -from germany-

7153. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6unuj3$m15@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142950

In <19980927203237.17712.00004808@ng66.aol.com> malexder@aol.com
(MAlexder) writes:
>
>
>>myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP)
>
>>>cable for computer control. $200 plus shipping.
>>
>>
>> this is what they are selling for brand new
>> in a box with a warranty and more...
>
> Radio Shack even has one for 200 bucks...a desk
>> model.
>
> The BC895 is a base model, with several more features than the Rat
Shack
>version. The best price I've seen for the BC895 is $220, from an
outfit that
>wants $20 for shipping. My unit is mint--as nice as it was the day I
got it and
>it includes box, docs and accessories.
>
>I guess you're confusing this with the BC235 handheld, but it's hard
to say. It
>doesn't appear that you know what you're talking about.

you really should get a check
on the fluid that goes
in through your nose and
which you spew out at people for
being "up on the facts, Jack"....

you innocuous ass sputtering along
creating wisdom via the ass-gas you
penetrate people's senses with...

CEI sells them for under 200
Ham Station does too
Scanner World I believe is 195 now

plus two more: threw their lit out.

u really had to post to NG and instead
could have kept your stupidity to
yourself and your family in residence

who add to the 'infusion of wisdom'
they succulate over from you

that's suckulate over

what a trite bastard you are

bill conduit
etc.

7154. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928081931.20881.00005022@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 142951

>myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP)

[major snip]

Your brain is on vacation but your mouth is working over time.

7155. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6unupn$9no@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142952

In <360EFDAA.9C0@parg.org> John <john@parg.org> writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>
>> Listen up vapid mouth...who in the hell gives you
>> the "deistic-like" authority to tell someone not to
>> request info from bill check.
>
>More bullshit & lies from Bill Conduit. You better look again,
>just today I suggested to a fella he should write e-mail to
>Bill Cheek if he wanted to be sure to reach him & gave the
>fella Bill's e-mail address.
>
>Once again you have proven yourself to be a lying fool. :(
>
>
sorry about that lie u just told: it's on the
NG...

you told someone not to make references to
the Check Guy...that was your remark.

feeble futt spewing ass-gas as you
dribble along in your stupidity-wagon.

bill conduit
etc.

idiot within and in pubic essence.

7156. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6unvq5$hiu@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142953

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(MAlexder) writes:
>
>
>>myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP)
>
>[major snip]
>
>Your brain is on vacation but your mouth is working over time.

Ouch!

bill conduit
etc.

7157. Re: FLEX 4 level FSK interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6unu4r$jo9$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 142954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

That's because it's HTM and not HTML.

Dan

Charles McCallister wrote in message ...
>Krypt,
>
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>
>I got a URL not found on this server error! Is this good or what?
>
>Charles
>
>To reply, remove the "x" from my address
>

7158. Re: FS: Pro 34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: pro43@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928090410.07264.00002698@ng101.aol.com>
Source record: 142955

Is this still available? I am interested. Ira Cooper, Lexington, KY

7159. Keypad Tones on Cordless Phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Burzynski <ABurzynski@swri.edu>
Message-ID: <6uo1lu$7ua$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 142956

If I enter my credit card number by pressing tone keys on my phone, and if the phone is a spread spectrum type, can I be reasonably assured that someone cannot copy my credit card number by using a tone decoder? In other words, does the shifting from frequency to frequency continue when I'm entering tones or does this only occur with voice communications? Thanks.
Al

7160. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6uo436$k3k$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 142957

I wonder Why so many people worry about the price somebody is asking
for a scanner they are trying to sell??? If they think it's to high
SO what.. just don't buy it and leave the guy alone and read on.

Just my 2 cents......JERR
>
>

7161. Re: BC895xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <nospam-shoop@tctc.com>
Message-ID: <6uo4th$i9p$1@news.wintek.com>
Source record: 142958

There are no mods....

RCvertex wrote in message <19980925095413.02560.00000173@ng92.aol.com>...
>
>Anyone know of any Mods for the BC895XLT OR a web site that offers the
BC895XLT
>mods?

7162. Un-listed frequency ftp://listening-post.dyn.ml.org

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6uo5jk$n86$1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 142959

Listening-Post. This site is dedicated to
scanner radio hobbists who are frequency
hunters. On here you will find lists of
Ontario radio frequencies that are not
listed on any web page, published in
any scannner book ie. Haruteq or Scantrix)
or listed on a government web page Industry
Canada's TAFL.

This list is all based on research.

www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org

We at listening-post always searching for new
information. Should you have any aditional
information that you wish be published.

Submit forms available text format: submit

www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/freque~1.txt

Submit your entry via your web-browser:
www.listening-post.dyn.ml.org/submit~1.htm

Any questions/comments please email:
Jmedica@listening-post.dyn.ml.org

John Medica - System adminstrator

7163. UN_LISTED FREQUENCY FTP://LISTENING-POST.DYN.ML.ORG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6uo65sncl1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 142960

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7164. Re: The hurricane is comming!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrchess@webtv.net
Message-ID: <22663-360F96B8-17@newsd-163.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142961

Are they using any HF frequenceies ???
for hurricane George

born to be wild (thats my theam)

7165. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <361399c2.5430253@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 142962

>your what is your location." It blows the whole idea of keeping it short and
>sweet. In many areas the departments are switching back to plain speech 'cause
>there is less chance of a misunderstanding.

The local department uses 10-3 and 10-4 almost interchangeably. I
can't tell the difference.

Everywhere I've been, a 10-50 is an accident, with J-1, J-2 and J-3
meaning the severity (minor fender bender, property damage, passenger
injury). A couple of months ago I passed by an intersection just
seconds before a multiple-fatality accident. The ambulance company
arrived and wanted to send another ambulance, but the EMTs on the
scene said there were two code 3's and three code 4's. I knew the
code 3 was injury and from their reaction, figured out the code 4 was
fatality. They said the code 3's were "code yellow" and "code red"
which I took to mean severely injured and critically injured. I later
found out that the critically injured passenger died en route to the
hospital less than a mile away, so by reading the paper and
correlating that with what I heard, was able to figure it out.

Another 10- code, which I've momentarily forgotten, relates to drug
activity. Let's say it's 10-63 -- the dispatcher will say, "Caller
reported suspicious activity, possibly 10-63, J-x", where "x" is a
number, maybe pot or cocaine or heroin.

Of course around these parts it's most likely meth.

7166. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6uo7kv$e2s@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142963
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In <360F9C3E.A9FE2923@mc.net> JPS writes:
>

>
The newsgroup police/topic experts/immature posters...you
gotta
>love em...It's fun watching em make big ass's of them
selves...especially
>since they always use such
>
goofy handles to hide themselves behind with such meaningless
postings...

one can also think that
the posting a price which
a new unit sells for vs.
the price they are asking
may give them an idea of
what to charge....most
people don't keep up on prices
and wonder why their unit does
not sell...

...this way they can come down in
price seeing as how it's a used set.

it's called a public service announcement.

it's called just not taking the NG or any
NG all that seriously.

it's called free exchange of ideas.

it is not immaturity or whatever you
haraunge us about being...it's just
the nature of people who see and yet
think about what they read and have
a thought or two about the price.

it's part of the fun of being on the NG.

no one is being hurt and no one is calling
them names as you are to people you know not
their motives for posting prices you see after
the facts are seen...

...mellow out. just let the sentences form
and if you disagree, fine. but to label people
immature or police-cops and the rest of the
mumbo-jumbo stuff you assume them to be is
an indictment about you.

allow what is to just happen.

bill conduit
etc.

7167. Pro-90 / BC235XLT mod for cell unblock or 200's MHz unblock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: eXeunT@earthling.nospam.net
Message-ID: <360fb192.443678@news.attcanada.net>
Source record: 142964

Anyone know of any mods that can be made to the Pro-90 or
BC235XLT that will unblock any frequencies that are blocked at the
factory?

--ed

7168. UN-LISTED FREQUENCY FTP://LISTENING-POST.DYN.ML.ORG *CORRECTION*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Medica [System Adminstrator]" <root@listening-post.dyn.ml.org>
Message-ID: <6uobp3$ol0$1@charlotte.aracnet.net>
Source record: 142965

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John Medica - System adminstrator

7169. Change step size on Pro43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: skanman <skanman@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bdeafa$24de1660$54e037a6@mycomputer.nando.net>
Source record: 142966

Anybody know how to change the step size on a Pro43? This unit has been cell modded and steps the correct 30khz,but I want to change the 12.5khz step size to 5khz step in the 900mhz range and possibly other ranges that are 12.5khz.

7170. Re: 160.920 recorded message by newhaven rail yard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Sollmann <jaxrail@usit.net>
Message-ID: <360FB0AA.86A@usit.net>
Source record: 142967

Not only do these devices check for overheated axle bearings, historically known in railroad slang as hot boxes, but they may also check for dragging equipment [i.e.- broken brake components, wheels off the track].

Another unique function is to check for what is known as shifted lading. These detectors are sometimes found at the approaches to bridges and protect the structure from loads that have shifted during movement. A scenario might be a load of pipes on a flat car- the banding that holds the pipes intact on the car may break and cause the pipes to extend off to the side of the car. A major problem could develop if the pipes were to strike the bridge, causing a derailment and possibly damaging the bridge itself.

Depending on the railroad, defect detectors may have other functions, including axle count, length of train, temperature, speed of train, direction of movement and identification of track being used [in multiple track territory]. Many railroads include a short safety reminder at the end of the readout, such as Have a Safe Day or Think Safety. Female as well as male voices are used for the voice report!

Hiball, Karl

7171. Excellent Scanner Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotmockup@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928122034.22798.00003546@ng75.aol.com>
Source record: 142968

This is an excellent Scanner web site..

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

7172. BC895XLT Discriminator Tap Point

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Winston Smith <winston@psicorps.com>
Message-ID: <360fc0d4.0@news.tislink.com>
Source record: 142969

The information that you are looking for can be found at
<http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Hollow/4346/2003_bc895_tap.html>

7173. Re: Can you modify a Pro 64??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928130259.02705.00000222@ng82.aol.com>
Source record: 142970

I think what most people are getting at when they ask if a late model scanner can be "modified" for the missing 800 freqs is "can they get the scanner to display & accept from the keypad" those missing 800 freqs .....and of course the answer is NO. This goes for the PRO 64/90/26 & most all scanners built after April 1994 with one or two possible exceptions (the AOR AR-8000 was one notable exception untill the FCC got "wind" of it & required AOR to re-work the scanner into the newer 8000B version)

7174. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Scheuring <keith.scheuring@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <360FBF32.1FCB@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 142971

JTWard01 wrote:
>
> Actually, brevity was the primary reason for initiating codes many years ago.
> Unfortunately, many officers can't seem to get the hang of it. For example,
> here in Tampa the code 10-20 means "what is your location." Yet over and over
> again I hear officers asking "what is your 10-20." That's like saying "what is
> your what is your location." It blows the whole idea of keeping it short and
> sweet. In many areas the departments are switching back to plain speech 'cause
> there is less chance of a misunderstanding.

Here in Phoenix, AZ the Phoenix Police use, I could be wrong, three types of codes. "Code 4" is used as an all clear sign. I don't hear many of these "Code XX" codes. "10-20" is used for location (10-xx codes seem to be used for officer related activities). "961" is minor traffic accident, "962" is accident with injury, "963" is accident with fatality. "918" is a person with mental problems, "390D" is a drunk driver. Most of their codes fall into this type. They also use "101" instead of "female" but they use "male" for a male (what is up with that?).

Makes it hard for me to follow sometimes. Also the Maricopa County Sheriff's department and State Patrol use different codes.

Just my $0.02

7175. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6uog58$dn2@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142972

In <361399c2.5430253@news.swbell.net> inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts) writes:
>

Paramed's in Calif use:

1155 for fatals....
187's for trauma deaths via bullets or knife
of Mackeral-stink.
Lately the paramed's have just been saying: "we have a fatal" on scene and we need p.d. Or we have a working 1155 on scene and need fire dept here...or cops.

Lately paramed's have been saying 'we have a 187 working and get cops here asap...code 3"

lately we have heard paramed's saying "giving CPR to a possible fatal"... or "possible 1155"

lately heard is "transporting a possible 1155 on CO"

mackeral is a walking 1155

bill conduit
etc.

>Of course around these parts it's most likely meth.

7176. Re: Nevada County, CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryce Eichholz <EICHHOLZBR@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6uog9c$j5m@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142973

Bryce Eichholz <EICHHOLZBR@worldnet.att.net> writes: > Looking for frequencies for Nevada County, California. Especially those
> for Lake Wildwood security, a gated community about ten miles west of
> Grass Valley.
>
> Thanks in advance.......Bryce

I would like to thank everybody that responded, You've been very helpful.

Bryce

7177. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0hb@usa.net
Message-ID: <6uol3nsaf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <360e1ab9.1933861@news.acay.com.au>,
barryo@XacayX.com.au wrote:

> In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
> which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
> the FCC. There may be some exemptions for hams.

Simply untrue. No license of any sort is required to own a radio transmitter of any sort in the US. Ownership without a license is not an offense (or offence either). Transmitting without a license for the service involved is an offense (and an offence also if the signal is heard in Oz).

73, Hans, K0HB
--
~~~
They called me mad, and I called them mad, but
damn them, they outvoted me.
~~~

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

7178. Re: What happened to author profile and view thread features?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dunhill965@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6uolatsmq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

In article <6ujrlq$v7p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
wplanck@netusa1.net wrote:
> I wonder why they dropped the author profile and view thread features. I used
> these features quite often.
>
> Bill K9KZ

Bill,

Try clicking on More Options.

-Steve
--
Stephen M.H. Lawrence
Dubuque, Iowa USA
The thinking man smokes a Peterson.
I think.

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7179. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: JIM SEWELL <sewell01@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6uohrbrin1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 142976
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

If were talking about a 40 channel am mid rig, then its very illegal to own, let alone use...
Do yourself a favour and bin it.....Dont try selling it, because if you choose the wrong person ????
If you keep it, then hide it well, but the chances are, that it probably will never become legal !!!!
Dont get caught using it !!!
As for making it FM, again the chances of finding a dealer willing to have it in his shop to do the work is very slim due to its illegal nature.... It would probably be cheaper to buy an FM rig than to have it modified......
Hope i've scared you enough, but i'm sure most will agree
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

7180. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duncan@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <3611cb45.28174840@news.freeserve.net>
Source record: 142977
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

On Mon, 28 Sep 1998 18:44:32 +0100, "JIM SEWELL"
<sewell01@globalnet.co.uk> wrote:

>If were talking about a 40 channel am mid rig, then its very illegal to own,
>let alone use...
>Do yourself a favour and bin it.....Dont try selling it, because if you
>choose the wrong person ????
>If you keep it, then hide it well, but the chances are, that it probably
>will never become legal !!!!
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>it in his shop to do the work is very slim due to its illegal nature.... It
>would probably be cheaper to buy an FM rig than to have it modified......
>Hope i've scared you enough, but i'm sure most will agree
>!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>

Nowt to be afraid of however it's of no real use, you'll be able to
pass it off at a car boot for about ï¿½5.00 though :-)

ï¿½ D u n c a n

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Fax UK: 0870 0554660 Fax International: +44 870 0554660

My website can now be found at http://surf.to/Dunks
Join my free L.F.C. news mailing list http://LFC_News.listbot.com/

I am answerable to nobody other than God. ICQ 8960994
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7181. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <360FE9B5.64741A@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142978

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> In <361399c2.5430253@news.swbell.net> inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts)
> writes:
> >
>
> Paramed's in Calif use:
>
> 1155 for fatals....
> 187's for trauma deaths via bullets or knife
> of Mackeral-stink.
>

> mackeral is a walking 1155
>
> bill conduit

Isn't "5150" a better code for the friggin' loon? A
disturbed individual "out of control"? That's the inspirartion behind Van
Halen's album title of the same name (5150).

John Mackey: News Group Pest (NGP-5150)

7182. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <#kpEMvx69GA.164@upnetnews05>
Source record: 142979

It can be summed up with one word:

Tradition

Public safety officers have always used them, no one really knows why, but
to have the "Look and Feel" of a public safety officer, ya gotta use'em.

Ivan Ivanovich

wplanck@netusa1.net wrote in message <6un0mt$6dn$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Why don't they use words so that we can easily understand them?
>Bill K9KZ
>wplanck@netusa1.net
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

7183. Re: FS: BC895XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malexder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927203237.17712.00004808@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 143021

>myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP)

>>cable for computer control. $200 plus shipping.
>
>
> this is what they are selling for brand new
> in a box with a warranty and more...

Radio Shack even has one for 200 bucks...a desk
> model.

The BC895 is a base model, with several more features than the Rat Shack version. The best price I've seen for the BC895 is $220, from an outfit that wants $20 for shipping. My unit is mint--as nice as it was the day I got it and it includes box, docs and accessories.

I guess you're confusing this with the BC235 handheld, but it's hard to say. It doesn't appear that you know what you're talking about.

7184. Re: 160.920 recorded message by newhaven rail yard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Badger <thermionic@techie.com>
Message-ID: <R7BP1.4343$R_4.4074734@news3.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143022

Jonny D 97 wrote in message <19980926141241.11121.00002150@ng127.aol.com>...
>
>Listening to the scanner by the New Haven rail yard and noticed on 160.920,
a
>regular recorded message that says "track 2 tempoerature 59 degrees, no
>defects". What defects would there be? what is this used for?
>

I live near Radnor Yard in Nashville, TN, and hear these things all the
time.
They are called "hot box" detectors, and count the axles of the trains as
they
come and go. Hot axles signal that a bearing is going bad and that
particualar
car is usually pulled out and sent for service. Had one of the yard
supervisors
show me the detectors on one of hte lines going out - just a box on either
side of
the track pointing back toward the center of the tracks so it "sees" the
wheels
of the cars as they go by - connected by a cable to a transmitter nearby on
a
pole with a whip antenna. Pretty low power device from what I can tell.

good listening

Tom Norris
badger@telalink.net

7185. Re: Government Scanner Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: inigo@montoya.net
Message-ID: <3613d6de.3193459@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 143023

>for their right to monitor. The government works for the majority! SPEAK UP
>AND BE HEARD!!!!

The government works for the MONEY.

Although the tide may be turning. The radio station where I do some work hosted a national talk show host over the weekend. She knows EVERYONE in Washington. She was talking to a bunch of congresscritters from both sides of the aisle and said a lot of them are getting scared because their constituents are starting to pressure them to GET TOUGH with Bill Clinton (don't let him weasel out), the economy, tax cuts, etc. They're starting to ignore the loudmouths in the media who call them "heartless" for cutting spending and such. It was a real eye-opener, and not at all what you hear from the mainstream media.

7186. F.S. Uniden 8500XLT Scanner W Tone board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbvarmint@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927214156.24476.00001758@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 143024

Uniden 8500xlt is a 500 channel with continuous band coverage from 25mhz to 1.3 ghz, auto store, turbo scan, Alpha display, Easly modified for full cellular.With to many features to list.Unit is in like new condition. Comes with box antenna, power supply, Owners manual. 250.00 Plus shipping, Buyer pays by money order.Same day ship. cb varmint@aol.com

7187. FS 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@icx.net
Message-ID: <360ef02b.389912@news3.icx.net>
Source record: 143025

For sale:

RS 2006 Scanner with 800 mod and Disc mod. 9 on a scale of 10-near
mint
$250 firm. You ship

Steve
sfritts@icx.net

7188. SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY FREQS WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlewis8687@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980927221732.21103.00001891@ng152.aol.com>
Source record: 143026

CAN ANYONE HELP ME WITH THE FREQUENCIES FOR SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY?? ANY AND ALL WOULD BE APPRECIATED...THANKS IN ADVANCE

7189. Re: Digital or scrambled baby monitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kryppy_X@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3615f387.160335293@news.bell.net>
Source record: 143027

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 17:13:46 -0500, "Tom Dietz" <tom@badname.glis.net>
wrote:

>Is there such a thing? I am trying to find a secure one.
>
>Thanks,

There are some with voice inversion scrambling, which should be secure
but some unscrupulous guy sells a decoder, you can't miss his spam,
it's posted once every two days. I don't think that there are any
digital ones, but I might be wrong!

>Tom
>
>

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26.1972800/-080.1707083
Fort Lauderdale, FL
http://broward.home.ml.org

7190. Re: New Orleans: Worst Case Scenario

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <djmr26@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bdea8e$57a79ce0$3b685ed1@oemcomputer>
Source record: 143028

Karl Dahlquist <kdahlquist@vistagroupusa.com> wrote in article
<6umpn9$r35$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
> http://www.nolalive.com/weather/mainstorm.html
>
>
>
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>
> It's hurricane season again, and the region's good luck is bound to run
out
> soon. That's the verdict of storm experts, who say the relative tropical
> calm of the past 10 years is over. And officials concede the area can't
be
> successfully evacuated. So each new season, we're flirting with disaster.
>
>
> The Grim Scenario:
> By LESLIE WILLIAMS
> Staff Writer / The Times-Picayune
>
> Dead bodies hang in trees. Small boats have been swept away or reduced to
> flotsam. Venomous snakes compete for space with resident shuddled on
> rooftops and in attics. Water and food are rationed. Much of New Orleans
is
> under 8 to 14 feet of water mixed with human waste, rats and debris.
>
> >><snip><<<

Thank you,Karl, for that reprint...now, what mod are you looking for?
Dennis
djmr26@bestweb.net

7191. Re: Salinas Airshow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert H. Eisner" <rheisner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <360EFFCE.740F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

HOUNDDOG wrote:
>
> Here's what I logged:
> T-Birds -
> 141.3
> 141.85
> 322.95
> 413.1
> S-Birds
> 272.1 - This was a freq that I hadn't seen reported before
> Other Airshow Freqs
> 123.15
> 122.85
> 122.95
>
> Did anyone find any other frequencies in use?
>
> P.S. - Next stop for me - Blue Angels in SF on 10/11

121.0500 was used by the Air Boss
413.0250 was used by the T-birds Ground Crew

7192. Re: Pro-25 cell unblock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanist@acmenet.net
Message-ID: <6uqob9$5d7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142780

G.F.L !! (good f__k'in luck)
Those jumpers do not control the blocked freqs ! snip'em and you will
probably loose freqs.
Eddie

In article <360E8F62.E801829E@nac.net>,
Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net> wrote:
> Hey all-
> I was looking in my pro-25 scanner yesterday, and I
> saw the board marked
> "800 mhz unit" made by uniden, and saw three
> jumpers on it. Don't those
> control the blocked out cell freqs? couldnt one be
> snipped to unblock
> cell? Anyone tried it? I'm really annoyed at all
> the freqs RS blocked
> out on this unit. Thanks-
>
> Greg
>
>

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7193. frequency city search

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: noshoot@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6uqpp4$6p6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142781

Want to find those hard to find frequencies in your town. go to

http://homepages.infoseek.com/~noshoot/noshoot.html

there under the "Percon Database Search" link just type your city then your state and then choose the radio service code and hit search. you will get a list with the service, frequency, and call sign.

thanks
noshoot

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7194. Pro-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: eudorwelt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980929095456.07837.00003473@ng17.aol.com>
Source record: 142782

I have a RS Pro-64 handheld scanner. It works great on all bands,except
for the 108-138 mhz civillian aircraft band, wich really sucks, wich is very
suprising, since I live right in the core of Manhattan. What really suprises me
is that I can pick up the Suffolk County cops on it as clear as a bell with
only the stock rubber ducky antenna, and thier repeater is a good 75 to 100
miles away.
Why would I be able to recive them with no problems, and not be able to hear
the JFK control tower, wich is much nearer to me? I know the scanner isn't
busted, as I can pick up the occasional aircraft in flight, with no problems.Is
there a simple
mod i can perform on it that will improve my aircraft band reception?
Thanks in advance, and 73's,
KB2ZYO/Lumzilla 67/Sailor Goon

7195. A99/Scanner Receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: magnum264@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980929104759.06031.00003569@ng05.aol.com>
Source record: 142783

Will a A99 increase the receive (ears) on a BearCat scanner. Use a A99
for my ham radio, not for sure if it would increase hearing on my scanner,
wanted to throw this out there before I did the work needed to hook up the A99
to the scanner!

7196. BC-3000XLT & charger for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: epattis@uvi.edu
Message-ID: <epattis-2909981102420001@voyager.uvi.edu>
Source record: 142784

Hi everyone!
I've got a Uniden BC-3000XLT for sale. It's about 6 months old and still
has the warranty card and all docs. It hasn't really been touched at all
and it is in perfect condition. I'm selling it with a desktop charger
from Grove and a car charger too. I'll sell the both of these for $300.
I paid about $345 for the scanner alone. Money order preferred in advance
and I'll ship it priority mail. Email me if you are interested.
Erik
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Erik Pattison
epattis@uvi.edu
Microcomputer Specialist
Videoconference Technician
President, The VI Blades Fencing Club

7197. FS: PRO-2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <6uqvb1rge1@eve.enteract.com>
Source record: 142785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Howdy! I have a Radio Shack PRO-2004 base/mobile scanner for sale.
Some specs:

400 channels
25-520 MHz & 760-1300 MHz (cell unblocked)
AM/FM/WFM modes
10 programmable search ranges
auto-store of 10 frequencies found while in SEARCH mode

The unit works perfectly, and is in good cosmetic condition; the only flaw is that the previous owner poked some small holes in the keys on the keypad, don't ask me why!

The only mods performed on the unit were to unblock the cellular band, and add 100 extra channels (from the stock 300 to 400).

The unit includes the manual, box, and a small whip antenna. I also have a 3rd party book which describes additional mods and things for this family of scanners. There is a plethora of information about the 2004/2005/2006 series scanners on the Internet, as it is one of the most easily modified units on the market.

$150, and I'll meet you somewhere in the Arlington Heights or Woodridge/Downers Grove, IL area for the exhange -or- you pay the shipping costs.

Please drop me a note if interested.

73,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

7198. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigron@i-cafe.net
Message-ID: <MPG.107aa2f4d4ffbe09896b7@news.pon.net>
Source record: 142786

In article <360FE9B5.64741A@INVALID.com>, Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com says...
>
>
> BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>
> > In <361399c2.5430253@news.swbell.net> inigo@montoya.net (D. P. Roberts)
> > writes:
> > >
> >
> > Paramed's in Calif use:
> >
> > 1155 for fatals....
> > 187's for trauma deaths via bullets or knife
> > of Mackeral-stink.
> >
>
> > mackeral is a walking 1155
> >
> > bill conduit
>
> Isn't "5150" a better code for the friggin' loon? A
> disturbed individual "out of control"? That's the inspirartion behind Van
> Halen's album title of the same name (5150).
>
> John Mackey: News Group Pest (NGP-5150)
>
>
In my area of California, fatalities are called 11-44 (Coroner's Case).
About 5150, that is the California's Welfare and Institution Code for a
person that is a danger to them self or others and are put into the
custody of mental health authorities for up to 72 hours. This can be
extended for an additional 14 days with 5250 W&IC proceedings.
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Ron Webb RN, EMT
Angwin Community Ambulance
Angwin Fire Department

7199. Trade Pro-62 and Cash for Pro-43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: matt.caldwell@vc3.com
Message-ID: <6ur58s$k25$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142787

I would like to trade a mint condition (No Att) Pro-62 Triple Conversion Radio with manual and box for the Pro-43 and maybe like $30 for the trade. If you would consider this offer please email me.

Thanks

Matt KD4BKU

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7200. Re: Pro-64 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <36110759.48F65E53@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 142788

Eudorwelt wrote:
> I have a RS Pro-64 handheld scanner. It works great on all bands,except
> for the 108-138 mhz civillian aircraft band, wich really sucks, wich is very
> suprising, since I live right in the core of Manhattan. What really suprises me
> is that I can pick up the Suffolk County cops on it as clear as a bell with
> only the stock rubber ducky antenna, and thier repeater is a good 75 to 100
> miles away.
> Why would I be able to recive them with no problems, and not be able to hear
> the JFK control tower, wich is much nearer to me? I know the scanner isn't
> busted, as I can pick up the occasional aircraft in flight, with no problems.Is
> there a simple
> mod i can perform on it that will improve my aircraft band reception?

Consider that the stock antenna is probably more suited to the
frequencies
used by Suffolk than the aero comms. Also, the Suffolk transmissions are
probably much high power than the tower.

Get a better handheld antenna (for aero freqs that would mean something
longer)
or go with an external antenna connected via the shortest run you can
make of
high-quality, low-loss co-ax.

Good luck!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

7201. X-tals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2ayc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980929121558.12822.00006145@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 142789

I have the following BEARCAT crystals that I would like to trade:
155.175, 155.200, 155.400, 155.700, 155.715, 155.730
.....
..

I am looking for: 153.740, 154.115, 154.400, 154.430, 154.740, 154.770,
155.460, 155.640, 156.800, 146.805, 146.850

7202. NEW LCD for 2004 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <3611087F.4A993F51@alaska.net>
Source record: 142790

I have a new LCD (plug-in) in the sealed Tandy
pack. None left !!

I'm selling for what I paid for it.

$45 shipped

Once your 2004 display goes it's gone for
good.....

7203. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Appenzeller <Michael.W.Appenzeller@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <361112E9.2405@lmco.com>
Source record: 142791
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

I think police, fire depts, etc. need to do a better job of publicizing their 7-digit non-emergency numbers. They give out all these stickers, refrigerator magnets, and other advertising material saying " In an Emergency, Call 911". Not one of them had the non-emergency number printed on them. They could put it in smaller print below the 911 stuff.

About 2 years ago my wife was an hour or 2 late returning from a trip, and since we had been having trouble with the car recently, I wanted to call the Highway Patrol to ask if they spotted her car broken down onthe interstate. I looked for the 7-digit number in phone book, and its listed under some heading like "justice department". I called and I got a hospital instead. The number in the phone book was wrong, and the person at the hospital didn't have the correct number. Then I tried 411 (information) They had lots of numbers " Do you want Barracks B, Barracks C, Sergeant Joe's office...." I finally got through, but I was mighty tempted to give up and call 911.

Mike
WB2MEP

7204. Sears Programmable Radio Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Deacon Hiebler <chiebler@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bdebd2$fc63cb60$cfd88fa8@default>
Source record: 142792

HELP: I am looking for the owners manual for the Sears Programmable Radio Scanner.
Contact me at chiebler@clark.net. Thanks. Alias is KA3DOY.

7205. Re: HIGH-TECH CRIME RING IN OHIO (part 1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4ykv2@fuse.net
Message-ID: <36112461.150041863@nntp.fuse.net>
Source record: 142793

On 29 Sep 1998 07:50:33 GMT, capaliwoda@aol.com (CAPaliwoda) wrote:

>
>I wish to report a bizarre crime situation in the Maple
>Heights, Ohio area (a suburb of Cleveland, USA) using a
>form of radiation-based mind control.

I'd like to be the first to welcome Cris Carter to rrs.

Randy True
kd4ykv2@fuse.net
KOI Tri-State Scanner Page
http://home.fuse.net/rwtrue00
Amateur Call KD4YKV

7206. New handheld qustions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: greg medbourn <gmed@skyenet.net>
Message-ID: <3610DEA3.7D39F154@skyenet.net>
Source record: 142794

Witch is a better handheld scanner to buy?
I live in a very small town and need it to pick
up weak signals.
Also I will use it in the car when traveling.
I was looking at"
MVT 9000
Icom R-10
Ws2000
Aor 8200&8000
uniden BC-3000xlt

Please hejp I'm need to the scanner game.

Thanks
gmed@skyenet.net

7207. Need Price for Used AOR AR-1000XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rshaman@pobox.com
Message-ID: <6urf3eki1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142795

I'm wanting to sell an AOR AR 1000XLT scanner in
mint condition and I'm looking for a source for
current prices. A private e-mail response is fine.

Thanks in advance for any help!

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7208. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Colombo <colombo@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <36114B13.6954543F@fnal.gov>
Source record: 142796

Mike Derryberry wrote:

> Here locally 10-10 has 3 different meanings for 3 different agencies.
> City police 10-10 is a traffic stop, county sheriff 10-10 is a coffee
> break, and CHP 10-10 is off duty.

In both Ill. and Wis., 10-10 means "fight in progress".

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Rick Colombo@fnal.gov - Home Page: http://www-oss.fnal.gov/~colombo/

7209. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Langfield <johnlang@wavenet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant2922050b0gmo4@hoole.wavenet.co.uk>
Source record: 142797
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

In article <6uohrbrin1@newnews.global.net.uk>, JIM SEWELL
<URL:mailto:sewell01@globalnet.co.uk> wrote:
> If were talking about a 40 channel am mid rig, then its very illegal to own,
> let alone use...

It is not very illegal to own an AM rig. It is just illegal to transmit on
it.
Mind you this one might not have had its import tax paid!!!! 8-(

> Do yourself a favour and bin it.....Dont try selling it, because if you
> choose the wrong person ????

If you go to car boot sales you will see loads of AM rigs for sale. No one
seems to care.

> As for making it FM, again the chances of finding a dealer willing to have
> it in his shop to do the work is very slim due to its illegal nature.... It
> would probably be cheaper to buy an FM rig than to have it modified......
> Hope i've scared you enough, but i'm sure most will agree

I have heard that there is a "Rig Doctor" who does all sorts of things to AM
and FM rigs that lives in Fleetwood, Lancs.

John.

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7210. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: SHANEKLUG <SHANEKLUG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <36115D9B.52@prodigy.net>
Source record: 142798
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net wrote:
>
> You guys would "LOVE" my set up in my '85' Buick Riviera! Cobra
> 148GTL, "extra" channels(PLL mod), connex board, RK56 N/C mic, super
> mod "kit", dial-a-watt, roger beep, roger "fart", big finals(swings to
> 28wattsPEP). This radio is driven in to a SilverBullet 80watt
> modulater that in turn is driven in to a TX800 amplifier!!! Also have
> a PDC700 meters mounted on the floor. This set up will show a 10watt
> dead key and "SWING" to 1300 watts!!! All the radiation is shot out
> of a Wilson-1000 magnet mount on the roof of the car!!
>
> All this just to harass the "BIG RIG" drivers to and from work!!
>
> Question: Would my set up be "Illegal in the U.K. ?
>
> Gotta have a sense of humor if you live in the States!!!
>
> Take Care Friends!!
>
> Wolf out for now.

that would be 1300 watts peak... not rms... probably around 700 watts on
a bird meter...

Shane

7211. Re: Misuse of 911. Is 311 the answer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Pethel <rgpet@waga.net>
Message-ID: <3611707E.3C1213A2@waga.net>
Source record: 142799
Cross-posted to: alt.security.neighborhood,alt.law-enforcement,alt.thebird.copwatch,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher

Where I live, the only way to get the number for the police dept. is to call the court house, in the day time.

Mike Appenzeller wrote:

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> their 7-digit non-emergency numbers. They give out all these stickers,
> refrigerator magnets, and other advertising material saying " In an
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> a hospital instead. The number in the phone book was wrong, and the
> person at the hospital didn't have the correct number. Then I tried 411
> (information) They had lots of numbers " Do you want Barracks B,
> Barracks C, Sergeant Joe's office...." I finally got through, but I was
> mighty tempted to give up and call 911.
>
> Mike
> WB2MEP

7212. Icom PCR1000 ??? commands???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JM BRM <cmb@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <6urrh5$g3d$1@duke.telepac.pt>
Source record: 142800

I want to know the commands and the RS232 settings for the Icom PCR1000.

I want write the software to control the scanner. I have the software
from Icom but i want write my software.

Thanks.

JM Nunes PORTUGAL

7213. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <6urp6k$prj@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 142801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. I published the pinout for both Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor receivers in June 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

You can buy the proper replacement power cords but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and solder

on a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760

email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model UHF VHF-high VHF-low

SM-301 X X X
SM-302 X X
SM-303 X X
SM-304 X X

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Introduction

Radio Shack has been selling scanners and monitor receivers
under the Realistic and Radio Shack labels for over 30
years. Most of them were manufactured by General Research
Electronics of Tokyo, though many newer models are
manufactured by Uniden.

The date of manufacture is usually printed on a gummed
label on the scanner as well as the cardboard box. A code
of 12A5, means the scanner was made in the 12th month of
1975, 1985, or 1995, for example.

There's another way to date Radio Shack scanners
manufactured by Uniden. The first digit of the long serial
number is usually the last digit of the year of
manufacture.

Another way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine
the 4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most
recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. Service manuals for most Radio Shack scanners sold through mid-1997 may be ordered through your local Radio Shack store.

If Radio Shack doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

Parts lists for recent and many older models are available on line at: http://support.tandy.com. Parts may be ordered through Tandy National Parts, telephone (800)442-2425 or (817)870-5600, or through your local Radio Shack store

G & G Communications (telephone (716)768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts for several older models, especially Electra/Bearcat and Regency brands, but they don't sell manuals or schematics. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

GRE-Built Base Models: Dim Backlight

The backlight in many base models, including the PRO-2022, PRO-2004, and PRO-2005/6 is implemented by an electroluminescent panel, which grows dim with use.

The EL panel used in the PRO-2005 and PRO-2006 is designated EL-501, and is identified by Radio Shack part #10800050. A new EL panel can be ordered through your Tandy National parts (see above) or local Radio Shack store and sent to your home. Radio Shack no longer sells replacement EL panels for the PRO-2004.

Replacing the backlight is an operation which requires care and patience. Purchase a service manual, and study the exploded parts diagrams as you read the following steps.

Top and bottom cabinet pieces must be removed, then the speaker unplugged from the main board. The front panel assembly must be removed from the chassis by removing 4 flat head screws, 2 on each side. You need not disconnect all the wiring harnesses, though you might have to unplug one so it won't get in the way of a hot soldering iron.

Unsolder the bare ground wire soldered to a large shield on the back of the front panel, located near the back of the squelch control. Two ground braids must be temporarily disconnected by removing the screws which fasten them to the chassis. After removing the volume and squelch knobs, you must remove 8 small screws which fasten the plastic front panel to the diplay board.

The old EL panel is fastened by a bead of glue and two foil type leads soldered to the display board. It's easier to cut the two leads from the old EL panel before unsoldering. A sharp knife should be used cut away the glue. The old EL panel can then be slid gently out from behind the LCD display.

The new EL panel can be installed by reversing the process, though I found that it is not necessary to glue the new panel. The two foil leads must be soldered using a minimum of heat. Reassemble the pieces in reverse order of disassembly.

GRE-Built Portables: Worn Out Keypads

The keypad on late model GRE-made Radio Shack portables, e.g., PRO-39 and PRO-43, can become unreliable after prolonged use. The best repair is to replace the rubber keypad instead of trying to restore contacts using chemicals. A replacement rubber keypad may be ordered inexpensively through Tandy National Parts or your local Radio Shack Store.

PRO-43: Loss of Audio

Early PRO-43s were built with a 200 mW speaker (mfr's part #EAS-3P123A). The voice coils in some of these speakers have opened, resulting in lack of audio output, though audio is still available from the earphone jack. A more capable 500 mW speaker is available through Tandy as replacement (EAS-3P127).

PRO-43: Freezup

If you attempt to lock out all 20 channels in a memory bank, then scan only that bank, your PRO-43 will freeze up and be placed into a catatonic state. Use the procedure documented in the PRO-43 user manual to fully reset the scanner. This will "break the trance," but all the memory channels will be cleared.

PRO-2004: Dead

If your PRO-2004 is completely dead, check R235, a 1 ohm, 1 watt resistor mounted vertically on the main board. |

PRO-7A: Channels 1 - 4 or 5 - 8 Dead |

If the first or last 4 channels in your 8 channel PRO-7A | crystal scanner are not working and the lamps for those | channels won't light, replace IC4 or IC5 (type 7400A).

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The squelch control in some FM monitor receivers is
difficult to use because of too much hysteresis. The
American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language
defines hysteresis as the:

o "Failure of a property changed by an external agent
to return to its original value when the cause of the
change is removed."

It's like having play in a car's steering wheel, or
backlash in a gear set. Too much hysteresis in a squelch
circuit forces one to keep the squelch at a tighter
setting, missing weaker signals when scanning or searching.
The squelch hysteresis problem was first addressed in a
1984 article about the Radio Shack PRO-24 crystal
controlled scanner.

Why do engineers design these circuits with any hysteresis?
Basically, hysteresis prevents weak signals from "popping"
the squelch open and closed rapidly, which would be very
annoying to the listener. A squelch circuit with hysteresis
requires a stronger signal to open the squelch than it does
to keep it open.

Models cursed with too much hysteresis include the
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT and 760XLT, Radio Shack PRO-2003,
PRO-2004, and others. Don't despair, the fix is simple for
most radios. I've successfully reduced the squelch
hysteresis by replacing a single resistor.

Hysteresis is usually implemented by providing feedback from the squelch gate input to output, through a resistor. The higher the resistor value, the less feedback there is, and less hysteresis. My modification involves replacing the "stock" resistor with a higher value resistor, as identified in the table below.

This technique does not apply to some of the newer Uniden models, because the squelch hysteresis is partially determined by firmware inside the processor IC.

This article cannot provide step-by-step instructions for each radio. I always encourage radio hobbyists to purchase the service manuals for their equipment. The most useful sections of the manual are the schematics and printed circuit diagrams. Good manuals will also describe the theory of operation and alignment procedures, and contain a complete parts list.

If your radio has too much hysteresis, and is not listed in the table, study the service manual. Motorola MC3357, MC3359, and MC3361 integrated circuits, which contain IF and squelch circuitry, are popular in scanners. In these receivers, look for the hysteresis resistor to be connected to these ICs.

Notes

1. The author cannot furnish modification information for other radios.

2. Don't attempt this, or any other internal modification, unless you are skilled in electronic servicing.

3. Make sure your receiver is disconnected from any power source before opening the cabinet.

4. If space permits, you can replace the stock resistor with a higher value variable resistor ("trimpot") and adjust to suit.

Table 1. Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers

Squelch Hysteresis Resistor In Selected Receivers		
Receiver Model No.	Res-istor Value	Stock Comments
Radio Shack PRO-24	R35	33K replace with 220K. Located between pins 12 and 14

	of MC3357 (IC1)
Radio Shack PRO-2002	R197 47K try 220K.
Radio Shack PRO-2004	R148 47K remove R148
	or replace with 220K.
	On linear board,
	between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC2)
Radio Shack PRO-2006	R152 33K try 100K or higher.
Radio Shack PRO-2022	R91 33K replace 33K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	on IC-1 MC3361
Radio Shack PRO-2035	100K replace 100K
	with 220K.
	Between pins 12 & 14
	of TK10420 (IC-2)
Electra/Bearcat 220	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 20/20	R75 2.7M may be ok as is
Electra/Bearcat 250	R66 2.2M may be ok as is
Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT	R58 22K replace with 6.8K
	or other value.
	(select value for
	the particular radio.)
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Uniden/Bearcat 800XLT	R91 860K replace with 2.2M.
	Located on pin 14
	of MC3359P IC
Plectron P1	R81 180K may be ok as is
Plectron 700	R96 180K replace with 560K
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2. "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

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Introduction

The original Bearcat scanner line was manufactured by
Electra Company, a division of Masco Corp of Indiana. In
the mid 1980s, Uniden, a Japanese company, bought out the
Bearcat scanner line and Uniden's first Bearcat scanner was
the BC800XLT model.

Most of the models discussed in this article are
base/mobile units made by Electra during the 1970s and
1980s although some of the capacitor failures occur in the
Uniden BC800XLT, too.

Electra stamped all of its scanners with a manufacturing
date code on the rear of the cabinet. The code is comprised
of a single character (C = Cumberland, Indiana, P = Puerto
Rico), followed by four digits denoting year and week the
radio was built. For example, "P8422" denotes the radio was
made in the Puerto Rico factory during the 22nd week of
1984.

One way to roughly estimate a radio's age is to examine the
4 digit date codes often stamped on the integrated
circuits. The radio must have been made after the most

recent date stamp.

Schematics, Owner's Manuals, and Parts Available

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 11915 E. Washington St., Cumberland, IN 46229. Phone 317-894-3229.

I cannot furnish schematics, manuals or parts. To order a user manual for an Electra/Bearcat scanner from Uniden, call (800)235-3874 extension 2553.

Some schematic diagrams may be obtained from Uniden/Bearcat's parts department, (800)297-1023. Uniden currently charges a flat rate of $54 for scanner repairs. They will repair and return "out of warranty" items without an estimate unless the repair charges exceed the flat rate charges.

The phone number for repair is (800)297-1023, too. I recommend you call repair before sending the broken scanner. Items for repair via UPS (include receipt if still under warranty) are usually sent to:

Uniden America Corp.
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
P.O. Box 95002
Fort Worth, TX 76155

If Uniden doesn't have a schematic, try obtaining a Photophacts from Howard Sams Publishing division of Prentice-Hall at (800)428-7267, http://www.hwsams.com/sams_model_new.html

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Common Construction

Most of the classic, metal-cased Bearcat base/mobile models were built using two printed circuit boards:

1. a "radio board" containing the synthesizer, RF, IF, and audio stages, and
2. a "feature board" containing the microprocessor controller and memory circuitry which gave each model its own personality.

Although there are various vintage radios boards, they all have similar circuitry.

Bad Solder Joints Common

Before addressing specific symptoms, circuit boards in the malfunctioning scanner should be inspected for poor solder joints.

The Electra/Bearcat BC350, BC300, BC250, BC220, BC20/20, BC211, BC210, and BC210XL models were hand assembled, and every one I've serviced had several connections that were either soldered poorly, or not soldered at all.

Resoldering joints on the ribbon cable connecting the RF and keyboard logic circuit boards in a BC250 attenuated the microprocessor/synthesizer hash noise noticeably.

A Bearcat 20/20 was experiencing periodic loss of memory on some, but not all channels. When the problem occurred, the frequencies on some channels would be completely changed. On other channels, the frequency would still be intact, but the channel would be locked out, and the delay toggled from "on" to "off". Some channels were not affected.

The 2 "AA" memory backup batteries, and their holder, tested good. Much time was spent tracing logic, heating and cooling components, and making voltage measurements.

One of the secondary leads from the power transformer was connected to the main circuit board through a hole drilled through foil traces on both the top and bottom sides of the board. A close examination revealed that this lead had been soldered only on the top of the board - the bottom side had never been soldered.

Soldering the lead on both sides of the board solved the memory loss problem.

Symptom: Blank Display

The BC300 scanner, and several other Bearcat models, employ a switching type power supply stage to generate plus and minus voltages in excess of 20 volts DC. When this switcher fails to function, the display goes blank, but the squelch control appears to work, and white noise can be heard in the speaker.

In almost a dozen of the BC300 and BC800XLT scanners I've fixed, C98, a capacitor in series with the primary of the switching transformer failed, causing the output of the supply to drop below the level needed to power the display. The switching transformer is mounted on the RF circuit board, and is much, much smaller than the main power transformer, which is usually fastened to the metal

chassis. See March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine for BC800XLT capacitor locations and repair information.

The 22uF/16V capacitor used for C98 in early BC300s was marginal, and was replaced with a 47uF/25V capacitor in later units.

Jim Craig replaced a 22uF/35V C98 capacitor to repair his BC210XW.

Paul Grohe replaced a failed C98 with a low ESR (equivalent series resistance), high frequency, switching regulator grade capacitor, e.g. a Panasonic HF series capacitor. He also recommends adding a 0.1 ceramic capacitor in parallel with C98.

I replaced the 22 uF capacitor in the switching power supply stage of a BC210XL which caused the same symptom. Other capacitors in the switcher stage have failed. C114, a 4.7 uF/35V tantalum capacitor failed in at least one BC250, causing the display to blank.

A more sinister problem affects the switcher in earlier models. The switching supply stage in the BC250 and original BC210 is driven by a clock signal derived from a custom Exar NC57902 divider integrated circuit (designated IC6 in the BC250 scanner). I've seen this divider IC fail in several BC250s, causing a blank display (except for a decimal point in the BC250's rightmost digit). This custom IC is no longer available from Uniden.

Failure of IC9, the 9 volt NJM78M09A regulator in a BC800XLT is another cause of a blank display.

Symptom: Invalid Frequency Displayed

A common Bearcat 250 malady is manifested by an invalid frequency displayed on the readout. This condition is temporarily "cured" by unplugging the AC line cord from the wall, then replugging it. This condition is symptomatic of a power supply problem in which Q204, a Texas Instruments TIP-29 located on the feature circuit board, fails.

A Philips ECG291 will work as a substitute for the TIP-29. Don't try a Radio Shack substitute, it hasn't worked. See Martin Toomajian's article, "Bearcat 250 Erratic Display Cure", in January 1987 Monitoring Times.

A similar problem in the Bearcat 20/20 was discussed previously in the section on bad solder joints.

Symptom: Squelch Won't Eliminate White Noise

Most Uniden/Bearcat base/mobile scanners feature an AUTO squelch position, actuated by rotating the squelch knob fully counter clockwise. The BC350 used a separate pushbutton switch for this purpose. These scanners use a flimsy potentiometer (designated R81 in BC300s) internally mounted on the RF circuit board, to set the level of signal required to open the squelch when in the AUTO position. This pot also has an effect on the squelch action in the non-AUTO mode, and determines at which point the squelch knob must be positioned in order to silence the radio.

Although the potentiometer is adjusted at the factory, changes in component values due to aging often necessitate readjustment of this internal pot. Misadjustment of this pot has been the cause of "no squelch" complaints in two BC300s and a BC250 I fixed.

Another squelch failure is due to a blown transistor that acts as the electronic switch in the squelch circuit. I replaced this transistor in only one BC300, so I don't know if this is a common problem.

Symptom: Scanner Completely Dead

In Bearcat scanners using an internal power supply (e.g., BC350, BC250, etc.), the main power transformer is connected directly to the AC line. Since the on/off switch is on the secondary side of the transformer, current flows in the primary as long as the AC line cord is plugged into an active AC outlet. These transformers contain an internal circuit breaker, not visible without unwinding (destroying) the transformer. The internal breaker is known to fail prematurely in a batch of Bearcat power transformers.

If your scanner is completely dead, check the primary of this transformer for an open circuit condition.

Symptom: Keyboard Bounce

After much use, the Chromerics keyboards in Bearcat scanners start to wear out. The first sign of trouble is usually keyboard bounce on the most frequently used key, e.g., the MANUAL key. Replacement keyboards are usually available from UNIDEN, but replacement requires dexterity, as one must take care not to tear the flat, flexible strip connecting the keyboard to the logic board.

Symptom: Keyboard Completely Unresponsive

The keyboard matrix is "scanned" by the microprocessor. Another problem is when none of the keys seems to function; the receiver just keeps scanning in spite of key depressions. I found this condition in a BC210XL scanner

owned by a heavy smoker. Perhaps nicotine smoke was to blame, as the resistance between two input port pins on the microprocessor was down to about 1000 ohms, fooling the microprocessor into believing that a key was stuck in the "down" position. Scraping the circuit board between the two pins with an X-Acto knife fixed the problem.

Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT Portable
Loss of Audio and Dial Lamp

If you can program frequencies into your BC200XLT but there is no audio and the green backlight no longer functions, a tiny transistor may have failed.

Check for a defective PNP surface mount transistor, Q201 (2SB815B6-YDY). Q201 is used as a switch to furnish 8 VDC to several stages of the BC200XLT. Its main purpose is to switch off power hungry stages of the BC200XLT when the CPU thinks the NiCd voltage has fallen below a threshhold. That's an attempt to limit the current drain on weak NiCds to avoid permanent damage.

Q201 is located on the foil side of the "Micom" board, adjacent to the black multi-pin connector which mates the Micom and main boards together.

Q201 can be destroyed by a few different causes, primarily, by something in the scanner drawing too much current through it. In one case, capacitor C36 shorted. It's a 220 uF 10v electrolytic, located on the component side of the main board, connected from pin 8 of the audio IC (IC2 NJM386SL) to ground. Capacitor C55 shorted in another BC200XLT. Gary Bean reports he substituted a 2SA1298 for Q201 and it worked fine. In a pinch you bypass Q201 by soldering a short piece of bare wire between the collector and emitter, but you must first fix the component which caused Q201 to fail.

BC9000XLT: Loss of Sensitivity

John Ward has fixed two BC9000XLTs which suffered from "low sensitivity." He fixed the solder joint where the antenna jack connects to the circuit board. In both cases the tab from the board was on the opposite side of the jack from where the little blob of solder applied at the factory was located.

It was an intermittent problem that depended upon the position of the antenna cable - if the weight of the cable placed tension on the jack in one direction contact was made and the radio worked fine. If the cable placed tension on the jack in the opposite direction contact was lost and so was reception. The gap was barely noticeable.

Other Problems

Complaints of low audio output and occasional microphonics in three Uniden/Bearcat 800XLTs were caused by a bad 47 ufd electrolytic capacitor in series between the external speaker jack and audio amplifier.

Andy Domonkos reports he often uses a tape recorder connected to a Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. RL-1, the carrier activated relay inside the BC890XLT wore out. Andy found the identical relay sold at Radio Shack (part #275-232) and says the BC9000XLT uses the same relay, too.

Replacement Bulbs for BC760XLT

The Uniden BC760XLT's SCAN, MAN, PRI, and HOLD buttons are illuminated by "grain of wheat" type incandescent bulbs. Gary Saffer reports that the bulbs and buttons are located on a small printed circuit board which sits behind the radio's face plate. Gary unsoldered the burned out bulbs in his radio and replaced them with 12 volt Radio Shack bulbs (#272-1092c). They should last a long time when powered by the 8 VDC supplied by the BC760XLT.

Open Resistor in BC140

Robert Casey fixed his deaf, 16 channel Bearcat BC140 scanner. A 10 ohm resistor had opened that fed a circuit that generates 22V for the varactor diode tuner circuits. Without the 22V, there was no tuning of the local oscillator and front end, and no reception. What he did was compare voltages to a second working BC140.

Sources for Replacement NiCd Battery Packs

Replacement NiCd battery packs and inserts for the BC100XLT, BC200XLT, BC2500XLT, BC3000XLT, and other scanners are available from Uniden. I've purchased them at lower cost from:

1. Mr. NiCd - E. H. Yost and Company, 2211-D Parview Rd., Middleton, WI 53562. tel. (608)831-3443. email ehyost@midplains.net

2. Battery-Tech Central, 2818 Southland Street SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404-4141. tel. (800)267-3087 or (319)364-0855. email rlassoc@inav.net

Batteries Plus has stores across they country and some have rebuilt Uniden NiCd packs for under $20.

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7217. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

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HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1998 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
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OCTOBER 1998

Oct 4 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). Dupage County Fairgrounds.

Oct 11 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale * (see below). orland Park Civic Center.

Oct 17 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see details below). Lake County Fairgrouds.

NOVEMBER 1998

Nov 22 (Sun), Wheaton, IL. GMRS Electronics Flea Market. Dupage County Fairgrounds. Sponsored by GMRS of Illinois, Inc. Admission $5. Kids under 12 free. Open for setup at 6:30 AM. Building doors open for buyers at 8 AM. Info: (815)756-3933 or (630)393-3937.

Nov 28 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see details below). Lake County Fairgrouds.

DECEMBER 1998

Dec 19 (Sat), Grayslake, IL. Computer Country Expo (see details below). Lake County Fairgrouds.

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (847)974-3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies, games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors, diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables, expansion boards, services, and anything else in the domain of computers! Lake County Fairgrounds, Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet of everything Computer! For a show map, exhibitor info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at http://www.ccxpo.com.

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BUYING A USED SCANNER RADIO

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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library ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet-by-
group/rec.radio.scanner.]

Abstract

This article discusses the purchase of used scanner radios
and includes these topics:

1. Motivation for buying a used scanner
2. A used scanner may be a broken scanner - where to get
it fixed
3. Evolution of the scanner
4. Obtaining crystals
5. Keyboard programmable scanners

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for
Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises,
but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

Anybody with enough money can buy a brand new scanner, but
you can save lots of money if you get a good deal on a used
scanner. Hamfests are probably the best place to find used
radios, but you must be familiar with the equipment.
Hamfests are repleat with older radios you won't see in
today's catalogs.

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor
receivers of various brands in my collection. I purchase
most of my receivers at hamfests or horsetrade with other

radio hobbyists.

A Used Scanner May be a Broken Scanner

Getting a bargain is not without some risk. I have had sellers look me square in the eye and tell me their radio worked fine -- when it really didn't.

Buying a used portable scanner is riskier than buying a mobile or base model. Portable scanners are subject to more physical abuse and many have been dropped. If a radio has been dropped, the laws of probability dictate that the first point of impact was probably a corner, so be sure to examine each corner for evidence of trauma.

Scanners used in mobile service are subject to vibration, dust, and temperature extremes. This shouldn't dissuade you from buying a used mobile scanner, but be aware of possible complications.

You should have some recourse if the radio you buy turns out to be defective. For hints on fixing older Bearcat base scanners, see "Tips for Fixing Bearcat Scanners," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in March 1996 Monitoring Times magazine.

If you can't fix the radio yourself, you can pay to have the manufacturer or a service clinic repair it for you. Radio Shack repairs scanners, and Uniden can repair newer Bearcat models but often refuses to service older models, claiming they are "unrepairable" and carving the letter "U" on the cabinet.

G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) is a family owned company which repairs scanners and stocks parts and crystals for several older models. They usually don't repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482. (http://www.iinc.com/ggcomm/ or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com)

The re-incorporated Electra Corporation, (317)326-4419, is able to effect repairs on some older (pre-Uniden) Bearcat scanners. They sell crystals, antennas, power cords, owner's manuals ($11 ea). Electra Corporation is located at 251 N. 300 W. Greenfield, IN 46140-8496.

Evolution of the Scanner

It helps to understand some scanner history before shopping for a used scanner. You will likely see radios from many vintages at a hamfest, and should avoid buying early units unless you are a scanner collector.

One of the earliest ancestors to the scanner was the converter. Manufactured by Tompkins (Tuneaverter), Petersen, Bearcat (Lil Tiger), Midland, and others, converters were made to operate in conjunction with AM radios. Then came wide band monitor receivers, in both tunable and crystal control models, like the Radio Shack PRO-2B. Truthfully, converters and tuneable FM receivers are interesting but don't work well by today's standards.

While tuneable receivers were in vogue, solid state technologies supplanted tubes. Better performing, narrow band crystal controlled units, like the Sonar FR-105, followed. These units did not scan, rather channel selection was accomplished using a simple rotary switch. Sonar even made a 24 channel unit, model FR-2513, in which crystals were held in a rotary "turret."

The earliest scanners, like the 1968 vintage Bearcat BCH, BCL, and BCU models, did not provide individual channel lockout capability. Electra didn't use the term "scanner" and instead called these innovative radios "business receivers." Other models, like the SBE Sentinel, employed a "Channel 1 Bypass" switch so a user could lockout channel 1.

The first scanners came in single band models, followed by multiband models. As two-way radio users started to populate the 450 - 470 MHz band, consumers were forced to pay a premium for UHF scanner coverage. Some multiband scanners, like the Electra's Bearcat III, required an optional circuit board for each band.

There were scanner mutations, designs which never evolved -- odd combinations of AM broadcast receivers with VHF-FM receive capability, like the flamboyant turquoise Sonar Sentry FR-103 portables, Electra's Jolly Roger, and GE's Surveyor series (see US patent 4,011,515, granted 3/8/77). Lafayette Radio Electronics offered a few CB transceivers with VHF receiver capability. These poor performers didn't interest consumers of that era and you should avoid these models unless you are a scanner collector.

The first programmable (crystal-less) scanners were difficult to program. Users had to look up frequencies in a code book and tediously program the information into the scanner in binary form. Some models, like the Tennelec MCP-1 (see US patent 3,961,261, granted 6/1/76), Bearcat BC-101 (see US patent 4,179,662, granted 8/4/78), and Radio Shack COMP 100, resembled Altair or PDP-8 computers, with a row of 16 or so toggle switches. Instead of toggle switches, the Regency WHAMO-10 was programmed by breaking teeth from metal combs. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. The GRE-manufactured SBE Optiscan (and its Sears clone) required poking or covering a series of holes in

plastic cards which were then inserted into a slot on the front panel.

Keyboard Programmable Scanners

Both Bearcat and Regency, as well as Radio Shack offer some good models. I would avoid the Bearcat 100, and older scanners made by AOR, JIL, Fox, Tennelec, and Robyn.

Scanner features often differ not only by model but by manufacturer. For instance, most Radio Shack and Bearcat programmables allow enable/disable of the delay function on a per-channel basis. Older Regency units permit the delay to be enabled/disabled only globally, that is, for all the channels at one time.

All the older Radio Shack scanners were made by General Research Electronics (GRE). Uniden began making scanner models for Radio Shack in the late 1980s, and now supplies about half the Radio Shack scanners. The older GRE-made models scan a bit slowly and have a higher level of synthesizer noise. Most have too much hysteresis in the operation of the squelch control, but this can be fixed completely by replacing one resistor. Good, detailed shop manuals are available for Radio Shack units for $5 - $12.

In the name of cost cutting, some models have done away with the concept of a "channel bank", i.e. the ability to select/deselect a group of channels at a time. The bank concept was a good one. It may be inconvenient to operate a 30 channel scanner without banks (e.g. Regency MX3000, HX1000) if you operate the way many scanner hobbyists do.

If you want to buy an American-made scanner, you will have to buy an old model. Until the mid 1980s, rivals Regency and Electra (Bearcat) built most of the scanners in their Indiana and Puerto Rican factories. Uniden, a large Japanese electronics company, purchased the scanner product lines of both competitors and moved production to Asia.

My favorite VHF/UHF receivers are the the Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2005 and PRO-2006, and the ICOM R7000, R7100, and R8500. The ICOM models are more "communications receiver" than a conventional scanner.

For portable use, I prefer Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT and older Radio Shack PRO-43.

Obtaining Crystals

If you do purchase a crystal controlled scanner or monitor receiver, you will probably want to buy more crystals to

cover local frequencies.

Scanner crystals may be ordered from your local Radio Shack store or from one of the companies below. Be sure to specify the operating frequency you want and the brand and model of scanner.

Some companies may ask you to send a schematic of the scanner or require more detailed information, like series or parallel resonance, load capacitance, etc.

Electra Corporation stocks crystals for the Bearcat scanners:

Electra Corporation
11915 E. Washington St.
Cumberland, IN 46229
Phone 317-894-3229

Crystals for Bearcat and other models are available from:

American Crystal Co.
1623 Central Ave.
Kansas City, KS 66102
tel. 913-342-5493

Bomar Crystal Company
201 Blackford Ave.
Middlesex, NJ 08846
tel. 908-356-7787

Cal Crystal Lab Inc.
1142 N. Gilbert St.
Anaheim, CA 92801
tel. 714-991-1580

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

G & G Communications
9247 Glenwood Drive
LeRoy, NY 14482.
tel. 716-768-8151

Jan Crystals
Box #-6017
Fort Myers, FL 33911
tel. 813-936-2397

Monitor Crystal Svc
124 W Walnut St Watseka, IL 60970
tel. 815-432-5296

Short product summaries for over 70 scanner models appear in
a separate article, entitled "Scanner Radio Review Briefs."
For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass,
Monitoring Times, May 1995.

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HOW DO YOU FIND THESE SCANNER FREQUENCIES?

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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I am often asked, "How do you find these frequencies?"
This article answers the question in various sections:

Books
Magazines
Government Records
Web Sites
Federal Radio Stations
Radio Clubs
Do Your Own Sleuthing
What Makes Station Identification Difficult?
Examine the FCC License on Premise
Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment
Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band
Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage
How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example
Summary
Addresses

Books

The most convenient source of fire and police frequencies is the Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and

larger book stores for under $13. Police Call Plus is basically a computer printout of FCC license information in the fire, police, local government, and conservation services in two lists: by licensee name within state, and by frequency. A few pages of local airport and nonsensitive federal government frequencies are included. Selected business frequencies are listed, too, but without callsigns and other details.

I highly recommend Richard Barnett's book, Monitor America, published by Scanner Master Corp. A 3rd edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. It is crammed full of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, national park, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. The information was compiled mainly from members of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now defunt. Monitor America contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call Plus, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Scanner Master also publishes regional frequency guides for Illinois, Florida, Virginia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and other states.

Aeronautical frequencies are covered in the Aeronautical Frequency Directory, written by Bob Coburn, W1JJO. Although most of the information is about civilian aviation, Bob included sections on military mid-air refueling and CAP. The 401 page third edition is available from Official Scanner Guides (P.O. Box 525-NS, Londonderry, NH 03053). The same publisher sells the Maritime Frequency Directory and frequency guides for several New England states. Some of these books are available through Radio Shack, too.

The longstanding source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range. Since the US government no longer offers frequency information for its own stations, and has never published sensitive frequencies, most of the information in Kneitel's book has been collected from listeners over the years. It

is certainly not complete, nor 100% accurate, but is a good book for this difficult to obtain information.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Magazines

Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times and the sensationalistic Popular Communications magazines.

Government Records

Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS).

These lists contain license information for the industrial (e.g. Illinois Armored Car, Pinkerton's Security, Joe's Towing, etc.), highway maintenance, commercial broadcast, aviation, common carrier, and maritime services, as well as for police and fire. For more info call NTIS at 703-487-4630.

Back in "the good old days," Grove Enterprises sold copies of some FCC microfiche files, and this was much cheaper than buying directly from NTIS. Grove no longer sells microfiche, but sells information on CDROM for $49 instead.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on both floppy disks and CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100.

The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for under $30 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. However, Public Safety license information contained in the Winter 1996 Spectrum doesn't appear as up to date as in the 1997 Police Call Plus.

Spectrum works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments. One can try restricted sample searches of the Spectrum CD for free via PerCon's web page at

http://www.perconcorp.com/db_srch.htm .

Companies have appeared which are "plugged into" the FCC licensing system and they sell computer time allowing on-line file access. They also sell paper copies of FCC information. Washington Radio Reports is one example. A monthly publication, it lists license applications made to the FCC. A few members of my scanner club subscribe and share the information with me.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Web Sites

If you have access to the World Wide Web, you can visit dozens of sites with local frequency lists. You can look up civilian aero frequencies for specific airports at: http://www.airnav.com/airports/.

Federal Radio Stations - Not Licensed by FCC

Since federal government radio stations are not licensed by the FCC, they are not listed in FCC microfiche. In 1981, a group of 60 radio hobbyists split a $1300 fee, and obtained 80 microfiche cards of 'sanitized' information about federal government radio stations under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). (See "The Government Giveth, the Government Taketh Away", by Richard Prelinger, in Monitoring Times, July 1982.)

Only 12 of the 21 information fields for each station were furnished. Fields like "Remarks", which indicate the exact usage of a channel (e.g. "Sky Marshall's Net"), and "Bureau", indicating agency subdivision (e.g. TAC within the USAF), were withheld. These 80 pages of microfiche were sold by Grove Enterprises for $25, but are no longer available from that source. Private entrepreneurs have been known to ask $125 or more for a set! In a step backward, the US Government insists it will no longer release this type of information - it is now 'classified'. (See "AFIO and the FOIA", by Bob Grove, in Monitoring Times, September 1982.)

For a reason unknown to this author, the government released a 1984 vintage set of frequencies allocated to the FAA. Perhaps this was a mistake, because the information is marked 'unclassified', but all fields are furnished, including some which indicate security related usage. Grove sold this set of 33 microfiche cards for about $13.

Two way radio equipment formerly used by the armed forces often appears for sale at hamfests. Less often, Secret Service and FBI radios appear there from time to time, too. When you see such equipment, look over the radio for a frequency label and write down the frequencies stamped on the crystals or channel elements. Make note of any service or property tags which specify the agency or military base which used the equipment.

Radio Clubs

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than a pile of magazines.

Since the early 1960s, I had been an amateur radio operator, and belonged to amateur radio clubs, but I never realized there were any scanner clubs! In 1983, I joined the world's largest scanner club, the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), now out of business. There are several regional scanner clubs, spun off from the former RCMA, which hold regular meetings.

Another club which prints sensitive federal frequencies is the All Ohio Scanner Club. I enjoy its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, which is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of product reviews and scanning tips.

More information is available on the WWW page http://aosc.rpmdp.com and from:

All Ohio Scanner Club
50 Villa Road
Springfield, OH 45503

Do Your Own Sleuthing

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio,

or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

What Makes Station Identification Difficult?

In most instances, FCC rules require radio users to identify their operations with FCC assigned call letters. Police and fire departments, especially those with trained radio dispatchers, seem particularly conscientious about station identification. Like commercial broadcasters, many of these stations identify on the hour and the half hour.

Some repeater stations have Morse code identification circuits which transmit call letters on a periodic basis, insuring compliance with FCC rules.

On the other hand, over 75% the industrial radio stations monitored within the last year ignore the FCC regulation, making it difficult for a listener to identify a station. Some stations may operate for years using the nondescriptive "base to mobile 2" or "Joe to base" protocol. One rung up the hierarchy are stations that identify using something like "Acme base to 107", giving the listener a clue for his log. If call letters are given, they are often rendered unintelligible by operators who fail to enunciate. The failure to identify is more likely due to sloppiness, rather than any attempt to hide station identity.

While not regulated by the FCC, federal government radio stations vary in the extent to which they identify their transmissions. Some federal stations do not have call letters. A nearby paging transmitter periodically transmits a voice recording announcing, "This is the Army Joliet Ammunition Plant." What more could a listener ask for?

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy. I use two modified Radio Shack CTR-75 recorders, a discontinued model.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at

the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

If you don't have a VOX recorder, consider a device like the NiteLogger II tape recorder controller, made by Benjamin Michael Industries. It connects simply between scanner and recorder and contains sound activation circuitry to trigger the recorder.

The following examples illustrate techniques I've used to derive new frequency information.

Examine the FCC License on Premise

I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the Bell Labs security office and the guard shack at Waste Management's Greene Valley Landfill in Naperville.

Examine the Labels on Radio Equipment

Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find Dymo or P-Touch tape labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret.

- At the annual Glenview Naval Air Station open house, I examined a military manpack radio being used by dispensary paramedics. The radio's tuning dial was set at 34.15 MHz.

- The Illinois Army National Guard displayed two armored personnel carriers at the local county fair, each equipped with VHF-FM and HF-SSB transceivers.

In addition to a tuning control (VFO), the VHF-FM radio had a set of channel select pushbuttons, much like those in a car radio. I asked a guardsman a few questions about the radio, and he demonstrated the channel preset feature. A panel above the channel pushbuttons was labeled with the frequencies: 32.055, 34.45, 35.35, 40.55, and 40.60 MHz.

- An Army National Guard UH1 helicopter was displayed at the Marseilles armory "open house". The public was

permitted to climb aboard, and observe the instrumentation and radio gear. A channel plate on the instrument cluster listed over a dozen frequencies.

Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement. In New Jersey, a radio technician/hobbyist called to service a transmitter in a county building, noticed a new unattended repeater installation in the same room. Being curious about what frequency this repeater was on, he opened the access door to copy the frequencies from the radio's crystals. It turns out that this radio belonged to the US Secret Service, and opening the access door could have activated a "tamper alarm"!

The tech was skating on thin ice. He had nobody's permission to tamper with that equipment.

Another source of frequency information is as close as your nearest Radio Shack store. Some Radio Shack stores make a local frequency list available to assist their scanner customers. Be sure to ask. Stores located in shopping malls almost always know the mall security frequencies. I often check the frequencies programmed into the floor model scanners, too.

Examine the Antenna to Determine Frequency Band

You can often determine a transmitter's frequency band by the size and type of antenna used.

The Police Call Plus book contains sketches of antennas. Antenna catalogs are crammed full with antenna pictures and specifications and they are usually free. Contact Antenna Specialists (216-349-8400), Cushcraft (603-627-7877), Tessco (800-472-7373), Maxrad, Larsen Electronics (800-426-1656), and other companies in the land mobile equipment business.

Equipment to Determine Frequency Usage

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. Some models, including the Radio Shack PRO-2035, ICOM R7000/R7100, Bearcat 2500XLT, and Bearcat 250, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and

store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, another spectrum analyzer connected to a receiver IF stage, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

How Can I Determine To Whom I'm Listening? - An Example

While scanning the industrial frequencies in the 150 MHz range, a van driver was overheard communicating with "base" while driving around my town. The stations involved never used FCC call signs -- this would have made life a lot easier for me, and legal for them! (one may use FCC license microfiche, described earlier, to identify stations using call letters.) Transmissions were short and infrequent, so it was decided to tape record all transmissions on this frequency for several days to determine the station's identity.

During daylight hours, a modified Regency K500 scanner was left tuned to the target frequency, connected to a cheap tape recorder through a home built interface. Using a carrier operated relay, the tape interface supplied power to the recorder only during radio transmissions, so a day's worth of traffic could be compressed into a 45 minute tape.

Each day, the tape was played back and notes on names, locations, and activities mentioned during the day's transmissions were taken. The van driver appeared to be making daily stops at a local bank and two shopping malls. A Walgreen's store seemed to be the only stop at one mall. A few times, "base" ordered the van "back to the Training Center." There were frequent references to "guests checking out", "dropping a guest off", and "instructor[s] missing a class". At times, "base" spoke with "security", who must have been using a walkie-talkie as his signals weren't strong enough to hear.

Was this a hotel? Calls to the three local hotels revealed that none provides shuttle bus service to the shopping malls. A call to the Walgreen's, inquiring about bus service to the store, drew another blank. During my shopping trips, I began to pay closer attention to vans with antennas driving through the parking lots.

I was leaving the mall one day, when a week's effort paid off. A maroon and white van, equipped with a VHF-Hi

antenna, was dropping shoppers off at Walgreen's. A sign on the van's door read:

XYZ Central Training Center (XYZ is a pseudonym for the actual licensee name.)
Lisle, Illinois

I watched the driver pick up a microphone, and listened to him on my portable scanner checking back with his "base".

All the pieces fit: the "guests", the "classes", the "instructors". Mystery solved; I had been monitoring the customer training center for a large computer manufacturer. The training center has hotel rooms and dining facilities to accommodate students from out of state. As a convenience, shuttle van service is provided to local shopping malls.

Summary

Through books, government records, and radio clubs, scanner listeners can make use of frequency information compiled by others. Two-way radio users often fail to identify their transmissions properly, making it more difficult for listeners to know who they are monitoring. By examining radio equipment labeling, and monitoring and taping transmissions, scanner enthusiasts can unearth new information.

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Abstract

This article contains product review summaries for more than 70 old and new scanner radios and monitor receivers.

The author writes a monthly "Scanner Equipment" column for Monitoring Times magazine, published by Grove Enterprises, but views expressed in this article are his own.

Introduction

At last count, there were over 140 scanners and monitor receivers of various brands in my collection. This article describes a few of the FM receivers in my collection, and other models I've tested. It is not meant to be complete.

For more information about old scanners, see:

1. "Confessions of a Scanner Collector," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, August 1988.

2. "Scanner Collector Primer," by Bob Parnass, Monitoring Times, May 1995.

I have published full length reviews and modifications of these scanner models in Monitoring Times magazine:

Mar 1986 - Uniden/Bearcat BC800XLT
Mar 1987 - Radio Shack PRO-2004

Oct 1990 - Radio Shack PRO-2006
Jan 1995 - Radio Shack PRO-2035 vs. Radio Shack PRO-2006
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Nov 1995 - selected AOR AR-8000 measurements
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Feb 1996 - Radio Shack PRO-2042
Apr 1996 - Uniden/Bearcat BC220XLT, BC230XLT Portable
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Mar 1997 - ICOM IC-R10
Apr 1997 - RELM HS-200 portable
May 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BCT7 virtual downconversion mod.
Jul 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC235XLT portable Trunktracker
Aug 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-64 portable
Sep 1997 - Stridsberg Engineering receiver multicoupler,
G/Wiz board for EDACS trunked scanning
Oct 1997 - Radio Shack PRO-67
Nov 1997 - Sporty's JD-100 Air Scan
Dec 1997 - Uniden/Bearcat BC895XLT Trunktracker
Mar 1998 - RELM MS-200 mobile
Apr 1998 - RCA RP-6150 portable
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Jun 1998 - Opto DC442 CTCSS/DCS/DTMF display
Aug 1998 - Sony SC1PC portable

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AOR

AR2700: 1995 vintage. 500 channel portable covering 500 kHz to 1300 MHz. Lots of good features, e.g., 10 linkable search banks, lighted keypad, per-channel attenuator, S-meter, battery meter, optional voice recorder and speech inversion descrambler. Global rescan and pause delays, but no auto store, data skip, nor battery saver. Internally

generated noise results in broad birdies on AR2700 tested. Insensitive carrier operated (vs. noise operated) squelch stays closed on signals unless they are moderately strong, causing scanner to skip transmissions of interest. IFs are 287.55/749.25, 58.05, 10.7/0.455 MHz. See "The AOR AR-2700 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October and November 1995.

AR5000: 1996 vintage. approx. 30 kHz - 2600 MHz coverage super receiver. Good sensitivity throughout. AM, SSB, CW, FM detectors. Frequency readout to 1 Hz. More features than any other radio. DTMF reader and RS-232 interface included. Multiple settings for IF and AF selectivity, attenuator, AGC, deemphasis, etc. DB9 RS232C connector. Negatives include low contrast LCD display and difficult user interface. NFM squelch closes slowly, causing noise burst at end of each NFM transmission. Electromechanical relays click at various frequency boundaries, including 400 MHz, producing a clickety-clack noise -- annoying while scanning banks of mixed band frequencies. Great radio, otherwise. See "AOR's AR5000 All-in-One Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, December 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

ICOM

R-10: late 1996 vintage (serial number 01048 tested). Shirt pocket size multimode is powered by 4 AA penlight cells. Covers 0.5 to 1300 MHz (minus cellular). NFM, WFM, USB, LSB, AM, and CW detectors included. IF bandwidths are fixed. No 30 kHz bandwidth for satellite or FM military monitoring. Battery saver circuit, with selectable duty cycle. Single VFO and 1000 memory channels. There are 900 memory channels divided into 18 banks of 50 channels each. Another bank of 100 channels used to hold unique frequencies found during an auto store operation. 20 pairs of search limits. Up to 100 frequencies may be locked out during a search and stored in a final bank of 100 channels which is cleared before subsequent auto store searches. Each channel can be programmed with the detector mode (e.g., AM, USB), a tuning step size, an attenuator enable flag, and an 8 character label. CI-V computer interface requires extra cost hardware. 7 segment S-meter. Noise blanker. Good sensitivity. Lighted keypad and display, but keystroke sequences are cumbersome.

Good radio hardware in a handy sized package, but scanning performance unimpressive. Very slow memory scanning at only 6 channels/second. Searches at about 16 steps/second, with little or no worthwhile improvement using the "Signal Navigator" feature in the R10 I tested. Rescan delay cannot

be disabled. Can only scan one memory bank or all banks, not a combination of banks. No squelch for SSB or CW modes. See "ICOM IC-R10 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1997, for review which includes quantitative test results.

R-7000: 1986 vintage. At about $1000, this was once the top VHF/UHF receiver. 99 channel, multi mode coverage from 25-2000 MHz with a small gap at 1000-1025 MHz. Memory can be expanded to 198 channels by adding simple switch to pin 19 of memory IC8. Tuning knob lets you tune through parts of the spectrum much easier than using the SEARCH mode on conventional scanners. Selectable USB/LSB allows reception of new amplitude compandored sideband (ACSB) stations. S-meter doubles as discriminator meter to aid tuning. Useful search and store feature, reminiscent of the the Bearcat 250, searches between 2 limits and automatically stores new frequencies into channels 80-99. Audio and control interface for tape recorder. Noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Searches and scans slowly but can be sped up to about 12 cps by adding a resistor. Too big for permanent mobile use, but too nice to leave alone in the car. If you don't want to spend $1000, get a Radio Shack PRO-2004/5/6 instead.

R-7100: 1992 vintage. At about $1300, this is the Cadillac of VHF/UHF receivers. 900 channel, multi mode continuous coverage from 25-2000 MHz. The radio RF/IF/AF portions of the R7100 are similar to the older R7000, but the R7100 is constructed using surface mount parts. Both the R7000 and R7100 are much more immune to intermod than the Uniden/Bearcat 760XLT and the portable PRO-43. The firmware in the R7100 is much more sophisticated. 9 banks of 100 channels. Further, you can associate each channel with 1 of 10 groups. Many possible ways to scan. 10 pairs of search limits. Search and store ("memory write") scan mode lets you store 100 frequencies instead of the 20 in R7000. Another R7100 improvement is that you can program up to 100 channels for the R7100 to skip while searching. R7100 has 2 VFOs ("windows"). Both the R7000 and R7100 scan slowly compared with PRO-2004 and PRO-2006, and that's a drawback. Both the R7100 and R7000 employ a noisy relay, activated when the receiver is tuned to frequencies above 520 MHz. Scanning a mixture of VHF and UHF frequencies serenades the ICOM user with a very annoying clickety-clack, clickety-clack! For Baseband Audio out, I mounted an RCA jack on the back of the R7100A and connected it via shielded cable to the junction of resistors R228 and R230 on the Main Unit. This point is located in the vicinity of IC15 and X3 on the schematic.

R8500: 1996 vintage. 100 kHz - 2000 MHz coverage. 20 banks of 40 channels although bank sizes can be changed. 100 Auto store and 100 Skip memories but that can be increased by reallocating channels from the conventional scan banks. Fixed and programmable step sizes. Relays clickey-clack while scanning across band boundaries. Triple conversion, First IF is 48.8, 778.7, or 266.7 MHz, depending on band. Second and third IFs are 10.7 and 0.455 MHz. Weak to moderate cellular images starting near 1106 MHz. Rugged construction. External power supply. DB25 RS232C connector. Audio peak filter. Ok scanning and great searching performance. See "ICOM R8500 Receiver," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, January 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

UNIDEN/BEARCAT AND ELECTRA/BEARCAT

Bearcat III (Electra): 1976 vintage. 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Requires optional front-end circuit board for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands, but only 2 boards can be installed within the radio at the same time. Two crystal filters. No aircraft band coverage nor rescan delay. Front mount speaker sounds good. Strong local oscillator radiation often causes interference with other scanners in the same house.

Bearcat IV (Electra): 8 channel crystal controlled scanner. Newer version of Bearcat III but contains front-end circuitry for VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. Better selectivity than Bearcat III or 12 due to having three instead of two 10.8 MHz IF filters. No aircraft band coverage. Front mount speaker sounds good. No rescan delay.

Bearcat 5 (Electra): 1979 vintage. Eight channel economy base model covering VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. No track tuning. Black plastic cabinet.

Bearcat 6 (Electra): Six channel VHF-low and VHF-high bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 8 (Electra): Eight channel VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands. 117 VAC only. Wood covered particle board cabinet.

Bearcat 12 (Electra): 1979 vintage. One of the last decent crystal controlled scanners. 10 channels. Variable scan speed up to 20 ch/sec. Single delay on/off switch. Front mount speaker sounds good. Manual contains schematic. Single conversion, 10.8 MHz IF. Selectivity is poorer than programmable models, like the 300, allowing adjacent channel interference. Covers VHF-low, VHF-high, and UHF bands but no aircraft band coverage. Crystal positions must be

arranged by band.

Bearcat 15 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Actually made for Electra by competitor GRE (General Research Electronics). The only Bearcat crystal controlled base/mobile scanner offering 118 - 136 MHz AM aircraft band. 10 channels.

BC101 (Electra): 1975 vintage. First Bearcat synthesized unit. 16 channels, no priority. Frequency programmed in binary by setting toggle switches on front panel after looking up code in code book. No frequency readout. Uses custom IC for CPU, now discontinued, so factory authorized service is no longer available. I have four of these units. DC operation requires optional mobile power supply.

BC100 (Electra): First programmable portable scanner. Be prepared for at least one repair in the first year. Early units, with threaded antenna connector, have high frequency of repair, particularly LCD readout, keyboard, and battery holder. No battery backup. Poor case design in early units caused battery to disconnect from radio, resetting microprocessor and clearing memories. No priority channel or aircraft band. Some people swear by the BC100, others swear at them.

BC100XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Very good 100 channel portable with 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Generous coverage of conventional bands, including commercial aircraft, but no 800 MHz. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on 550 mAH NiCd battery pack.

BC200XLT (Uniden): 1987 vintage. Also sold as BC205XLT through Scanner World. Very good 200 channel version of BC100XLT portable scanner but includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. Decent leather-like case. Slide-on NiCd battery pack.

BC210 (Electra): 1979 vintage. First Bearcat scanner with a keyboard and numeric display. LED readout. See US patents 4,092,594, granted 5/30/78 and 4,114,103, granted 9/12/78 for further insight.

BC220 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 20 channels. Reasonable number of features but 20 channels doesn't seem enough. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC220XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Very good 200 portable scanner which is a smaller successor to the BC200XLT. Includes 800 MHz band. 10 priority channels. Service

Search, including WX. Up to 10 frequencies can be locked out during conventional search, 20 frequencies from Service Search. Unique feature tells whether a given frequency has already been memorized. 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs, with images 21.6 MHz away. 4 cell BP-120 internal NiCd battery pack. Marketed as BC230XLT with two BP-120 battery packs and CRX-120 dual charger. See "The BC220XLT/BC230XLT Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1996.

BC20/20 (Electra): 1981 vintage. Similar to BC220 but with 40 channels and different CPU circuitry. A maximum of 20 channels can be scanned at one time. Reasonable number of features. Service Search for Marine and Aircraft. LED readout. Good scanner, but tinny audio.

BC230XLT (Uniden): See BC220XLT.

BC235XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Portable with 300 channels in 10 banks. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Very fast scan and search rates. Scans 64 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Service search. Data skip. Triple conversion, 254.4, 10.85, 0.45 MHz IFs. Excellent image rejection and intermod immunity. Fairly good audio. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC235XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, July 1997 or an on-line version at http://www.grove-ent.com for a review which includes quantitative test results.

BC250 (Electra): 1976 vintage. 50 channel model, rich in features, but lacks aircraft band and 144-146 MHz. Search and Store feature extremely useful for finding federal frequencies. Clock. High frequency of repair. Power transistors not heat sinked adequately, causing heat damage to surrounding components and circuit board. Failure of Q204 on the feature board known to cause odd display readings. Digital circuitry very sensitive to glitches caused by static and AC line spikes. Avoid 1978 or earlier vintage units. All BC250s use custom ICs (e.g., IC6, a divider chip, mfd. by Exar), which are now discontinued, so factory service is no longer available from Uniden.

BC260 (Electra): 1983 vintage. Super heavy duty metal cabinetry and lit controls, aimed at mobile use for firemen, police, etc. Few frills, only 16 channels, no aircraft, but generous coverage of federal bands omitted in the older

Bearcat scanners. Good sensitivity. Lots of audio. Good internal construction. Backlit keyboard allows operation in the dark, but the keyboards on some units require high pressure to operate. Brightness control for display and keyboard, but multiplexor circuitry for vacuum fluorescent display produces audible whine which may be annoying in a quiet room. Backlighting may fail in some units due to poor contact on connector used to fasten light panel to front circuit board. 9 volt regulator transistor Q28 (TIP29) may fail, causing blank display while leaving audio intact. Method of connecting an external speaker is awkward.

BC300 (Electra): 1979 vintage. 50 channel top of the line scanner. Service Search feature contains 11 ROM banks of preprogrammed channels See US patent 4,270,217, granted May 26, 1981. Switching power supply failure noted in early units due to insufficient capacitance - component value was changed in newer units. Schematics show at least 100 components changed between earliest and later units. Preset squelch pot, mounted internally on circuit board, misadjusted in new units - adjustment usually required after burn-in period. Good sensitivity. Built in clock. I leave it on 24 hours a day. This is a favorite. See US patent 4,409,688, granted 11/11/83 for further insight.

BC350 (Electra): 1981 vintage. 50 channels in 5 banks. Includes aircraft. Used to be Bearcat's top of the line, overpriced scanner but never very popular. Dual use keyboard and display allowed 8 text characters to be associated with each channel, a feature clumsily implemented, and awkward to use. Units plagued with various hardware problems including bad memory ICs and short life power transformers. Firmware bugs without cures. The BC300 is a much better scanner than the BC350, and at a lower price.

BC760XLT (Uniden): Also sold as BC950XLT through Scanner World. Small, mobile scanner supplied with mounting bracket and wall wart AC power supply. Some of the keys are backlit. 100 channels in 5 banks. Service search. Earlier version has Motorola type antenna jack and AA battery backup. Later version has BNC antenna jack and internal lithium battery. Can be fitted with optional CTCSS decoder. Hyper sensitive and easily overloaded by strong signals, especially when used with outdoor antenna in base applications. Conventional 10.8 MHz IF prone to images. Television audio heard in some places.

BC800XLT (Uniden): 1985 vintage. 40 channels in two banks. Covers 806-912 MHz, as well as of vhf, uhf, and aircraft bands. Receives 10 meter fm and all of 6 meters, as well as

federal portions of vhf and uhf bands. Fewer birdies on vhf-lo band than other scanners. Scans and searches very fast. Clean, robust audio output. Extremely sensitive, but very prone to overload by strong signals when connected to outdoor antenna. Too much play (hysteresis) in squelch adjustment - can be improved by changing one resistor. Positive terminal in memory backup battery holder installed backwards in early units, allowing memory loss when scanner unplugged from AC outlet. Tunes in increments of 12.5 KHz on 800 MHz band, whereas cellular telephones are on 30 KHz channels. See "The Bearcat 800XLT ... an Owner's Report," by Bob Parnass, in Monitoring Times, March 1986.

BC860XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. 100 channel table top unit. Can lock out 10 channels during search. Good performer except for images. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC860XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, May 1995.

BC890XLT (Uniden): Same as Radio Shack PRO-2036. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Scans and searches fast. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IF -- lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

BC895XLT TrunkTracker(Uniden): 1997 vintage. Base with 300 channels in 10 banks. Covers military air band, but other frequency coverage is limited compared with the BC9000XLT. Predetermined AM and NFM modes not selectable. Can scan or search in conventional or trunked domains but not at the same time. Scans Motorola Type I, II, IIa 800 MHz trunked systems, but only one trunked system at a time. Programming Type I and IIa systems requires knowing the Fleet Map ahead of time or else using exhaustive trial and error. Weather alert siren. Built-in CTCSS decoder and tone finder. A query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Test unit scans 85 channels/sec and skips empty channels. Triple conversion, 380.8 or 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz IFs. 800 MHz images in commercial and military air bands attenuated over 35 dB. For technical test results and a review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC895XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1997.

BC9000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. High quality base using up-conversion. 500 channels in twenty banks. Up to 250 channels can be programmed with alpha labels. Tuning knob. Selectable AM, NFM, WFM modes. Optional CTCSS decoder. Very fast scan and search. Can lock out 50 channels during

search. Delay and attenuator independently programmable for each channel. Effective Auto Store feature stores unique frequencies. Good RF section, but not as robust as PRO-2004/5/6. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, 0.455 MHz. One urban user, located within a couple of blocks of several high power transmitters, reports severe desense problems. For a full review, see "The Uniden Bearcat BC9000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1995. For tips and modification information, see my column in June 1996 Monitoring Times. See US patents 4,947,456, granted 8/7/90, 5,163,161, granted 11/10/92 and 5,212,817, granted 5/18/93 for further insights into fast scanning and searching implementation.

BC2500XLT (Uniden): 400 channel portable with tuning knob. Plagued by intermod and images. Early units drained batteries quickly even while turned off.

BC3000XLT (Uniden): 1995 vintage. Excellent 400 channel portable with 20 banks. Up conversion. Very fast scan, search, and intelligent Auto Store. Mode, attenuator, and delay settings programmable for each channel. 50 frequencies can be locked out during search. Larger speaker than PRO-26 produces better, crisper audio. NiCd pack provides about 5 hours between charges. See "The Uniden Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1995 and "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

REGENCY

TMR series: First generation crystal scanners. Come in all varieties of band coverage. Models with both UHF and VHF bands must use separate antennas for each band (disadvantage in mobile installations, but can be overcome by connecting two front ends via a capacitor). Not sensitive enough to cover the entire 30 - 50 MHz range in a single model. There three versions of VHF-low band coverage depending on the part of the 30 - 50 MHz band covered (LL, LM. and LH). TMR scanners use unsocketed incandescent bulbs for channel indicators which require periodic replacement. Easy to crystal: Radio Shack crystals work well. TMRs usually $2 and up at hamfests, often in poor condition. Don't pay more than $50, even if mint. Front ends must be tuned for selected portions within the bands for best sensitivity. Wide IF selectivity troublesome in urban/suburban areas. Primitive digital scanning circuitry may become confused at times. but power off/on restores sanity. Replace aging capacitors in the scanning circuits. You can find a TMR8H eight channel high band unit most often.

TME series: The base versions of the TMR models. Both the TME and TMR models share many common circuits but the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common TME model is the TME8 H/LM eight channel dual band scanner in a metal cabinet with wood coloring.

ACTR series: Replaced the Regency TMR units. By the time Regency made the ACTR units, they no longer offered different models for different parts of the 30 - 50 MHz band. Look for the later ACT series, e.g., ACTR-106 (10 channel tri band) or ACTR20/6 (20 channel tri band), used light emitting diodes for channel indicators instead of incandescent bulbs. Available in 1 to 20 channel models - most are multi band receivers. Somewhat wide selectivity. Not all that bad a deal if cheap.

ACTE series: The base versions of the ACTR series. The ACTE and ACTR circuitry is similar, although the base versions contain speakers mounted on the front panel. The most common ACTE model is the ACTE8 H/L eight channel dual band scanner in a black metal cabinet.

WHAMO-10: Regency's first synthesized scanner. Appearance more like a crystal scanner, with a single LED per channel. User has to break off teeth on a metal 'comb' for each channel according to a code book. See US patent 4,057,760, granted 11/8/77. External frequency control unit DFS-5K optional. UHF VCO reference oscillator drifts on some units. Soldered sheet metal shields around some circuitry make access to some components difficult for servicing. Comb sockets prone to bad connections after moderate use. Not recommended due to maintenance difficulties.

K500: Nice wood-like cabinet. 40 channel model with every feature Regency could dream of in one scanner, except aircraft band. Idle tone bypass feature for mobile phone stations works about 50% of the time. Weather alert feature. Service Search in several banks. Search and Store facility not implemented as well as BC250, but better than none. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Can be programmed out of band. Reasonable performance, but sensitivity could be better. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

K100: Bare bones version of the K500. 10 channels, no priority feature. Same wood-like cabinet and reasonable performance as K500. Spring contacts on membrane keyboard may need soldering after prolonged use.

M400: 30 channel replacement for K500. Service Search, but no aircraft. Easily programmable out of band. Built in clock when radio off or in manual mode. Backlit keyboard good for night viewing and mobile use but generates RFI into nearby

SW receivers. A favorite.

MX3000: 30 channel replacement for M400, but basic features only. Nice lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers. Easily programmable out of band, but no aircraft. All 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Good first scanner.

M100: 10 channel unit. Same as MX3000 except different color and fewer channels. Nicely lit keyboard, but may cause RFI into nearby SW receivers.

HX1000: Good, fairly rugged, 30 channel handheld synthesized unit. Generous out of band coverage but no AM aircraft coverage. Built by Azden. Very sensitive on UHF, but annoying audio hiss leaks through speaker when squelched. Belt clip chintzy, but can be directly replaced with better clip from Kenwood TR2600A. Like the MX3000, all 30 channels are in a single bank, and lack of direct channel access make this model more difficult to operate. Low discount price makes this best choice for programmable portable.

HX650/H604: 6 channel crystal portable. Likely made by Sanyo. Same as Fannon and Bearcat Thin Scan units, (except that Bearcat has 10.8 MHz IF frequency, and is harder to get crystals for), but scans faster. Small size and common crystals (available at Radio Shack), make this 1st choice for bare bones portable scanner.

Z60: base/mobile sporting 60 channels, but 10 of them are for FM broadcast only. Built in alarm clock, priority, and memory which requires no battery backup. Covers 30 - 50, 88 -108, 118-136, 144-174, 440-512 MHz. Notice that it's not spec'd to cover some important federal bands: 136 - 144 and 406 - 440.

RCA

RP-6150: 1997 vintage. No frills, good performing portable. 200 channels in 10 banks. No military aircraft frequency coverage. Triple conversion and a flexible battery arrangement. Lacks duplicate channel detection, search skip, and empty channel lockout features of newer designs. Our sample isn't super sensitive at 470 - 512 MHz and has some intermod around the VHF railroad channels but is generally more resistant to image problems than the BC230XLT. For technical test results and a review, see "The RCA RP-6150 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1998.

RELM

HS200: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel portable. 10 banks. Built-in CTCSS and DCS decoder. Lighted keypad. Duplicate channel detection. 100 frequencies can be locked out from search. Very good audio and strong front end. Excellent internal shielding. Global rescan delay. Covers CB. Fixed modes and step sizes. IFs are 280.2 and 0.45 MHz, and perhaps one in between. See "The RELM HS-200 Portable Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, April 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

MS200: 1998 vintage. Made in USA. 200 channel mobile with alpha labels. CTCSS and DCS decoding squelch. Programmable via PC using supplied software. Low contrast, LCD display. Keypad backlit for night programming. Rear panel tape audio jack. Test unit had lots of intermod on VHF-high band. IFs are 280 and 0.45 MHz. See "The RELM MS-200 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, March 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

RADIO SHACK

PRO-24: 1983 vintage. Only 4 channels in this crystal controlled portable. Covers the three basic bands, but no aircraft. Easy to obtain batteries and crystals. Characteristic Radio Shack squelch problem, fixable by changing one resistor. All-plastic case larger than Bearcat Thin Scan and clones. See "The Radio Shack PRO-24 Scanner," by Bob Parnass, excerpted in the "Technical Topics" column, RCMA Newsletter, February 1984.

PRO-26: 1995 vintage. (Not to be confused with a simple 1985 crystal controlled portable bearing the same model number.) Very good portable made by for Radio Shack by Uniden. 200 channels, very fast scan/search. Good display. Covers all TV channels, but spectrum adjacent to cellular phone band is censored which prevents monitoring parts of some trunked systems (e.g., IL State Police district 4). Up to 50 frequencies can be skipped during search. Limited image rejection causes 929 MHz paging interference in 170 MHz range. IFs are 380.7/254.4, 58.075, and 5.5/0.455 MHz. Audio suffers from small speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-26 vs. Uniden/Bearcat BC3000XLT," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1995.

PRO-30: 16 channel programmable portable with aircraft band. Good frequency coverage. Extra controls on top allow control of SCAN, MANUAL, and PRIORITY functions while worn on belt. Good belt clip. Low audio output. Plastic case prone to break at BNC antenna connector under severe use, vs. metal frame in Regency HX1000. High price, no discounts or sales yet. I had 6 or 7 PRO30s, having to return them several times during the 1 year warranty, although other

owners have had little or no trouble. Troubles included oscillation in IF stage, no UHF band reception, case broken around base of antenna connector, etc.

PRO-34: Portable scanner with 200 channels and 800 MHz coverage. Ten "monitor" channels. Operates from AA cells. Slow scanning, low audio output, and chintzy plastic case detract from an otherwise good performance. No decent leather case available from Radio Shack. If you need a portable with 800 MHz, get a Bearcat 200XLT. If you can't get a 200XLT, get a PRO-34.

PRO-43: Very good portable made by GRE. First Radio Shack portable with up conversion, and 222 MHz ham and 225 - 400 MHz military air band coverage. 200 channels, single search range. Small, convenient size. Muffled audio. Speakers in early units known to fail and more powerful speakers were used in later units. 800 MHz band coverage fully restorable in early units by removing diode. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. IF frequencies are | specified at 608.005 - 611.2 MHz, 48.5 MHz, and 455 kHz.

PRO-52: 8 channel VHF-Lo/Hi base unit. No UHF band or provision for mobile operation. Good little scanner despite limited frequency coverage and Spartan lack of frills. Crisp squelch action and good audio, helped by a front mounted, vertical speaker.

PRO-60: 1995 vintage. Very good portable made by GRE. 200 channels, single search range. Similar features and same IFs as the PRO-43 it replaced but the PRO-60 has wider frequency coverage and crisper audio. Covers 75 MHz and commercial FM broadcast bands. Improved Direct search can be stepped manually in single steps. Uses same 6 cell battery tray as other high end GRE portables. Railfans take note -- the PRO-60 and PRO-43 are subject to interference in 160 - 162 MHz range. Draws 100 mA while scanning. See "The Radio Shack PRO-60 Portable," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, September 1995.

PRO-62: 1994 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Similar to PRO-43 but no military air band, different upper frequency limit, and slightly different IFs. Selectable AM/NFM modes. Better intermod immunity than PRO-43. See "The Radio Shack PRO-62," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1995.

PRO-64: 1997 vintage. Good portable 400 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-62 and has many more features. Selectable AM/NFM modes but fixed step sizes. 10 search banks which can be cascaded. Auto store saves unique

frequencies found during a search. Frequencies can be loaded using a computer but optional interface kit not yet available. Can recharge Radio Shack's optional, monolithic NiCd pack, but not AA cells within the scanner. IFs are 257.5, 21.4, and 0.455 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-64," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-67: 1997 vintage. Good portable 200 channel scanner using up conversion. Replaces PRO-51 and has better image rejection and super fast scanning. Service Search lacks police frequencies. Fixed AM/NFM modes and step sizes. Can lock out up to 20 frequencies during a search. Can recharge AA cells within the scanner. Frequencies adjacent to the cellular phone bands censored so our PRO-67 will not receive 868.9625 or 823.9625 MHz. Intermediate Frequencies are 254.4, 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. See "The Radio Shack PRO-67," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2001: Early, single bank 16 channel programmable. Reasonable coverage of the 3 traditional bands, minus aircraft band. LED digital display as well as an LED per channel. Mechanical lockout switch for each channel. Delay is either on or off for all channels at a time. High synthesizer noise level. Troublesome plated through holes on digital board in some units renders radio virtually unfixable. Could never get mine to work more than a few days in a row; always another bad connection. Some owners have no trouble.

PRO-2003: Radio Shack's 1986 top of line. 50 channels + 10 FM commercial broadcast band channels. Includes aircraft. Good frequency coverage and functionality, but at a high price. Poor human engineering: difficult to read keyboard makes the PRO-2003 hard to operate unless in a well lit room. Keyboard label coloring improved on newer units. Rather slow scan rate and high price. Although there are provisions for 12VDC operation, the cabinet shape and lack of mounting bracket makes mobile operation impractical. Scan rate only 8 channels/sec vs. 15/sec in Regency and Bearcat. Causes RFI: Plastic case permits scanner to radiate signals into nearby receivers.

PRO-2004: 1986 vintage. Top of the line, wide band scanner for 1987. After a diode is cut, enjoy continuous coverage from 25-520 and 760-1300 MHz, AM, NBFM, and WBFM. Has 300 channels in 10 banks of 30, backed up by conventional 9 volt alkaline battery. Any channel can be designated the priority channel. Scans and searches fast. Lots of well designed features, like 10 pairs of search limits, Lockout

Review, default search increment and emission mode. Sound Squelch allows skipping dead carriers during search or scan. Metal cabinet, good internal construction and shielding, but no mobile mounting bracket or DC power cord. Soft touch membrane keyboard. Good sensitivity and selectivity. Very good radio. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2004 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, February 1987, and Monitoring Times, March 1987.

PRO-2005: 1989 vintage. Essentially a size reduced PRO-2004 with surface mount components and 400 channels. Some people think the small knobs, smaller display, and plastic cabinet are a setback from the 2004. The smaller size, real rubber keyboard, and vertical front panel make it easer to use mobile, although the keyboard is not backlit. More sensitive than the PRO-2004 but 800 MHz signals leak through into the commercial aero band. Highly recommended. See "Product Review: The Radio Shack PRO-2005 Programmable Scanner," by Bob Parnass AJ9S, in The Radio Enthusiast, June 1989, and RCMA Journal, August 1989.

PRO-2006: 1990 vintage. Essentially the same as PRO-2005 but scans faster. Probably the best scanner made to date. Highly recommended. See "The Realistic PRO-2006," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1990.

PRO-2021: Base/mobile scanner. 200 channels in 10 banks, LCD display and raised rubber keys. Lots of memory but scans too slowly and lacks 800 MHz. Ten "monitor" channels. Radio Shack seemed to have an overstock of 2021s as they were on sale for such a long time. Close out price dipped to about $200, which made it a nice scanner for beginners.

PRO-2022: Base/mobile scanner. Like the PRO-2021 but includes the 800 MHz band. Somewhat prone to intermod in the 460 MHz range. Cellular images throughout the 847.6 - 869 MHz range. See September 1996 Monitoring Times for modifications.

PRO-2035: 1995 vintage wide coverage base made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Poor dynamic range. 10 linkable search banks. Dumb Auto Store feature stores the same frequencies over and over. Wastes time scanning empty channels. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2035 - How Does It Compare With the PRO-2006?," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, January 1995.

PRO-2036: Same as Uniden/Bearcat BC890XLT. Tuning knob. 200 channels, global delay. Scans and searches fast. Count, AUX, and Auto Store features. Accepts optional CTCSS board. Dual conversion with 10.8 MHz and 450 kHz IFs --

lots of images and birdies. Prone to severe intermod, especially when used with an outdoor antenna. See "The Uniden BC-890XLT and Radio Shack PRO-2036," by Bob Parnass, in June 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2037: 1994 vintage. Triple conversion all plastic base scanner made by GRE. Home version of the PRO-62 portable but with more intermod. 200 channels in 10 banks, one search bank, selectable AM and FM. Uses up conversion circuitry but inadequate front end filtering still allows images, though not as bad as in 10.7 or 10.8 MHz IF circuits. Crisp, respectable audio given the top mounted speaker. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2037," by Bob Parnass, in July 1995 Monitoring Times.

PRO-2040: late 1995 vintage 100 channel base made by Uniden. Fair performance, but minimal image rejection. Local oscillator harmonics account for spurious responses, e.g., reception of cellular telephone calls in the 460 MHz UHF-high band. Scans over 40 channels/sec. Can lock out up to 50 channels from search. "Soft" on/off power switching via keypad. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2040," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, December 1995.

PRO-2042: 1996 version of the wide coverage PRO-2035 base with improved firmware and amber display. Made by GRE. 1,000 channels, but cumbersome 100 channel bank size. Tuning knob. NFM selectivity is still a problem but improved over PRO-2035. 10 linkable search banks. Smart Auto Store feature stores the unique frequencies. Can lock out up to 200 frequencies from search. Query facility indicates if and in what channel a frequency is programmed. Scan skips over empty channels automatically. Can sort memories by frequency within a given bank. IFs are 609 - 612, 58.05, and 10.7/0.455 MHz. Broader IF selectivity than PRO-2006. Overall, a top grade scanner and second only to Uniden/Bearcat BC9000XLT. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2042," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1996.

PRO-2045: 1996 vintage. Very good 200 channel base/mobile made for Radio Shack by Uniden. Tuning/channel selector knob. 10 banks, selectable attenuator, and rescan delay. CTCSS-capable with optional board. Great Auto Store. Weather alert. Scans and searches fast. Can lock out 50 frequencies during search. Step sizes fixed but AM and NFM modes are selectable. IFs are 380.7, 10.7, and 0.455 MHz. Images on VHF-high band despite high 1st IF. Some intermod on review unit. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2045," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, February 1997, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2046: 1996 vintage 100 channel mobile made by Uniden with fairly good performance. Descendent of the BC760XLT but no CTCSS option available. Ten banks of ten channels. Scans memory at about 34 channels/sec. Service search, direct search, and band search. Preset search limits by band and user cannot program the search limits. Image rejection is minimal, as one would expect from a scanner with IFs of 10.85 and 0.450 MHz. 10 Monitor memory channels. Can lock out up to 20 channels from a search. See "The Radio Shack PRO-2046," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, October 1996, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

PRO-2050: 1998 vintage 300 channel Motorola trunk system tracking base made by Uniden. Tight front end. Excellent performance. Chassis-less, plastic construction. Squelch and volume knobs too close and Manual key is hard to find. IFs are 380.7 (approx.), 10.85, and 0.45 MHz. AM and NFM modes are factory set and not selectable. 300 channels in 10 banks and a 2 second rescan delay may be programmed on a per channel basis. Query feature identifies duplicate memory channels. Our PRO-2050 scans at 78 channels/sec., skipping over empty channels. 10 priority channels. Up to 50 frequencies may be locked out from limit search. A single pair of limits may be programmed for a limit search. No Direct key or direct search facility. Factory preprogrammed frequencies for police, fire/emergency, commercial air, public service, and weather, but not marine. See May 1998 Monitoring Times for a review which includes quantitative test results.

SONY

SC1PC: 1998 vintage. Good RF and audio performance. Covers 25 - 1300 MHz, minus cellular phone. Selectable step size and mode. Computer control and downloading with software and PC cable provided. Powered by ordinary AA batteries. Provided CDROM includes both the scanner control program and the multi million record PerCon FCC license database. 10 banks ("pages" in SONY parlance) of 30 channels each. Per-channel 2 second rescan delay. Unlike the ICOM IC-R10, you can scan any combination of memory banks. You can lock out ("skip") memory channels from scanning. The frequency stored in a skipped channel will also be skipped during searches. One priority channel checked every 5 seconds. SONY's limit search is restricted to one pair of search limits, though computer control expands this to 20 linkable pairs. Band search lets you search through 17 bands programmed at the factory. Service search. A cache, termed Intelligent Memory, stores the last 10 unique frequencies that were active for longer than 5 seconds each. IFs (in | MHz) are 600 (below 370 MHz), 232.5 (above 370 MHz), 45.0, |

and 0.455. See "The SONY SC1PC," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, August 1998, for a review which includes quantitative test results.

SPORTYS

JD-100: 1997 vintage. Limited 20 channel scanner which covers civil and military air bands only. Good audio. Large display shows frequency only out to 2 digits. Slow scanning and odd keystroke sequences. No key press confirmation beep. Cannot lock out channels from memory scan. Powered by AA batteries. Battery saver circuit. See "Sportys JD-100 Air Scan," by Bob Parnass, AJ9S, in Monitoring Times, November 1997.

CRAIG (division of PIONEER)

4530: Japanese 10 channel crystal controlled 3 band unit. Also available under Plectron name but in different cabinet. No aircraft band. Deluxe features like priority, trimmer capacitors for netting each channel, front panel speaker, and rugged metal cabinet make this unit a winner. Channel lockout slide switches have finite life. Replacing burned out incandescent channel lamps not fun. Grab a 4530 if you find one in good condition.

SONAR

Sonar made several crystal controlled scanners and channelized monitor receivers which shared the same RF circuitry. Each radio was housed in the same size metal case and worked on both 120 VAC and 12 VDC. The models differed in the number of channels, the band coverage, and whether individual channels could be locked out.

Although they used a 10.7 MHz first IF, Sonar radios require parallel resonant crystals different from the common series resonant crystals used in Regency and Radio Shack scanners. Some Radio Shack crystals will work in Sonar units, but more often they oscillate a few kHz off frequency and are unsuitable unless changes are made to the oscillator circuitry. Therefore, beginners should avoid these radios. Typical Sonar squelch has long time constant causing a long noise burst at the end of each transmission.

FR-104, FR-105: 6 channel monitor receivers covering 25 - 50 MHz or 150 - 175 MHz. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning. Early models are identified by an 11 pin connector on the rear and they could be used with an optional NiCd battery pack and charger which bolted to the rear panel. Later models used Cinch Jones connectors with flat contacts. Optional tone decoder board.

FR-2512, FR-2513: 24 channel versions of the FR-104 and FR-105 monitor receivers. Manual channel selection, i.e., no scanning.

FR-2514, FR-2515: 8 channel scanners. Channel 1 priority. Recommend you avoid these models as there is no way to lockout a channel from the scan sequence.

FR-2526, FR-2526, FR-2528: 10 channel scanners covering various combinations of 3 bands. Each channel could be locked out. Channel 1 priority.

Sonar Model	#chan-nels	VHF low	VHF high	UHF scans?	lock-outs?
FR104	6	X		no	
FR105	6	X		no	
FR2512	24	X		no	
FR2513	24	X		no	
FR2514	8	X		yes	no
FR2515	8	X		yes	no
FR2516	10	X		yes	yes
FR2517	10	X		yes	yes
FR2525	10	X		yes	yes
FR2526	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2527	10	X	X	yes	yes
FR2528	10	X	X	yes	yes

Table 1. Summary of Sonar base/mobile monitor and scanner receivers

TENNELEC

Manufactured the first synthesized scanners. See US patents 3,961,261 and 3,962,644, granted 6/1/76 and 6/8/76 respectively. Company went out of business several years ago. Schematics and parts difficult to obtain. Radios reputed to be poor performers. Got my MS-2 and MCP-1 basket cases for free and sometimes regret taking them. Not worth fixing unless you have access to DTL/RTL chips and circuit diagrams.

Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their transistor Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by portable pagers, and are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola Alert crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a

task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. These radios are fixed channel units and do not scan. They can be powered form 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord.

The audio quality on a Plectron P1 or 700 series is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity and intermod immunity is outstanding if aligned properly. Better image rejection than most scanners (see article by Bob Parnass in Monitoring Times, January 1996 for comparison). The Plectron 500 series is less desirable. The Motorola Alert monitors are pretty good, although the audio lacks bass.

No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, and there were versions optimized for each portion of the band. There were different "split" models to cover segments of VHF-hi band, too. Although UHF versions were made, they are somewhat rare.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency. Too, the P1 and R700 require different crystals.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

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This introduction is intended for people new to the
scanning hobby and is oriented to scanning in the USA.
High level overviews of the following topics are presented:

Why Scanning?
Is Scanning Legal?
What Scanner Should I Buy?
What is a CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature?
How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?
Scanner Antennas
Coaxial Cable Feedlines
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Why Scanning?

Every day and night, scanner hobbyists are entertained by
what they overhear on their radios. Police cars, fire
engines, ambulances, airplanes, armored cars, trains,

taxis, and buses are all equipped with radios and you can listen to them. You can monitor the local sheriff and fire departments to hear about events "as they happen," before the news reporters hear about them. Hostage dramas, bank robberies, car crashes, chemical spills, neighbor and domestic disputes, tornado sightings are all fair game. In a single afternoon, you can hear a high speed police chase, Drug Enforcement agents on a sting operation, and undercover FBI agents as they stakeout a suspect.

How about listening to a presidential candidate discuss strategy with his advisor from a 415 MHz radiophone in Air Force 1, or a team of G-men protect him while transmitting in the 167 MHz range?

Baby monitor intercoms are actually transmitters and you can hear them between 49.67 and 49.99 MHz.

Stay ahead of road conditions by listening to highway road crews, snow plows, and traffic helicopter pilots. Many midwesterners monitor the state police and and county sheriff to learn of approaching tornados long before warnings are broadcast on TV and commercial radio. Take your scanner to sporting events and listen to race car drivers, football coaches, etc., in the 151, 154, and 468 MHz ranges.

Monitor the everyday hustle and bustle of businesses, from cable TV repair crews tracking down pirate descrambler boxes, to security guards at your nuclear power plant or mall security guards chasing a shoplifter.

Is Scanning Legal?

In the United States, scanning from your home or at work is perfectly legal in most situations. The Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 made it illegal to listen to mobile phones, common carrier paging, and a few other types of communication. Public law 103-414, signed Oct. 25, 1994, amended the law (Title 18 USC, Part I, chapter 119, sections 25110 and 2511) and outlaws listening to cordless phones, too, but many scanners cover these frequencies.

It is illegal for companies to sell or import into the USA recently manufactured scanners which cover or can be easily modified to cover the cellular phone frequencies, but sales by private individuals will still be allowed.

The rules define "readily altered by the user" as "clipping the leads of, or installing, a simple component such as a diode, resistor and/or jumper wire; replacing a plug-in semiconductor chip; or programming a semiconductor chip

using special access codes or an external device, such as a personal computer."

Speaking of privacy, federal law also requires you to keep what you hear to yourself and not use the information you hear on your scanner for personal gain.

Be aware that several states have laws pertaining to scanning while in your car. Indiana restricts some portable scanners. A few states have enacted their own laws against listening to cordless phones. You can find out about these restrictions in a paperback book, Listeners Lawbook, compiled by Frank Terranella, Esq. available for $9.95 + shipping from Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902.

What Scanner Should I Buy?

Radio Shack and Uniden (maker of Bearcat, Regency, and Cobra brands) offer a wide choice of scanners. Radio Shack scanners are actually manufactured by both GRE (General Research Electronics) and by Uniden. Personally, I don't recommend Trident nor many of the AOR brand scanners, although the AR8000 and AR3000 have good reputations and the AR5000 works well.

Programmable (synthesized) units have replaced crystal controlled models as they don't require crystals and usually have a keypad that permits you to store frequencies into channels. Programmables are now so cheap it doesn't make sense to buy a crystal unit as your main scanner unless you get it for under $45 or so.

You can get a battery operated hand held scanner, a bigger "base" scanner which is powered from an AC outlet, or a mobile scanner which connects to your auto's electrical system. There are tradeoffs -- base and mobile scanners have larger displays and almost always provide more audio than portables, and some portables are more prone to interference when connected to outdoor antennas than base models. But when severe weather knocks out the power in your home, there's nothing like having a battery operated scanner to monitor the power utility and police frequencies!

Make sure your first scanner has a "search" feature, which allows it to search all the frequencies between two frequency limits of your choosing. Beware of low cost programmables which can't search. Some of the newer models, like the Uniden SportCat and Radio Shack PRO-2046, allow searching between limits, but the limits are factory programmed and cannot be altered.

Get a model which covers the 800 MHz band. Usage of the 800 - 950 MHz band is growing fast and you will miss out on the action unless your scanner covers this band.

If you're not sure whether you'll like scanning, don't want to spend much money, a 50 channel scanner will do. In general, the more channels and banks, the better.

Most of the action takes place on frequencies between 30 and 1000 MHz, so don't be misled by scanner models boasting coverage from 3 to 2000 MHz. There's currently not much to monitor in the 1000 - 2000 MHz range.

If you are interested in receiving short wave, that is, signals in the 3 - 30 MHz range, it's best to get a short wave radio specifically designed for that purpose. Although some scanners receive the short wave band, their performance in that range is often second rate. The $2000 Icom R8500 and AOR AR5000 models are exceptions.

Deluxe scanners can be controlled and/or downloaded by a personal computer, a feature which appeals to a small but growing number of scanner owners.

Almost all low and mid-priced scanners are prone to receiving images -- receiving the same signal erroneously on two or more frequencies. With a few exceptions, images are unwelcome due to the interference they cause, e.g., hearing aircraft transmissions while the scanner is tuned to the local police frequency. Premium quality scanners use "up conversion" circuitry, a scheme which greatly reduces, but does not eliminate, image reception.

Currently, the more popular scanners include the discontinued Radio Shack PRO-2006 base/mobiles, the Uniden/Bearcat BC200XLT (a/k/a BC205XLT), BC220XLT, BC230XLT, and Radio Shack PRO-43 and PRO-60 portables. A number of owners report problems with the Icom R1 portable and the older Uniden/Bearcat 8500XLT base and 2500XLT portable. The Uniden BC9000XLT base and BC3000XLT portable work very well and are my current favorites.

Looking for value? At $180 discount price, the 100 channel Uniden/Bearcat BC860XLT base is a good value and available at most Wal-Mart stores. The RELM HS200 portable performs very well is an excellent value at its $250 street price.

Considered by many as the best scanner ever made, the 400 channel Radio Shack PRO-2006 was replaced by the 1000 channel PRO-2035, which was replaced by the PRO-2042. The portable Radio Shack PRO-64 and PRO-60 are good performers. All five models employ up conversion and are made for Radio Shack by GRE (General Research Electronics).

CTCSS and DCS Tone Squelch Feature

Upscale scanners can be optioned with a subaudible tone decoding squelch circuit. There are two types: CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) and DCS (Digital Coded Squelch). In simple terms, this feature lets your scanner ignore signals you don't want to hear.

Most land mobile two way radios, except trunked systems, transmit either CTCSS or DCS signals subaudibly along with the voice information. U.S. military field radios employ wider deviation and a 150 Hz CTCSS tone, not supported by most scanners or CTCSS decoders.

There are over 40 different CTCSS codes and you can program a specific CTCSS or DCS code into each memory channel. Using a CTCSS or DCS decoder permits your scanner to open the squelch only if the transmission has a code which matches the code you program.

CTCSS and DCS decoding offers several advantages:

1. Ignore unwanted signals on shared frequencies: It is common for several users to share the same frequency, e.g., my county sheriff uses the same frequency as Chicago Police, located about 60 miles away. I want to hear my sheriff's transmissions but don't want the scanner to stop on or listen to Chicago Police transmissions. This is especially a problem when radio propagation is good, e.g., during a "band opening," when reception range is temporarily increased.

2. Combat intermodulation interference: Helps keep out intermod and image interference from strong pagers and other signals which are not transmitted with a matching code.

3. Ignore scrambled transmissions: Many federal law enforcement agencies (FBI, Secret Service, etc) and some local police agencies employ digital voice scrambling, which sounds like white noise and is annoying to hear. The CTCSS or DCS code is sent only when the station is transmitting unscrambled, or "in the clear." You can program federal frequencies along with the proper code into your decoder-equipped scanner so you won't have to listen to the scrambled mess and only hear their transmissions when they are unscrambled.

CTCSS also goes by various tradenames: Motorola's PL (Private Line), GE's Channel Guard, and RCA's Quiet Channel. Motorola uses the tradename DPL (Digital Private Line) for its digital coded squelch.

How Do I Determine the Proper CTCSS or DCS Code?

There are a few ways to determine the CTCSS or DCS code transmitted by a station:

1. Use an outboard CTCSS/DCS reader which must be attached to the discriminator output circuitry inside the scanner. The reader has an LCD or LED display which indicates the code when a station transmits. I use a CSI model CD-1 Communications Decoder Unit, an an excellent reader which sells new for about $200. (Connect Systems Inc., Ventura, CA, 800-545-1349, www.connectsystems.com).
2. Many of the ScannerMaster guides, as well as scanner club newsletters, print the CTCSS codes used by transmitting stations.
3. On some scanners equipped with the CTCSS squelch, you can program into memory the frequency of interest. Then you "tune" slowly through all the different CTCSS and/or DCS codes until the squelch opens and you hear the dispatcher talking. This is a slow process and the station has to keep transmitting during it.
4. A slow, brute force method is to program the same frequency but a different CTCSS code into several channels and see where your scanner stops.
5. In some cases, I've actually examined the walkie-talkies I want to monitor and found the CTCSS code printed on a label on or inside the radio.

Scanner Antennas

All scanners come with a built in antenna, permitting reception up to about 20 miles or so.

Portable scanners are supplied with a helical (spring shaped) antenna, covered by rubber. The rubberized antennas furnished with current models are too stiff and place stress on the antenna jack. Older scanners to be supplied with more flexible antennas. I prefer these alternative antennas for use with portable scanners:

1. The Icom FA-1433B dual band flex antenna, a thin and very flexible rubber antenna, is slightly longer than a stock heliflex but provides better performance.
2. The Austin Condor is a 12" long rubberized antenna available for about $30. While considerably longer than the stock antenna and the FA-1443B, the Condor is very flexible and provides VHF-high band reception superior to both. It is not designed to cover the VHF-low band, but will allow reception there at least as good as shorter antennas.
3. The "Thin-Stick" is an 18 inch telescoping antenna for extended range. It is made in USA by Smiley Antenna

Co., Inc. and is designed to cover both the 2 meter and 220 MHz bands, but its variable length means it can be adjusted for optimum performance on other bands. What makes the Thin-Stick different from an ordinary telescoping antenna is the spring between the antenna and the connector portions. The spring absorbs most of the impact if the antenna collides with an object. The street price is about $17 and it is available from Amateur Electronic Supply, Milwaukee and other retailers.

Outdoor antennas, like the Channel Master 5094A or Antenna Specialists AV-801 (recently discontinued), can extend reliable reception to 50 miles or more, depending on terrain. If you do use an outdoor antenna, be sure to disconnect and ground it during storms and when not in use to avoid a lightning hazard. Discone and ground plane type antennas can be more prone to cause scanner damage due to static charge buildup because they are not at "DC ground."

Coaxial Cable Feedlines

If your antenna installation requires more than 50 feet of feedline, use RG213/U or high quality RG8/U coaxial cable. RG213/U, e.g., Belden type 8267, has a non-contaminating jacket and will last longer. Each has an outer diameter of about 13/32". Similarly sized Belden 9913 cable and clones have lower attenuation but are difficult to bend, require special connectors, and can accumulate moisture inside because they are hollow.

If you must use a small diameter cable for long runs, use RG6/U. Avoid RG58/U (7/32" OD) due to its losses at high frequencies. RG8/X (1/4" OD) is suitable for short patch cords.

Where Can I Buy A Scanner?

Almost every community has at least one Radio Shack store, and you can find scanners there. Be sure it is on sale, as Radio Shack list prices are high and their scanners are offered at reduced prices by mail order discounters.

Discount chain stores like Wal-Mart, Best Buy, K-Mart, Service Merchandise, and Circuit City sell scanners, but carry just a few models. Department stores, like Sears Roebuck and Montgomery Wards, sometimes offer low end scanners, although at high prices.

The best buys on new scanners are from reputable mail order radio dealers, for example:

- Grove Enterprises, 7540 Highway 64 West, Brasstown, NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200. Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155. Web page is http://www.grove-ent.com

- National Electronics (formerly National Tower Company), PO Box 15417, Shawnee Mission, KS 66215. Telephone (800)762-5049, (913)888-8864. Web page is www.sound.net/~ne/

- The Ham Station, 220 N. Fulton Ave., Evansville, IN 47719-0522. Telephone (800)729-4373, (812)422-0231.

- Scanner World (Albany, NY). Telephone (518)436-9606.

- Amateur Electronics Supply (Milwaukee, WI). Telephone (800)558-0411. Web page is www.aesham.com

Beware of inflated "shipping and handling" charges and be sure to include these when comparison shopping.

Used scanners may be found at hamfests, flea markets, garage sales, or listed in the classified advertisement section of your newspaper.

Modifying Your Scanner

The term "mod" is often used as shorthand for "modification." If you are handy with a soldering iron, you may be interested in modifying ("modding") your scanner to add features or enhance its performance. Be warned this usually voids your warranty and current models are difficult to service due to the small, delicate surface mount components. By federal regulation, new scanner models cannot be easily modified to tune the cellular phone bands.

The term "mod" has been narrowly used by some people to mean a change which permits a scanner to receive cellular phone frequencies. This definition is far too restrictive as there are several ways one could modify a scanner, e.g., changes to improve audio quality, adding an S-meter, expanding the number of channels, changing the earphone jack to accept stereo headphones, etc.

Modification article files can be copied from several ftp sites including the /pub/hamradio/mods directory at:

garfield.catt.ncsu.edu
oak.oakland.edu (IP address 141.210.10.117)

Modification articles posted on Usenet seem to have a life of their own. Frequently, they are plagiarized from the Internet and compiled by book, CDROM, and magazine publishers, sometimes reworded, then sold. Hobbyists then

copy the modifications from the books, CDROMs, and magazines back onto the Internet or BBSs (bulletin board systems)!

Grove Enterprises and other companies advertise a warranted, modification for fee service.

For information on "virtual downconverter" modifications, see Steve Donnell's article in January 1995 RCMA Scanner Journal or February 1996 Monitoring Times. Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available for $3.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises,
7540 Highway 64 West,
Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (828)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

I don't get any part of this reprint fee.

Scanner Repair Shops

Is your scanner broken? Aside from sending the scanner back to the manufacturer for repair, here is one company which repairs scanners:

- G & G Communications (telephone 716-768-8151) - (www.iinc.com/ggcomm or email ggcomm@iinc.com or ggcomm@aol.com) This family owned company repairs scanners and pagers and stocks parts for several older models. G & G cannot usually repair AOR scanners due to lack of manufacturer support. G & G sells and sometimes buys old scanners and parts, too. They are located at 9247 Glenwood Drive, LeRoy, NY 14482.

Repair tips for Bearcat and Radio Shack scanners are discussed in two other FAQ articles.

Where Can I Obtain Frequency Information?

To avoid chaos, the FCC licenses two-way radio users and assigns them specific frequencies. Groups of frequencies are allocated to specific types of users, so you won't usually find fire departments using the same frequencies as taxi drivers, for example.

Scanner enthusiasts can obtain frequency information from several sources, including books, government microfiche records, or other listeners.

Books: The most convenient source of fire, police, and local government frequencies is Gene Hughes' Police Call Plus, published each year in 9 regional volumes by Hollins

Radio Data, and sold at Radio Shack and larger book stores. The newest editions contain abbreviated business listings, too, although callsigns and other details are listed only for local government and public safety licensees.

I also recommend the book, Monitor America, published by SMB Publishing (now known as Scanner Master Publishing), and available from Grove Enterprises for about $30. A 1100 page 3rd edition is now available. Monitor America contains several pages of police, fire, local government, news media, sports, federal government, and commercial broadcast frequencies for all 50 states. It contains detailed communications system profiles and precinct maps for major metropolitan areas. Police and fire radio codes and unit identifiers unique to local agencies are listed for several cities. This differs from Police Call, which gives a more sterile, but uniform treatment of licensees, listing even the smallest of towns.

Uniden has published several regional directories using the "Betty Bearcat" name, although there are much better directories available from Scanner Master (Newton Highlands, MA, tel. (508)655-6300) for some regions.

The most readily available source of sensitive US government frequencies is still Tom Kneitel's Top Secret Registry of US Government Radio Frequencies. Published by CRB Research, the 8th edition is available from Grove Enterprises for about $22. Kneitel's book contains frequency listings for NASA, military, FBI, Secret Service, DEA, IRS, Border Patrol, arsenals, ammunition plants, missile sites, and others in the 25 to 470 MHz range.

Tab Books Master Frequency File, first edition, written by James Tunnell and Robert Kelty, lists federal agencies and frequencies and deserves a read. However, there are no military listings and many pages are devoted to appendices and references which contain no frequency listings. The space would be much better used by a combined federal frequency list sorted by frequency.

Commercial Magazines: Although national in circulation, local frequency information is sometimes available in Grove's Monitoring Times (tel. 828-837-9200, www.grove.net) and the sensationalistic Popular Communications, (tel. 516-681-2922). National Scanning (NatScan) is a national scanner magazine published bimonthly and is affiliated with Uniden's Bearcat Radio Club. Early issues disappointed experienced scanner hobbyists, but it now has a good column on scanner modifications and has greatly improved its coverage of east coast frequencies since merging with NESN (North East Scanner News). The best scanner frequency

lists are often found in club publications, not commercial magazines, and are discussed later.

Government Records: Every year, the US Government sells FCC license information, in the form of microfiche, floppy disk, and magnetic tape, to the public through the US Department of Commerce National Technical Information Service (NTIS). The high cost of buying government records limits their appeal to hardcore enthusiasts. You can write for a catalog of FCC Master Frequency Database items to the NTIS, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

The FCC has an agreement with PerCon (tel. 716-386-6015), a private company, to sell FCC license information to the public on CDROMs. You can buy the full license information for a multi state region or a less detailed license database covering the the entire USA on CDROM for about $100. The PerCon Spectrum CDROM sells for $29 and contains a handful of fields for every FCC license in the US. The Spring 1995 edition works in DOS, Windows, and Mac environments.

Grove enterprises sells FCC license information on CDROM for $100. In the 1995 edition, fields are different than PerCon's Spectrum CDROM but the data appears to be of the same vintage. The licensee name and licensee city are used instead of the DBA (doing business as) name and transmitter city which makes query results confusing.

As I have already done for hundreds of radio enthusiasts, companies, government agencies, and organizations across the country, I will locate FCC licensed and selected FAA and CAP transmitter sites in an area of your choice, in any state, and produce a custom RadioMap(TM) report, including a beautiful 8-1/2" by 11" scaled color map, protected by plastic. The map is marked with transmitter sites, cities, highways, airports, military installations, national parks, etc.

RadioMap has been advertised monthly in Monitoring Times magazine since 1995. The graphical nature of RadioMap allows you to identify antenna sites and visualize the transmitter locations in your neighborhood, near your office, and other places of interest -- from VLF through microwave. The report lists frequencies, callsigns, and licensee names. RadioMap covers police, fire, local government, TV, business, industry, common carrier, railroad, trucking, and many more types of transmitter sites, excluding ham radio stations. Wireline and nonwireline cellular phone and AM/FM broadcast transmitter sites are clearly marked using unique color icons.

Industrial customers use RadioMap reports to survey the "radio environment" prior to installation of radios and wireless microphones at customer sites. RadioMap is used by the maritime and broadcast industries, as well as ham radio operators to solve intermod interference problems, and has been very favorably reviewed in RCMA Scanner Journal, American Scannergram, and USSN.

The RadioMap processes and software are unique and proprietary. Unlike "more tame" maps, RadioMap shows the locations of military bases, ammunition plants, arsenals, weapons factories, and other military installations.

For a flat fee, you choose the center location, and I choose the range, depending on transmitter site density:

suburbs: 5 mile range (100 sq. mi. area)
rural areas: 10 or more miles (400 sq. mi. area)
dense urban area: 1 - 2 mile range

Longer ranges for additional charge - call for pricing.

A custom RadioMap report costs $24.95 plus $5.00 shipping and handling. For an additional $5.00, I will include a custom frequency allocation histogram, a 0 - 1,000 MHz "spectrum analyzer-like" display showing spectrum usage by the transmitters in the map coverage area. Send check or money order payable to Bob Parnass for $29.95 for standard or $34.95 for deluxe RadioMap report with histogram. Include your name, address, and telephone number, along with center location (nearest intersection of 2 streets, or latitude & longitude) and mail to: Bob Parnass, 2350 Douglas Road, Oswego, IL 60543. tel. (630)554-3839 6-10 PM central time. For a brochure, send SASE.

Do Your Own Frequency Detective Work

When you try listening to a frequency for the first time, you'll want to know who you're hearing.

Although FCC rules require radio systems to identify their operations with their assigned call letters either automatically or verbally, most ignore the regulation. This often makes it difficult to know who is transmitting. Moreover, many radios are now being placed in service illegally, without first obtaining the required FCC license.

There is a challenge in deriving new spectrum usage information on your own. Sometimes it requires several days of listening, taping, and compiling fragments of information. Other times, the frequency information is there for the taking - without hassle.

You can approach from two directions:

1. Listen first: Monitor a frequency or frequencies, and try to determine who's transmitting and what purpose the channel serves. Once you identify the user, log the information.

2. Compile first: Take advantage of opportunities, such as examining the frequency label on a guard's radio, or reading the FCC license hanging on the "radio room" wall, to compile frequency lists, then monitor the listed frequencies to confirm that they are really in use. Readers are urged to abide by the rules of good taste and local laws in the quest for frequency information. Don't trespass, wait for an invitation.

Most listeners use a combination of both approaches.

You can examine the FCC license on premise. I have found the actual FCC radio license, complete with frequency assignments, hanging on the walls of places like the mall security office or company guard shack. You can examine the labels on radio equipment. Frequency information is engraved on labels on the back of many walkie-talkies, or inside the battery compartment, like in the Motorola HT220 model. Most pagers have labels on the bottom or inside. Like passwords taped onto terminals, it's not uncommon to find labels embossed with frequencies or call letters glued to the front of base stations.

You can make your own opportunities for eyeing the equipment or take advantage of "open house" events. If information is displayed publicly, then a reasonable person could assume it's not government secret. Hobbyists are urged to exercise a modicum of restraint and good judgement, however.

How Can I Use Equipment
to Uncover New Frequencies?

If you don't know the exact frequency, but have a general idea of the range (e.g. 150 - 152 MHz), use your scanner's "search" mode. Most programmable scanners afford the ability to search between two frequency limits set by the user. A few models, like the ICOM R7000/R7100, and R1, and older Bearcat 250 and Regency K500, have the ability to automatically store active frequencies found during an unattended search operation.

To find the frequency of a hotel communications system, one fellow installed his Bearcat 250 in his car and parked in the hotel lot, leaving the scanner in the "search and store" mode. He left the antenna disconnected so the

scanner would only respond to a transmitter in the immediate vicinity.

Aside from a scanner and antenna, the most useful piece of equipment for sleuthing is a voice actuated (VOX) cassette tape recorder. You don't need a high fidelity model or anything fancy, a Radio Shack CTR-82 will do. It's best to use a shielded, attenuating cable to feed the scanner audio into the recorder rather than relying on the recorder's internal microphone.

VOX recorders allow one to compress a whole day's worth of monitoring onto a single tape. I often leave a recorder "armed" and connected to a scanner at home while I am at the office or doing something else. When call letters are mumbled, I can play and replay the tape until I hear and understand them.

Test equipment can aid in the quest for new frequency information. I've used a spectrum analyzer connected to an outside antenna, and a frequency counter for close-in work.

Are There Any Scanner Clubs or Mailing List?

One of the best parts of the hobby is sharing it with other radio buffs. Trading information with other hobbyists about frequencies, communication systems, and receiving equipment is more valuable than any pile of magazines.

Peter Laws administers an electronic mail list read by over 700 hobbyists devoted to scanners and scanning. It's called "scan-l" and for more information, read:

http://www.wildstar.net/~plaws/scan/scan-l.txt

Clay Irving <clay@panix.com> administers a scanner electronic mailing list, called "scanning." To subscribe, send an Email message to: majordomo@lists.panix.com

In the body of the Email message, put: subscribe scanning

All Ohio Scanner Club

A smaller club is the All Ohio Scanner Club. Its bimonthly publication, The American Scannergram, is about 60 pages long. Although concentrating on Ohio and the Northeastern states, there is frequency information from other states, and plenty of good product reviews and scanning tips.

Annual dues are $18.50 and more information is available from:

Dave Marshall, Managing Editor
All Ohio Scanner Club,
50 Villa Road,
Springfield, OH 45503.

Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association

The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) is the foremost club for scanner radio hobbyists in the northern Illinois area. CARMA was formed from the Chicago chapter of the Radio Communications Monitoring Association (RCMA), and we have been meeting since the early 1980s.

Many CARMA members are active in ham radio and GMRS, but the club is devoted to scanning and scanners.

Meetings are held on Saturdays, many at area restaurants, about 6 times a year. Although lunch starts at noon, the meetings begin officially at 1 PM and often run until about 4 PM. You must purchase a lunch since we get the room for free. Meetings consist of a quick review of club business, sometimes a special presentation, and a "round table" discussion/question & answer session. Large quantities of information and frequency lists are often distributed in the form of free handouts. Members often sell radio equipment at the meetings, too.

In addition to regular meetings, there are two CARMA picnic/field days during which members meet at a park, erect antennas, eat, and operate scanners from battery power. CARMA members take organized tours of various communications facilities in the area.

Club meeting dates and times are published in the CARMA newsletter, published 6 times a year. You can obtain an electronic subscription to the CARMA Newsletter. For more info, see:

http://www.TheRamp.net/shabec/carma.htm

The club's mailing address is:

CARMA
P.O. Box 2681
Glenview, IL 60025

Some CARMA members participate on the CARMA computer bulletin board, run by Will Sperling. There is a $15 fee for 200 hours use of the BBS. If you have a modem and terminal or computer, you can reach the CARMA BBS by calling (630)852-1292.

All meetings are held on Saturdays at locations announced in advance. Meetings are usually held at:

- the Destiny Restaurant, on Rand Road, in Des Plaines,

- Philly's in the shopping center at the corner Rt. 83
and 53rd St. in Willowbrook,

- The Great Escape, on Irving Park Road, Schiller Park

and at other restaurants.

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7222. Re: Cheek --> Mackey's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Dwenger <cdwenger@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bdec01$c58cbfa0$43dd0ad0@default>
Source record: 142810

John,
The thing I find most interesting `bout you, is that you never let the
facts interfere with your opinion. Why don`t you look at the percentages of
off topic post vs. ON topic post you make? Duhhhh.

Charlie

I didn`t do it.
Nobody saw me do it.
You can`t prove anything!

John <john@parg.org> wrote in article <3610688D.4A9A@parg.org>...

> The facts of your claimed data is seriously distorted by your
> prejudicous favoritism towards Bill.

7223. Communications Electronics Inc (CEI) Problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: King Pineapple <craigseuf@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdec02$3a8c39c0$9f50d2d0@glenn>
Source record: 142811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I've been trying to e-mail Communications Electronics, Inc. (CEI) at their e-mail address of cei@usascan.com, mail is returned. Anyone know what's going on with them?

7224. FS AOR 1000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Wentz <dwentz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <01bdec13$136a28a0$a32404d0@dragon.mcs.accessus.net>
Source record: 142812

I have for sale a 9+ AOR 1000XLT. It is in great condition even has the protective plastic on the keyboard from the factory. Includes Box Manual, charger, everything but the nicads.

500KC - 1.3 Gig no gaps FM,Wide FM, AM

$250.00 Certified check or money order plus ship/ins

dwentz@accessus.net

7225. FS RS Pro-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.D." <jdv@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36118909.7747@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142813

Cellular modified pro-26 in excellent condition (9.5/10) with all orginal accessories. This includes original box, belt clip, manual, and rubber ducky antenna. Also included are new Ni-Cd batteries and a leather carrying case. $230.00. Email jdvogel@unmc.edu

7226. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <36118DC2.D2AC69B5@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142814

bigron wrote:

> About 5150, that is the California's Welfare and Institution Code for a
> person that is a danger to them self or others and are put into the
> custody of mental health authorities for up to 72 hours. This can be
> extended for an additional 14 days with 5250 W&IC proceedings.
> --
>
> _____________________________________
> Ron Webb RN, EMT
> Angwin Community Ambulance
> Angwin Fire Department

Nothin' like the voice of authority. Thanks for the clarification on the 5150 code. It's a "cut-save as" keeper.

Thanks.

7227. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36118DCB.B3EA05DE@earthlink.net>
Source record: 142815
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Exactlly!! But Man, You should see that needle SLAM!!

SHANEKLUG wrote:

> bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net wrote:
> >
> > You guys would "LOVE" my set up in my '85' Buick Riviera! Cobra
> > 148GTL, "extra" channels(PLL mod), connex board, RK56 N/C mic, super
> > mod "kit", dial-a-watt, roger beep, roger "fart", big finals(swings to
> > 28wattsPEP). This radio is driven in to a SilverBullet 80watt
> > modulater that in turn is driven in to a TX800 amplifier!!! Also have
> > a PDC700 meters mounted on the floor. This set up will show a 10watt
> > dead key and "SWING" to 1300 watts!!! All the radiation is shot out
> > of a Wilson-1000 magnet mount on the roof of the car!!
> >
> > All this just to harass the "BIG RIG" drivers to and from work!!
> >
> > Question: Would my set up be "Illegal in the U.K. ?
> >
> > Gotta have a sense of humor if you live in the States!!!
> >
> > Take Care Friends!!
> >
> > Wolf out for now.
>
> that would be 1300 watts peak... not rms... probably around 700 watts on
> a bird meter...
>
> Shane

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

7228. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36118E43.58862399@earthlink.net>
Source record: 142816
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

No import tax! Just good old "Uncle Sam" tax here in the states!

John Langfield wrote:

> In article <6uohrbrin1@newnews.global.net.uk>, JIM SEWELL
> <URL:mailto:sewell01@globalnet.co.uk> wrote:
> > If were talking about a 40 channel am mid rig, then its very illegal to own,
> > let alone use...
>
> It is not very illegal to own an AM rig. It is just illegal to transmit on
> it.
> Mind you this one might not have had its import tax paid!!!! 8-(
>
> > Do yourself a favour and bin it.....Dont try selling it, because if you
> > choose the wrong person ????
>
> If you go to car boot sales you will see loads of AM rigs for sale. No one
> seems to care.
>
> > As for making it FM, again the chances of finding a dealer willing to have
> > it in his shop to do the work is very slim due to its illegal nature.... It
> > would probably be cheaper to buy an FM rig than to have it modified......
> > Hope i've scared you enough, but i'm sure most will agree
>
> I have heard that there is a "Rig Doctor" who does all sorts of things to AM
> and FM rigs that lives in Fleetwood, Lancs.
>
> John.
>
> --

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

7229. Pro-2003 Not Receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Winston Smith <winston@psicorps.com>
Message-ID: <36116f67.0@news.bwave.com>
Source record: 142817

I have a Pro-2003 that I pulled out of the closet and am trying to use. The problem is that all I get is static. This is the case using the telescoping antenna that came with it as well as a large external antenna. I have tried scanning various frequencies to no avail. All I get is static.

I get reception fine using a different scanner so it is not my area or the antenna.

Any guesses as to problems I can check for?

Thanks in advance.

7230. Re: Excellent Scanner Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6us33h$150a$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 142818

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SCOTMOCKUP wrote in message
<19980928122034.22798.00003546@ng75.aol.com>...
>
>This is an excellent Scanner web site..
>
>
><A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP
Descramblers/ Signal
>Meters/ Service Manuals</A>

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The above URL does NOT lead to an "excellent Scanner web site". In
fact, it does not lead to a web site that has much to do with scanners
at all. It is a website where descrambling equipment (which is
illegal to possess and use in the United States) is offered for sale.
It also appears to be the poster's own money-making business. The
messages posted in this newsgroup extolling the virtues of this
website are invariably posted by people connected with the business.
It is advertising, nothing more or less.

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de Dave, NF2G

7231. Re: Scanner ad Promotes Cordless Phone Monitoring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <nf2g@ggw.org>
Message-ID: <6us33l$150a$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 142819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Steve P wrote in message <36101dfa.10584579@news>...
>To those of you who believe cordless phone monitoring to be illegal
in
>the US, can anyone cite any statutes (federal, state, local or
other),
>that will validate this belief?

There is extensive documentation, including exact statutory citations,
on the NF2G Scannist Pages, USA Section.

http://www.ggw.org/nf2g/usa_index.html

Click on "Laws & Regulations".

73 de Dave, NF2G

7232. Re: FS: PRO-2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfwinstead <winstead@UNTairmail.net>
Message-ID: <257F81331C2EC182.5D2DF90073D6E1B9.6B5729C3B7FBE107@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 142820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Paul Knight wrote:

> The unit works perfectly, and is in good cosmetic condition; the only
> flaw is that the previous owner poked some small holes in the keys on
> the keypad, don't ask me why!

Why?
So he could navigate the keyboard without lookin' at it.
Perhaps better to make a plastic overlay for the keypad
and holepunch strategic holes in it, say over the
SCAN--------SEARCH^-------5 keys. Before you know it
you'll be playin' the '04 like a beancounter on a HP.

7233. Re: Cheek --> Mackey's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <36119C0E.F4B613AC@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142821

John wrote:

> allsafe wrote:
> > Of course, these numbers mentioned that approxiamtely 24 of your 2139
> > posts were "on topic." The rest were harassment. And they don't even count
> > your forgeries and rogue cancels.
> >
> > While Cheek's "on-topic" posts were around 1500.
>
> The facts of your claimed data is seriously distorted by your
> prejudicous favoritism towards Bill.

Ok.......Go through your two thousand, one hundred, thirty-nine (2139) posts and repost the ones related to scanning and *not* harrassment. If there's an error in the numbers, please post the correction.

Your move.

You friggin' loon.

7234. FS : RS PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6us53qcpp1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 142822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

In great condition. $275 Firm. No Trades. Includes Manual.Antenna and Box. Hardly ever used...In its box for at least three years... I had Buyer who backed out after agreeing to buy it. Email if interested.

7235. Re: Conduit's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <36119DF3.C71@parg.org>
Source record: 142823

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
SNIP
> when people tried to tell HITLER
> not to kill the Jewish people.
> he got the idea in his head and
SNIP

Comparing Bill (or anyone else on this NG) to HITLER
is being a bit extreme & totally out of reality.

Mr. Conduit, please stop trying to make trouble & just go
away.

7236. FreqSoft -- Looking for Beta Test Participants

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joe C. Byrd" <jcbyrd@direct-pest.com>
Message-ID: <36116c3b.0@news.ossinc.net>
Source record: 142824

I have written a small program to help keep track of frequencies, agencies, and special descriptions of those frequencies.

If you would like to help beta test this software please email me. I am limiting this beta test to 20 participants.

Thanks

JoeBoy

7237. Radio Shack Pro 90 Cell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jmeanea@infowest.com>
Message-ID: <36117088.3D67@infowest.com>
Source record: 142825

Can anyone direct me to information in modifying my Radio Shack Pro 90 Trunktracker to receive cellular band frequencies? Email is okay.
Thanks

John

7238. 2005/6 feet !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <36116956.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 142826

Looking for 1 or 2 of the front pulldown extension legs for a
PRO-2005 or 2006.
Also need the part number for a PRO-2005 front panel.

Better yet, anyone have a smoked 2005 or 2006 ?

reply to hduff@ica.net
DO NOT AUTOreply

7239. Red Cross HF Freq's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Giraudo <giraudo@pop3.sierra.net>
Message-ID: <36117C4D.28A@pop3.sierra.net>
Source record: 142827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone have the HF, (Not amateur), frequencies for the American Red Cross? Is there a data base such as Percon or the FCC databases for HF freqs?

tks...73

7240. choosing between hand-held and base scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Susan M Anderson <Joycat@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6up8oq$klf@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142917

I am considering buying a BC235XLT or BC895XLT. Which of the 2 would be best to buy with consideration of the terrain. I live in Wake County NC and would like to listen to as much county-wide activity as possible. What is the typical range of a scanner without an external antennae and what might I expect from the 2 models mentioned. W.G.S.

7241. FS Relm HS200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8ewq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928201635.11319.00000394@ng22.aol.com>
Source record: 142918

I have a Relm HS200 scanner for sale. I bought it for the nascar races and it did
the job well, but I don't need it anymore since my wife got me a new race scanner
from radio shack. I have all the origional equiptment it came with plus a set of
headphones that work great at the track and long life nicads with a 3 hour
conditioner/charger for the batteries. The radio is in great shape and has only

been used a few times. The scanner has 200 channels and a built in tone board,
signal strength meter, and a backlit keypad.The scanner also receives CB radio.
The price is $150 shipped. Please email me if interested.

Thanks
Tony

7242. For Sale BC760 XLT with PL board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fsmoyer@sgi.net
Message-ID: <361026ed.7339353@news.sgi.net>
Source record: 142919

For Sale

Bearcat BC-760 XLT
with PL and accessories.

On auction at
www.ebay.com

or link to
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32845170

Auction running til 10/05/98 17:22:38 PDT

Frank Smoyer N3OBL
fsmoyer@sgi.net

7243. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6upcg7$fo3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <36100C51.B4F42EC3@locl.net>, zc <zclaudy@locl.net> wrote:
>THE FCC states that a ham may in an emergency use any frequency available to
>him for such communications. Zara Claudy n9qyr

Please quote the appropriate paragraph from the Part 97 FCC regs to back
up your claim.

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7244. Re: AR7000 IS HERE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerunl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928232304.09304.00005851@ng65.aol.com>
Source record: 142921

Hi,

Our price is $ 1199.95 + U.P.S. and sales tax if you live in California.

Glenn Cohen
rec.radio.scanner

7245. KRYPPY JACK /THE LONELY LOSER INSULTS # ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980928233727.18743.00003870@ng100.aol.com>
Source record: 142922

I'm only here to post messages to you . So these replies are for you only.
Your insults , what are they suppose to do hurt my feelings?Am I suppose to
lose sleep over your useless words? I dont think so.

Get a Life You Loser

IN SPITE OF YOUR SHORT COMINGS AND BAD JUDGEMENT ABOUT PEPOLE YOU DO NOT KNOW.

I STILL FIND LOVE IN MY HEART FOR YOU AND I'M STARTING TO FEEL SORRY FOR YOU .
YOU'RE A REAL SICK MAN
PLEASE SEEK HELP

GOD BLESS
KRYPPY(JACK) THE LOSER

ANYTIME YOUR IN NEW JERSEY LOOK ME UP SO I CAN LAY HANDS ON YOU IT
MIGHT HELP YOU :)

I LOOK FOR MORE , YOU CANT STOP
YOU'RE TO FAR GONE

7246. Re: SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY FREQS WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <36109B5D.3850951F@cwix.com>
Source record: 142923

SLOSO
460.150 Blue (Main Dispatch)
460.475 Yellow (Secondary)
460.050 Red (Emergency)
460.025 White (Mutual Aid)

SLO County Fire (CDF)
151.325 Dispatch

SLO County Fire Departments (Volunteer Depts)
154.385

Arroyo Grande
460.500 Police Orange
154.010 Fire Primary

Atascadero
460.425 Police Green
154.385 Fire Primary

Grover Beach
460.175 Police Green
154.415 Fire Primary

Morro Bay
460.175 Police Green
154.130 Fire Primary

Paso Robles
460.125 Police Green
155.040 Fire Primary

Pismo Beach
453.900 Police Green
154.145 Fire Primary

San Luis Obispo
460.375 Police Green
154.385 Fire Primary

Hope this helps ...

Mike

MLewis8687 wrote:
>
> CAN ANYONE HELP ME WITH THE FREQUENCIES FOR SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY?? ANY AND
> ALL WOULD BE APPRECIATED...THANKS IN ADVANCE

7247. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <36109FCF.A4E6D8CD@cwix.com>
Source record: 142924

I have noticed most all fire departments I hear (locally & when
traveling) use clear text. I have not heard any police agencies using
clear text.

Here locally 10-10 has 3 different meanings for 3 different agencies.
City police 10-10 is a traffic stop, county sheriff 10-10 is a coffee
break, and CHP 10-10 is off duty.

Gotta love it ... makes listening interesting ...

Mike

Brian Humphrey wrote:
>
> Ivan Ivanovich wrote in message...
>
> >It can be summed up with one word:
> >
> > Tradition
> >
> >Public safety officers have always used them, no one really knows why, but
> >to have the "Look and Feel" of a public safety officer, ya gotta use'em.
>
> Er, uh... Sorry Ivan - not really!
>
> The primary reason for using codes was aural brevity.
>
> Among the more well-known were the "10-codes". While there are a host of
> such in use (most agencies having their own), there were **very early**
> efforts by APCO (now the Association of Public Safety Communications
> Officials, International)
>
> http://www.apcointl.org ...to standardize at least some of these.
>
> A sampling of the original codes can be found in many places on internet,
> including
>
> http://aosc.rpmdp.com/apco.html
>
> There has been a movement afoot for quite some time to return to
> "clear-text" whenever possible. Progressive Fire Departments have been
> supportive of such efforts for decades.
>
> Among the most outspoken advocates of clear-text was my good friend, the
> late Stan Harter. A bit of interesting history about this legendary man and

> his exploits (many of which you may take for granted) can be found at:
>
> http://www.apcointl.org/bulletin/bull/november/historical.html
>
> While it is doubtful that clear-text will replace all codes, it is an
> admirable effort to do o when possible.
>
> Monitor Safely!
>
> Brian Humphrey
> Firefighter/Paramedic
> Public Information Officer
> Los Angeles Fire Department

7248. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duncan@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <3611a2e7.37137701@news.freeserve.net>
Source record: 142925
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

On Mon, 28 Sep 1998 21:33:05 -0400, bigbadwolf1@earthlink.net wrote:

>Question: Would my set up be "Illegal in the U.K. ?

Yes :-))))

ï¿½ D u n c a n

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Fax UK: 0870 0554660 Fax International: +44 870 0554660

My website can now be found at http://surf.to/Dunks
Join my free L.F.C. news mailing list http://LFC_News.listbot.com/

I am answerable to nobody other than God. ICQ 8960994
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7249. Re: Why do police use codes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <uoUSYR569GA.84@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 142926

Brian Humphrey wrote in message
<6up0kf$4aoe$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>Ivan Ivanovich wrote in message...
>
>>It can be summed up with one word:
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>> Tradition
>>
>>Public safety officers have always used them, no one really knows why, but
>>to have the "Look and Feel" of a public safety officer, ya gotta use'em.
>
>
>Er, uh... Sorry Ivan - not really!
>
>The primary reason for using codes was aural brevity.

<<<< Stuff deleted >>>>

>
>Brian Humphrey
>Firefighter/Paramedic
>Public Information Officer
>Los Angeles Fire Department

Maybe so in CA but for the most part here in OH they used them out of
tradition. Back in the late 1970's and early 1980's the APCO propsed to do
away with them. This stirred up quite a debate amongst the Law Enforcement
community's Chiefs. Our chief and his cronies view point was they had been
around for a zillion years and should stay.

Basically, like every issue brought forth on the internet news groups this
is one with many answers (plus the experts to go along with them) and none
are totally wrong.

Ivan Ivanovich
Former Sgt. WPD and Ptl NCPD in OH

7250. NEED INFO: Bearcat 760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Mothership <borg_1998@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3610CD1F.18ED689D@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142927
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

I was looking to buy a Bearcat 760XLT scanner. I found this web page:

http://www.durhamradio.ca/bc760.htm

It states that the newly manufactured models of this radio are not capable of being modded for cell coverage. Can anyone verify this?

Not that I am looking to mod it, but I am just curious since there is tons of mod info for this radio on the net. I need to get the story straight and hoped to find someone with better intelligence on this product.

Please reply to me at borg_1998@hotmail.com

Need info fairly quickly.

Thanks in advance!

7251. Re: How to transmit on police frequencies? Reply to Torres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cop@nte.com
Message-ID: <Hg4Q1.229$Fh.270782@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 142928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

In article <36100C51.B4F42EC3@locl.net>, zc <zclaudy@locl.net> wrote:

Zara wrote:
>THE FCC states that a ham may in an emergency use any frequency available to
>him for such communications. Zara Claudy n9qyr
>

Please read part 97 again. It doesn't cover radios or frequencies used under
different services. Just radios and frequencies under part 97. Don't add
more to part 97 than what it covers, HAM RADIO.

Just Cause
>Dave DiGiorgio wrote:
>
>> This topic has been brought up many times in my area, and while I have
>> no legal basis for this, here is my opinion. If you used a radio for a
>> LIFE OR DEATH emergency to contact police, I doubt if it went to court
>> you would loose your case. However, it damn well better be a LIFE OR
>> DEATH situation. You could very easily end up loosing your radio,
>> and/or lots of money (fines). Just think about all the strange verdicts
>> courts come up with these days, and it is really hard to try to figure
>> out how they will side.
>>
>> Dave
>>
>> Jim M USAF Ret wrote:
>> >
>> > On 27 Sep 1998 08:11:33 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:
>> >
>> > >Barry O'Grady (barryo@XacayX.com.au) wrote:
>> > > >> In the USA it is an offence to be in posession of a transmitter for
>> > > >> which you don't hold a current licence. Don't believe me? Check with
>> > > >> the FCC.
>> > >
>> > > Pure BALONEY!
>> > >
>> > > The infraction comes when you transmit with that radio...not when you
>> > > take possession of it. MARS and CAP operators all over this country
>> > > would be in deep kimshee (sp?) if what you say is true..fortunately
>> > > for us..it is not.
>> > >
>> > > >You may be correct, Barry (or not :-) but your post would have ever so
>> > > >much more credibility if you could cite the FCC regulation to which
>> > > >you refer.

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>> >
>> > I wouldn't worry about it John.
>> >
>> > Cheers!
>> > ***************************************************
>> > *Jim Martin, WK1V Listed email address is not real *
>> > * Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
>> > *************<.procmail> Spam Resistant**************
>
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7252. Re: choosing between hand-held and base scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <3610D28E.4855C6AB@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 142929

Susan M Anderson wrote:
> I am considering buying a BC235XLT or BC895XLT. Which of the 2 would be best
> to buy with consideration of the terrain. I live in Wake County NC and would
> like to listen to as much county-wide activity as possible. What is the
> typical range of a scanner without an external antennae and what might I
> expect from the 2 models mentioned. W.G.S.

Susan,
Both are quite similar with respect to reception. The BC895 offers
more
"bang for the buck" with S-meter, CTCSS decode/search, weather alert,
rotary tuner and computer control.
The bigger issue would be whether you want the portability of a
handheld or not. Unless you really want to take it with you, the 895
will be a good choice.
I have reivews of both radios that you should probably read. Start
at my site listed below. For your questions regarding range, see my
New Scanner Users FAQ : http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/new_user.htm
And since we appear to live in the same county, you might also want
to poke around my site to dig up the frequency lists for our area which
will come in VERY handy once you do have a radio in your possession.
Best of luck!

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

7253. CS R10 Help!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Young <race3fan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3612A14F.2F42@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142730

I just got the program today, have it loaded, and it runs. Only problem is it doesn't recognize my Com Ports. I've tried just about everything I can think of to cure this problem, except throw the radio away. What can I do to get it to work? Please Help Me!!!!!

Shan

7254. Movie Crew Frequencies ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Rowan <Trowan@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <3612B155.1372@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 142731

I have some assholes making a movie near my home , does anyone have the frequencies for these shitheads ?

7255. Westchester Cty Police Radio Ten Codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: SMOKIECAT@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28316-3612AABB-1@newsd-212.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142732

Does anyone have an updated Listing for the Hwy Blue Units

Respond Directly to

Smokiecat@webtv.net

Thank you ====steve

NYC FIRE DEPT
216 North Fulton Av
Fleetwood ,NY 10552 9/.1998

7256. Re: Making of my own antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skip Lawson <ablaze@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <3612BABA.871F622@sonic.net>
Source record: 142733

240 mm is only .24m not 2.4m.

Tarjei Lundarvollen wrote:

> Hi, I'm thinking on making my own scanner antenna for the freq. range 118 -
> 137 Mhz (airplane and controllers). I have calculated that the length
> og the wave on freq. 125.000 (which is close to the middle of the freq.
> range I want) is 2.4 meters (240 mm) and the lengt og the antenna will be
> 2,4m / 2 = 1.2 metres ? And I thinked on use a pipe (metall) to antenna,
> but how should I connect the wire (50 Omh cabel, it that right for scanners
> ?) to the "pipe" (antenna), the center of the cabel I think should be
> conected to the pipe, but where shall I connect the "ground" of the cabel,
> to ground (a pipe in the ground) or do I have to make som "radials" on the
> "antenna" (which of course must not be in conctact with the center "pipe" or
> the center "wire" of the cabel) and conncet the "ground" in cabel to this
> radials ??
>
> If there any pages on the internett where I find more information about
> making antennas ?
>
> Please mail me if YOU have any answear: tlundar@online.no

7257. Re: Movie Crew Frequencies ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <3612BE5F.38E87F38@nol.net>
Source record: 142734

Thomas Rowan wrote:

> I have some assholes making a movie near my home , does anyone have the
> frequencies for these shitheads ?

Why are they "assholes" and "shitheads?"

7258. Which CB channels are best to scan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxspamdrimar@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <MPG.107c8cadb0cbbf819896a3@news.naplesfl.net>
Source record: 142735

I have about 29 channels in a bank I want to devote to CB traffic. I know 19 is the most used. Which 11 channels could I easily eliminate because they are seldom used, and not miss much?

Thank You,

Digital Man remove "xxspam" from my address when replying by email.

7259. FS RS Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6uuo0kart1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 142736

I have one that I think is in very good condition. It works and looks great.
I have it now posted for $275 including manual, box and antenna.....Split
shipping.....

7260. Re: 2005/6 feet !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3612E90D.92E70845@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142737

Hugh Duff wrote:

> Looking for 1 or 2 of the front pulldown extension legs for a
> PRO-2005 or 2006.
> Also need the part number for a PRO-2005 front panel.

Bill Cheek gave this guidance:

Last I knew, Tandy National Parts at
(800) 442-2425 still stocked new front panels
for the PRO-2006 at a cost of about $10. Should
you wish to order one, refer to the below info:

[PRO-2006 #20-145A] [A'ssy, Escutcheon Front GA-89D-8303]

7261. Re: 2005/6 feet !?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3612E962.A899A6D1@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142738

Hugh Duff wrote:

> Looking for 1 or 2 of the front pulldown extension legs for a
> PRO-2005 or 2006.
> Also need the part number for a PRO-2005 front panel.
>
> Better yet, anyone have a smoked 2005 or 2006 ?
>
> reply to hduff@ica.net
> DO NOT AUTOreply

Oops, sorry, I gave ya the part number for the Pro-2006. Missed that
"2005" part of your post.

7262. Re: pro 2004 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: allsafe <Nuh-uhh!@INVALID.com>
Message-ID: <3612EC53.6CD55831@INVALID.com>
Source record: 142739
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Jack wrote:

> Just got a sweet PRO2004 with a strange problem,
> when ever you turn it on, the display goes nuts. It works fine but the
> display is garbled. Pressing the reset on the back clears it up and it
> just runs fine till you shut it off.
> Another thing, I thought all 2004's were cell enabled, this one is
> blocked. Seems like a great scanner so far, too bad it has a dim
> backlight....

Did'ja see this post from yesterday Jack? Maybe the display is screwed
and needs replaced. (I dunno, just a guess...but...)

Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Organization:
http://www.supernews.com, The World's Usenet: Discussions
Start Here
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.scanner

I have a new LCD (plug-in) in the sealed Tandy
pack. None left !!

I'm selling for what I paid for it.

$45 shipped

Once your 2004 display goes it's gone for
good.....

7263. Re: Conduit's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <john@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3612E980.1AEA@parg.org>
Source record: 142740

The Cb Guy wrote:
> Please make an on topic post, or go away.

You would do well to follow your own advice.

7264. PRO-2004 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gina McBride & John Miller <mcmiller@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <3612EE34.8680D709@alaska.net>
Source record: 142741

Original owner, maunal, antenna. Radio is in
perfect shape. LCD good.

$230 + $10 shipping

e-mail or call 907-337-9168

7265. FS pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moonman <moonman@telcomplus.net>
Message-ID: <36131B64.82BB5988@telcomplus.net>
Source record: 142742

pro-2006 for sale with lots of modifications

6400 channels
key board controled with leds
led s-meter
led center tune meter
ex-delay 0-12sec switchable, and adjustable with led on

data-tone squelch switchable
led carrier on
auto-birdie by-pass with led
cyrstal speed-up
cellular

i think there are few others that iam forgeting, the unit is in
excellent cond and looks
and works perfectly, i'am looking for $350.00 and buyer pays shipping,
i might be
interrested in a trade for a computer.
thanks
craig
BLAINE, WA

7266. Re: Change step size on Pro43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wapcutthispart@ica.net
Message-ID: <36120327.768016@news>
Source record: 142743

"@ndre" <IK_Ben@ndre.> wrote:

>
>skanman heeft geschreven in bericht
><01bdeafa$24de1660$54e037a6@mycomputer.nando.net>...
>>Anybody know how to change the step size on a Pro43? This unit has been
>>cell modded and steps the correct 30khz,but I want to change the 12.5khz
>>step size to 5khz step in the 900mhz range and possibly other ranges that
>>are 12.5khz.
>>
>
>YES ...thats possible, there,s a modification for the pro43 ,so that the
>keylock switch does the job.
>
>There must be added a diode and some wires thats all.
>
>Search for "PRO43-Modification" in a search engin and you will find it.
>
>(I will try to find it for you in meantime)

No. Not going to happpen. Other than the North American cellular
bands, all band step sizes are fixed in the 43's firmware.

The only way to get different step sizes is to program the PLL's
directly.

...Andy

*** Remove anti-spam text to reply directly ***

7267. Re: MCSO 800Mhz Radio System?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Simmont <simmont@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <36131C54.5B5E8F3B@extremezone.com>
Source record: 142744
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,az.general

Anyone here in Arizona heard anything more about MCSO (Maricopa County Sheriff's Office) moving to a 800Mhz Digital radio system sometime next year? The Town I live in is unfortunately looking to contract with them for Police services, and if the deal goes through we will be abandoning our current radio system and using theirs. From what I have heard, MCSO will have a new "high tech" radio system capable of dispatching Police & Fire. I know Maricopa County already has a 800Mhz system (used by the jails, and a few other cities who contract). Just wondered if Sheriff Joe's boys will be "unscannable" by using digital and or digital encrypted radios.....

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Charles Simmont - ICP509 http://wwp.mirabilis.com/19943355
Incident Command Page of Arizona Dispatcher & National Coordinator
http://www.axtek.com/n7qyk/icp.html

*** The views expressed here are my own and not that of ICP unless otherwise stated.***

7268. What is this I'm receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: q-dude@usa.net
Message-ID: <6urvj8$m74$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142828

I have been receiving on my scanner and multiband receiver on certain frequencies, something that makes arcade-like noises and a rare "I've got a call for ?" Anyone know what it is?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

7269. Re: Salinas Airshow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghs521@aol.comiamnot
Message-ID: <19980929211902.04942.00004285@ng03.aol.com>
Source record: 142829

>In article <360EFB4F.35D6@prodigy.net>, HOUNDDOG@prodigy.net wrote:
>
>> S-Birds
>> 272.1 - This was a freq that I hadn't seen reported before
>
>Just FYI, this is does seem to be a new frequency this year, however it has
>been used at every show this year that I've heard about. That's unusually
>consistent for them! Anyone listening at Travis, Tucumcari, or their last
>show of the year, at Fort Worth, should check 272.1 first.
>
>

I saw the Snowbirds 15 years ago and that was the freq used them also.
Greg

7270. Re: What is this I'm receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6us1gm$q4m@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142830

In <6urvj8$m74$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> q-dude@usa.net writes:
>
>I have been receiving on my scanner and multiband receiver on certain
>frequencies, something that makes arcade-like noises and a rare "I've
got a
>call for ?" Anyone know what it is?
>
someone is looking for the Cheek Guy.

call waiting...

bill conduit
etc.

7271. Long Island News Mailing List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith@Knip.co
Message-ID: <6us1hd$8jq$1@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 142831

I setup a Long Island News Mailing List so we could
POST messages about BREAKING NEWS in the NYC / LI area..
That would ALERT us to Tune our Scanners to Certain Frequencys.

The Mailing list has the Option of having messages saved and
only sent to you Once a day (Digest Version)

There are 2 ways to subscribe:

1. Go to: http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/LINews
2. Send me Email and I will add you (mailto:keith@knip.com)

Hope to see you on the List,

Keith

N2NJS

Enjoy,
Keith

|===>
| KEITH@KNIP.COM == Internet Email Address
| HTTP://WWW.KNIP.COM == WWW Page URL Address
| N2NJS@AMSAT.ORG == HAM Radio AMSAT Email
| N2NJS@KC2FD.NY.USA.NA == Ham Radio AX25 Packet Address
|===>

7272. Re: Cheek --> Mackey's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6us1u9$bi0@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142832

In <3610688D.4A9A@parg.org> John <john@parg.org> writes:
>
>allsafe wrote:
>> Of course, these numbers mentioned that approxiamtely 24 of your
2139
>> posts were "on topic." The rest were harassment. And they don't
even count
>> your forgeries and rogue cancels.
>>
>> While Cheek's "on-topic" posts were around 1500.
>
>The facts of your claimed data is seriously distorted by your
>prejudicous favoritism towards Bill.
>

Now all you people know how it was
when people tried to tell HITLER
not to kill the Jewish people.
he got the idea in his head and
formulated an excuse and on he went
doing his thing.

afterwards the act of killing became
almost a religion with Hitler...same
as with mackey..and Bill Cheek.

amazing how Mackey uses "obliviousness"
to the extreme and eludes all that
is factual. What a similar mind-bent
with what Hitler saw.

Mackey has no conscience. He makes one up.
So Hitler had no conscience. he made one up.
Then he slid in and the fit was right. so with
mackeral...he slid in and he's stuck within.

bill conduit
etc.

7273. Re: Cheek

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6us21b$ie8@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142833

In <361048D6.544D@parg.org> John <john@parg.org> writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>> you told someone not to make references to
>> the Check Guy...that was your remark.
>
>HOW do you intpret the message below where I recommend a person send
>e-mail to Cheek as telling him not to reference "the Cheek guy"?
>
>
>
> that was not the post i was referring to.

bill conduit
etc.

7274. Re: Pro-25 cell unblock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@XacayX.com.au
Message-ID: <361192be.10484372@news.acay.com.au>
Source record: 142834

Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net> wrote:

:Hey all-
:I was looking in my pro-25 scanner yesterday, and I
:saw the board marked
:"800 mhz unit" made by uniden, and saw three
:jumpers on it. Don't those
:control the blocked out cell freqs? couldnt one be
:snipped to unblock
:cell?

If that was the case the radio would not have been approved for sale.

:Anyone tried it? I'm really annoyed at all
:the freqs RS blocked
:out on this unit. Thanks-
:
:
:Greg

7275. Re: FLEX 4 level FSK interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: charly@steppy.com
Message-ID: <3612a181.5589483@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 142835

Make some and we will buy them..........

On Sun, 27 Sep 1998 18:46:04 -0600, Krypt <krypt@enteract.com> wrote:

>Hi !
>Anyone got it to work ?
>I use 2 level (SCHMITT TRIGGER) interface wiht PRO-51.I had to modify
>the value of resistor from pin3 to the ground to get it to work. Had a
>hell of a time to get the discriminator output, but that was worth the
>effort. NOw i need to make the 4 level interface to work.
>I have seen at least 3 versions of schematics. Does anyone know (or
>have) a lyout that works ? One i tried to put together is at
>www.qsl.net/pa3eik/4lev_fsk.html.
>
>BTW 2 level seems to decode 2 channels from FLEX transmissions properly
>(POCFLEX.EXE)
>
>
>
>Thanks

7276. ****TRADE: TWO MOTOROLA SPIRIT VOICE PAGERS****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980929224240.12615.00001197@ng10.aol.com>
Source record: 142836

Hey,

I have two Motorola Spirit Voice Pagers (dedicated frequency recievers) for trade. Both include special "custom size" Rechargeable NiCad batteries, one "drop in" charger and one "non-drop-in" charger (the non-drop-in charger can actually charge two batteries at the same time, but you must first remove them from the receiver. The drop in charger is a single reciever charger, but you just drop the pager in and it charges--- no removal of battery.) I'll include both chargers, and of course both belt-clips. Both units work great, and and are in good condition. Both are currently set to 138.325 MHz. I have been told there is a way to change the freq to anywhere from 136-165 MHz (+ or - some) by doing some modification to it, but I just don't have the tools or knowledge for it. Would be usefull for monitoring a 2m repeater, or maybe a fire company freq when all you need to do is listen. WHAT I AM LOOKING FOR IN A TRADE: The 2m amp that RadioShack just cleared out for $29, a glass mount 2m/440 antenna (non-used, of course,) a small base 2m/440 antenna (no home-brew's please,) cheap frequency counter, or just about any other ham radio related item. All offers considered. (In case you're wondering how much these recievers go for, last weekend a person at a hamfest was selling a pair of them for $45 without any charger and one battery.) *ALL OFFERS CONSIDERED* Please drop me an email.

7277. Scanner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ex812@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980929224437.18738.00000169@ng100.aol.com>
Source record: 142837

I have a Uniden Bearcat BC60XLT 10 Channel Programmable HandHeld For Sale. I took it out of the box and used only a few times before i got a new scanner as a gift. The scanner is still in the original box with original packaging except for the belt Clip. The Price is $ 45 plus Shipping. E-mail if interested

EX812@Aol.com

7278. Re: A99/Scanner Receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980929224947.12615.00001202@ng10.aol.com>
Source record: 142838

>
>Will a A99 increase the receive (ears) on a BearCat scanner. Use a A99
>for my ham radio, not for sure if it would increase hearing on my scanner,

It would help on the VHF Low-Band (30-50 MHz,) but not all that much elsewhere.

7279. Swap Page. List your items free.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <kd*4lyp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <3611C36A.7E2@qsl.net>
Source record: 142839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Free Swap Page!
http://www.InsideTheWeb.com/mbs.cgi/mb162351

Come on folks...post some items on there to better your chance of
selling it. Its slowly taking off but I need more listings to make it
work.

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Please take the "*" out of my address to return email!
Or just click on the address below!
mailto:kd4lyp@qsl.net

Web site at:
http://www.qsl.net/kd4lyp
KD4LYP's amateur radio and scanner page.
Reviews on: Optoelectronics Cub frequency counter and CTP voice
De-scrambler.
Humor on "How to be a LID" and info on the "D.I.R.T.S." organization
East Tennessee frequencies along with the general ones and pictures of
my equipment.
Listed with the "Top 100 ham sites".

7280. DETETIVE PARTICULAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: detlima@tba.com.br
Message-ID: <3611bb94.0@news.tba.com.br>
Source record: 142840

INVESTIGA��ES PARA TODOS OS FINS EM TOTAL SIGILO
CAUSAS C�VEIS CRIMINAIS E CONJUGAIS, PAGAMENTO
FACILITADO. SAIBA O QUE DIZEM NA SUA AUSENCIA
ADIQUIRA UM GRAVADOR AUTOM�TICO PARA TELEFONE APARTIR
DE R$ 165,00 ATENDIMENTO 24 HS PARA TODO O BRASIL
PELO TEL: 061-382 4508 OU MANDE SEU E-MAIL PARA:
detlima@tba.com.br

7281. 2004 Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "TraceyLevin.," <tracey12@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3611C7BD.7B09@swbell.net>
Source record: 142841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Is it possible to get the Pro 2004 boards from RS still?

If so, do you know how much they cost??

Please reply via email!

Thanks

Mark

7282. KB9HGI'S HAM SHACK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve KB9HGI <pacman@bcl.net>
Message-ID: <3611ccc3.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 142842
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

Come visit my Ham Shack web page. Something for everyone!
Ham Radio, Scanner Radio, CB Radio and more.....

http://www.qsl.net/kb9hgi/

7283. Northern/Central California scanning email "reflector"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmslists@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980930021424.20881.00006840@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 142843

SCANnorCAL is a new mailing list "reflector" covering the radio scanning hobby...25 MHZ and above...for Northern California, roughly defined, for now, as north of the Tehachapi Mountains...so it really includes what most Californians would call Central California as well. GENERAL GUIDELINES Our primary emphasis is on governmental frequencies at all levels (local, state, federal) including police, fire and EMS; business radio, railroads, etc.

It's similar to several other "scan-l" type groups, but a bit more open than some to radio "trivia," history, etc. To subscribe, go to: http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/SCANnorCAL

Harry Marnell

7284. Re: NEED INFO: Bearcat 760XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Derryberry <michael.derryberry@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <3611E2FE.DC4A1466@cwix.com>
Source record: 142844
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

This is correct. The new models of the 760 are not modifiyable for cell.
The cpu is programmed with the cell freqs deleted from the factory.

Mike

The Mothership wrote:
>
> I was looking to buy a Bearcat 760XLT scanner. I found this web page:
>
> http://www.durhamradio.ca/bc760.htm
>
> It states that the newly manufactured models of this radio are not
> capable of being modded for cell coverage. Can anyone verify this?
>
> Not that I am looking to mod it, but I am just curious since there is
> tons of mod info for this radio on the net. I need to get the story
> straight and hoped to find someone with better intelligence on this
> product.
>
> Please reply to me at borg_1998@hotmail.com
>
> Need info fairly quickly.
>
> Thanks in advance!

7285. Computer Interference Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <3611EEFE.5DCF20A@nol.net>
Source record: 142845

My scanner antenna is outside. The cord, however, run near the computer and I get intereferece from it (I get less hiss when the computer is off). Is there a way to minimize the interference. I really can't move the computer and the cable (RG-58U 20 awg cl2 75C)
whatever that means. If I need to use another type of cord (about 30-40 ft), please let me know what type and where I can find it.

Any help is highly appreciated,
mailto://jcarroll@nol.net

7286. Re: Computer Interference Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.Halls" <halls@bell.dialix.com.au>
Message-ID: <907145958.461359@bell.dialix.com.au>
Source record: 142846

if u cant move the pc move the cord

Joshua Carroll wrote in message <3611EEFE.5DCF20A@nol.net>...
>My scanner antenna is outside. The cord, however, run near the computer
and
>I get intereferece from it (I get less hiss when the computer is off). Is
>there a way to minimize the interference. I really can't move the computer
>and the cable (RG-58U 20 awg cl2 75C)
>whatever that means. If I need to use another type of cord (about 30-40
ft),
>please let me know what type and where I can find it.
>
>Any help is highly appreciated,
>mailto://jcarroll@nol.net
>
>

7287. Icom PCR1000 ??? commands???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Clough <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <VxIER9AnVgE2Ewg6@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 142847

In article <6urrh5$g3d$1@duke.telepac.pt>, JM BRM <cmb@mail.telepac.pt>
writes

Hi,

>I want to know the commands and the RS232 settings for the Icom PCR1000.
>
>I want write the software to control the scanner. I have the software
>from Icom but i want write my software.

Take a look at Judson Ahern's web site - links to many IC-PCR1000 sites
including software and command codes, PCR1000 mailing list etc.

http://hoth.gcn.ou.edu/~jahern/home/pcr1000/

Have fun.
Cheers,
/--\
Jonathan Clough	HF\VHF\UHF Receivers & Scanners from all the
Javiation,	leading manufacturers including:
Bradford, ENGLAND, U.K.	AOR AR16/5000/7000/7030/8000/8200, Alinco DJ-X10
Tel: +44 (0)1274 732146	Commtel 205/216/510, Icom IC-R10/PCR1000
Fax: +44 (0)1274 722627 \ Realistic PRO-26/2042, Standard AX400B
Clough@javiation.co.uk \ UBC-3000XLT/9000XLT, Welz WS-1000/WS-2000
http://www.javiation.co.uk \ Yupiteru MVT-7100/MVT-7200/MVT-9000
\--/

7288. Re: American C.B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tallguy@mistral.co.uk
Message-ID: <36120afb.8491004@news.intra.bt.com>
Source record: 142848
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.scanner,uk.rec.radio.cb

On Tue, 29 Sep 1998 22:48:05 +0000, John Langfield
<johnlang@wavenet.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <6uohrbrin1@newnews.global.net.uk>, JIM SEWELL
><URL:mailto:sewell01@globalnet.co.uk> wrote:
>> If were talking about a 40 channel am mid rig, then its very illegal to own,
>> let alone use...
>
>It is not very illegal to own an AM rig. It is just illegal to transmit on
>it.
>Mind you this one might not have had its import tax paid!!!! 8-(

It's still illegal to own. You can't even buy solely 10m for Amateur
use anymore...

>If you go to car boot sales you will see loads of AM rigs for sale. No one
>seems to care.

No-one caring is not the same as it being legal :-(

Cheers,

Jon.

7289. Re: New handheld qustions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Wells <wells@ralvm.rtp.com>
Message-ID: <36120AB6.739B95E6@ralvm.rtp.com>
Source record: 142849

greg medbourn wrote:
> Witch is a better handheld scanner to buy?

Depends what you are looking for. I would suggest
stopping by my Picking A Scanner/Receiver web page:

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/pickrecv.htm

> I was looking at:
> MVT 9000
> Icom R-10
> Ws2000
> Aor 8200&8000
> uniden BC-3000xlt

Stop by my web page below and look under the Reviews
button. You should useful info for all of the above
radios.

Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA
http://www.strongsignals.net/

7290. Mississauga anyone ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: open@REMOVETHISidirect.com
Message-ID: <36120f9b.422702@usenet.idirect.com>
Source record: 142850

Hi

I live in Mississauga/ON/Canada and have been into scanners for the past year or so, yet the only "stable" signal I seem to be getting is the St. John's ambulance in here.. the police is all trunked, the fire dept I can only get the dispatcher every once in a blue moon, cell phones and wireless get boring . . .

Now, this seems like a weird question.. but anyone else around this area came across some interesting frequencies to listen to ? (not necessarily amb/pol/fire)

Feel free to email me in private if you don't want to clogg up the newsgroup.

Thanks a lot in advance.

Mina Naguib
a.k.a. Dafrog
http://dafrog.cjb.net

To email me, remove "REMOVETHIS" from my
email address.

7291. Re: Wanted: Crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <6ut4d0$3m2@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 142851
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

In article <6us7g0nd1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
Eric Pekarek <ericpekarek@earthlink.net> wrote:

>The Old Bearcat radios require a different rf 10.8 for there
>crystals. Radio Shacks will not work.

It would be more accurate to say that crystals designed for
Radio Shack scanners will not oscillate on their design frequency
when used in a Bearcat scanner.

Buy, you *can* order both styles of crystals through Radio Shack.
Each store has a looseleaf binder containing pages of crystal
lists for each style scanner. The pages list frequency
and stock number.

I ordered a batch of crystals for my Bearcat scanners through
my local Radio Shack store. They arrived at my home in
about a week via US Mail.
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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

7292. attenuation...HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: iss@ripco.com
Message-ID: <6ut8na$iq4$1@gail.ripco.com>
Source record: 142852

I need to attenuate the signal [~46MHz] from an antenna so that I only receive a nearby transmitter. The attenuators I've seen for sale [both in-line & varible type] only offer ~20db. max. attenuation... I figure I need somewhere around 100-120 db. for my purpose... I already used 4, 20db. [in-line] attenuators... this was not enough, & I've run out of space..!!

Can the signal be attenuated by a resistor [capacitor?] at the antenna/cable connector..??... is there a formula for this..??

any help is appreciated... Rob.

7293. Re: Computer Interference Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uta7v$514$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 142853
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

The normal fix usually involves doing some grounding. You see, the shield braid on the coax doesn`t "shield" anything unless it is connected to a good ground. This is easier to achieve than one would think. The first thing to do is see that the chassis of the scanner (or the shield of the coax) is grounded. Take about a three - foot piece of wire and look at the scanner. If there is a screw on the back that can be loosened up, you can connect one end of the wire under the screw head. (If you can use less than 3 feet, all the better) You would then take the other end of the wire and loosen the screw that holds the face plate on a nearby wall socket, and put the other end of the wire under it. Re-tighten.
If the scanner has no screw that can be used for this, or the screw on the scanner is not hooked to the scanner chassis, then you need to strip off about 1/2 inch of the outer hide of the coax, being careful not to cut into the braid. Do this as close to the scanner as possible. Now, take end of the wire and wrap it around the bare shield wire, then tape up with electrical tape, to keep things neat and keep the wire from tarnishing up. In many cases this will eliminate the interference entirely.
when you get a chance, go outside and drive a ground rod at the base of the antenna mast. Just about any piece of metal pipe about 3 feet or so long will do for this. Then, hook the ground rod to the metal mast of the antenna with a short piece of wire. Make sure you have good metal - to - metal contact at all points.
You should have seen a sharp drop in the interference from doing all of this. In many cases, it will be eliminated entirely. If the scanner manufacturerers would put a three - prong plug on their equipment, we all wouldn`t have to go through this.
The foregoing info is especially important to those who are running a hand - held in the house using a power supply , or "wall wart" type of supply, since the transformer in the supply isolates your rig from ground. Interference can be really bad on these, since they generally have a "hotter" front end , and tend to pick up on the noise worse than a base rig.
Enjoy the peace and quiet.

Joshua Carroll wrote in message <3611EDF3.A96FE78E@nol.net>...
>I have an antenna I use outside. The cord runs along the wall under the
>computer. I seem to get interference. Is there any way that I can
minimize
>it, besides the obvious moving the computer or turning up the squelch?
>
>Thanks,
>mailto://jcarroll@nol.net
>

7294. Re: Bearcat BCT-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kidbik <kidbik@brainerd.net>
Message-ID: <6utaesciv1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 142854
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

I recently purchased a BCT-2, When monitoring a channel it always cuts out
(checking another channel I presume) can I change this??

Also the delete button on the front I assume is to remove unwanted channels!
By deleting these is there a way to restore them at a later date, i.e...
turn off then on??????

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'97 F150 SC Style XLT 4X4 w/ORP, 4.6V8, Red/Gray, LEER Cap,
ALL POWER, CD, 3.55 w/posi, Captains Seats, Lund Avenger,
Chrome Westin's, Lane Dual Exhaust, Slider, Tow Pkg.

7295. Re: Conduit's Troublemaking Continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: thecbguy@iname.com
Message-ID: <361329f9.2282888@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142855

On Tue, 29 Sep 1998 19:56:51 -0700, John <john@parg.org> wrote:

>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
> SNIP
>> when people tried to tell HITLER
>> not to kill the Jewish people.
>> he got the idea in his head and
> SNIP
>
>Comparing Bill (or anyone else on this NG) to HITLER
>is being a bit extreme & totally out of reality.
>
>Mr. Conduit, please stop trying to make trouble & just go
>away.

Geez, is this what I see after months of Mackey in the "twit' filter?
Watsa matta Mackaloon, Mill Bill Cheek, so you gotta pick on Bill E.?
I've got the same suggestion for you Mackey.
Please make an on topic post, or go away.
The Cb Guy
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ridge/8467/cbradio.htm
Please update any links to my old Webpage address.

7296. Re: Communications Electronics Inc (CEI) E-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Ascher WB8LIT <cei@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <36123148.A855D7D2@mediaone.net>
Source record: 142856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I checked with our MIS staff. They received a few hundred e-mails
this week at cei@usascan.com. They tested it today and all test messages
came through. We do have backup ISP's however for e-mail. Our
administrative offices use cei@mediaone.net. Please forward your e-mail
bounce message to us at cei@mediaone.net and I will have our staff
look at it. Usually the problem is with a firewall at work. If it more
convenient, please call us at 1-800-USA-SCAN.

Ken Ascher WB8LIT
Chairman & CEO
Communications Electronics Inc.
Emergency Operations Center
http://www.usascan.com

King Pineapple wrote:

> I've been trying to e-mail Communications Electronics, Inc. (CEI) at their
> e-mail address of cei@usascan.com, mail is returned. Anyone know what's
> going on with them?

7297. FS: Avcom SDM-42A Spectrum Display Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Monfeli <rmonfeli@dconn.com>
Message-ID: <6utfn8cji1@supernews.com>
Source record: 142857
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This professional Spectrum Display Monitor is designed for use as a
panoramic signal display for VHF scanners & communication receivers such as
Icom, AOR, Realistic, etc.
The SDM-42A displays all signals present in the receiver's IF on a large 5"
CRT so that the operator can monitor signal activity up to a full 10mhz
wide. The operator can then quickly tune to signals as they appear in the
spectrum display. This greatly facilitates locating and tuning of
intermittent signals as well as surveying a particular frequency band. This
unit has been used for hobby purposes and is like new. Asking $750.00
Ron

7298. Re: What is this I'm receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <36134788.2268449@news.erols.com>
Source record: 142858

On Wed, 30 Sep 1998 00:56:08 GMT, q-dude@usa.net wrote:

>I have been receiving on my scanner and multiband receiver on certain
>frequencies, something that makes arcade-like noises and a rare "I've got a
>call for ?" Anyone know what it is?
>

Since I don't know what frequencies you're getting this on, and I
don't know what area of the country you heard this, I can only guess:

You're probably hearing pager traffic.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

7299. Re: Change step size on Pro43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: skanman <skanman@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bdec8b$6ce1f980$52e037a6@mycomputer.nando.net>
Source record: 142859

I have been unable to find this mod.

@ndre <IK_Ben@ndre.> wrote in article <6uotrv$bqe@news3.euro.net>...

skanman heeft geschreven in bericht
<01bdeafa$24de1660$54e037a6@mycomputer.nando.net>...
>Anybody know how to change the step size on a Pro43? This unit has been
>cell modded and steps the correct 30khz,but I want to change the 12.5khz
>step size to 5khz step in the 900mhz range and possibly other ranges that
>are 12.5khz.
>

YES ...thats possible, there,s a modification for the pro43 ,so that the
keylock switch does the job.

There must be added a diode and some wires thats all.

Search for "PRO43-Modification" in a search engin and you will find it.

(I will try to find it for you in meantime)

7300. Institute of Progressive Communication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfpicr@sol.racsa.co.cr
Message-ID: <6utq4s$t9p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 142860

Been thinking for a long time about learning another language, but never quite get around to enrolling in that course? Been dreaming about travelling to far away places, but there's too much planning and arranging involved? Here's your trouble free opportunity for a unique learning experience. Study Spanish at the Institute of Progressive Communications on the campus of the University for Peace in Costa Rica surrounded by nature. Our all-inclusive four week package takes the hassle away. You'll live with a local family in a tranquil small town and be taken by their warmth and friendliness.

Are human rights, social justice, and the environment important issues for you? Feel that everyone has the right to communicate, but the mass media doesn't give everyone equal access? Learn more about the media from a progressive perspective from the staff of Radio For Peace International, a global media model with a shortwave station broadcasting from the campus of the University for Peace which has been in operation since 1987.

Four week courses provide you 80 hours of small group Spanish language instruction and 40 hours of media and radio coursework. Our small class sizes insure you personal and individualized attention.

Comments from recent students: "I liked the friendly, helpful professors and the activities like the fruit festival best...I feel like I definitely got my money's worth." K.W. "I feel I have learned quite a bit"thanks to the exercises, the personal attention, and the responsiveness of teachers and administrators...I love Ciudad Colon, and found everyone to be friendly and patient with me!" Anon.

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http://www.clark.net/pub/cwilkins/rfpi

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

7301. Modify Pro90 for Cell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jmeanea@infowest.com>
Message-ID: <36125D00.5037@infowest.com>
Source record: 142861

Can anyone give me a place to look to find out how to modify a Radio Shack Pro90 handheld to scan cellular frequencies? Private email is okay.

7302. Re: Computer Interference Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: 123robertv@massed.net
Message-ID: <36125f19.13461825@news.massed.net>
Source record: 142862

I use RG-6 quadshield and have no problems at all. The cable is about
40' long and runs behind my computer.

Remove the 123 in my email address to respond by email.

On Wed, 30 Sep 1998 03:42:38 -0500, Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
wrote:

>My scanner antenna is outside. The cord, however, run near the computer and
>I get intereferece from it (I get less hiss when the computer is off). Is
>there a way to minimize the interference. I really can't move the computer
>and the cable (RG-58U 20 awg cl2 75C)
>whatever that means. If I need to use another type of cord (about 30-40 ft),
>please let me know what type and where I can find it.
>
>Any help is highly appreciated,
>mailto://jcarroll@nol.net
>
>

7303. Re: Pro-2003 Not Receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <6uto3t$6tl$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 142863

It could be as simple as a broken connection to the antenna lead inside the scanner, or as complex as a bad oscillator, I.F. stage, or mixer stage. I would say that a trip to the repair shop would be in order.....

Winston Smith wrote in message <36116f67.0@news.bwave.com>...
>I have a Pro-2003 that I pulled out of the closet and am trying to use.
The
>problem is that all I get is static. This is the case using the
telescoping
>antenna that came with it as well as a large external antenna. I have
tried
>scanning various frequencies to no avail. All I get is static.
>
>I get reception fine using a different scanner so it is not my area or the
>antenna.
>
>Any guesses as to problems I can check for?
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>
>

7304. pro90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: joachim2 <joachim2@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6utovthpj1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 142864

dose any one know of any mods for this scanner????

7305. AOR-8000 - AGC Time Constant - Technical Inquiry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjlasky@ibm.net
Message-ID: <36126974.16381473@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142865

In the AOR 8000 - the "Automatic Gain Control" (AGC) internal setting is quite fast. This makes the radio's audio rather "pumpy" on single sideband and causes the shortwave reception to be noiser than it needs to be.

When you set other radios from fast AGC to slow AGC - the single sideband comes in smoother and the SW has a somewhat reduced impulse and atmospheric noise in the background. Short term fading is also reduced slightly.

Can anyone point me to the AGC circuit components in the AR8000? I do not own a service manual.

I figure that if I were to parallel the AGC timing capacitor with another value - that the AGC R/C time constant would slow down and the audio should improve.

Which integrated circuit handles the AGC function?

What resistor and capacitor is responsible for how fast the gain is controlled? Which board are they on. I dont mind getting technical.

Does AOR sell service manuals?

7306. AR-8000 - AGC Time Constant - Technical Inquiry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjlasky@ibm.net
Message-ID: <36126b2d.16822962@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142866

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7307. F.S.Trunk Tracker $165

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.Smith" <rusty@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <36127120.84644F98@direct.ca>
Source record: 142867
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

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For Sale,
PRO-90 TRUNK TRACKER,
300 CHANNEL HAND HELD
MINT CONDITION
$165 US SHIPPED COD.
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7308. Re: Sad news for Monroe, CT CB/scanner shop. RIP Ethel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Goldman <75162.2371@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#0YrBrJ79GA.49@nih2naaa.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 142868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I agree that Ethel was a very nice lady and will be missed by many of us.

You may want to check out Lentini Communications in Newington, Ct. They're open during weekdays to 6PM and Saturdays to 4PM. They're just off the Berlin Turnpike (the Parkway), so it will take only around 45 minutes from Exit 49N Trumbull to get there. Phone number is 860/666-6227 and you can ask for Alex (the owner).

Jeff, CompuServe HamNet

7309. Updated! Pro-Turbo New Software for the CE/HB 232 interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabba@iaw.on.ca
Message-ID: <3610ea42.6755632@news.iaw.on.ca>
Source record: 142869

VERSION 3.02

Web site for downloading back up!

It's now HERE!!
Pro-Turbo

Now Updated to do even more!

Now includes 2 groups of 4 user definable meters! Now you can
have that center tune meter that you have always wanted.

Now includes recording so that when you go out you can hear
everything that went on while you were gone, you can play this back
and listen only to those frequencies that you want to listen to.

You can record loops of 20 minutes length so that you have
that last 40 minutes of recording, you can do an immediate record of
what is happening right away. You can also record 24hrs a day if you
want and it can be selective, you can record just the channels that
you to record without locking out all the frequencies that you don't
want to record.

True 32bit Windows Software for the CE/HB 232 interface for
the Radio Shack Pro-2004, 2005, 2006 scanners. It does everything the
DOS program does, and more. The program uses very little resources,
so your system is still usable under Windows, in fact the author of
the program runs 2 copies of the program on his system with no problem
at all. Some of the most used scripts are now actually part of the
program, log a block of channels, search and store, auto-program lock
a block of channels. If you have added more memory to your scanner,
such as the 6,400 channels mod you can switch between the 16 groups
right from within the program with very little support circuitry.
Also with a few more components you can have an on screen
S-meter, you can even control the volume of the scanner if you have
it connected to your Sound blaster compatible sound card.

So if you would like to have a look, you can get more information
on the program at http://www.iaw.on.ca/~jabba/pro-turbo.htm

VERSION 3.02

7310. Re: Modify Pro90 for Cell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtward01@aol.com.nospam
Message-ID: <19980930143829.03746.00002464@ng08.aol.com>
Source record: 142870

>From: John <jmeanea@infowest.com>
>Date: 9/30/98 11:32 AM EST
>Message-id: <36125D00.5037@infowest.com>
>
>Can anyone give me a place to look to find out how to modify a Radio
>Shack Pro90 handheld to scan cellular frequencies? Private email is
>okay.
>
The Pro-90 was specifically designed so as to NOT be modifiable to receive
cellular.

7311. FS: RADIO SHACK 2037

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod Peeters <bates@netrover.com>
Message-ID: <6uttprjbr1@goblin.uunet.ca>
Source record: 142871

Mint Condition ..No Antenna $220.00 Plus S&H.

bates@netover.com

7312. Re: Mississauga anyone ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: eXeunT@earthling.nospam.net
Message-ID: <36127dd3.3871259@news.attcanada.net>
Source record: 142872

I think he said "interesting" frequencies :) hehe.. just
kidding, although it can get boring listening to Mississauga Transit
after a while. Well I'm relatively new to scanning and just split a
Pro-90 Trunk Tracker with a friend. I live in the Streetsville area,
which is right below the flight path for Pearson International
Airport.
Sometimes its kinda cool to go to the airport, watch planes
land and follow them on their frequencies. Start out on 125.4 for
arrivals and 128.8 for departures, and listen to ATC for further
frequencies.
You could also look up the freqencies for the trains if you
live anywhere near the tracks, or tune into marine frequencies for the
police or other boats on the water if you live near the lake.
Personally though, i love listening to the police :) That's
why I coughed up the extra cash for the truck tracker...
Good Luck!! If you find anything interesting, email me your
findings, i'd love to check them out.

Chris
eXeunT@remove.this.earthling.net

On Wed, 30 Sep 1998 14:30:50 -0400, "Rod Peeters" wrote:

>Here Is a Short List of Miss. Freq. Hope This Helps You a Bit.
>
>MISSISSAUGA AMBULANCE CARDIAC/PARAMEDIC 143.340
>MISSISSAUGA AMBULANCE LOCAL 143.370
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCAIL MCDONALDS DRIVE THRU 32.060
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL ADAM CARTAGE 167.010
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL APPLEWOOD TIRE SERVICE 164.370
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL ASTRO TIRE & RUBBER 163.200
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL BELLFORD GRADING 164.520
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL CANADIAN BEARINGS 164.520
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL CHARTERWAYS COACH LINES171.465
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL DAY CARTAGE 166.290
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL M. SMILSKY LTD. 166.200
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL McDONALD DOUGLAS 165.150
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL McDONALDS-HEADSET 154.600
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL MISSISSAUGA TRANSIT 411.5875
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL MISSISSAUGA TRANSIT 411.6125
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL MISSISSAUGA TRANSIT 412.8375
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL OVERLAND WESTERN 149.890
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL PARKING CONTROL 413.9125
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL PETROCAN REFINERY 452.062
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL PETROCAN REFINERY 452.362

>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL PETROCAN REFINERY 452.537
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL PETROCAN REFINERY 452.812
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL PUROLATOR 460.737
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL ROGERS CABLE TV 464.012
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL SCOTT TRANSPORT 167.880
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL SOMERSET PLACE 172.545
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL STELCO 452.787
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL THIBIDEAU FINCH 49.920
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL TRAVELWAYS 167.985
>MISSISSAUGA COMMERCIAL UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO 469.250
>MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. DISPATCH 414.5875
>MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. F2 150.4250 167.9
>MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. MOBILE REPEATER 158.925 167.9
>MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. OPERATIONS 154.950 167.9
>MISSISSAUGA FIRE DEPT. TACTICAL F2 154.235 167.9
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT CANADA POST 410.0375
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT CANADA POST 410.112
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT CANADA POST 410.525
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT HUMANE SOCIETY 413.9125
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT M.T.C. 143.8805
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT PARKING CONTROL 413.5875
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT PARKS DEPART. 159.135
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT PARKS DEPART. 169.440
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT PUBLIC WORKS 164.940
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. 413.3375 67.0
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. 413.6625 67.0
>MISSISSAUGA GOVERNMENT WORKS DEPART. F3 159.450
>MISSISSAUGA HAM VE3ACN 443.250
>MISSISSAUGA HAM VE3NSL 444.025
>MISSISSAUGA HAM VE3RBW 145.430
>MISSISSAUGA HAM VE3RCX 145.430
>MISSISSAUGA HUMANE SOCIETANIMAL CONTROL 413.9125
>MISSISSAUGA HYDRO F1 169.470
>MISSISSAUGA HYDRO F2 169.860
>MISSISSAUGA PAGER CHECKPOINT 30.220
>MISSISSAUGA PAGER CHECKPOINT 30.420
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 138.345
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 138.645
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 139.110
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 139.290
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 141.495 107.2
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 141.705 107.2
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 142.365 107.2
>MISSISSAUGA POLICE DEPT. O.P.P. BASE 142.665 107.2
>MISSISSAUGA SECURITY CITY HALL 451.7875
>MISSISSAUGA SECURITY CITY HALL 452.3000
>MISSISSAUGA SECURITY CITY HALL 453.725
>MISSISSAUGA SECURITY MEADOWVALE SECURITY 451.7875 100.0
>MISSISSAUGA SECURITY MEADOWVALE SECURITY 452.300 100.0
>MISSISSAUGA SECURITY SQUARE ONE 463.5125

>MISSISSAUGA TAXI AEROPORT LIMO 172.3655
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI AIT TRAVELLERS LIMO 164.775
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI AL'S TAXI 168.180
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI BLUE & WHITE TAXI 164.205
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI CITY TAXI 159.555
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI CITY TAXI 159.615
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI MALTON TAXI 162.360
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI PEEL TAXI 150.845
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI PEEL TAXI 150.890
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI PEEL TAXI 164.850
>MISSISSAUGA TAXI PEEL TAXI 165.255
>MISSISSAUGA TOW BEDFORD TOWING 164.460
>MISSISSAUGA TOW NORTON TOWING 171.090
>MISSISSAUGA TOW PEEL TOWING 462.4875
>MISSISSAUGA TOW TS TOWING 453.4875
>MISSISSAUGA TRANSIT LOCAL 411.6125 123.0
>MISSISSAUGA UITITY HYDRO LAKEVIEW PLANT 410.1375
>MISSISSAUGA UITITY HYDRO LAKEVIEW PLANT 412.9375
>MISSISSAUGA UITITY UNION GAS 162.690
>MISSISSAUGA WORKS PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. 413.3375
>MISSISSAUGA WORKS PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. 413.6675
>MISSISSAUGA WORKS PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. 418.3375
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>MISSISSAUGA WORKS DEPT. F1 164.940
>MISSISSAUGA WORKS DEPT. F2 PARKS 169.440
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>bates@netrover.com
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7313. uk scanner site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: lynx <lynx.uk@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6utvnn$c9a$1@nclient3-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 142873

http://freespace.virgin.net/lynx.uk/index/scanner.htm

7314. Re: Winradio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C.G. Buysrogge" <c.g.buysrogge@consunet.nl>
Message-ID: <6uu0vk$9bb$1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 142874

Sam Taylor heeft geschreven in bericht
<360e9962$0$11056@nntp.quiknet.com>...
>KO6JQ is looking to purchase a Winradio. does
>anyone know anything about this reciever ie: user
>comments /test reports / white papers / mods/
>where I can get one cygnet@cncnet.com
> 73 Sam
>Go to Http://www.advdig.com/scanners.html

> Kees

7315. Royalty program/Scanner Product Network

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctpds49@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980930162607.22571.00004340@ng76.aol.com>
Source record: 142875

Thanks for your interest in the CTP Royalty program.

Here is how it works.

1. You place our banner on your web page. This
will consist of a banner gif Picture of our DS49 Speech Inversion
Descrambler and text advertising it.
Once you place this banner on your
page you are done. There is nothing else to do. You are
given a number that goes after the Descrambler model number
right on the banner.
ie... DS-10. When someone calls us to order
with a credit card or orders through the mail using
your number, you earn a $5.00 royalty for that sale.

2. Royalty checks will be mailed at the end of each quarter.
ie.. end of March/ June/ September/ December.

3. You can email us at any time for an update of your sales.

4. Sales will greatly depend on the amount of traffic your site
gets daily, so increasing your site traffic through search
engine registration and link exchanges will help us both.

5. For each sale where the customer does not remember the model
number, ie... DS-10 we will asign the sale to the next
name on our list of program participants. This way eventualy
you will get credit for a sale even if the customer cant
remember the model number.

That's all there is to it.

If you are interested in participating in the CTP
royalty program Email us your name and mailing address
and url of your web site and we will send you the banner asap.

<A HREF="http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html"> CTP Descramblers/ Signal
Meters/ Service Manuals</A>
http://members.aol.com/ctpds49/index.html

7316. Re: Pro-2003 Not Receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Winston Smith <winston@psicorps.com>
Message-ID: <6uu7bm$g66$1@jumbo.demos.su>
Source record: 142876

Although I used to be an elect. tech. years ago, I am rusty . . . I do have
the schematics . . . where would you start probing?

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <6uto3t$6tl$1@garnet.mint.net>...
>It could be as simple as a broken connection to the antenna lead inside the
>scanner, or as complex as a bad oscillator, I.F. stage, or mixer stage. I
>would say that a trip to the repair shop would be in order.....
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>
>Winston Smith wrote in message <36116f67.0@news.bwave.com>...
>>I have a Pro-2003 that I pulled out of the closet and am trying to use.
>The
>>problem is that all I get is static. This is the case using the
>telescoping
>>antenna that came with it as well as a large external antenna. I have
>tried
>>scanning various frequencies to no avail. All I get is static.
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>>I get reception fine using a different scanner so it is not my area or the
>>antenna.
>>
>>Any guesses as to problems I can check for?
>>
>>Thanks in advance.
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7317. FS: Icom R-7000, Mint, Unblocked, Pictures....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3612A3F4.386E@yahoo.com>
Source record: 142877

FS: Mint condition Icom R-7000 that receives 25-2000 including cellular (pre-ban).

I am the Original Owner.

Comes with:

Manual.
Service Manual.
IR Remote Control.
AC Power Cord.
DC Power Cord.
Original Packing and Box.

Operational condition is 100% as verified last night on my service monitor. I will guarantee this condition for 5 days after receipt. This means that I will give a 100% refund less shipping if it is not in the condition that I have described if I get it back in the same condition as it was sent.

See Pics...

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/r7_pkg.jpg

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/r7_panel.jpg

Asking $975 + Shipping of your choice, COD MOs.

Also have new condition TV-R7100 TV/Stereo adapter for above $175 (will sell separate).

Thanks Craig (cpu_nut@yahoo.com)

7318. Re: F.S. R1801 Programmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael May <r39031@email.sps.mot.com>
Message-ID: <3612340A.EDB3ECE4@email.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 142878
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I was going to ask if the Bables (sic) came with cream cheese. For
those who are about to come down hard on us for comments well I am Just
kidding, people lighten up. What radios does it program with what
supplied cables ?

Mike
WB8VLC

7319. Re: Intereference..Thanks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.scanner
Date: 1998-09-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joshua Carroll <jcarroll@nol.net>
Message-ID: <3612A784.2D3B6622@nol.net>
Source record: 142879

Thanks to all who helped my interference problem. It worked :)